



# The Epiphany Star

a word to the wise

March 12, 2008

## 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.



## Lenten Pilgrimages

Lent is almost over. Each year I resolve to institute Lenten practices that will carry me through the entire season, and each year I fail. Some years have been better than others. This year was particularly tough – Lent came so early in the year that it seemed we had just put away the Christmas decorations. A virus put me in bed on Ash Wednesday, so I didn't have that Lenten "feeling" to get me going. Once I was out of bed almost a week later, our family started our Lenten commitment to each other to pray Compline together every night. It was a magical 10 days before the plan fell apart, over a weekend when we each went our separate ways. The weight of failing at what I wanted to do has kept me from starting over. However, as Christians we are resurrection people with a promise that starting over is a never-ending possibility.

Lent is a good time to examine our failings. In this journey toward Easter, a good discipline is to examine our baptismal vows, which we will renew at the Easter vigil. As the service moves from darkness to light, from Lent to Easter, from death to life, we proclaim that we are in a covenantal relationship with God. In reaffirming our baptismal covenant, we declare our faith in God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; we promise to continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers; to persevere in resisting evil and when we sin, to repent and return to God; to proclaim the Good News of God in Christ; to seek and serve Christ in all persons; to strive for justice and peace among all people; and to respect the dignity of every human being. All of this we promise to do, with God's help.

And when we fail, God invites us to repent and renew our covenantal relationship so that we know that the covenant is still there. Unlike a contract, that falls apart when one party doesn't keep her part of the agreement, a covenant is a never-ending gift to the recipient. The covenant reflects God's steadfast and unfailing love for us. Repentance is an invitation, made by God, to continue in covenantal relationship with the One whose love overwhelms us, especially in our failings. It's God's way of saying that when we fail, God doesn't give up on us.

So, let's continue in our Lenten practices for this next week and a half, renewing our resolve to pick up and start again even when we don't do what we intend. God's invitation to repentance is waiting for us, and Easter is around the corner.

*Liz*

Liz Schellingerhoudt, Seminarian

## Morning Prayer at Epiphany!

Our seminarian Liz Schellingerhoudt has begun holding Morning Prayer at Epiphany on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. We begin promptly at 8:00am in the choir loft so that we end no later than 8:30. For those of you with a little extra time in the morning, stay for coffee afterwards.

# Easter at Epiphany

## Tenebrae

Wednesday, March 19, at 7:00 p.m.

New to our Holy Week Schedule this year is Wednesday's Tenebrae service at 7 p.m. *Tenebrae* is the Latin word for "darkness" or "shadows." This a contemplative service recalling the Passion of Christ in music, verse and light. Join us for this service on Wednesday, March 19, at 7 p.m.



## The Maundy Thursday Liturgy

Thursday, March 20, at 6:30 p.m.

Maundy Thursday begins with an Agape supper in the Parish Hall. We then do the liturgy of the word and make Eucharist around our tables. Participants at each table bring bread and wine. Then those who want to wash feet at stations around the Parish Hall. We then process into the Church to strip the altar and reserve the blessed bread and wine, body and blood of Jesus. This meal and liturgy commemorate the meal that Jesus celebrated with his disciples.



No recipes have come down to us from the time of Christ. Knowing what raw materials were available to the

Jews of Palestine in that period and what foods and dishes were mentioned in the Bible, we have an idea of what Christians may have eaten at an Agapé (love) feast. Dried and fresh fruits (no citrus as oranges and lemons were rare and very expensive), olives, almonds, different kinds of cheeses, lentils, cucumbers with yogurt, couscous, tabbouleh, hummus and bread could have been a part of these meals. For the bread, flatbread, pita, or matzoth (or all three) might have been eaten. Wine for the adults (and grape juice for the children at our supper) would be the custom.

Sign up sheets are in the Crossing Hall. Your food offering is designated on the sign up sheet. The nursery will be available for infants and toddlers, if parents wish to use it. Older children are seated with their families and are encouraged to attend.

