

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Celebrating God's Beauty ~ Loving God's People ~ Serving God's World  
FEBRUARY 3, 2019

**WORSHIP MINISTERS 8:15 am: Lector:** Carolyn Ross; **Chalicer:** Diann Bates; **Usher:** Gordon Jackson.  
**10:30 am: Lectors:** Nick Carle, Thomas Sims, Joe Sanders and Dave Sanders; **Chalicers:** Doug Bullett, Christian Hansen **Greeters:** Shirley Wiley and Boys Scouts; **Ushers:** Dave Sanders and Boy Scouts.  
**Altar Guild:** Beth Davis, Betty Bear, Jean Handy and Lynn Shelton; **Flower Guild:** Carolyn Ross.

## ON OUR PRAYER LIST

Please remember the following in your prayers

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:** We pray for all our loved ones departed this life. We especially pray for Lisa Johnson and Leslie Ewing.

**PARISHIONERS FOR HEALING & COMFORT:** Nicolas Atkins Richard Atkins, Sharon Baptiste, Glen Cronan, Holly Dean, Caitlin Eschenroeder, Hennessy Fraher, Jeunée Godsey, Jean Handy, Tim Mitchell, Lynn, Shelton, Katherine Townsend, Bennie Ward, Charlie Wayland and Dianne Zwicker.

**OUR HOMEBOUND:** Betsy Andrews, Mary Brauburger, Shirley Burrell, Pat Cayton, Jane Chapman, Pat Clark, Shirley Gibson, Gene Knoop, Kitty M'Coy, Rosalie Singer, Nancy Thompson, Pam Webb.

**FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF PARISHIONERS:** We pray for strength and healing for Pauline Mitchell, mother of Tim Mitchell; John and Catherine Etter, friends of Fritz and Lee Kallusch; Teency Good, sister of Eleanor Hall; Bronwen Zwicker and Stephen Martineau, daughter and son-in-law of Bob and Dianne Zwicker; Jane and George Townsend, parents of Katherine Townsend; Anne Baird, mother of Mary Line; Melia Trost, niece of Beverley Buston; Bill Purcell, Tom Summerlin, Pat Ferguson and Mary Fyock, friends of Jay Buston; Angela Martin, niece of Coleen Fowler; Bill Tennent friend of Inge Evenson; Holly Dean, daughter of Kerry and Becki Dean; Georgia Jonkman, mother, of Crystal Jonkman, Colby Nauth, daughter of Doug and Linda Schepker, Elisa Adams, friend of Madeline Gorman, Jessica Haycock, daughter of Terry Haycock, Bill Parker, friend of Cindy Barnes, Klaus Orth, brother in law of Inge Evenson, Bernd & Annette Standau, brother and sister in law of Inge Evenson, Page McDonald and Shelley Clark, sister and niece of Lee Kallusch; Rilla Keith, Ann Cronan's sister-in-law; Jack Turner, father of Michael Turner; Elizabeth & Boyd Reamey and Ron Marco, family of Katherine Townsend; Peter and Mary Fedyson, parents of Anne Fedyson.

**BIRTHDAYS:** Susie Pace, Peggy Binner, Ann Cronan & Jenny Thompson.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Charlie & Sandra Wayland.

## WELCOME

We welcome our Boy Scout Troop 840 to celebrate Boy Scout Sunday in our service this morning.

## Contemplation at Taizé (February 3, 2019)



Dr. Gordon Jackson's Travel to Sacred Places  
Adult Forum 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. in  
Dundas Hatcher Hall

## LOST & FOUND

A wallet with no identification was found in the lower parking lot. Contact the church office if you think it's yours. Also, check the narthex for glasses left in the pews.

## ARCHANGEL CHILDREN AND YOUTH CALENDAR

Please go to [bit.ly/stmarchangels](http://bit.ly/stmarchangels) to access the calendar. Print them out and put them on your fridge! For more on children and youth, contact our Children's and Youth Ministry Coordinator, Christian Hansen – [chansen@stmschool.net](mailto:chansen@stmschool.net).

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

February 10

3 years old through 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

10:20 am – 11:15 am

Located in the Parish House Christian Education Rooms  
Bring a friend for our first Sunday School of the year! As always, there will be engaging activities centered around the Bible story of the day. Don't miss out!

## YOUTH GROUP – 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

February 10, 5:00 p.m. @ Bon Air Christian Church

Join the youth from around Bon Air as we join together for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity service, Dinner and Youth Fellowship following. For more information, contact our Children's and Youth Ministry coordinator – [chansen@stmschool.net](mailto:chansen@stmschool.net).

**CHORAL EVENSONG  
FOR THE SEASON OF EPIPHANY  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17  
PRELUDE RECITAL BEGINS AT 4:30 P.M.  
EVENSONG AT 5:00 P.M.  
FEATURING DEKE POLIFKA, ORGANIST**

### BOOK CLUB

The book for February 12th will be *Irma Vogt* by Miriam Toews.

