



# The Epiphany Star

September 12, 2007

## Our Mission

The Episcopal Church of the Epiphany is an inclusive community called to seek and follow Jesus Christ. We welcome all people in the Eucharistic fellowship of Christ's Body. We receive strength and encouragement at the common table to carry out Christ's work of reconciliation in our broken world. Nourished by worship and witness, learning and teaching, fellowship and service, we strive to live out the Gospel's radical values with gladness of heart.



## Labor Day 2007:

Today is a day of labor and a day of love at my farm, Hazelbrand. The heat and drought of late summer have given way to a freshening and a greening. The light has changed its slant and color; the air is lighter and thinner than a month ago. The great month of September brings a quickening, an energizing of body and spirit; and besides, how can you not love a month when both tomatoes and figs are in season?

Because of the extreme heat of summer we have put off some chores, and today's weather is perfect for the tasks. Margaret and my son Andrew are washing down the horses, with shampoo and conditioner, picking out their feet and brushing their manes and tails until they glisten.

Meanwhile I am resurrecting the prayer hut. After our last goat (Zinnia) died a couple of years ago, I turned the milking parlor into a tiny prayer hut. La Casita de la Leche, I call it. We have spent hundreds of hours here, milking our does, but also being with them in their times of birthing and dying. Now it makes a cozy place to meditate and write—in the pasture, under trees and near the river. This morning golden butterflies waft in and out as I scrub down the walls, shake out the afghans and set out fresh candles. Later I will burn sage and cedar to deter wasps that also want to set up housekeeping here.

We will also check fencing and gather downed tree limbs to kindle winter fires. These are traditional September tasks for us, a time to gather resources, and ponder what to do better next season. In the midst of all this earthiness, it is an excellent time for us as Christians to consider Creation, not as an afterthought, but as the center of our spirituality.

It is a great time for the Environmental Stewardship Committee to have inaugurated the carbon footprint assessment, to give us a snapshot of how much of the earth's resources we use in our daily lives. The committee has even started a blog, "GreenEpiphany" with a link from the Epiphany website. The committee encourages each of you to share your own tips and challenges.

Sunday, September 16 will be a special day to remember creation. We will celebrate a "blessing of the bags" at the morning services. The green eco-friendly shopping bags, that is, and we will offer them to you to go far and wide, shopping and spreading Epiphany Green across Atlanta! At the 6 p.m. Eucharist on that same day, we will celebrate the feast day of Hildegard of Bingen. This twelfth-century Benedictine abbess, mystic, herbalist, artist and composer saw nature as a blessing, not a curse. Local musician Dewey Kramer will play some of Hildegard's beautiful creation-inspired music on the recorder, and the service will be followed by a reception.

For Hildegard, Creation is nurtured by Love, a "world aflame with vitality," (a prophetic prelude to the "bands of energy and light" of quantum physics). Hildegard created a word to describe the restorative effect of this flame of Love, Viriditas, or the "greening of God." in

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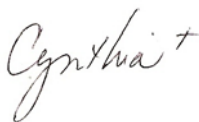
# Parish Life

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which every living thing is a generative, creative and divine birthing. Hildegard's birthing comes as individual bodies, the Body of Christ, and the body of the universe. To be Christ-centered then is to be incarnation-centered and Creation-centered. And it sounds as if we are all in this together!

Meanwhile, the generative, creative and divine birthing at Hazelbrand Farm looks just like the greening of September.



The Rev. Cynthia Hizer,  
Associate Rector

## The Epiphany Book Club

The Epiphany Book Club's book selections for Fall are:



- October 8: *Letters to a Young Poet* by Rainer Maria Rilke
- November 12: *Eat, Pray, Love* by Elizabeth Gilbert
- December 10: *Digging to America* by Anne Tyler
- January 14: *Beyond Belief* by Elaine Pagels

Meetings are held the second Monday of each month, 7:30 p.m., Regency House, 341 Winn Way. All are welcome. Information: contact Chris Kaylor at 404.525.7595 or christina\_kaylor@yahoo.com.