## Holy Week & Easter Services

**Sunday, March 16**

\*8:45 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

\*11:15 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

**Monday, March 17**

6:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, March 18**

6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, March 19**

7:00 a.m.

7:00 p.m.

**Thursday, March 20**

\*6:15 p.m.

\*7:30 p.m.

**Friday, March 21**

11:30 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

\*6:30 p.m.

\*7:00 p.m.

**Sunday, March 23**

\*\*\*6:00 a.m.

\*8:45 a.m.

\*9:30 – 11:00 a.m.

\*10:00 a.m.

\*10:15 a.m.

\*11:15 a.m.

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**The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday**

Palm Sunday Liturgy & Holy Eucharist  
NO SUNDAY SCHOOL  
Palm Sunday Liturgy & Holy Eucharist  
Holy Eucharist

**Monday in Holy Week**  
Holy Eucharist

**Tuesday in Holy Week**  
Holy Eucharist

**Wednesday in Holy Week**  
Holy Eucharist  
Tenebrae

**Maundy Thursday**

Agapé Supper (by reservation)  
Maundy Thursday Liturgy, Foot washing & Holy Eucharist

**Good Friday**

Stations of the Cross  
The Good Friday Liturgy  
Stations of the Cross  
The Good Friday Liturgy

**Easter Day**

The Great Vigil, Baptism & Holy Eucharist

Holy Eucharist

Easter Breakfast

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Easter Egg Hunt

[BYOB – bring your own basket]

Holy Eucharist

\* Childcare Available

\*\* There will be no 6 p.m. service on Easter Sunday

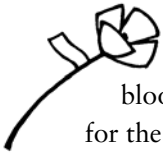
\*\*\* New Time



## Wait One Hour

Our traditional vigil Maundy Thursday night and Good Friday morning is an opportunity for people to come to the church in response to Jesus's question in the Garden of Gethsemane, "Could you not keep awake one hour?" A time for prayer, meditation and scripture reading, the vigil hours mark the time between the Last Supper and Jesus's crucifixion. Vigil keepers are invited to pray near the altar of repose, in the baptistry, where the reserved sacrament is kept during this time. Please sign up in the Crossing Hall to watch with Christ one hour.

## Bring Flowers & Greenery on Easter Saturday & Sunday



Please bring fresh flowers, greenery, and cuttings from blooming shrubbery to the church Saturday morning, March 22, for the Flower Guild to use to decorate the church for Easter. On Easter Sunday, March 23, children can participate in the "Flowering of the Cross." Bring flowers Easter Sunday to join the procession to flower the cross.

## Holy Saturday Quiet day just for kids!

We invite children to assist the Guilds in preparing our sanctuary for Easter Sunday on Saturday, March 22 beginning at 10 a.m. Afterwards, we will color eggs and make baptismal banners. Sign up in the Crossing Hall.

## Help Prepare the Courtyard for Easter

In conjunction with the Children's Quiet Day on Holy Saturday, March 22, at 10 a.m., parents of the children involved in the Quiet Day, and all others who are interested, are invited to plant flowers and trim bushes in the courtyard in preparation for our celebration of Easter. Come bring your trowel and pruning shears. ~ Buildings & Grounds Committee

## Easter Breakfast at Epiphany

*Easter Day, March 23 from 9:30 – 11 a.m.*

Among the "goings on" of celebrating Easter with festivities, such as an Easter egg hunt, we are planning to continue an Epiphany tradition: a scrumptious breakfast on Easter Day. Please join us for something delicious, including eggs (scrambled), bacon, and some hot cross buns, among other offerings. When? Easter morning at 9:30 a.m., following the 8:45 a.m. service. Where? Parish Hall. Bring a delicious breakfast accompaniment and sign up in the crossing hall to help with this event.

## Easter Egg Hunt



Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will take place on Easter Sunday, March 23 at 10:15 a.m. Bring your own basket, and we will provide the candy-filled eggs! Children 5 and under will hunt for eggs in the courtyard. Children six to ten will search for eggs in the Burial Garden beside the paved lot. Older youth will have a few eggs hidden in the grass on the Ponce side of the church. Please gather a little bit after 10 a.m., and the hunt will officially start at 10:15 a.m.

