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*The Cross and Crown*

2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS DAY, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAYS AFTER THE EPIPHANY ~ JANUARY 2020



**SUNDAY, JANUARY 5**

**The Eve of the Epiphany  
of our Lord Jesus Christ  
4:30 p.m.**



**With  
Burning of the Greens**

**You are invited to bring a branch  
from your Christmas greenery to  
burn during Burning of the Greens.**

**A King Cake Reception will  
follow in the Parish Hall after  
Burning of the Greens.**

**WEDNESDAY  
JANUARY 15**

**5:45 p.m.**

**In the Parish Hall**



Business, presentation  
of the 2020 budget,  
election of a Jr. Warden  
and 4 Vestry members.



Dinner and a nursery will be provided.

More Annual Meeting details  
inside this newsletter!

# FROM THE OFFICE

For more information, visit our website [www.allsaintstupelo.org](http://www.allsaintstupelo.org)



<https://facebook.com/AllSaintstupelo/>



Year-end contributions and gifts of stock to the church must be postmarked in 2019 to be included on your 2019 pledge statement for tax purposes. If you are hand delivering your contribution,

we must receive it in the office no later than December 31, 2019. If the office is closed, you may leave the envelope in the mailbox outside the front door of the office.

**The office will be closed Tuesday, December 31 and Wednesday, January 1. We will reopen Thursday, January 2 at 9:00 a.m.**

**HAPPY  
NEW  
YEAR**



## OPERATING – NOVEMBER 2019

<b>Revenue:</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Budget</b>
Pledge	\$30,985	\$33,566
All other sources	\$ 4,304	\$ 4,017
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$35,289</b>	<b>\$37,583</b>

<b>Expenses:</b>		
Clergy	\$ 3,801	\$16,983
Staff	\$12,858	\$13,507
Office	\$ 1,215	\$ 1,325
Physical Plant	\$22,052	\$ 8,925
Community Outreach	\$ 7,883	\$ 8,012
Worship/Programs	\$ 1,888	\$ 2,440
Special Programs	\$ 3,069	\$ 1,709
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$38,596</b>	<b>\$43,963</b>

**Net Total** (\$17,477) (\$15,244)

**Year-to-date operating surplus** (\$ 4,128)

## CAPITAL CAMPAIGN – NOVEMBER 2019

Actual Revenue	\$ 11,285
Actual Expenses	\$ 17,158
Net	(\$ 5,873)
Cash Balance at month end	\$ 64,865

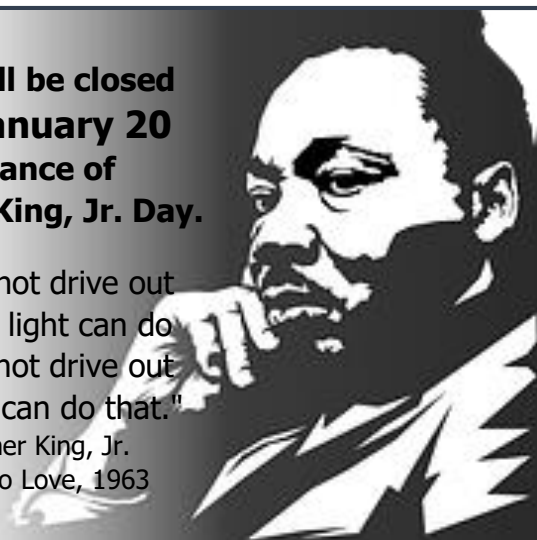
# ANNUAL REPORT

Committee Annual Reports were due in the office on December 15. Thank you to all who have turned in their reports. If your committee will be submitting an annual report, please do so no later than Sunday, January 5.

**The office will be closed  
Monday, January 20  
in observance of  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.**

"Darkness cannot drive out darkness, only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate, only love can do that."

— Martin Luther King, Jr.  
from Strength to Love, 1963





## FROM THE RECTOR

As we move into a new Year, the church also moves into a new season. We move from the twelve days of Christmas to the season of Epiphany. The season that sits between Christmas and Lent. Epiphany is a season of green, of ordinary. In many ways, Epiphany can feel like a season that is, "just there". It may feel like it is a season to just get us to Lent. However, there is more to Epiphany than just being a "placeholder" on our calendar. From the Feast of Epiphany on January 6 to the Feast of the Baptism of our Lord, Epiphany is full of feast days that we, as the church, should acknowledge and remember in our Liturgical year. Let me share a few things about these two feast days.

The Feast of Epiphany marks the end of Christmas season and the start of Epiphany season. Christmas greenery has been taken down and may be burned during the Feast of Epiphany celebration. The burning of the greens has come to symbolize the belief that in Christ the world has received its light. Imagine in the darkness of the night on the Feast of Epiphany, a fire is lit and as the greens of Christmas are added, this fire grows large, bright, and hot. This light shines bright to illumine the world. This is much like the light of Christ.