## Now Showing

*Epiphany Gallery welcomes parishioner Patty Young, for September*

Patty studied design at the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee and began to seriously pursue her interests in mosaic crafts, fabric collage and ceramics in 2005.

She volunteers weekly at Emmaus House, helping the senior citizen group create their various art projects. This involvement has influenced her thinking on what it means to be an artist in the world and the importance of community in the creative process. Her hope is that the variety of pieces seen in the show will give others permission to identify their own creative spark and will encourage them in their creative pursuits.

Patty has requested that the profits from sales will be split between Emmaus House and Epiphany. Please make all checks directly to Patty Young and put in Gallery box in the office.

## Summer Breakfast

A hearty thank you to everyone whose delicious breakfasts helped many of us stay in touch during the all too brief summer months: the Braden family, the Mens' Breakfast Group, the Fort family, Judy Eustace and Colleen Flood, Connie Bradley and Beth Costello, Gretchen and Bruce Maclachlan, Chris Kaylor, the environmental stewardship committee, Alixe Davidson, Nancy and Mike Binford, Ann and Charlie Post, Roberta Long and Bob Ballou, the Girl Scouts, the MS All-Star bicycle group, the Flower Guild, and the Vestry. Apologies, as well as thanks, to anyone we've inadvertently missed.

## Coffee Hour

Coffee hour between the morning services is a wonderful time to see old friends, make new ones and generally catch up with fellow parishioners. We are proud to offer Bishop's Blend shade-grown coffee from the Episcopal Relief and Development. There is no money in the budget to fund coffee hour, and so we rely on everyone's contributions to make this happen. If you would like to help prepare coffee and provide light refreshments, please see the sign-up sheets in the crossing hall or contact Doug Runnion (404.325.8825, D\_Runnion@yahoo.com). Thanks!



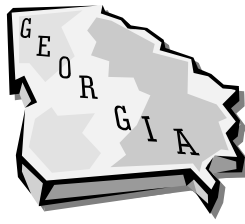
## 50¢ per cup for Bishops Blend Coffee

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## Advanced Directives

*Katharine Hilliard-Yntema*

Did you know that Georgia enacted a law effective July 1, 2007 that makes it very simple to make your wishes known about health care preferences in advance of a time that you may be unable to indicate your wishes? It is known as 'Georgia Advance Directive for Health Care Act.' Anyone with Internet access can download the form from the following link, or from several others.



[http://www.mag.org/pdfs/ga\\_advanced\\_directive\\_070107.pdf](http://www.mag.org/pdfs/ga_advanced_directive_070107.pdf)

The entire text of the bill can be found at the following link:

[http://www.legis.state.ga.us/legis/2007\\_08/fulltext/hb24.htm](http://www.legis.state.ga.us/legis/2007_08/fulltext/hb24.htm)

The main point of the law is to clarify previous confusion about what is required to make your wishes legally binding. The form itself is very easy to read and interpret. You won't need a lawyer to figure it out.

After you have checked off your preferences, sign and date the form and have two witnesses sign it. The main stipulation about the witnesses is that they have no direct involvement with your health care decisions. You don't have to have the form notarized, and the witnesses do not even have to be present when you sign the form. All they are attesting is that they believe you signed the form and that you were of sound mind when you executed the provisions of the form. Just think about the peace of mind you will give your loved ones if they ever have to make difficult decisions about your health care. This is not just for the elderly and the sick. Any one of us could have a serious loss of mental capacity by accident or sudden illness. I know that I feel better after having put my wishes in writing.

## Fall Retreat at Kanuga

Mark your calendars and get ready for our annual parish retreat at Kanuga. This year, our weekend is Friday, October 26, through Sunday, October 28. Kanuga is an Episcopal Retreat center. Near Hendersonville, NC, Kanuga is just over three hours by car. Facilities include hiking trails; a lake for swimming, boating, and fishing, tennis courts, a gym for basketball/volleyball, a field for soccer or softball, a library, and outdoor campfires for roasting marshmallows and story telling.