**Psst! Hey Easter Bunnies,** we're filling the plastic eggs with candy on Palm Sunday, March 16, in between the services. Please join us if you want to help out.

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## Easter Flowers & Music



( PLEASE PRINT TO MINIMIZE ERRORS )

I would like to make a contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for flowers (\$20 suggested).

I would like to make a contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for music.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_  
*and/or*

In thanksgiving for: \_\_\_\_\_

This form with check attached must be returned to the parish office no later than **Monday, March 17**, for the donation to be listed in the Easter bulletins.

## Easter & Holy Week Music

I would like to extend my deepest appreciation and thanks to our dedicated choirs for the many gifts of time and talent that they offer to this parish during Holy Week and Easter. We are extremely blessed by the caliber of music that our all-volunteer choirs consistently bring to worship weekly.

Below is a listing of musical offerings for Holy Week and Easter Day.

### Tenebrae, Wednesday, March 19

*Combined Adult Choirs*

Psalms and Canticles sung to Anglican Chant

### Maundy Thursday Liturgy, Thursday, March 20

Music of the Taize and Iona Communities

### Good Friday, March 21 (identical music at both services)

*Combined Adult Choirs*

Chilcott: God so Loved the World

Barber: The Crucifixion

### Easter Vigil, Sunday, March 23

*Vigil Choir*

Wood: This Joyful Eastertide

Hurd: Love Bade Me Welcome

### Easter Day, Sunday, March 23

*Combined Adult Choirs*

*String from the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra*

Thalben-Ball: God the Omnipotent

Handel: Hallelujah, Amen! (from Judas Maccabeaus)

Thompson: Alleluia

Widor: Symphony no. 5 - Toccata

### **On a personal note...**

Our choirs are always open to new members. If you would be interested in singing with one of our current choirs, please contact me. Both Adult Choirs are non-auditioned. Many of you have asked about handbell choir; this choir will resume in September as we begin a new season. It is my joy and privilege to lead the song of this community each and every day!

Peace

Jamie Shiell, Organist & Choirmaster

## Now Showing

### **Epiphany's Art Ministry Welcomes Mary Logan's Spiritually Inspired Assemblages for the Month of March**

Mary Calloway Logan is a found-object artist with an orientation toward faith and spirituality themes. The exhibit at Epiphany includes many of her stunning stations of faith and other assemblages that speak to the new century including upheaval, terrorism and the global community.

Mary attended Yale Divinity School and has served as a pastoral counselor for 33 years located at Druid Hills United Methodist Church. She is an ordained minister and a third-generation pastor. She is married to Dr. Kent Logan, autism specialist for DeKalb County, and has two adult daughters, Hillary and Hannah, both married.

She has shared her unique creative expression for seekers of prayer at Seeds of Light Studio and has taught a class designated *Creativity and Pedagogy* at Candler School of Theology. Through retreats for many types of groups, Mary teaches participants to focus on creativity and see in new ways. Materials include found objects (cast offs) thus redeeming items that have been considered trash or useless. The new assembly can become a unique incarnation of an individual's redemption.

### **Epiphany's Art Ministry Welcomes Barbara Deconcini March 16**

Barbara DeConcini, wife of long-time parishioner Walt Lowe, will display and sell her custom jewelry pieces on March 16. In Barbara's own words:

"I really think I got my best visual education from my fine arts and design students during the fifteen years I spent as a professor at the Atlanta College of Art. While I was introducing them to literature and the history of ideas, they were teaching me how to see. The love of light, color, and design engendered in me then finds expression now in the jewelry I design and craft. My aim is to make pieces of casual elegance, working mostly in natural materials such as gemstones, crystals, metals, clay, and stone. I find the process itself not only relaxing but even contemplative. I love the poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins, which celebrates the things of earth as expressions of grace. 'There lives the dearest freshness deep down things,' he writes; 'it will flame out, like shining from shook foil.' Working with these natural stones to fashion something of simple beauty, I often feel in deeper touch with that "dearest freshness."