We may also take time during Epiphany to remember the Magi, also called the Wisemen, who traveled to see the infant Jesus and to bring him gifts. Christian tradition says that there are three Magi who followed the Star on this pilgrimage. This idea of three Magi who were Kings emerged during the Middle Ages and has become part of our Christian tradition and unlikely to be changed anytime soon. The belief that there were three emerged simply because we do know that they brought three gifts to Jesus; gold, frankincense, and myrrh. Biblical Scholars believe that the Magi were a class of Parthian priest who were renowned astrologers.

The other feast day that we have in Epiphany that takes place in January is the Feast of the Baptism of our Lord. This day is important in our Liturgical life because it is one of the feast days that the Book of Common Prayer states that "Holy Baptism is especially appropriate." Like Christ, we are called to baptism and in baptism, we find new life. Rowan Williams writes in his book *Being Christian* that, "to be baptized is to recover the humanity that God first intended." It is through baptism that we become truly human. In other words, we become how God intended us to be. Williams tells us that in this new humanity, "humanity that can reach out its hand from the depths of chaos, to be touched by the hand of God." We are touched by God, sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked as Christ's own forever in baptism.

The Season of Epiphany is more than just a few weeks between Christmas and Lent. It is a time for us to reflect on the Light of Christ in this world, to remember those who traveled far to meet the infant Christ, and to remember the Baptism of our Lord. We also reflect on the fact that we are also called to be baptized and to become as God intended us to be as God's sons and daughters. We will celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany on the evening of Sunday, January 5 and the Feast of our Lord's Baptism on Sunday, January 12 during our Sunday morning Eucharist. Don't let this season just slip away but rejoice in the light that is the season of Epiphany. Also, we get to enjoy king cakes during Epiphany!!!!!!!!!!

-Phillip+

You may contact Phillip at [phillip@allsaintstupelo.org](mailto:phillip@allsaintstupelo.org) or 662-842-4386.

# PARISH MINISTRIES

## VESTRY

Sr. Warden, Deanna Alford,  
Jr. Warden, Wayne Averett,  
Les Alvis, Art Chambers,  
Harry Dieckmann, Stan Furr,  
Stephen King, Dana Maharrey,  
Betty Lee Marshall, Mary Jane  
Meadows, Bud Nelson,  
Cathy Sparks, Paul White  
and Manuela Wilson

The Vestry meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Conference room. **For the month of January only, the Vestry will meet on Monday, January 13, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.** The Vestry will be reviewing and discussing the 2020 Operating budget. Vestry meetings are open to anyone who wishes to attend.

## HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE DECEMBER 2019 VESTRY

- ✓ Discussed Annual Meeting details.
- ✓ Received and discussed progress report on the implementation of the Mediation Agreements.
- ✓ Approved moving the January Vestry meeting to Monday, January 13, 2020.
- ✓ Received reports from the Treasurer, the Vestry Commissions, Jr. Warden, Sr. Warden and the Rector.

**All Saints' will  
host the  
193<sup>rd</sup>  
Annual Council  
of the Diocese  
of Mississippi**



**February 7 - 9  
BancorpSouth  
Arena - Tupelo**

This is a great opportunity to be a part of the wider church and to worship with our diocesan family! Council officially opens at the Arena at 6:00 p.m. Friday, February 7 with the Bishop's address. Following the address, there will be a reception with food and beverages for all registrants. Saturday will begin with Morning Prayer with business sessions to follow. Exhibits and workshops will be offered throughout the day. Sunday's closing Eucharist at 10:00 a.m. is one of the most festive and celebratory services offered. To register for this important weekend, visit <https://annualcouncil.dioms.org/> But hurry! Registration fees will increase January 1!

**Special note.** . . Registration is not required if you plan on only attending the 10:00 a.m. Sunday morning worship service.



**Invite a friend and bring a dish to  
share at the Potluck Dinner!**

### **After dinner...**

Join us as our Rector, The Rev. Phillip Parker shares stories about his spiritual journey on the way to becoming a priest.

A nursery will be provided.