In the fall, God paints an especially beautiful scene at Kanuga. All parishioners and friends and family of parishioners are warmly invited. The more, the merrier! Hope to see you there!

## Transitions

Please make the following changes and/or additions to your parish directory and welcome our new members. Up-to-date Parish Directories are available from the office by request ([parishadmin@epiphany.org](mailto:parishadmin@epiphany.org)).

If you would like to transfer your membership to Epiphany, you may pick up a Transfer Request form in the gallery, or send your date of birth and any dates of baptism or confirmation, along with the name and address of your previous church home, to the parish office.

### Change of Address

David Houston  
Aldersrogade 51  
2200 Copenhagen N  
Denmark



## Epiphany Stars

- Bruce Fort & Bob Ballou for helping Chef Joel Fowler prepare the barbecue for David's Farewell Dinner.
- Colleen Flood for rejuvenating the children's corner with new bags of goodies for children to take with them into the worship service.
- for all the Sunday School teachers for making the beginning of the year so great.
- Tracy Wells for helping to create the message board for the Environmental Stewardship Committee.
- OCP for weeding and cleaning the Meditation Garden and playground.



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# Environmental Stewardship

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## Epiphany's Carbon Footprint

Your environmental stewardship committee has been busy lately generating ideas of how to get Epiphany and our parishioners to reduce our carbon footprint.

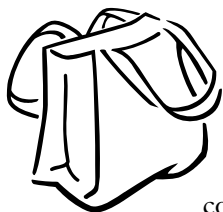
First of all, check out the new Epiphany carbon footprint blog. Just click onto the link at our website, [www.epiphany.org](http://www.epiphany.org), and share your ideas, challenges, good ideas and accomplishments on how to help protect the environment with the rest of us. It is a work in progress and we hope you will help.

We're starting a car-pooling board and have posted car-pooling sheets for different communities, i.e. Tucker, Stone Mountain, Avondale Estates, on the bulletin board in the main hallway. It's posted as "need a ride" and "can offer a ride." We hope you will take advantage of it.

We are putting a call out to Epiphanyites again (see "A Word to the Wise" article) to see how many of you would like to receive *The Epiphany Star* as an email attachment in an effort to save on paper usage.

Currently, we are mailing 500 copies of the newsletter twice a month. If you want to make a change, please let Shea know via email. And of course you can always get the Star by going to the Epiphany website.

We are going to have an energy audit done at Epiphany soon, too, so we'll know how to lessen our own parish carbon footprint.



Don't forget the blessing of the shopping bags at the September 16 service, coinciding with Cynthia Hizer's sermon on 12<sup>th</sup> century spiritual visionary and composer Hildegard von Bingen. In our effort to reduce the use of plastic bags, we'll hand out one bag, which can be used repeatedly, to each family. Additional bags can be purchased for \$1, which is our cost.

## A Word to the Wise

In the Spring of 2005, in an effort to be good stewards of the environment as well as the church's resources, we began making our parish newsletter, *The Epiphany Star: a Word to the Wise* available electronically via email as a pdf attachment and as a link on the web at <http://www.epiphany.org/news.html>. Since that time, about 100 individuals or households have taken us up on our offer of electronic distribution.

Once again, we are inviting parishioners to consider receiving the newsletter electronically. If you prefer to keep receiving the print version, you need not do anything, however, if you would like to go the electronic route, contact Shea McNutt, Parish Administrator, via phone (404.373.8338), email ([parishadmin@epiphany.org](mailto:parishadmin@epiphany.org)) or by mail/cubby and let her know your preference.



## Epiphany Goes Outdoors

On Saturday, October 6, join Ted Jackson as Epiphany Goes Outdoors on a hike to Sweetwater Creek State Park. As part of our environmental stewardship, we will tread lightly on a new 3-mile trail that will drop into the creek valley and head upstream to the bridge across Sweetwater Creek. This trail passes through some of the most beautiful hardwood forests in the park and has an elevation gain of approximately 350 feet.