## Cathedral Bookstore Visits Epiphany

The Cathedral Book Store will be coming to Epiphany Sunday, March 30, 2008, from 9 a.m. – 1:15 p.m. Adult books, children's books, BCP, Bibles, rosaries, CD's, jewelry and gifts will be available for your spiritual growth. 10% of sales will go towards the purchase of new vestments.



CATHEDRAL  
BOOKSTORE

### Add to our own library!

We are hoping to build our children's library at Epiphany, and would like to offer to you the opportunity to purchase books from the Bookstore and donate them to Epiphany. We have lovely bookplates ready to inscribe with your name and place in the book!

## Epiphany Book Club

The Epiphany Book Club's upcoming selections are

- April 14—*The View from Castle Rock* by Alice Munro
- May 12—*Three Cups of Tea* by Greg Mortenson
- June 9—*The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak

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

## Open House

*Saturday, April 5, at 6:30 p.m.  
at the home of the rector*

New to Epiphany? Or perhaps not a regular Sunday attendee? If you feel you haven't had a chance to get to know Benno yet, stop by his house (265 Elmira Place, NE, Atlanta, GA 30307) from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday April 5 for a casual meet and greet with him, other clergy and the Sunday staff. Please RSVP to parishadmin@epiphany.org so we know how many to plan for. **Note – this is a date change from Saturday, March 29.**

If you are unable to attend on the 5<sup>th</sup>, feel free to email him at rector@epiphany.org to set up a time to meet for coffee or lunch, or just be sure to make it a point to reintroduce yourself to him on an upcoming Sunday after worship.



## Epiphany 20-30 Somethings

*Sunday April 6 at 7:30 p.m.*

Our first meeting was dinner at Kate & Matt Boyer's home on March 2, and those attending decided to have a monthly gathering at someone's home the first Sunday of the month. In April, the Rector and his wife, Laura, will host it. Kate & Matt have offered to be the group's organizers, so if you would be interested in hosting the group at your home one month, please let Kate and Matt know. Also, RSVP with them for the events as well by Friday, April 4 at mattandkate1@mac.com.

We plan to send out the monthly invitations by email, so if you did NOT receive an email for the April 6 gathering, then we don't have your email. Please contact the parish office at parishadmin@epiphany.org if you'd like to receive an email invitation in the future.

## Diocesan Young Adult Group

Did you know that the diocese has a ministry for 20-30 somethings? Diocese of Atlanta Young Adults, affectionately called DAYA (pronounced "day-ya"), offers several monthly opportunities to meet and hang out with your peers from around the diocese.

First Wednesdays: Movie night at Amerson House (on St. Bart's property), 7:30 p.m.

Second Sundays: Brunch at Jason's Deli (10th and Piedmont downtown), 1:15 p.m.

Last Thursdays: Theological Brew (dinner and discussion – March 28 topic: Religion and Politics) at Manuel's Tavern, 7:30 p.m.

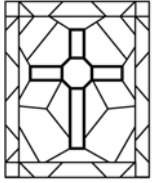
The group also does occasional service projects and has other social gatherings. For more information, check out DAYA's website at <http://daya.episcopalatlanta.org>, or talk with Epiphanyite Tracy Wells, who has been involved with the group (tjwells@gmail.com, 404.229.0997).

## OPUS

We are planning a trip to Warm Springs, Georgia, for April 16, 2008. To help us plan, please sign up in the Crossing Hall. We will carpool from the Church and will need to know who can drive and who will need transportation. Don't wait, sign up *now*. For more information, contact Barbara Ryder (404.373.9472, bhwyder@bellsouth.net).

## Episcopal Church Women

The next meeting of the ECW is April 8 at 11 a.m., followed by a potluck luncheon. All women of the church are invited. Shea McNutt will talk with us about her work as a Professional Residential Organizer. Sandwiches will be made at 10 a.m. for the Poverty Rights Organization at Emmaus House. Anyone wishing to help will be most welcome.