# ABOUT THE ANNUAL MEETING...

## **Jr. Warden nominees (elect 1 for a 2-year term):**

Fred Cannon, Mona Warlick, Albert White

## **Vestry nominees (elect 4 for a 3-year term):**

Allison Bedillion, Rita Blackburn, Anna Fleming, Mickey Gray,  
Mark Maharrey, Kamme Riddle, Jackie Serio, Ann Springfield

## **When Considering Your Vote for Jr. Warden and Vestry. . .**

At All Saints' Annual Meeting on Wednesday, January 15, 2020 the parish will elect a new Jr. Warden (who will serve a two-year term) and four Vestry members (each of whom will serve a three-year term). As we approach these elections, we trust you will approach your decision with care and objectivity. As we consider our votes, we might reflect on our love for God, for each other, and for our church. It is our relationship with God and with each other that shape and guide our liturgy, programs, education, and outreach efforts. As we decide our leadership for All Saints', we will need to consider the gifts which each individual has to offer and how those gifts might best help to serve All Saints' through leadership by building relationships with each other and in our community. Generally, a parish will consider an individual who:

- + Is faithful in attending worship regularly.
- + Takes the Baptismal Covenant seriously (BCP, pp. 304-305).
- + Maintains a disciplined prayer life (both privately and corporately).
- + Is committed to giving of time, talent and treasure for the good of the parish.
- + Seeks growth through Christian education and study.
- + Has some experience in the life and ministry of the Parish.
- + Works and plays well with others.
- + Can advise, support and minister to the rector, staff and congregation, holding each accountable as appropriate.

Each person who allows her/his name to be submitted will have certain gifts and abilities—and all of the candidates should be commended for simply allowing their names to be submitted. We might, also, want to consider these additional needs of the Vestry in our choice of Warden and Vestry members:

- + Ability to discern and consider the future ministries of the parish.
- + A calm and reassuring presence.
- + A willingness to create and evaluate new and innovative programs that would meet existing needs within the parish and beyond.
- + Attendance and active participation at the Vestry Retreat.

### **Voting Qualifications:**

- + 16 years of age + membership letter is at All Saints'.
- + Have received communion at least three (3) times in the past year.
- + Known to the Rector (and Wardens) to be active in the life of the parish in worship and program.

You must be present to vote. If you have any questions about the qualification of a potential candidate or the voting qualifications please feel free to contact Phillip, Sr. Warden, Deanna Alford or Jr. Warden, Wayne Averett and we will be happy to assist.

# PARISH MINISTRIES



## THE CARE TEAM

The CARE Team assists the Priest and Deacon with the pastoral care needs of the parish. Service is organized into teams that serve once every 6 weeks. If you are interested in serving with this ministry, contact the office at 842- 4386, Vickie Vance or Joellen Murphree.

Last month, the Care Team assisted parishioners with one transport for a doctor's visit and procedure, provided two meals, made four hospital visits and delivered seven flower arrangements.

If you have needs that the Care Team can help with, please call the office at 842-4386, Vicky Vance or Joellen Murphree.

**Lenten Centering Prayer Retreat  
With The Rev. Tom Ward  
Gray Center  
March 13 – 15, 2020**

**For more information  
and to register visit:  
[www.graycenter.org](http://www.graycenter.org)**

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 19

**8:30 a.m.**

**Holy Communion  
in the Church**

Using liturgy from  
Evangelical Lutheran Worship



**10:45 a.m.**



**Holy Eucharist  
in the Church**

Using liturgy from the  
Episcopal Book of Common Prayer

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 12 Baptism of our Lord



Sunday, January 12 will be our next opportunity for baptism. If you wish baptism for yourself or your child, please contact the office at 842-4386. A baptismal counseling session is required in preparation.

**The new 2020  
liturgical calendars  
have arrived. Stop by  
the office and pick up  
your free calendar  
today!**



# PARISH MINISTRIES



## In November

164 faithful volunteers served

**1,806**

meals to individuals, families with children, those employed who are food insecure and homeless persons.

## Immediate needs:

**Coffee, sugar and powdered creamer**

We depend on donations of these items, as it helps us reduce our spending. We deeply appreciate our volunteers and those who donate to this ministry. It would not be possible without you!

meals for our guests to take with them as needed.

## NOVEMBER ACTIVITIES

- ✓ Coffee and Conversation was on Tuesday, November 5. Volunteers at Coffee and Conversation included myself, Sara Ekiss of MUTEH, Marcus Gary the City of Tupelo Community Outreach Director, Rebecca Nelson of Volunteer Northeast MS, and Jason Martin of Tupelo-Lee County Hunger Coalition.
- ✓ City of Tupelo Homeless Outreach Team met on November 5.
- ✓ Attended the Northeast MS Regional Homeless Coalition Meeting on November 8.
- ✓ I submitted the second part of our United Way funding application. We will know in the next few months how we are funded for next year.
- ✓ Deepika Dey has graciously donated her time and yoga training to create a donation drive for Saints' Brew. Deepika is hosting bi-weekly free yoga classes at All Saints' with attendees donating goods to Saints' Brew as a "payment". The last class will be held December 4.
- ✓ Attended the City of Tupelo Homeless Task Force Meeting on November 21.
- ✓ The Daisy Troop of Girl Scouts visited with me on Friday, November 22 to learn more about Saints' Brew and food insecurity. Their troop held a donations drive and gave Saints' Brew a large donation of coffee, creamer, sugar, and cereal.