We will meet at the Epiphany parking lot at 9:00 AM and carpool to Sweetwater Creek State Park (about 20 miles west of downtown Atlanta, near Lithia Springs off I-20 West). This impromptu trip does not require much preparation: daypack, 2 quarts of water, lunch, and money for the park entrance fee and carpool gasoline reimbursement for those who wish to drive.

Interested and want more details? Contact Ted Jackson via e-mail: [TVJackson@aol.com](mailto:TVJackson@aol.com).



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# Adult Education

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## Confirmation Class

Have you ever wondered why the Episcopal Church uses a book of common prayer? Been confused about the role of lay people, deacons, priests and Bishops?



Wondered what it means to 'seek and serve Christ in all people'? Been concerned about what Episcopalians really believe about the Bible? Have you ever wanted to be an official member of Epiphany? The Diocese of Atlanta? The Episcopal Church in the United States of America? If these or any questions you might have about the church, your spiritual journey, the work of the church in the world, or how you get to know the community you worship THEN THIS CLASS IS FOR YOU!

We will meet in the Parish Hall from 7-8:30 every Wednesday evening until October 17th. You are not obligated to be confirmed or received as an Episcopalian at the end of class. And, if you attended last year's Adult education classes on 'Being an Episcopalian', then you can be confirmed or received too. The Bishop will be with us on Sunday October 21st and will confirm and receive people into the church on that day. If you have any questions please call me at the office. Childcare will be provided.

## Huzzah! Huzzah! It's the J2A Urban Adventure Show!

On Sunday September 23 at 10 in the parish hall, our eight intrepid J2Aers will show a film (with constant, enlightening patter and/or commentary) about everything from worshipping in Dinka to braving a cemetery on a ghost hunt. Sound fun? By golly, it will be! Our youth set out on their Urban Adventure in our fair city this past June, in preparation for their pilgrimage to Rome, Italy next summer. Please be there to see and hear what eight beautiful young souls of Epiphany are doing with their body and spirit on their zigzagging walk of faith.

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# Worship & Music News

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## Welcome Jamie Shiell as Interim Organist & Choirmaster

Jamie Shiell currently serves as an adjunct member of the faculty at Candler School of Theology, Emory University as Assistant Director of Music. At Candler, he conducts the Chapel Choir, plays for worship, and assists in the planning of worship for Cannon Chapel. Jamie is a graduate of Westminster Choir College, Princeton, New Jersey and has done further study at Armstrong-Atlantic State University (music education) and Mercer University (organ-conducting). While at Westminster and Mercer he received scholarships in both organ and church music; he holds the service playing certificate from the American Guild of Organist. Jamie has frequently served on the faculties of summer music festivals and clinics such as the Music and Worship week at Lake Junaluska, North Carolina and Westminster Vocal Institute for High School singers. While at Westminster he sang and made recordings with the New York Philharmonic, The Los Angeles Philharmonic, The Philadelphia Orchestra and The New Jersey Symphony Orchestra under the batons of such famous conductors as Masur, Macal, Solonen, Sawallisch, and Rilling. As an organist, he has appeared in recitals throughout the United States, most recently at Church of Saint Mary the Virgin in New York City. As an accompanist, he has appeared in concert with the Westminster Chapel Choir and Candler Singers on tours throughout the country. As a conductor, he has led performances of church choirs and orchestras in a variety of large works, most recently, his choir's performance of the Durufle Requiem was recorded and aired on NPR. From 1997 until 1999, Jamie served as the conductor of the Calawassie Choral Society in Beaufort, South Carolina. Most recently he was Minister of Music at North Decatur Presbyterian Church where he led a comprehensive music program of choirs for children through adults and guided the church through the acquisition and installation of a new organ.

## Music Meditation

The Episcopal Church of the Epiphany will hold a Music Meditation at their evening Eucharist in celebration of the Feast Day of Hildegard of Bingen, 6 p.m. Sunday, September 16. Dewey Kramer, Ph.D., will play Hildegard's music on the recorder during the Eucharist and in a short recital afterwards for a musical lectio divina. Epiphany is located at 2089 Ponce de Leon Ave NE in Atlanta. For information call the Rev. Cynthia Hizer at 404-373-8338.