### The Sacrament of Relationship: A Workshop for Gay and Lesbian Couples

Church of the Epiphany is creating a workshop for Gay and Lesbian couples who have been in a partnership, and or are looking forward to a commitment in a current relationship and want to have some pre-partnership counseling from the vantage point of the church.

We will talk about Sacrament, we will talk about strengths and weaknesses, we will talk about the capacity to forgive and to celebrate one another. We will explore the ways in which you have celebrated your commitment, or not, and how you might do that with in the context of your family, community and the church. We will explore the images of and the trajectory of a relationship with in the context of our liturgical and spiritual lives

All of this is intended to do two things. First, the leadership and staff at Epiphany want to acknowledge that the church has a pastoral, theological and moral imperative to speak to the needs of our gay and lesbian partnerships and families. Second, the leadership and staff at Epiphany feel strongly that we need to have, in the life of the church a context for what we can all talk about, straight or gay, as a normative experience of committed relationship, no matter what our culture or the larger church continues to call any relationship.

#### Here are the details:

- When:** Saturday April 12, 2008 at 10 a.m.
- Where:** Parish Hall, the Church of the Epiphany
- Who:** You and your partner/prospective partner
- What:** A discussion of the sacrament of relationship
- Why:** Because it is about time

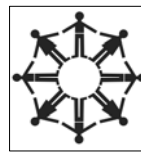
The workshop will include lunch. If you are interested or have questions please call the Rector or you can call to reserve you place by calling the church office and speaking to Shea McNutt at 404.373.8338

## United Thank Offering

The United Thank Offering (UTO) is the annual fundraiser for the Episcopal Church Women's (ECW) worldwide missions. This year, the ingathering will take place on the Sundays, April 20 and April 27. Look for UTO envelopes in the pews soon. Checks should be made to ECW showing "For UTO" in the memo field. Your annual response is greatly appreciated. To learn more about this ministry, visit <http://www.episcopalchurch.org/uto/>



## Sign Up To Play or Sponsor a Hole for Mikell



The fourth annual Mikell Golf Tournament tees off at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 26, at the Woodlands Golf Course in Monroe. A reception follows.

Even if you don't play golf, you can support Camp Mikell as a hole sponsor. Sponsorship is \$100 per hole and provides great advertising for churches, youth groups, companies or individuals - and donations for Mikell Camp and Conference Center.

A downloadable brochure and forms can be found at [http://s3.amazonaws.com/dfc/public/documents/410/Mikell\\_Golf\\_Tournament\\_2008\\_1\\_.pdf](http://s3.amazonaws.com/dfc/public/documents/410/Mikell_Golf_Tournament_2008_1_.pdf). Questions may be directed to Kim Smith, Mikell tournament chair, at 404.601.5354 or [ksmith@episcopalatlanta.org](mailto:ksmith@episcopalatlanta.org).

## Transitions

Please make the following changes 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.

### Transfers In

Amy Roth & Esteban Simian  
761 Vedado Way NE  
Atlanta, GA 30308  
404.897.5312

*from St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Hope, Arkansas  
from Immaculate Conception, Buenos Aires, Argentina*

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# Epiphany Green Space

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## Recycling

As part of Epiphany's evolving and escalating involvement in earth-friendly issues, Dekalb County now is picking up our recycling on Wednesday mornings.

That means a few changes in how we handle our recyclable materials. We can recycle more plastics, for example. Many of the Environmental Stewardship Committee members were taking recyclables to the Dekalb Farmer's Market, which takes only 1 and 2 plastics. Dekalb County takes 1-7, including polystyrene. They take include phone books, frozen food containers, and a host of other paper items.

There are a number of items they won't take, such as paper towels, styrofoam to-go boxes, cellophane or tin (or aluminum) foil, ceramic containers, paper plates, and aerosol containers

They will not accept anything with food residue. Plastic bottles with something other than water (i.e. soda, juices) must be washed before they go into the container bin.

