



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**January 3, 2016**

*“Enter reverently, meditate quietly, worship devoutly, leave gratefully,  
serve Christ faithfully.”*

**WELCOME TO ALL OUR VISITORS!** If you are interested in knowing more about St. Peter's, please see an usher or one of the greeters who stand with the clergy after the service.

### **TODAY AT ST. PETER'S**

8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:00 a.m.	Breakfast
10:00	Holy Eucharist Rite II Epiphany Pageant Nursery available
11:15	Coffee & Conversation Wired Word

**CHILDREN'S CHAPEL:** All children, age 3 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, are invited to be a part of Children's Chapel, which meets during the 10:00 a.m. service. Children meet in Daniel Hall immediately before church for a worship service and continue their worship in the church at The Peace.

### **LOOKING AHEAD AT A GLANCE:**

- **January 12:** Chair Yoga Resumes (11:15)
- **January 14:** Bible Study Resumes (10:00)
- **January 20:** Blessing of the Renovations with Bishop Wright
- **February 4:** Joy Trip

**LAY MINISTERS:** (8:30) Reader/Prayers/Chalice Bearer—Tricia Richards.  
(10:00) 1<sup>st</sup> Lesson—Andy Moss; 2<sup>nd</sup> Lesson—Bob Steinbruegge; Prayers—Keith Summerlin; Chalice Bearers —Buster Wright, Tom Dasher, Delores Nowell, and Bryant Steele

**JANUARY CANDLES** are given by Norma Littlejohn to the glory of God and in memory of departed loved ones.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Bishop Wright will be at St. Peter's on Wednesday, January 20 at 6:00 p.m. to bless the new altar and the renovations. More information to come!

**INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST:** Harry McConnell, Charlie Rutledge, Cheryl Ranwez, Dana Davis, Lacy Hodges, Sue Hodges, Jan Davis, Steve Davis, John Morris, Mary Ann Knight, Margaret Olivera, Delores Nowell, Lou Ella Hobgood, Missy White, Michael York, Alicia Segars, Judy Barcik, Fred White, Treven Bedwell, Heather Keaten, Barbara Wyatt, Cynthia Murphy-Burnes, Jim Reed.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to those celebrating birthdays this week (January 3-9): Bernard Neal, Martha Dunson, Katie Lansing, John Kirkland, Mason Kennedy, Hank Dean, and Gary Voccio.

**ADULT FORUM:** Join us for Adult Forum that meets after the 10:00 a.m. service.

**January 3:** Coffee & Conversation

**January 10:** We will be reading and discussing *Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption*, a powerful true story about the potential for mercy to redeem us, and a clarion call to fix our broken system of justice—from one of the most brilliant and influential lawyers of our time. The diocesan Commission on Dismantling Racism urges all parishes in the diocese to participate in study of this book. A study/discussion guide for the book is available on the diocesan website at

[https://www.episcopalatlanta.org/Customer-Content/www/CMS/files/JUST\\_MERCY\\_Study\\_Guide\\_122115.pdf](https://www.episcopalatlanta.org/Customer-Content/www/CMS/files/JUST_MERCY_Study_Guide_122115.pdf).

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY “Building on Faith” Home:**

After two cancellations, St. Peter’s has the firm date of January 9 to prime the interior walls of the Habitat Faith Build. We need six to eight volunteers beginning at 8:30 a.m. and painting until finished. It should not take all day. The location is 300 Brookwood Ave. (From Shorter Avenue, turn right onto Lavender Drive. There is a traffic light on Lavender, and Brookwood is the first left past the light). If you can help, please contact the church office, 706-291-9111 or John Hine, 706-291-6999 as soon as possible.

**PARISH DINNER:** Join us this **Wednesday, January 6**, for **Family Dinner! MENU: Lasagna.** The cost is **\$5 for Adults, \$3 age 10 and under, \$20 family max.** Dinner service begins at 5:30 p.m. Reservations required by noon on Tuesdays. To RSVP, call the church office at [706-291-9111](tel:706-291-9111). Nursery will be available for the littlest angels. All members are invited to participate. **Please let us know if you plan to attend so we can ensure adequate food and resources are available.**