## St. Francis Animal Blessing

Sunday, October 7 at 6 p.m.

All restrained critters are welcome at the 6 p.m. Eucharist on Sunday, October 7.



## Outreach

### Walk To Emmaus House Set October 7

Save Sunday, Oct. 7, for the second annual *Walk the Road to Emmaus House (WTR2)*.



Participants will gather at St. Luke's, Atlanta, and head out around 3 p.m. The three-mile walk will include a couple of stops along the way to learn some interesting facts about living poor in the inner city.

Once at Emmaus House, there will be a cook-out and closing. Emmaus House's yellow school bus will transport walkers back to their cars and vans by 7 p.m.

"Part fund raiser, part education, part fellowship and part pilgrimage, WTR2 is a great way to meet people of all ages from all over our diocese," says Anne Rein, an Emmaus House volunteer. "Everyone is welcome--adults of all ages, families, and youth--whether you're able to make a donation or not."

The event will benefit the Emmaus House/Camp Mikell partnership. For more information, contact Anne Rein at 404.917.9185.

### Epiphanyites To Build Habitat House With Interfaith Atlanta

The Outreach Committee is excited to announce that we will be building a Habitat House with Interfaith Atlanta, a diverse group of faith communities seeking to learn more about each other while doing good work in the world around us. A wonderful mixture of communities will be working and sharing with us, including Temple Sinai, Central Presbyterian, Unitarian Universalist Congregation, Shrine of The Immaculate Conception, Buckhead Christian Fellowship, The Ismaeli Muslim Community, The Atlanta Masjid of AL-Islam, Dor Tamid, and First Presbyterian Church. During successive breakfast and lunch breaks, a participating community will provide education on their faith tradition to the other participants.

The work will occur for seven weeks beginning on October 14 and ending on December 2. Each Sunday for the seven-week period, Epiphany will have a team working on the house. While trying to maintain some continuity, we will strive to involve as many members as possible. During the seven-week period, we will also be coordinating teams to work on Saturdays at the Habitat for Humanity warehouse building prefabricated portions of homes. To work on construction a person must be at least 16 years old. However, we are planning to involve the youth of the parish in preparing meals for the workers and helping with fundraising.

We invite your participation, and we will be posting a sign-up sheet. If you would like to make a donation, simply write "Habitat House" on the "re" line of your check so we will know its purpose.

For further information, contact:



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# Diocesan News

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## News from Episcopal Relief & Development



### ERD Provides Support For Those Affected By The Peru Earthquake & Hurricane Dean

A deadly 7.9 magnitude earthquake struck in the Ica Province south of Lima, Peru on Wednesday, August 15. There have been more than 540 deaths and at least 1,500 people were injured. Over 16,000 homes are damaged or destroyed by the earthquake. More than 80,000 people are in need of assistance. ERD is partnering with the Diocese of Peru to provide basic emergency supplies such as food, blankets, shelter support, and medicine for people left homeless. The Diocese of Peru is deeply involved in the relief and rescue efforts.

ERD is also working with church partners to assess and respond to needs in the wake of Dean, a powerful hurricane. Our program staff have reached out to church partners in Jamaica, Belize, Haiti, the Dominican Republic, and Mexico. Hurricane Dean has caused massive damage, killing at least twelve people. Thousands of people have been displaced. Electricity and power lines have been cut due to high winds and rain. ERD is addressing the needs of devastated people and affected communities in the aftermath of the earthquake in Peru and Hurricane Dean. Here's how you can help today:

Pray for people devastated by the earthquake in Peru and Hurricane Dean

Give to help provide life-saving food, medicine and other emergency supplies for those most impacted by these crises.

Your partnership is critical to protecting vulnerable people in the midst of the earthquake in Peru and Hurricane Dean. Please send a generous gift today to help provide food and medical supplies for children and families affected by recent natural disasters.

