



Welcome to
St. Mary's Episcopal Church

*Where Word and Sacrament come together
in celebration and service*

JESUS CHRIST, HEAD OF THE CHURCH

The Second Sunday after The Epiphany

Saturday, January 15, 5:00 PM

Sunday, January 16, 10:00 AM

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Safety Measures: As a result of the COVID-19 cases we have implemented the following guidelines until further notice: *Masking is highly encouraged and recommended in the church and PennyWise. Admittance to the church office and Parish Hall requires the wearing of masks.*

Gathering of The People

Prélude: *Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise* J. Bert Carlson

Opening Hymn **Songs of thankfulness and praise** *Salzburg*

1 Songs of thank-ful - ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to thee we raise,
2 Man - i - fest at Jor - dan's stream, Pro - phet, Priest, and King su - preme;
3 Man - i - fest in mak - ing whole pal - sied limbs and faint - ing soul;
4 Man - i - fest on moun - tain height, shin - ing in re - splen - dent light,
man - i - fest - ed by the star to the sa - ges from a - far;
and at Ca - na, wed - ding - guest, in thy God - head man - i - fest;
man - i - fest in val - iant fight, quell - ing all the dev - il's might;
where dis - ci - ples filled with awe thy trans - fi - gured glo - ry saw.
branch of roy - al Da - vid's stem in thy birth at Beth - le - hem;
man - i - fest in power di - vine, chang - ing wa - ter in - to wine;
man - i - fest in gra - cious will, ev - er bring - ing good from ill;
When from there thou led - dest them stead - fast to Je - ru - sa - lem,
an - thems be to thee ad - dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.
an - thems be to thee ad - dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.
an - thems be to thee ad - dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.
cross and Eas - ter Day at - test God in man made man - i - fest.

Words: Sts. 1-3, Christopher Wordsworth (1807-1885); st. 4, F. Bland Tucker (1895-1984)
Music: *Salzburg*, melody Jakob Hintze (1622-1702); harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

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Opening Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen**

Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid:
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly
love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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The Gloria

Glory to God *Gloria in excelsis*

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al -
might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we
praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ,
on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;
5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
ceive our prayer. 6. For
you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the
Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of
God the Fa - ther. A - - - men.

The Liturgy of the Word

Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

(Please be seated)

Isaiah 62:1-5

Lector: A reading from Isaiah

Isaiah 62:1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,
until her vindication shines out like the dawn,
and her salvation like a burning torch.

The nations shall see your vindication,
and all the kings your glory;
and you shall be called by a new name
that the mouth of the LORD will give.
You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD,
and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.
You shall no more be termed Forsaken,
and your land shall no more be termed Desolate;
but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her,
and your land Married;
for the LORD delights in you,
and your land shall be married.
For as a young man marries a young woman,
so shall your builder marry you,
and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,
so shall your God rejoice over you.

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

The Psalm



Psalm 36:5-10 (*all sing*)

- 5 Your love, O LORD, reaches to the/ heavens, *
and your faithfulness to the /clouds.
- 6 Your righteousness is like the strong mountains,
your justice like the great/ deep; *
you save both man and beast, O/ LORD.
- 7 How priceless is your love, O/ God! *
your people take refuge under the shadow of your/ wings.
- 8 They feast upon the abundance of your /house; *
you give them drink from the river of your de/lights.
- 9 For with you is the well of /life, *
and in your light we see /light.
- 10 Continue your loving-kindness to those who/ know you, *
and your favor to those who are true of /heart.

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Lector: A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit.

Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand)

Gospel Acclamation

Schola



Congregation



*Schola: God has called us through the Gospel
to possess the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

Congregation



Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John 2: 1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Homily (*Please be seated*)

Father Wright

The Nicene Creed *(Please stand)*

Celebrant: Let us affirm our faith as expressed in the Nicene Creed.

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.**

For us and for our salvation

**he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Prayers of the People.

Celebrant: As God's chosen and priestly people, let us pray for the needs of the church and the world, saying: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Lector:

We pray for the people of God, loved wholly by God and sent to be light in the world.
Lord, hear our prayer.

For leaders of nations, and for those who serve us in governments, that all people may work for peace and justice.

Lord, hear our prayer.

For all who are persecuted, shunned, neglected, or rejected because of prejudice, that they may find welcoming love in our community of faith.

Lord, hear our prayer.

For all married couples and their families, that they may share the joy and love of God for all.

Lord, hear our prayer.

For all members of our community, that we may recognize the gifts we have received from the Spirit and use them freely for the good of all.

Lord, hear our prayer.

For all members of the church community, including those on our prayer list: Carole, Sandie, Helen, John, Bill, Frank, and Deborah; the dying, the deceased especially Ray, and those who mourn.

Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Holy God, lover of the human family and helper of all in need, hear the prayers we offer in faith, and strengthen us in your love. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Prayer of Confession

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Absolution:

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

Peace *(Please stand)*

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Announcements *(Please be seated)*

During Holy Communion as the ushers guide from the front pews to the back, please observe social distancing. After you have received the host, return by the side aisle.

Liturgy of Communion

Offertory Anthem:

Cantate Domino

Giuseppe Ottavio Pitoni

At the presentation all stand and sing: **As those of old their first fruits brought**

Forest Green

Unison or harmony

1 As those of old their first fruits brought of vine - yard, flock, and
*2 A world in need now sum - mons us to la - bor, love, and
3 With grat - i - tude and hum - ble trust we bring our best to
field to God, the giv - er of all good, the
give; to make our life an of - fer - ing to
thee to serve thy cause and share thy love with
source of boun-teous yield; so we to - day our
God that all may live; the Church of Christ is
all hu - man - i - ty. O thou who gav - est
first fruits bring, the wealth of this good land, of
call - ing us to make the dream come true: a
us thy - self in Je - sus Christ thy Son, help
farm and mar - ket, shop and home, of mind, and heart, and hand.
world re-deemed by Christ-like love; all life in Christ made new.
us to give our - selves each day un - til life'swork is done.

Words: Frank von Christierson (b. 1900), alt.

Music: *Forest Green*, English melody; adapt. and harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

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The Eucharistic Prayer A

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.
People: *And also with you.*
Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.
People: *We lift them to the Lord.*
Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: *It is right to give him thanks and praise.*

The Celebrant continues:

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because of the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and People

Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and
might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. —

Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

Prayer of Consecration *(The people stand or kneel)*

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

**Christ has died.
Christ has risen.
Christ will come again.**

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

Great Amen



Setting: McNeil Robinson II (b. 1943)



The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,



Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men,

The Breaking of the Bread (*A period of silence is kept.*)

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast, Alleluia**

Agnus Dei:



Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you
take a - way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

Invitation

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Prayers of Spiritual Communion

Celebrant: For those who are unable to be present with us to partake of the Eucharist feast, we invite you to make your spiritual communion.

Communion of the Faithful

(For those present in church, Holy Communion will be administered in one kind only)

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion at this time.

1 The peo - ple who in dark-ness walked have seen a glo - rious light;
 2 To hail thy ris - ing, Sun of life, the ga - thering na - tions come,
 3 To us the prom - ised Child is born, to us the Son is given;
 4 His name shall be the Prince of Peace for ev - er - more a - dored,
 5 His power in - creas - ing still shall spread, his reign no end shall know;

1 on them broke forth the heav - en - ly dawn who dwelt in death and night.
 2 joy - ous as when the reap - ers bear their har - vest trea - sures home.
 3 him shall the tribes of earth o - bey, and all the hosts of heaven.
 4 the Won - der - ful, the Coun - sel - lor, the might - y God and Lord.
 5 jus - tice shall guard his throne a - bove, and peace a - bound be - low.

Words: John Morison (1749-1798), alt.; para. of Isaiah 9:2-7

Music: Dundee, melody *The Cl. Psalms of David*, 1615; harm. Thomas Ravenscroft (1592?-1635?), alt.

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Post Communion Prayer *(Please stand)*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Celebrant and People: Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Celebrant: And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you, and remain with you for ever . **Amen**

1 Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
 2 Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,
 3 To all life thou giv - est, to both great and small;
 4 Thou reign - est in glo - ry, thou rul - est in light,

in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,
 nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might;
 in all life thou liv - est, the true life of all;
 thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight;

most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
 thy jus - tice like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove
 we blos - som and flour - ish, like leaves on the tree,
 all laud we would ren - der: O help us to see

al - might - y, vic - tor - ious, thy great Name we praise.
 thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.
 then with - er and per - ish; but nought chan - geth thee.
 'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee.

Words: Walter Chalmers Smith (1824-1908), alt.

Music: *St. Denio*, Welsh hymn, from *Caniadau y Cyssegr*, 1839; adapt. John Roberts (1822-1877);
 harm. *The English Hymnal*, 1906, alt.

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Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of Spirit

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

The Rejoicing

George F. Handel

Please keep respectful silence if you exit the church before the postlude is finished.