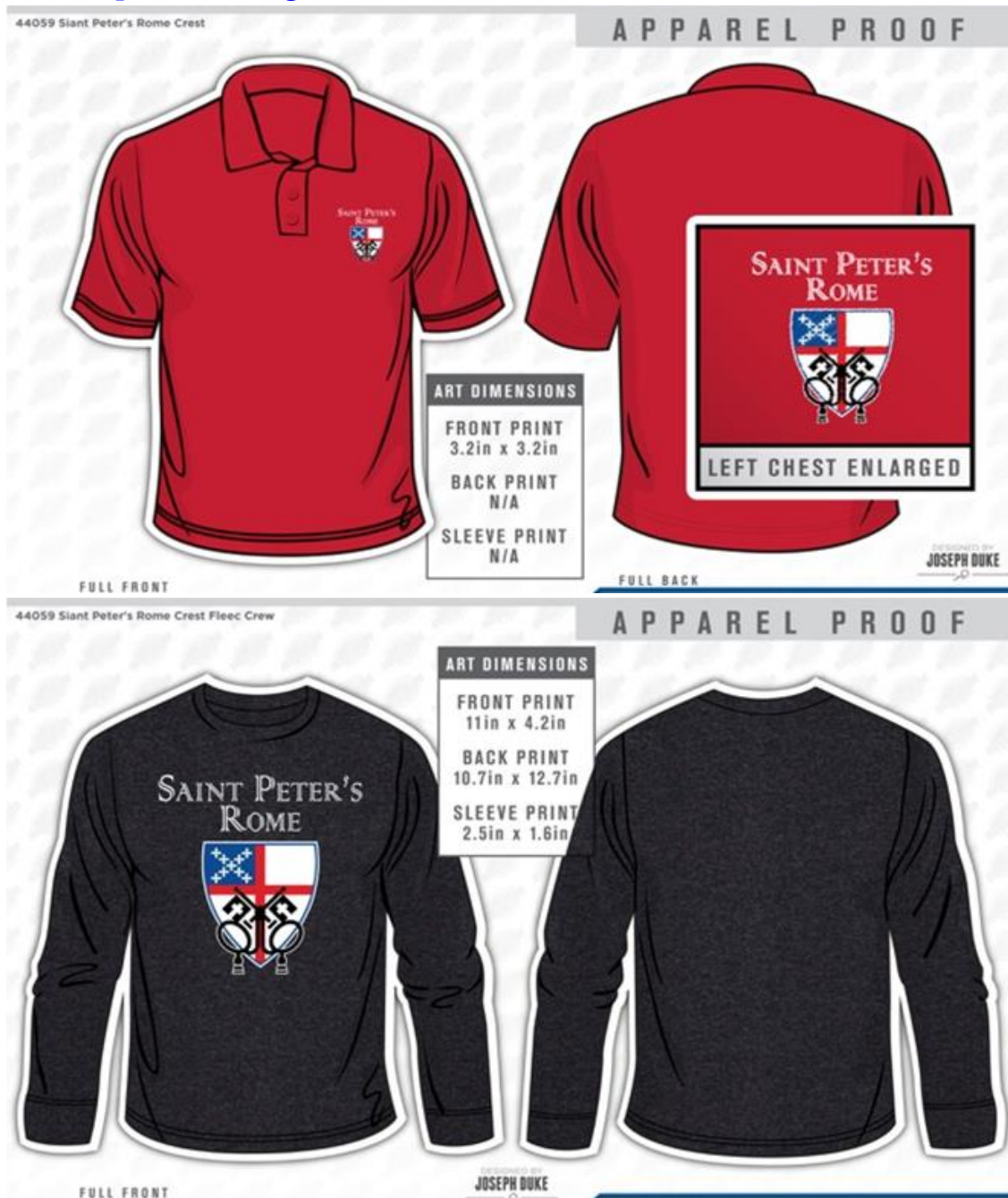
**SAVE THE DATE** for our **first JOY trip of 2016.** We will visit the *Cathedral Antiques Show: a festival of the decorative arts* on **Thursday, February 4.** With more than two dozen exhibitors, this year's show benefits *Literacy Action.* Depart St. Peter's at 9:00 a.m. Return by 4:00 p.m. While you are there, visit the Cathedral itself with its spectacular stained glass, fabulous flower displays, and dramatic architecture. Don't miss the Cathedral Book Store for books, gifts, stationery, and Episcopal themed items. Lunch is available on site. Cost: \$40 includes transportation and admission. Call 706-291-9111 to register yourself and your friends.

**ST. PETER'S POLO SHIRTS ARE HERE AND MORE SWEATSHIRTS ARE ON ORDER\*!**

Just when you thought Episcopalians couldn't look any cooler, now you can get your very own, St. Peter's polo shirt (red) for \$25.00 and your very own St. Peter's Sweatshirt (heather grey) for \$35.00, with the exceedingly cool logo (designed by our very own EYCer, Adam Tarrant) seen below (tastefully embroidered on upper left chest of the polo and beautifully screen printed on the center front of the sweatshirt). ALL PROCEEDS HELP SEND OUR STUDENT PILGRIMS TO IRELAND!! They are awesome to wear and great to give as gifts...and they're going fast....get yours today!

**Note: We have two sweatshirts still available for purchase, both extra large.**

Contact Nikki+ if you wish to speak about the possibility of ordering another size, [nikki@stpetersrome.org](mailto:nikki@stpetersrome.org)



**EYC** ...EYC will resume this coming Wednesday at 6:30pm in the EYC room for an activity TBA. Parents, pick up time is 8:30pm.

**CHILDREN'S CORNER- Second Sunday after Christmas**

Nursery/Toddler care are available on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Education Building during the 10am service, There is no Children's Chapel as most of these children will be in the Epiphany Pageant today.

If your younger children are staying with you in the pew during service, we are delighted to have the whole family joining us in worship. Little ones are always welcome.

**For Busy Little Hands in Church:** We provide scriptural coloring sheets, crayons, and a children's guide to the Eucharist, in the back of the church to help children in understanding our scripture readings and our corporate worship.

**There is no Sunday School today for Children and Youth.**

**Also, this coming Wednesday, our regularly scheduled activities return!**

**Wednesday Night Cherub and Junior Choir Rehearsals! Yay!!**

\*5:30: Dinner in Daniel Hall

\*6:15 -6:55 pm: We will sing and grow together as we learn about our faith through songs, stories, crafts and games!

**Cherub Choir** (3 years old through kindergarten) will meet with Ms. Caitlin and Ms. Hollye on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor next to the nursery.

**Junior Choir** (1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades) will meet with Ms. Wanda and Ms. Dagmar on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor in the bright yellow choir room. (6<sup>th</sup> graders are welcome to leave rehearsal a little early so that they may join in EYC activities happening later in the evening).