Irma Voth is a young Mennonite woman whose family immigrated to Chihuahua Mexico from Canada, She is shunned by her family for marrying a Mexican. She is vulnerable yet wise beyond her years, and carries a terrible family secret with her on a remarkable journey to survival and redemption.

The Book for March 12th will be *The Lemon Tree* by Sandy Tolan.

The Lemon Tree is a story about the friendship which develops between a Palestinian boy, Bashir and a Jewish girl, Dalia. Bashir and his family were forced from their home in the late 1940's. Dalia's family escapes from Europe during Nazi occupation and are given the house Bashir's family used to own. Their stories form a personal microcosm of the last 70 years of Israeli-Palestinian history. In a region that seems ever more divided.

The book club meets the second Tuesday of the month in the Library from 7-8pm. It is an informal group of individuals who like to read and share about the book we have read. We would love to have you join us. Call Carolyn Ross for additional information or questions. (514-1426)

### HAITI MISSION TRIP

St. Michael's parishioners are going to the Klinik St. Esprit in Port au Prince on **March 5-13, 2019**. This mission team will work with building adaptive equipment for the physical therapy patients and assisting in the medical clinic. Space is very limited as the clinic only has 5 or 6 guest rooms. Parishioners who are signed up for this trip are Giles & Rubyjane Robertson, Kerry & Becki Dean, Glen & Ann Cronan, Justin Ratliff and Coleen Fowler. There is space available for one or two more missionaries. Please contact Ann Cronan (539-5041) or Becki Dean (310-5610) if you are interested!

### WELCOME 4<sup>TH</sup> WALL LOVE CONNECT MINISTRIES.

As we continue to find creative ways to steward the abundance of space at St. Michael's, we are pleased to begin partnering with 4<sup>th</sup> Wall and their pastor, Pam Shaw. Fourth Wall is a friend of Gathering Place Ministry and will be renting space from us for their Sunday food preparation and Wednesday evening worship as they work toward a permanent location. We pray that our partnership would extend even beyond sharing space.

**Save the Date - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper**  
**Tuesday, March 5**  
**5:30-7:00pm**  
**Dundas-Hatcher Hall**

### NEEDED!

Youth reader needed for Week of Christian Unity Prayer Service. Sunday, February 10 – 5:00 p.m. – dinner to follow service. Bon Air Christian Church. Let Christian Hansen know if you are interested – [chansen@stmschool.net](mailto:chansen@stmschool.net).

### HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

One of our explorations of Sacred Space in 2019 will be a trip to the Holy Land **October 14-28**. This is a wonderful way to experience the history and spirituality of Israel with our rector and deacon! The group has space for four more people and will soon be opened to members of other churches. If you have an interest in joining this exciting pilgrimage, please contact Rev. Jeunée (272-0992, Ext. 108) or Ann Cronan (539-5041).

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

#### ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICES

The Bon Air Ministerial Association, where Rev. Jeunée, Rev. Becki, and Christian Hansen participate, have decided to turn the international "Week of Prayer for Christian Unity" into One Community Prayer service, followed by services in various churches on Tuesdays in Lent. Join fellow Christians for a simple prayer service and lunch/ refreshments following.

#### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service

**Sunday, Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm** @ Bon Air Christian Church. Followed by Dinner and Fellowship.

#### Lenten Noontime Services

Tuesdays in Lent 12:00- 12:30, followed by light luncheon/refreshments/fellowship.

3/12 – Christ the King Lutheran, 9800 Huguenot

3/19 – Bon Air Presbyterian, 9201 Huguenot

3/26 – Huguenot Road Baptist, 10525 Huguenot

4/2 – St. Matthias Episcopal, 11300 W. Huguenot Rd.

4/9 – St. Michael's Episcopal / Bon Air

### CENTERING PRAYER

Centering Prayer meets every Wednesday morning in the library from 7:30a.m. until 8:00 a.m. Whether you are new to centering prayer or a long time practitioner, all are welcome. For more information, contact The Rev. Becki Dean (310-5620 or [beckidean2007@gmail.com](mailto:beckidean2007@gmail.com)).

### ADULT FORUM FOR EPIPHANY

"*Travels to Sacred Spaces*",  
presented by Dr. Gordon Jackson.

**Feb. 3** – Contemplation at Taizé

**Feb. 10** – Epiphanies in Rome

**Feb. 17** – Restoration at Toronto

**Feb. 24** - Book of Romans – Review of Major Themes

**Mar. 3** – Palestinian speaker from Bethlehem (tentative)

# **EXTRA** ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are announcements that did not make the current Sunday printed insert; or fuller descriptions of announcements that had to be edited due to space limitations.

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## **IT'S NOT TOO LATE THERE IS STILL TIME TO JOIN A GROUP THE GOOD BOOK CLUB READ THROUGH ROMANS January 7 – March 5, 2019**

St. Michael's joins the rest of the Episcopal Church to participate in The Good Book Club to read **Paul's Letter to the Romans during the 50 days of Epiphany.**

How can you participate?