To help people affected by Hurricane Dean, please make a donation to ERD's "Emergency Relief Fund" online at <http://www.er-d.org/>, or leave a check payable to Epiphany marked "ERD" in the alms basin and Epiphany will send a check to them on your behalf.

### Prayers for people affected by Hurricane Felix

Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD) asks for prayers and support for the people affected by Hurricane Felix.

On Tuesday, September 4th, Hurricane Felix blew across Nicaragua and Honduras as a category five hurricane quickly losing strength to a tropical storm as it drenched the region with rain.


The hurricane has killed at least four people and destroyed thousands of homes. Heavy rains have triggered fears of flooding and mudslides, particularly in areas where shantytowns are in close proximity to hillsides.

In Belize, there is great concern for the Southern region of the country where many Mayan communities live in homes that are vulnerable to hurricane strength winds and flooding.

Our staff is in communication with long-standing Anglican partners in Nicaragua, Honduras, and Belize to identify needs. Our partners in Honduras are currently working in coordination with national disaster response committees. ERD is ready to provide emergency aid as needs are identified.

Please pray for those affected by this storm.

*Episcopal Relief and Development is the international relief and development agency of the Episcopal Church of the United States. An independent 501(c) (3) organization, ERD saves lives and builds hope in communities around the world. ERD's programs work toward achieving the Millennium Development Goals. We provide emergency assistance in times of crisis and rebuild after disasters. We enable people to climb out of poverty by offering long-term solutions in the areas of food security and health care, including HIV/AIDS and malaria.*



## The Epiphany Star

a word to the wise...

...is a bi-weekly publication of The Episcopal Church of the Epiphany. Articles compiled and edited by the Parish Administrator, Shea McNutt. Submissions accepted via mail, fax, e-mail or hand-delivery.

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5 p.m., Wednesday  
September 19*

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### Worship Schedule—Sunday

8:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist  
10:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist  
6 p.m. - Holy Eucharist

### Worship Schedule—Tuesdays

7 a.m. - Rite II  
(on alternate weeks)

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## Celebrate With Fellow Episcopalians

The six parishes that comprise the East Atlanta Convocation of the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta will hold a centennial celebration with a day of music, art and crafts, food, family fun, and a juried chili cook-off Saturday, Oct. 13, at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, 1790 LaVista Road NE.

The One World Music and Arts Festival starts at 1 p.m. and will include children's activities, arts and crafts exhibits, food, a variety of musical presentations, and a closing event featuring a children's choir from participating parishes. Each parish will provide a display highlighting its past and current outreach activities. Admission is \$5 for individuals and \$15 for families. Proceeds will benefit the Millennium Development Goals through the Episcopal Relief and Development Fund.

Themes and songs during the afternoon will address poverty, hunger and injustice, as well as diversity, hope, peace, and empowerment. Information about the United Nations' Millennium Development Goals and how local communities can participate also will be presented.

The parishes in the East Atlanta Convocation are Our Savior, Epiphany, and St. Bartholomew's in Atlanta; Holy Trinity in Decatur; St. Simon's in Conyers; and Church of the Good Shepherd in Covington. The convocation also includes the Episcopal student group at Emory University. This celebration helps mark the 100th anniversary of the Diocese of Atlanta.

For more information contact Pat Graves at 404-373-7197 or [plhgrav@bellsouth.net](mailto:plhgrav@bellsouth.net).

## Global Mission Event Will Feature Professor of Mission & World Religions

The Rev. Dr. Richard J. Jones, Virginia Theological Seminary's professor of mission and world religions, will keynote the third annual Global Mission Event Saturday, Oct. 6, at the Cathedral of St. Philip, 2744 Peachtree Road, Atlanta, GA 30305.

Jones has served since 2005 as president of American Friends of the Episcopal Church of Sudan, a nonprofit group committed to helping create and support links between Sudan and the U.S.

Sponsored by the Diocese of Atlanta's Global Mission Committee, the event is open to all interested people and is designed for members of outreach groups, Christian educators, clergy, vestry and all who are supportive of the Millennium Development Goals.