Through the Tupelo-Lee County Hunger Coalition, Waitr connected with Saints' Brew for a food donation of 20 meals for our guests. Waitr is a food delivery company, where food is ordered and delivered to your address through a mobile app. On November 26, Waitr delivered 20 fully prepared spaghetti

- ✓ Saints' Brew is typically closed on Thanksgiving, but this year I put out a call to my Facebook friends to see if anyone would be interested in helping serve. Fourteen volunteers, with a majority of those not being volunteers before, showed up Thanksgiving morning and we served 86 guests. It was a great way to start the holiday season! I will do the same for Christmas morning, so if you are interested in volunteering on Christmas Day let me know!
- ✓ FAITH Food Pantry is very generous with their regular fruit donation. Talbot House Bakery, which recently opened, is donating their delicious, homemade cinnamon rolls to Saints' Brew when they have extra that have not sold.
- ✓ An article about Saints' Brew was published in the November issue of "Invitation" Magazine under the "Community Kindness" category.
- ✓ We still need volunteers! If you can volunteer Monday, Wednesday, or Friday, please let me know! We definitely need help on Mondays with cooking! Please let me know if you are an early riser and want to put your chef's hat on.

*-Hannah Maharrey, Saints' Brew Director*



# CHRIST THE KING



The Southeastern Synod Lutheran Youth Organization will be holding its 2020 Assembly at Lutheranch on March 13-15, 2020. Every congregation is invited to send 2 voting members from their congregation who are in 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Youth who are currently in 8<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> grade are eligible to run for positions on the SESLYO Board and elections will be held during the Assembly. Registration for the SESLYO Assembly has not opened yet but check back to the [www.sesyouth.org](http://www.sesyouth.org) webpage for more information.

**Sunday,  
January 19  
8:30 a.m.**

**Holy Communion with  
liturgy from the ELW  
Come and bring a  
friend!**

## **YOUNG ADULTS IN GLOBAL MISSION (YAGM) Applications are LIVE!!!!**



Applications for Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) are now live! If you're a young adult between the ages of 21 and 29, you should consider applying. This international service year will shape your faith, identity, career and understanding of how you fit into God's work in the world. There are opportunities in ten country

programs around the world, with areas of interest ranging from education to environmental justice. For more information visit:

<https://www.elca-ses.org/newsdetail/yagm-applications-live-13098803>

## **It's a Girl!!**

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

to

**Emily and Corey  
Jackson**

on the birth of their daughter,

**Lena Katherine**

on December 18.

Lena Kate joins big sister  
Julia in the Jackson family.

## **AFFIRM Staff Applications**

**June 14-19, 2020**

**University of West Alabama  
Livingston, Alabama**



Grounded in Word and Sacrament, AFFIRM develops discipleship skills, leadership skills, and teaches Lutheran theology. We follow Christ, we live in a Christian community, and we teach how to be God's hands in the world. Affirm is made up of age appropriate units for 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders plus the Young Adult Youth Ministry Institute (YAYMI) for young adults. Want to help as a small group leader? Then visit: <https://www.sesyouth.org/affirm>.

## **Summer Camp Registration IS OPEN!**

Register by March 15 to lock in our Early Rate  
(\$40.00 savings from the regular camp rate!)

Regular Camp Rates Apply March 16 - April 30

Register online at:

Lutheridge: [www.lutheridge.org](http://www.lutheridge.org)

Lutheranch: [www.lutheranch.org](http://www.lutheranch.org)





# CHRISTIAN FORMATION

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**Camp Bratton Green**

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**OF**

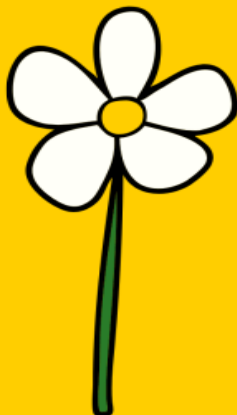
**YOUTH**

Jr. High – March 27-29  
Sr. High – April 17-19

To register visit <https://diomsyouth.org/division-of-youth/>

FAITH ÷ FRIENDS ÷ MUSIC ÷ GAMES ÷ FAITH ÷ FRIENDS ÷

## HAPPENING



**A CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE**

**Happening #91 March 6 – 8**  
**St. James, Jackson**

<https://diomsyouth.org/happening-2/>

**Happening Reunion March 6 – 8**  
**St. Columb's, Ridgeland**

<https://diomsyouth.org/happening-reunion/>

**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd  
and Youth Sunday School will  
resume their studies on  
Sunday, January 5 at 9:30 a.m.  
The Sunday Lectionary class will  
continue to meet at 9:30 a.m.**

**CLASSES**  
**for All Ages**

**SUNDAYS @ 9:30 a.m.**

**For children 3 years old – 6<sup>th</sup> grade**



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd  
Meets in the Atria

A Montessori approach to the  
religious formation of children,  
rooted in the Bible and the  
liturgy of the church.