- **Read a short passage** from Romans each day. Reading plans available in the Narthex.
- **Join a weekly small group** bible study discussion to discuss some parts of Romans in more detail, and see how it applies to your life. Sign up today! There's a time for everyone!
- **Join the Adult Forums** for various topics related to the study.

### **Join a group anytime!**

**Monday Afternoons**, 3:30 – 5:00 pm (this is a change)  
Beverly Buston facilitating- Meeting in the Buston Home in the Bluffs (272-7849).

**Thursday Mornings**, 11—12 pm ~ Rev. Becki Dean  
facilitating @ Church in library

**Thursday Evenings** 7—8:30 pm ~ Rev. Jeunée  
facilitating @ Lynn & Brett Shelton's home  
(west, off Winterpock and Hull)

**Friday Mornings**, 7:15-8:15 am~ Katherine Townsend  
facilitating@Einstein Bagels, Stony Point

**Sunday Evenings**, 7:00—8:30 pm ~ Diane Flemming  
Facilitating @ Panera, 11649 Midlothian Tnpk,  
(Women's Group)

Find other resources for families and individuals at [goodbookclub.org](http://goodbookclub.org)

## **HELP FEED THE HUNGRY!**

St. Michael's Outreach programs include many feeding ministries, and we can always use more willing hands and hearts. Whether you'd like to make a casserole ahead or serve on a team to provide lunch to "Friends of the Homeless," volunteer to make bag lunches for our Sunday "Gathering Place" service, pack groceries for seniors at Monarch Woods, or help shop at the food bank mid-week, we can help you find a meaningful way to serve. Contact Coleen Fowler or Ann Cronan in our outreach office at 272-0992 x101 or at [outreach@stmichaelsbonair.org](mailto:outreach@stmichaelsbonair.org).

## **PENNIES FROM HEAVEN**

Any loose change you have can be donated into the jug in the narthex. The youth count the money annually and choose a charity to support. Your donations are greatly appreciated.

## **OUTREACH**

Many opportunities can be completed with flexible time, even just a few hours in the evening. Want to know more about Friends of the Homeless, Monarch Woods or other Outreach opportunities? Contact Sandy Sanders, Ann Cronan, or Colleen Fowler for more information.

## **TRY THE WEDNESDAY EVENING EUCHARIST: 6:00 PM**

Want a "mid-week" spiritual boost? Our Wednesday evening Simple Eucharist offers a short service of about 30 minutes, often times using liturgies from New Zealand or Iona Scotland. We "come as we are", sit in the round, read and discuss a couple of the upcoming Sunday lessons as a group (no one has to speak), pray, and then gather around the altar, sharing communion.

## **ARE YOU RECEIVING THE ENEWS FOR THE DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA?**

If not, you can subscribe by going to the Diocese website at [www.diosova.org](http://www.diosova.org) and placing your email address in box located at the top (Sign Up to Receive News). This will keep you updated to what is happening in the Diocese.

## **SPREAD THE GOOD NEWS THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA!**

Have you ever thought of Social Media as Evangelism? Well, why not?! Help us use social media to let the community know what is going on at St. Michael's.

## **MEMBERSHIP ONLINE PORTAL AND CHURCH APP**

Through ACS, St. Michael's has available for parishioners an app entitled Church Life that can be downloaded to your iPhone or Android. "You don't use a "smart phone?" That is alright. The directory is available online through your computer or iPad.

For information on how to access both methods, please read the guidelines available outside the parish office or by going to the church website ([www.stmbonair.org](http://www.stmbonair.org)). If you have problems, you are welcome to contact Doris in the church office; however, please first follow every step patiently and read the follow up emails that will be sent to you. In order for you to set up a log in, the email you use for the Account Sign Up must be the same email the church has on file in the office.

Like, Follow, Post and Share with us on Social Media:

**Facebook.com/StMichaelsBonAir/**

**Instagram: StMsBonAir**

**Twitter: Michaelsbonair**

**Want to “Friend” Rev. Jeunée on Facebook? Please do!**

[www.facebook.com/jeunee](http://www.facebook.com/jeunee) Rev. Jeunée’s social media policy is that she loves to have friends... including parishioners. She does not, however, initiate friend requests with parishioners because not everyone wants their pastor “following” them. NOTE: Please realize that posting on Facebook does not take the place of alerting the church office or Rev. Jeunée of pastoral needs. She’s not on Facebook all that much!

## **EXPLORING SACRED SPACE**

Our yearly theme this year is to explore sacred spaces. For Advent and Christmas, we focused on the home. For Epiphany, our focus will be on Rome, as we read and study through the Book of Romans. For Lent, we will explore areas of wilderness. For Easter, we explore Sanctuary and Temple. We will schedule a visit to the Washington Cathedral, The Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land and The Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. For early Pentecost, we will pay attention to the sacred space of Creation. For late Pentecost, we will be talking about The Holy Land, with a pilgrimage scheduled for October. Please consider participating in this year of exploring Sacred Space and how it fits into your life.