Cost for the day is \$12, which includes lunch. Registrations are due Sept. 30 and may be accomplished online. For more information, or to register, visit <http://globalmission.episcopalatlanta.org/events/gme.html> or contact Gini Peterson at 770.879.0321, [ginireid@bellsouth.net](mailto:ginireid@bellsouth.net).



## For Our Prayers...

Prayer intentions for *The Epiphany Star* and for Sunday Services should be directed to either of the clergy at 404.373.8338. In case of emergency you may contact them via cell phone. The Rev. Benno D. Pattison (404.538.9089), The Rev. Cynthia Hizer (770.891.8216). Please let the Parish Office know if there are any errors on the listings below.

### *Heal your sick servants*

- Anita Harris
- Alison Taylor
- Helen Walsh
- Robert Holt, son of Fran Holt-Underwood
- Kimberly Babcock, niece of Barbara Belcore
- Lucy Anderson, sister of M. B. Ford
- Karen Lindgren, sister of Rob Godsall's brother-in-law
- Bertine Harris Williams, aunt of Pamela Gore
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### *Let their love for each other be a seal upon their foreheads*

- Jordan MacKenzie Moore and Seth Hanson Holladay, who were married September 7 in New York
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### *Rest eternal grant them*

- Walter Edge, father of Cliff Edge
- Tom Crook, friend of Katrina Shoemaker

### *Parishioners who desire our continuing prayers*

- Betty Dangerfield
- Keith Fox
- Dorothy Gautier
- Carmen Gutierrez
- Mary Lee
- Kristen Mann
- Joey Saavedra
- Karen Swenson
- Peter Yang
- Ted Yardley
- Katharine Yntema

### *Those in prison*

- David, Gene, Chris, John, and Mark

### *Those in the armed forces*

- Anthony Baggs, Layton Lane Britt, Kevin Cunningham, Nicky Dykes, Seth Fortin, Brett Jackson, Shade Lawson, Stewart Mundy, Scott Owens, MacLeod Patton, Philip So, Marc Steele, John Thornburg, Chris Will
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### *Family and friends who request our prayers*

- Gerald Fico, son of Grace Fico
- Daryl, sister of Arlen Gray
- Jane Morrison, friend of Betty Walton
- Joyce, mother of Tony Wilkey
- Martil LaCaze, aunt of Karen Swenson
- Evejean Clarke, friend of Roberta Williams
- Leah Aronowitz, friend of Kathy Walmsley
- Bruce Daily, brother of Lisa Daily
- Fred Motney, brother of Diane Wilkey
- Bill Kennedy, cousin of Rob Godsall
- Rob & Denise Swan, friends of Marjorie & Rick Timmer
- Rebecca Miller, wife of James Miller
- Pat Smith, brother of Karyn Smith
- Sean Ray, relative of Karyn Smith
- Peggy Richmond, sister of Bill Graves
- Richard Mann, father of Kristin Mann
- Ed Thompson, father of Nancy Thompson
- Kate McCary, aunt of Karen Swenson
- Ruth Golley friend of Kathy Walmsley
- Jean Martin, aunt of Erin Braden
- Patti Lloyd, sister-in-law of Brenda Lloyd
- Bryan Redd, grandfather of Liese & Sara Redd
- Ginger Lias, mother of Margaret Lias
- Mike Daily, father of Lisa Daily
- Andrew Klassen, young friend of the Wilkey family
- Katy Core & Fredia Chambers, friends of Margo Timberlake
- Clyde Fox, father of Keith Fox
- Joseph Saavedra, father of Joey Saavedra
- Patsy Smith, sister-in-law of Karyn Smith