**For youth in 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades**

LinC ~ Living in Christ

In the Sr. High Sunday School room

Topical, yet Bible-based lessons based

on current events and other trending

subjects that have an immediate relevancy to youth.



**For Adults**

The Sunday Lectionary

Led by Les Alvis and Caleb Bedillion

In the south breakout room of the Parish Hall

This gathering features a presentation on selected texts  
from the scriptures appointed for the day's liturgy,  
followed by lively discussion as the class wrestles with the  
readings to find meanings for today.

For more information visit

[https://allsaintstupelo.org/?page\\_id=171](https://allsaintstupelo.org/?page_id=171)

# PRAYER LIST

*The new additions to our prayer list are those names listed in bold.*

*You may find an updated copy of the prayer list at [allsaintstupelo.org](http://allsaintstupelo.org).*

*On the Schedules, Forms & Resources page click on the Current Intercessory Prayer List link.*

## **Our Parish Family**

Karen Asbury, Frank Baker, Eileen Bailey, Margaret Barshaw, Ashley Briggs, Curtis Brown, Tommy Caldwell, Virginia Chambers, Cristal Cody, Pamela Cox, Francis Criss, Lula Cruz, Jayant Dey, Harry Dieckmann, Cathy Duncan, James Duncan, Jr., Tom Evans, Kathy Fealhaber, Destini Hester, Lynn High, Patience Hill, Precious Hill, Allison Holloway, Sylvia Honeycutt, Arnie Jones, Joan Jones, Warner Wills King, Jeanne Lagrone, Bill Mathews, Heather McCain, Drew Montgomery, Bob Moore, Tommie Moore, Bill Morgan, Jane Murdock, Peg Oakes, Lynn Palmer, Don Pate, Michael Pate, Belva & Pete Poland, Tom Prather, Jo Pugh, Rebecca Riskedahl, Melinda Seitz, Cate Sparks, Cathy Sparks, Cheryl Sproles, Mark Swanberg, Clark Tims, Forrest Tutor, Buddy Vance, Vicky Vance, Cheri Weber, Peggy Wilbanks, Randy Wooldridge, Tammy Wooldridge, Judy Zinn.

## **Our Friends and Extended Family**

Cali Allison, Lester Alvis, Virginia Armstrong, David Arthur, Lynn Ayers, Bernice Baker, Dennis Barshaw, Steve Barshaw, Travis (Jack) Penix Barshaw, Homer Bartlett, William Battaile, Thaine Batte, Julie Battaile, Guilene Berryman, Victoria Bobo, Sonny Boyd, Henry Brevard, Gavin Brewer, Patty Brown, Ruth Bryan, Edward Bullock, Tim & Tammy Bullock Family, Loretta Burgess, Sandi Burt, Tiny, Pam & Paula Byrd, Ellen Caldwell, Bill Cannon, Dott Cannon, Drew Clayton, Nelda Clayton, Steve Cobb, Louise Cole, **Newt & Leslie Collinson**, Terra Gilmer Cook, Steve Cozart, Louise Cran, Sam Creekmore, Catherine Crews, Stephen Crocker, Alice Daniel, Rebecca Davis, Jim Diffie, Matt Dillon, Tommy Doty, John-Forrest Douglas, Christine Eckert, Mickey Elliott, Merita Ellis, Beth Anne Harper Ellzey, Jai Eschete, Janet Evans, Katherine Flouhouse, Margaret Fowler, Charlotte French, C.D. Gaston, Leslie Geoghegan, Rex Giles, Alicia Goodson, Nelson Gravatt, Sherry Gravatt, Sammy Green, the Greene Family, Rylee Hale, Larry Hancock, Debby Harbison, Stephen Harper, Rusty Harris, Theresa Harris, Wayne Hatcher, Sally Herring, Judy Hester, Debbie Hiergesell, Anna Hill, Jimmy & Beth Hill, Sara Hill, Hodges Family, Brianna Holland, Jay Holley, David Horne, Jan & Linkey Hughes, Trish Hundley, Charles Hyatt, Jamie, Richard Johnson, Moira Jones, Raymond Jourdan, Katelyn, Kelly Day Kenney, Rose Kersh, Jeannette S. King, Nikday Kryukov, the Lail Family, Toni Lebrun-Denton, Danielle Lee, Dwight Smith Lee, Linda Lehman, Margaret Leighton, Jimmy Long, Julia Lucius, Katrina Lynch, Dot Lyons, Meredith Poole Martin & Josh Martin, Jenny Martindale, Gloria Martinson, Betty Jane Mathews, Jennifer Mayhall & David Maben, the McAlilly Family, George & Nona McBunch, Anthony McCain, Tucker & Brenda McCarley, Kristin McElroy, Nate McKinley, Denise, Makara & Edward Medders, Nita Megginson, Allison Mitchell, Paula & Rick Mitchell, TEM Mitchell, Darrell Moll, Ruby Monaghan, The Rev. Dr. Ben Moravitz, Belinda Mothershed, Ed & Elissa Naro, Margaret Naugel, Nemit Family, D. D. Ruff Nicolau, The Nichols Family, Lynn Oakes, Butch Owen, Delsie Owens, Peyton Passons, Thomas Pendergrast, Jane Pennington, Laura Pickens, Derick Pitts, James Plaxico, Tracie Plaxico, Stacy Plaxico, Scott & Sis Poindexter, Cindy Prestage, Jan Pritchard, Pam Putnam, Richie Randall, the Reeder Family, Dale Rinehart, Milt Robinson, Lanny Robinson, Molly Rowland, Dr. C.J. Sanders, Kay Sheffield, Helen Shelton, Mike Shelton, Dinah & Terry Simmons, Penny Sisson, Crofton Sloan, Levi Smith, Robin Smith, Judy Stien, Mike Stroup, Angie Surface, Ann Taylor, Jim Taylor, Marvin Thomas, Jim Thompson, Bobby Towery Family, Eliza Tyer, Jerry Webb, Marsha Webb, Dennis Weber, Jeana Whitacre, Henry Whittenton, Serena Wilson, Dudley Wiygul, Aiden Woods