A copy of the county's recycling brochure appears on its web site, [www.co.dekalb.ga.us](http://www.co.dekalb.ga.us).

The container for plastics, glass and tin and aluminum cans is in the kitchen. The paper bin is in the workroom. There's also another paper bin in the music suite.

As sexton, Brother Aelred will take care of getting the paper bin and the container bag to the street.

Thank all of you for making recycling at Epiphany a success.

## Green Retreat at Hazelbrand Farm

*Saturday, April 26, 9-3*

On the last Saturday of April, and the day before Epiphany celebrates its Green Sunday, we invite men and women to spend a Quiet Day at Cynthia's farm in Covington, Ga. We will begin with Morning Prayer and spend the day in the Benedictine rhythm of prayer, work, study and social. We will consider the topic of sustainability and spirituality. We will write the litany for the church service the next day as we celebrate both Earth Day and Rogation Sunday.

Expect to spend a rustic day walking our half-acre labyrinth, spending time in the prayer hut, working in the garden, walking the woods, brushing horses, hauling firewood (and manure!), and meditating on Sunday's scriptures. Limited to ten. \$15.



## Green Sunday

Epiphany is preparing for Green Sunday in concert with Earth Day, Tuesday, April 22. It promises to be our best yet.

Green Sunday this year coincides with Rogation Day, a time in our liturgical calendar to pray for crops and nature. Rogation is our own built-in Earth Day!

The kick-off for the week will be **Saturday, April 19 with a fun day of "Urban Clean-Up."** All who want to contribute to keeping our habitat free of rubbish and enjoy a beautiful spring day and wonderful camaraderie are welcome to join. Look for sign-up sheets after Easter. There will be a special surprise for all those who participate!

**We will have a film screening of "Kilowatt Ours" on Earth Day (April 22)** at the church, at 6:30 p.m. This enlightening 35-minute film shows how energy is generated in the Southeast, the negative effects of this production on our lifestyle, and practical solutions for reducing our energy consumption. Following the video, there will be a discussion as we enjoy organic and locally-grown snacks. Sign up in the Crossing Hall if you plan to attend.

**On Green Sunday, April 27,** we will repeat our successful organic and locally-grown breakfast from last year, and have a speaker for the adult education class to lead a discussion on what we, as Christians and concerned citizens, can do to keep our planet healthy and beautiful and how doing so connects with our spirituality.

As we approach Earth Day and our own Green Sunday, please try to treat every day as earth day by cutting back on energy use and by enjoying the beauty in nature that our Creator has given us.

And, on that note, Atlanta is one of four cities in the U.S. taking part in Earth Hour to support global action on climate change. **On Saturday, March 29, from 8 to 9 p.m.,** individuals, businesses and local government officials throughout Atlanta will switch off their lights. Please turn off your lights, except for essential safety lighting, for that one hour to demonstrate your concern to finding a solution to global warming.

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# Children's & Youth Ministries

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## Young Families Playgroup Potluck

Wednesday, April 16, at 4:30 p.m.

Families with children age 5 and under are invited to attend our monthly late afternoon playgroup and potluck. We will meet on the playground at 4:30 p.m., then start our potluck dinner at 5:30 p.m. so our working parents can join us, too.

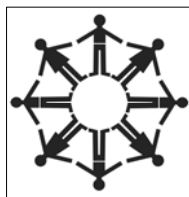
Please bring the following dish according to your last name:

A-I Side Dish (veggie, green salad, bread, pasta salad), J-R Dessert (no examples needed), S-Z Entrees (casseroles, meat or vegetarian dish). Please RSVP to Erin Braden at erinbraden@comcast.net or 404.248.1235 by Monday, April 14.

## Vacation Bible School

Time to make summer plans! Epiphany's Vacation Bible School is June 23 – 27, 2008. Mark your calendars and look for registration forms online soon. Please start thinking about how you would volunteer your time. Contact Cynthia Hizer (associate@epiphany.org / 404.373.8338).

