

01/14/18 Parish Announcements

Upcoming Events

- **January 14** – Children’s Christian Formation resumes. No Rector’s Forum
- **January 21** – Rector’s Forum resumes
Daughters of the King meeting
- **January 23** - Tuesday Bible Study begins in the Blue Room at 1:00 p.m. – Priscilla Shirer's “Discerning the Voice of God”
- **January 28** – Annual Meeting after the 8:00 a.m. service
- **January 31** – Confirmation classes begin
- **February 4** – Acolyte Training at 11:45 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Lunch will be provided.
Pre-Council Meeting for Diocesan Delegates scheduled at Calvary Church, 806 Thompson Rd, Richmond, TX 77469 from 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Food Basket Items for January: Canned tomato products – diced, stewed, and sauce.

Are you confirmed? Do you have a child who is confirmation age? Confirmation is a required sacramental act in the Episcopal Church. If your child is 12 or older or turning 12 this year, then they should be enrolled. If you are an adult and have never been confirmed, you can enroll yourself. Enrollment began Sunday, January 7th, and an enrollment form should be completed. Classes will be held Wednesday evenings starting January 31st. Look for an information and sign-up sheet in the Narthex and Parish office. Deadline for registration is Sunday, January 28, 2018. Contact Fr. Brendan or the church office with questions.

New Tuesday Bible Study. Our next bible study, *Priscilla Shirer's, “Discerning the Voice of God,”* will begin on Tuesday, January 23rd at 1:00 p.m. in the Blue Room. We always want to know God’s direction for our lives, don’t we? Even though this study first released a decade ago, this revised and expanded edition hinges on how God has continued to grow, teach, and challenge Priscilla Shirer in her walk with Him. This 7-session study is packed with wisdom, featuring new in-depth illustrations, weekly articles from Tony Evans (Priscilla’s dad), and interactive teaching videos on how discovering God’s will actually begins with obedience. If interested contact Nancy Carter at wcarter006@comcast.net or by phone at 979-285-4831. Everyone is welcome.

E.Y.C. (Episcopal Youth Community)

Calling all St. Timothy's youth and their parents....**SAVE THE DATE!**

The annual **Pancake Supper** is scheduled for **Tuesday, Feb. 13th**. Set up and decorating the Parish Hall will be Sunday, Feb 11th immediately after the 10:30am service.

As you may or may not know, this is one of the 2 fundraisers for the Youth Activity Account that allows our kids to attend events at Camp Allen, participate in mission trips, go to Astros games, etc.

This will be a youth and parent event, so everybody mark your calendars for these 2 dates. More information will come in January

We give thanks for those celebrating birthdays this week: Arleen Frank, Anh Thomas, Katherine Laney, Lindy Koury, and Camille Wharmby.

We give thanks for those celebrating anniversaries this week: No anniversaries this week.

Faith Formation

Level One Atrium (3-5 year olds) – After the excitement of the holidays, children will have time to ponder the significance of the Infancy Narratives in January and explore the meaning of the Kingdom Parables in February.

Level Two Atrium (Kindergarten through 3rd grade) – After the excitement of the holidays, children will have time to ponder the significance of the Infancy Narratives in January and explore the meaning of the Kingdom Parables in February.

Level Three: Hearts Alive - lessons for 4th, 5th and 6th graders will follow the Lectionary and explore who we are as children of Christ and the need to put our trust in him personally for our salvation. The following weeks will look at how to walk the path Jesus showed us, including having mercy, generosity, humility, trust, love, gratitude and service to others. We will use our Bibles to look at scripture and discuss the lessons and their application to our lives while enjoying learning through drama, crafts and hands-on activities.

Classes will gather at the chairs in the Formation hallway. High schoolers are encouraged to attend the Rector's Adult Formation class in the Blue Room. Three year-olds and younger are welcome in the Nursery.

Quiet Bags and Packets are available for children to use during the worship service. Bags are designed for ages 3-5 and contain a quiet church friend, a book and activities. Packets for grades K-3 contain books, worship leaflets and activities. The Bags and Packets are available in the entrance hall to the church.

Did you know that St. Timothy's has an email prayer list? It is called **St. Timothy's Prayer Partners**, and it's a great way to know who needs prayers, and to request prayers. Joining is easy – send an email to sttimothysprayerpartners-subscribe@yahoogroups.com, and follow the instructions you get back. Already a member? Any member can send an email to sttimothysprayerpartners@yahoogroups.com. If you have any questions, contact Sondra Griner or Carol Bohley, our group moderators at sttimothysprayerpartners-owner@yahoogroups.com.

This Week at St. Timothy's

Sunday, January 14, 2017

7:00 a.m. – Brotherhood of St. Andrew Breakfast

9:15 a.m. – Children’s Faith Formation, No Rector’s Forum

10:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Monday, January 15, 2018

Office Closed

Tuesday, January 16, 2018

3:15 – 5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate Students)

Wednesday, January 17, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Army of Retired Men (ARM), All welcome

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Sewing Group (Parish Hall)

3:15 – 5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate Students)

4:30 p.m. – Children’s Choir Rehearsal

5:00 p.m. – Centering Prayer (Guild Room)

6:00 p.m. – Gentle Yoga

7:00 p.m. – Senior Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 18, 2018

3:15 – 5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate Students)

Friday, January 19, 2018

9:00 a.m. - Healing Prayer Group (Home of Char Aslakson)

5:15 p.m. – Evening Prayer, St. Timothy’s Chapel

Saturday, January 20, 2018

Sunday, January 21, 2018

8:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:15 a.m. – Faith Formation, Rector’s Forum

10:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist, Rite II

12:30 p.m. – Daughters of the King meeting