## **Extended Family Expectant Parents:**

Stephanie & George Booth, III, Lauren & Josh Lawhorn, Lindsey & Miller Vance

## **Those in the Military**

Jason Bobo, Nick Bobo, John Bremseth, Josh Garner, John Harper, Hayes Hershfelt, Cooper Livingston, Connor McBride, Justin Phillips, Tanner Moore, Drew Sanders, Charlie Sewell, Billy Strickland, Bobby Tullos

# Family Page

## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS



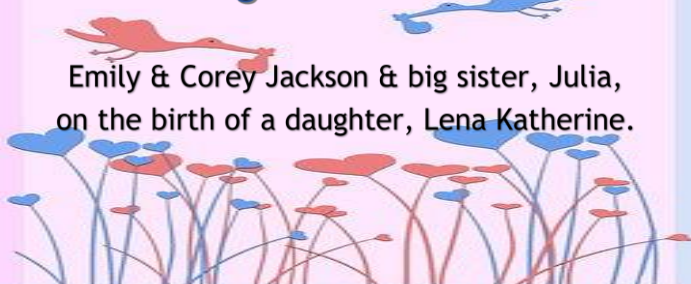
January 2	Lydia Averett
January 4	Tommy Caldwell, Joshua Hester
January 6	Leigh Michael Cannon Mary Wilemon Westmoreland
January 8	Evelyn Halverson
January 10	Ada Byrd, Francis Criss Rufus Van Horn
January 11	LeWayne Lambert
January 17	Maggie Grace Bullock
January 18	Harrison Bean
January 19	Lynn Bryan, Spencer Kirkpatrick Jacob Krusen
January 22	Matt Maharrey, Jeanne Pate Jim Newman
January 23	John Browning
January 24	Scott Byrd, Jim Pratt
January 25	Madison Atkins-Cook Susan Hyatt, Luke Crum
January 26	Mike Fitzpatrick, Leah Gilmore Richard Pate
January 27	Ginny Belk
January 28	George Bryan
January 31	Carlitos Cruz, Darcy Strickland



January 2	Charlotte & Larry Kelso
January 3	Mary Jane Meadows & Reed Hillen
January 4	Beth & Mark Harris
January 22	Belva & Pete Poland
January 29	Diane & Fred Page

## Congratulations to...

Emily & Corey Jackson & big sister, Julia,  
on the birth of a daughter, Lena Katherine.