- Howard Dean, father of Brother Aelred Dean
- Lillian Crooks, daughter of Susan & Peter
- Andrew Lowe, nephew of Maggie Ewing
- Bill McNutt, father of Shea McNutt
- Beth, sister of Chris Miller
- Donald Williams, friend of Jorge Lawton
- Peggy Trosper, mother of Lani Walsh
- Marie Claire Houge, Aunt of Liefy Smith
- Alexandra Rose, niece of Christy & Davis Petterson
- Bill Bitzel, friend of Marjorie Timmer
- Lynn Jones, friend of David Draper
- Edi Guyton, friend of Laura Keys
- Ruth Battersday, friend of Carmen Gutierrez
- Hilma Nepote, mother of Vicki Bolton
- Mary, mother of Colleen Flood
- Mary Lee, mother of Doris Lee
- Anita Harris, mother of Meg Harris
- Anthony & Sharon Villalobos, friends of Sandy Land
- Peg Driskill, aunt of Pat Graves
- Peter Moore, friend of Pat Graves
- Richard, father of Kristin Mann
- Father of Nisa Sommers
- Cecilia Jordan, mother of Ben Jordan
- Lynn & Lenn, friends of David Draper
- Heather, Noreen & Fran, friends of Marjorie Timmer
- Dora Sumner Hsu Du, mother of Steve Du
- Kim, friend of Rod & Michele MacLeod
- Myranell Layfield, friends of Rob Godsall
- Alex Cargyle, son of Barbara Emmanuel
- Melody Terrien, sister of David Houston
- Eric Widiger, brother of Tracey Laird
- Adam Locke, nephew of Allison Sharon O'Flaherty
- Scott Morris, son of Jean Morris
- Ellen Hamilton, mother of Christen Erskine & Sara MacLean
- Donna Bravard, friend of Sandy Land
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## People & Posts

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### September 16

**Acolytes:** 8:45 - Anna Democko, Emily Cook; 11:15 - Emily Thompson, Jessica Moody

**Altar Guild:** Keith Poole, Annie Strahan, Kathleen Rinehart

**Eucharist Visitor(s):** Carmen Gutierrez, Wister Cook

**Flower Guild:** Polly Nodine, Alixe Davidson

**Greeters:** 8:45 - Shirley Sugden; 11:15 - Betty Walton, Barbara Belcore

**Layreaders & LEMs:** 8:45 - Cecilia Democko, Tom Democko, Diane Mundy, Brandon Laird; 11:15 - Kathy Walmsley, Teena Carroll, Bob Thompson, Brent Henderson, Robin Levine, Diane Wilkey; 6 - TBA

**Nursery:** 8:45 - Judy Eustace & Colleen Flood; 11:15 - Barbara & Kent Fisher

**Ushers:** 8:45 - Jeff McGrath, Wallace McGrath, Maggie Lee, Tom Felcher; 11:15 - Ted Jackson, Lissa Jackson, Eric Olson, Kristen Jones

**Verger of the Day:** David Draper

**Vestry Person of the Day:** Lisa Daily

**Second Teller:** Bruce Fort

### September 23

**Acolytes:** 8:45 - Diane Mundy; 11:15 - Chelsea Stephens, Vlada Watkins

**Altar Guild:** Jerry Boyd, Ann Fowler, Anne Warner

**Eucharist Visitor(s):** Fran Holt-Underwood

**Flower Guild:** Sherry Wallace, Kristen Jones

**Greeters:** 8:45 - Beverly Burks; 11:15 - Betty Walton, Alice Cunningham

**Layreaders & LEMs:** 8:45 - Phil Bolton, Rob Godsall, John Yntema, Patty Young; 11:15 - Dave Carroll, Teena Carroll, Diane Wilkey, Dan Mundy, Bob Kirkhuff; 6 - Gary Hauk

**Nursery:** 8:45 - Jimmy & Julie Lockhart; 11:15 - Paige Browne

**Ushers:** 8:45 - Phil Bolton, Jim Biddle, Robin Levine, Eric Craig; 11:15 - Scott Yaegle, Tom Remington, Matt Bolch, Marilyn Richtarik, Catherine Harvey

**Verger of the Day:** Sherry Wallace

**Vestry Person of the Day:** Wister Cook

**Second Teller:** Catherine Harvey