

ANNOUNCEMENTS February 7, 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
	Nursery available
11:15	Adult Forum
	Wired Word

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL: All children, age 3 through 2nd 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.

DATES AT A GLANCE:

- **February 9:** Shrove Tuesday
- **February 10:** Ash Wednesday 8:00 a.m.(chapel), 12:00 noon & 7:00 p.m. (church)
- **February 11:** Evening Prayer begins
- **February 16:** Stations of the Cross begins

LAY MINISTERS: (8:30) Reader/Prayers/Chalice Bearer—Tricia Richards. (10:00) 1st Lesson—Betsy Awsumb; 2nd Lesson—Nia Rose; Prayers—Norman Fletcher; Chalice Bearers —Adam Tarrant, Buster Wright, Annette Morris, and Bryant Steele.

CHAPEL ALTAR ARRANGEMENTS are given by Kathleen Bracken and Janice Bracken Wright to the glory of God and in loving memory of Lawrence Wade Bracken, Jr.

CHURCH ALTAR ARRANGEMENTS are given by Rena and Nevin Patton to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the lives of Edward Graves Patton, Mr. Edward Graves, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Patton, Jr.

ALTAR CANDLES FOR FEBRUARY are given by Marion Shaw in memory of Charles Carpenter Shaw.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST: Harry McConnell, Charlie Rutledge, Cheryl Ranwez, Dana Davis, Lacy Hodges, Sue Hodges, Steve Davis, John Morris, Mary Ann Knight, Margaret Olivera, Delores Nowell, Lou Ella Hobgood, Missy White, Michael York, Alicia Segars, Judy Barcik, Fred White, Heather Keaten, Barbara Wyatt, Jim Reed, Lisa Steudl Landolina, Palmer Kate Rogers, Elizabeth Warden, Elizabeth Hill, Sandra Hill, Don Thomason, Bill Segars, Raymond Cordle, Cody Keen, Terri Borchardt, and Kathy Osborn.

SYMPATHY OF THE PARISH is extended to:

Martha Ann Dunson on the death of her husband Sanford Allen (Bubba) Dunson on January 26, 2016.

Jennifer Moss on the death of her grandmother Gloria Hitchcock on February 1, 2016, in Winder, Georgia.

LENTEN EVENING PRAYER: The Reverend Doctor Don Black will lead evening prayer in the chapel each Thursday at 5:30 p.m. during Lent. Join Fr. Black **beginning Thursday, February 11** through Thursday, March 17.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS each Tuesday in Lent at 5:30 p.m. (beginning February 16 through March 22) in the sanctuary. John, Janice, or Nikki will lead prayer through each of the stations. Booklets can be found in the back of the church.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to those celebrating birthdays this week (February 7-13): Barbara Wyatt, Edna Shropshire, Billie Abney, Lulie Chin, J.C. Albritton, Melissa O'Keefe, Nancy Griffin, Emma Page, Barbara Lester, Becca Wood, Lucas Jennings, and Gwen Sirmans.

ADULT FORUM: Please join us in Daniel Hall immediately following the 10:00 a.m. service for a discussion of Bryan Stevenson's book, *Just Mercy*. The book discussion will continue through February 7. On February 14 the Rev. Katie Bradshaw, a former public defender in Mississippi, will share a presentation about the for-profit prison industry that she gave at Harvard in 2014.

CHAIR YOGA will not meet on Tuesday, February 9. Class will resume the following week.

DON'T MISS OUR ANNUAL MARDI GRAS THEMED Shrove Tuesday

Pancake Supper on **February 9** at 6:00 p.m. in Daniel Hall. Once again, this party will be hosted by the **Canterbury Club** and friends as a **thank you** to St. Peter's for the parish's support of campus ministry. Cost is \$3 per person. No reservations required.