## Mikell Summer Camp Registration 2008



Our new online registration system is up and running. Please register soon to reserve your place for summer fun. Please visit our website, [www.campmikell.com](http://www.campmikell.com). On the "Summer Camp" page, you will find plenty of information about Mikell. There is a "Frequently Asked Questions" section, information about the great care, concern and safety that we take into account each and every week, a letter from one of our summer Deans and camper parent, information about pricing and dates, information about Mikell being accredited by the American Camp Association, a link to register online, and much more. Check us out.

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Kathleen Rinehart, Pastoral Care

Mark Rowles, Parish Life

Dave Thompson, Christian Ed.

Rick Timmer, Stewardship

Sherry Wallace, Outreach

### Worship Schedule—Sunday

8:45 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

11:15 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

6 p.m. - Holy Eucharist

### Worship Schedule—Tuesdays

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

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# For Our Prayers...

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*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), or 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*

- Deacon Terry Howell
- Laura Thomas
- Larry Kilday
- Tommie Lowe, sister of Maggie Ewing
- Sr. Mary Elizabeth, SSG, friend of Br. Aelred
- Elizabeth Carroll, friend of Muriel Diguette
- Vera Holt & Madison, James Camp & Lorene Rose, family of Fran Holt-Underwood
- Debby Mudridge, family of Audrey Banfield
- Charlie Post

## *Rest eternal grant them*

- Theodora Sumner Hsu Du, mother of Steve Du
- Jack Burton, friend of Dorothy Gautier
- Olive Brown, grandmother of Laurie Brown
- Barb Rivera, friend of Tracy Wells

## *Parishioners who desire our continuing prayers*

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

## *Those in prison*

- David, Gene, Christopher, Chris, John, Mark and Trey

## *Those in the armed forces*

- Anthony Baggs, Layton Lane Britt, Kevin Cunningham, Kevin Doonan, Nicky Dykes, Seth Fortin, Brett Jackson, Eli Jordan, Shade Lawson, Stewart Mundy,

James Neff, Scott Owens, MacLeod Patton, Philip So, Marc Steele, John Thornburg, Chris Will

## *Family and friends who request our prayers*

- Gerald Fico, son of Grace Fico
- Joyce, mother of Tony Wilkey
- Evejean Clarke, friend of Roberta Williams
- Leah Aronowitz, friend of Kathy Walmsley
- Bruce Daily, brother of Lisa Daily
- Fred Motney, brother of Diane Wilkey
- 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
- Kate McCary, aunt of Karen Swenson
- Ruth Golley friend of Kathy Walmsley
- Ginger Lias, mother of Margaret Lias
- Mike Daily, father of Lisa Daily
- Andrew Klassen, young friend of the Wilkey family
- Clyde Fox, father of Keith Fox
- Joseph Saavedra, father of Joey Saavedra
- Patsy Smith, sister-in-law of Karyn Smith
- Andrew Lowe, nephew of Maggie Ewing
- Beth, sister of Chris Miller
- Peggy Trosper, mother of Lani Walsh
- Marie Claire Houge, Aunt of Liefy Smith
- Ruth Battersby, friend of Carmen Gutierrez
- Hilma Nepote, mother of Vicki Bolton
- Anita Harris, mother of Meg Harris
- Anthony & Sharon Villalobos, friends of Sandy Land
- Father of Nisa Sommers
- Cecilia Jordan, mother of Ben Jordan
- Dora Sumner Hsu Du, mother of Steve Du
- Alex Cargyle, son of Barbara Emmanuel
- Melody Terrien, sister of David Houston
- Eric Widiger, brother of Tracey Laird
- Scott Morris, son of Jean Morris
- Donna Bravard, friend of Sandy Land
- Robert Holt, son of Fran Holt-Underwood
- Karen Lindgren, sister of Rob Godsall's brother-in-law
- Billie Ledbetter, mother of Gail Munoz