## GIFTS RECEIVED IN MEMORY OF

Cindy Sparks

Given by Pat Bobo (*Choir Fund*)

Given by the Children's Choir (*Music Fund*)

Given by the Adult Choir (*Music Fund*)

Bobbie Rosato, Lester Alvis, Dee & Doris Streit,

Frances & Evans Gore

Given by Pat Bobo (*Saints' Brew*)

Lester Alvis

Given by Morris & Alice Alexander

Mary Lou Parks

Given by Flo Poplin (*Altar Guild/Music*)

Dick Redwood & his son, Richard Redwood

Given by Marjorie F. Fitzsimons  
(*Christmas Flowers*)

Theo & Diane Dinkins

Given by Vicky & Buddy Vance (*Building Fund*)

## IN HONOR OF

The Thursday and Friday morning

Saints' Brew volunteers

From: "Anonymous"

Kevin Pridmore

Given by R & D Marketing (*Saints' Brew*)

All the volunteers at Saints' Brew

Given by Pat Bobo

The Friday Morning Saints' Brew Volunteers

Given by Betty Lee Marshall

## GIFTS TO SAINTS' BREW

Gifts to Saints' Brew have been given  
in honor of Henry Dodge & Bobby Dodge  
by Bethany, Esther, Gina & Sandy.



Lee County Master Gardeners  
Oscar's Wine and Spirits  
Keith & Ronda Windham  
Ken & Karen Wolfe

## Love and Sympathy to...

Les Alvis and family on the  
death of his father, Lester Alvis.

and Taylor Sparks on the death  
of his mother, Cindy Sparks.

"Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light  
perpetual shine upon them."







In common mission with



*The Cross and Crown*

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### **MISSION STATEMENT**

To equip ourselves for Christ's service by gathering for worship, fellowship, prayer, and study; To minister to and support each other, and to welcome all who walk through our doors; To act as responsible stewards of God's gifts to us; And to do God's work in the world by seeking and serving Christ in all persons.

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# January 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>December 2019</b> S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	<b>February 2020</b> S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	<b>1</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  <b>HAPPY NEW YEAR</b> Office Closed	<b>2</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  1:00 pm Children's Story Time	<b>3</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew	<b>4</b>
<b>5 2<sup>ND</sup> CHRISTMAS</b> 8:30 am Holy Eucharist * 9:30 am Christian Formation * 10:45 am Holy Eucharist * 4:30 pm Eve of the Epiphany & Burning of the Greens* King Cake Reception Following (P.H.) 6:30 pm AA (Conf. Rm.)	<b>6</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew <b>THE EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST</b>  6:00-8:30 pm B.S. Pack/Troop 85	<b>7</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  5:30 pm AA (Conference Rm)  7:00 pm Gum Tree Quilters' Guild (Parish Hall)	<b>8</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  9:30 am Staff Meeting <b>12:05 pm Holy Eucharist w/Healing Prayers</b> (Chapel) <b>5:45 pm Potluck Dinner *</b> 7:00 pm Adult Choir	<b>9</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  1:00 pm Children's Story Time  6:00 pm Council Meeting (SBO)	<b>10</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew	<b>11</b>
<b>12 BAPTISM OF OUR LORD</b>  8:30 Holy Eucharist * 9:30 am Christian Formation * 10:45 Holy Eucharist *  5:30-7:30 pm AA (Parish Hall)	<b>13</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  6:00 pm Vestry  6:00-8:30 pm B.S. Pack/Troop 85	<b>14</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  5:30 pm AA (Conference Rm)	<b>15</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew 9:30 am Staff Meeting <b>12:05 pm Holy Eucharist w/Healing Prayers</b> (Chapel) <b>5:45 pm Annual Meeting *</b> (Parish Hall)  7:00 pm Adult Choir	<b>16</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  1:00 pm Children's Story Time	<b>17</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew	<b>18</b>
<b>19 2<sup>ND</sup> EPIPHANY</b>  8:30 am Holy Communion * 9:30 am Christian Formation * 10:45 am Holy Eucharist *  6:30 pm AA (Conf. Rm.)	<b>20</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  Martin Luther King Jr, Day  Office Closed	<b>21</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  5:30 pm AA (Conference Rm)	<b>22</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  9:30 am Staff Meeting <b>12:05 pm Holy Eucharist w/Healing Prayers</b> (Chapel) 6:15 pm Children's Choir 7:00 pm Adult Choir	<b>23</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  1:00 pm Children's Story Time	<b>24</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew	<b>25</b>
<b>26 3<sup>RD</sup> EPIPHANY</b>  8:30 am Holy Eucharist * 9:30 am Christian Formation * 10:45 am Holy Eucharist * 12:30 pm DOK (Conf. Rm.) 6:30 pm AA (Conf. Rm.)	<b>27</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  6:00-7:30 pm B.S. Troop Committee (Parlor)  6:00-8:30 pm B.S. Pack/Troop 85	<b>28</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  5:30 pm AA (Conference Rm)	<b>29</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  9:30 am Staff Meeting <b>12:05 pm Holy Eucharist w/Healing Prayers</b> (Chapel) 6:15 pm Children's Choir 7:00 pm Adult Choir	<b>30</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew  1:00 pm Children's Story Time	<b>31</b> 7:00-8:30 am Saints' Brew	

## LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

JANUARY 2020

DATE		1/5/2020		1/12/2020		1/19/2020		1/26/2020	
		2nd CHRISTMAS		1st EPIPHANY		2nd EPIPHANY		3rd EPIPHANY	
ACOLYTES	8:30 AM	LEIGH MICHAEL CANNON		MASON WINDERS		TRE' HILL		SAM ALTON WESTMORELAND	
	10:45 AM	GINNY GRAY		MAGGIE GRACE BULLOCK		GEORGE BRYAN		CARTER MAHARREY	
		MARY DILLARD WINDERS		COOPER EDMONSON		AIDAN WILSON		JANIE RIDDLE	
		MORGAN WINDERS		DREW EDMONSON		MARY W. WESTMORELAND		MAGGIE GRACE BULLOCK	
ALTAR FLOWERS		OPEN		OPEN		OPEN		OPEN	
FLOWER GUILD		TOM EVANS		TBA		TBA		TBA	
ALTAR GUILD		CAROL ALVIS		JOELLEN MURPHREE		CATHY SPARKS		PAT BOBO	
		KAREN ASBURY		ROBIN BRYAN		BETTY LEE MARSHALL		SUSAN HYATT	
		AMANDA LAVENDER		DANA MAHARREY		CARRIE BARNES		VIRGINIA MATHEWS	
		KAMME RIDDLE		AMANDA MILLER		LISA GRAY		KAY TRAPP	
		JO ANN WESTMORELAND		MARTHA SENTER		DESTINI HESTER		VICKY VANCE	
						MONA WARLICK			
CHALICE BEARERS	8:30 AM	BILLY WALTON		BILLY WALTON		BILLY WALTON		BILLY WALTON	
		JOELLEN MURPHREE		BRITT HESTER		NATHAN DUNCAN		DARCY STRICKLAND	
	10:45 AM	BILLY WALTON		BILLY WALTON		BILLY WALTON		BILLY WALTON	
		DARCY STRICKLAND		NATALIE SPARKS-BULLOCK		KAYE CANNON		STAN FURR	
FOOD PRESENTERS	10:45 AM	LYDIA AVERETT		LOVIE, MURPHY & REID BROWNING		CORI SMITH		ANDREW TAYLOR	
		NORA AVERETT				HANK SMITH		MATTHEW TAYLOR	
GREETER	8:30 AM	MARTHA ANN STAUB		ROBIN BRYAN		CATHY FITZPATRICK		MARIBETH KIRKPATRICK	
	10:45 AM	KAREN ASBURY		JOAN BALL		DARCY STRICKLAND		DAVID ALFORD	
INTERCESSOR	8:30 AM	JOELLEN MURPHREE		FREDDA ROBINSON		MICHELLE HESTER		DARCY STRICKLAND	
	10:45 AM	BUD NELSON		LYNN NELSON		DINETIA NEWMAN		CAROL ALVIS	
LECTORS	8:30 AM	DARCY STRICKLAND		KELLY FLEMING		JOELLEN MURPHREE		MIKE FITZPATRICK	
	10:45 AM	STAN FURR		DANA MAHARREY		ART CHAMBERS		NATALIE SPARKS-BULLOCK	
		BETTY LEE MARSHALL		DARCY STRICKLAND		KEVIN PRIDMORE		KAY TRAPP	
MEALS ON WHEELS	1/8/2020	C. BROWNING (Verona Route)	1/15/2020	PAT BOBO (Verona Route)	1/22/2020	PAT BOBO (Verona Route)	1/29/2020	H. BRYAN (Verona Route) PAT BOBO (Tupelo Route)	
OBLATION BEARERS	8:30 AM	DEANNA ALFORD		DONNA TIMMONS		MIKE & CATHY FITZPATRICK		J. SERIO & R. BLACKBURN	
	10:45 AM	LES & CAROL ALVIS		THE WINDERS FAMILY		BUDDY & VICKY VANCE		DARCY STRICKLAND	
USHERS	8:30 AM	WAYNE SLOCUM		HUDSON BRYAN		KEVAN KIRKPATRICK		FRED PAGE	
		TONY ALFORD		MIKE FITZPATRICK		JIM NEWMAN		PETE POLAND	
	10:45 AM	TOMMY CALDWELL		KEVIN PRIDMORE		DARCY STRICKLAND		DAVID ALFORD	
		PAUL PERRY		CINDY RING		BUDDY VANCE		WAYNE AVERETT	
VESTRY PERSONS OF THE DAY		STEPHEN KING		BETTY LEE MARSHALL		CATHY SPARKS		PAUL WHITE	
		STAN FURR		DANA MAHARREY		HARRY DIECKMANN		MANUELA WILSON	
VERGER		NATHAN DUNCAN		NATHAN DUNCAN		BRITT HESTER		ALBERT WHITE	