ALL COLLEGE STUDENTS are invited to join the **Canterbury Club** as we host the **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper** here at St. Peter's this Tuesday evening. Cooking begins at 5:00 p.m. Serving begins at 6:00 p.m. All volunteers eat free. This is a very special service project that we offer as our thank you to the parish for supporting campus ministry throughout the year.

ALL BERRY COLLEGE STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF and GUESTS are invited to join the **Canterbury Club** as we host a campus-wide **Ash Wednesday** service of Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes at Barnwell Chapel at 12:00 noon. **Ashes to Go** will follow in front of Krannert Center.

LENTEN DAILY MEDITATION BOOKLETS AND HOPE CHESTS (mite boxes) are now available at the back of the church, at the back of the chapel, and in the parish office. These booklets are produced by Episcopal Relief & Development.

EYC AND CANTERBURY CLUB... SAVE THE DATE! All college students and EYC members in 10th-12th grade are invited to the annual Canterbury Club "Ask a College Student" Lunch at Mellow Mushroom immediately after the 10:00 a.m. service on Sunday, February 21. EYCers will not want to miss this opportunity to ask our college students anything and everything about college life—from the admissions process to freshman surprises, from choosing a school that fits to adjusting to life with a roommate. No questions are off limits. Lunch is compliments of the Canterbury Club.

PARISH DINNER: Join us for Family Dinner! The cost is \$5 for Adults, \$3 age 10 and under, \$20 family max. Dinner service begins at 5:45 p.m. Reservations are required by noon on Tuesdays. To RSVP, call the chuch office at 706-291-9111. Nursery will be available for the littlest angels. All members are invited to participate. **Menu:** February 10: Clam Chowder and Potato Soup

St. Peter's polo shirts are in AND Sweatshirts are IN!

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, more are on order) for \$35.00, (Yes, the second order is IN!!!) with the exceedingly cool logo you've seen around church and around town, (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!

CHILDREN'S CORNER- Last Sunday After the Epiphany

Children's Chapel and Nursery/Toddler care are available on the 2nd floor of the Education Building during the 10am service, and Sunday School is available for all children and youth, pre-k through High School grades immediately after service. 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.

Parents/guardians of children in 5th grade or younger, please continue to escort your children to and from class, and sign them in and out. This is part of how we keep our little lambs safe.

Today in:

Children's Chapel- After reading the gospel lesson, the children continue to learn about the children continue to learn about Jesus and what happens when the disciples listen! Jesus began to shine when he went to pray on the mountain, and God reminds us to listen to His Son, even when things we don't understand happen.

Weaving God's Promises (pre-K through 5th grade) – Today, the children continue to learn about the growing kingdom of God, and how God helps us in helping grow the kingdom.

Rite 13- (6th & 7th grades)-This is a 2 year class focusing on recognizing the gifts God has given us, celebrating our creative potential, and learning to interact as a community of faith. Students study scripture, engage in prayer, and enter discussion on a variety of topics which offer them tools for faithful living in our church community and in the wider world.

J2A (Journey to Adulthood)- (8th and 9th grades minimum, older students are welcome) Students study scripture, engage in prayer, and enter discussion in which they learn and practice six basic skills of adulthood: active listening, negotiation, assertion, research & information management, partnership and leadership.

YAC- (Young Adults in Church)- Older high school students (through Seniors) engaged in ministry in St. Peter's meet monthly with their mentor, Dr. Andy Anderson, for discussion.

EYC-TODAY!!! EYC SuperBowl 50 PARTY

6:00pm-9:00pm on Feb 7 at the home of Jack and Mary Niedrach, Address: 10 Overhill Road, Rome, Georgia 30161

There will be snack food and sodas for everyone.

Parents are welcome and encouraged to join! There will be adult beverages available for PARENTS/ADULTS only. If you have any questions, or need directions please call Lee Niedrach at 706-767-1670.

EYC this Wednesday- February 10 - 7:00 p.m. We will worship together at the Ash Wednesday service in place of our regular activities