- Kimberly Babcock, niece of Barbara Belcore
- Ernie Gregory, friend of Terry Howell
- John O'Brien, friend of Tracy Wells
- Olympia LaMattina, friend of Terry Lee Ross
- Jane Magruder, friend of Karen Swenson
- Pat Coval, friend of Tracy Wells
- Jean Ann Watson, mother-in-law of Jane Watson
- Sam Schatten, friend of Gail Harris
- Gina Llewellyn, friend of Noelle Toumey Reetz
- Sue Walker, aunt of Tracy Wells
- Tommie Lowe, sister of Maggie Ewing
- Fay & Mel Davis, mother & step-father to Sara Hauk
- Dan Belcore, brother of Barbara Belcore
- Margaret Moore, sister of Fran Holt-Underwood, and Margaret's husband and daughter, Marlon & Jo Ann
- Diane, sister of Stephen Carey, friend of Fran Holt-Underwood
- Leland Graves, brother of Bill Graves
- Jean Sengle, aunt of Brenda Lloyd
- James Harper, uncle of Barbara Ryder
- Tommie Low, sister of Maggie Ewing
- Dr. Bob Laning, uncle of Liefy Smith
- Peg Driskill, aunt of Pat Graves
- Tim Allison Brake, friend of Karen Swenson
- Cecil McAuliffe, mother of Mike McAuliffe
- Br. Francis Sebastian, BSG, Gregoiran Brother of Br. Aelred Dean
- Sarah & John Osburn, friends of Laura Thomas
- The Voss family, relatives of Sarah McLean and Christen Erskine
- Betty Porter, relative of Sarah McLean and Christen Erskine
- Meg Ingraham, friend of Carl Parrish
- Marion Barber, friend of Sarah Jane Wallison
- Nancy Miller, friend of Rob Godsall
- Gail Goldsmith, friend of Jan & Gordy Rivers
- Rick Eich, friend of Marjorie Timmer
- Gene Fontaine, Uncle of Nancy Binford

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## Epiphany Stars

Have you or another parishioner you know done a good deed for the parish? Do you know someone who has received recognition for a personal achievement? Let us know!

- Thanks to Jim Rabb and Doug Teague who installed a 100 gallon rain barrel. See if you can find where it is!



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## People & Posts

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### March 16

**Acolytes:** 8:45 - Diane Mundy, Will Bryant; 11:15 - Hannah Thompson, Jordan Moody

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

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

**Flower Guild:** Jo Sedlack

**Greeters:** 8:45 - Grace Fico; 11:15 - Betty Walton, Tom Democko

**Layreaders & LEMs:** 8:45 - Nisa Sommers, Phil Bolton, Patty Young, Caroline Branch, Cecilia Democko, Tom Democko; 11:15 - Nelson Oyesiku, Kathy Walmsley, Dan Mundy, Bob Kirkhuff, Marjorie Timmer, Brent Henderson; 6 - Pat Graves

**Nursery:** 11:15 - Kim & Elliot Boswell

**Ushers:** 8:45 - Phil Bolton, Jim Biddle, Robin Levine, Eric Craig; 11:15 - Scott Yaegle, Ingrid Reinhard, Catherine Harvey

**Verger of the Day:** Susan & Richard Messner

**Vestry Person of the Day:** David Draper

**Second Teller:** Bruce Fort

### March 23

**Acolytes:** TBA

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

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

**Flower Guild:** All Members

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

**Layreaders & LEMs:** 8:45 - Matt Bolch, Marilynn Richtarik, Diane Mundy, Rob Godsall, Susan Lalor, Tracy Wells; 11:15 - Irene Craig, Laura Keys, Diane Wilkey, Karen Swenson, Bob Thompson, Brent Henderson; 6 - Gary Hauk

**Nursery:** 11:15 - TBD

**Ushers:** 8:45 - Anne Warner, John Pierson, Ray Quinnely, Beverly Burks; 11:15 - Randy Strahan, Annie Strahan, Mike Binford, Nancy Binford

**Verger of the Day:** David Draper, Sherry Wallace

**Vestry Person of the Day:** Rick Timmer

**Second Teller:** TBD