OSL invites parishioners to join us at Prayer Stations following Dismissal after each service. Quiet prayer and anointing is available to all. Co-conveners: Joan Croteau and Cherrill Cregar

Saturday, 5 PM

Celebrant: The Rev'd. Ryan Wright
Acolyte: Joanna Wragg
Lector: Stephanie English
Ushers: Bob Peffer and Diana Jamieson

Sunday 10 AM

Celebrant: The Rev'd. Gail Tomei
Preacher: The Rev'd. Ryan Wright
Crucifer: JOYceana Rautio
Acolyte: Joanna Wragg
Torches: Joanna Wragg, Paul Greene
Lectors: Bruce Rydbeck, Cherith Rydbeck
Ushers: Sallie Bowie, Bill Bowie
Organist: Barbara Wischmeier

Altar Guild for this week: Barbara Phocas, Sandie Beihl, Michiko Fox, Judy Phillips

Special Intentions for the Prayers of the People

This week we pray: In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer Pray for The Diocese of San Joaquin, The Episcopal Church; The Church of England

Diocese of Southwest Florida — The Rt. Rev. Dabney T. Smith; Companion Diocese of the Dominican Republic; Companion Diocese of Georgia; Companion Diocese of South Carolina; Companion Diocese of Western Louisiana, Holy Spirit, Osprey; Holy Spirit, Safety Harbor; Church of the Nativity, Sarasota; Church of the Redeemer, Sarasota; Grace Church, Tampa; Clergy spouses and widows of the Diocese of Southwest Florida

- for our clergy especially Father Ryan on his institution January 20 at St. Mary's.
- For Anne Hartley on her ordination as deacon at St. Petersburg Cathedral on January 22.
- for firefighters especially for those who serve Bonita Springs.
- for those suffering due to severe winter weather.
- for the healing of all who have covid -19.
- that we may see and be thankful for God's blessing we have received
- for all volunteers their time, talents, and treasure to share God's love.
- for all who suffer because of their faith in Christ remembering Agnes Martyr of Rome 291-304 A.D.
- In thanksgiving for all the ministries of Saint Mary's.
- for those who suffer in mind, body, or spirit especially and those on the Pastoral Care list: Sandie, Carole, Helen, John, Frank, Deborah and Bill.
- For those departed, especially Ray Lucas, and those who grieve their loss.
- For all those serving in our Armed Forces especially: Barry Bassel, John Coffee, Patrick Cox, Brian Fuller, Brandon Hoekstra, Amos Kelley, Timothy Kull, Sean Lankford, Kevin Latimer, John Joseph Moore, Joseph Parini, Gabriel Parini, Erin Peterson, Scott Turner, Andrew Lankford and for all the chaplains on active deployment both at home and abroad.

The Power of Prayer [PoP] Team is ready to receive your prayer request for family, friends and loved ones. Please send your requests via email to powerofprayer@stmarysbonita.org to reach Yolanda Namoli for action

Notices for the week January 17, 2022 - January 23, 2022

Altar Flowers and Lady Chapel Flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her dear Aunt Catherine Scheidt by Carole Cline

Please note that coffee hour is currently on hiatus. We look forward to welcoming you again for coffee, light snacks and fellowship when coffee hour returns in the spring.

Book Club with Mother Bobbie Parini, Monday at 12:00 PM: *The Way of Forgiveness, Readings for A Peaceful Life*. It is a collection of inspiring stories that foster healing for those seeking peace. Please join us via Zoom by emailing Hugh Blair for an invite bhnb2242@gmail.com.

Prayer Shawl Ministry meets on the first and third Tuesday of the month at 10 am in the PLC. If you would like more information please contact Barbara Williams at 732-682-3646 or email her at bwilliams1413@gmail.com. The next meeting is Tuesday, January 18.

Prayer Shawls which have been blessed are available on request. If you are taking a prayer shawl please be sure to use the sign-up sheet which is in the first file drawer where they are located.

NOTICE OF THE 2022 ANNUAL MEETING OF St. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF BONITA SPRINGS, INC.

Notice of Hereby Given that the 2022 Annual Meeting of the Members of St. Mary's Episcopal Church of Bonita Springs, Inc., a Florida not-for-profit corporation (the "Parish"), will be held in the Parish Life Center of the Parish on Sunday, January 30, 2022 immediately following the 10:00 AM church service.

The purpose of the annual meeting shall be for the election of Vestry members, the presentation of various reports and any other business appropriate to the occasion.

Dated January 5, 2022

Rev'd. Ryan A. Wright, Rector
C. Robert Foltz, Senior Warden

The New Organ

It is with gratitude and thanks we are able to announce that contributions to the organ fund have cleared all costs associated with the purchase, transportation and installation of St. Mary's new organ. The response from members of the Parish reflects how blessed we are.

Need a Priest? Your clergy are here to serve; please do not hesitate to ask if you need help by calling St. Mary's Church 239-992-4343 or email churchoffice@stmarysbonita.org In an emergency after office hours, please call: **Father Faupel** at 859-552-3291 Messages are regularly checked on evenings and weekends

SPECIAL NEWS BULLETIN
WANTED FOR THE SEASON (and even other times):
YOUR TIME AND TALENT

St. Mary's Episcopal Church continues its Outreach Work because we have parishioners who lend a hand – rain or shine, during High Season and Non-Season. Because of growth in programs, the Church is seeking those special people who might enjoy spending some of their “winter in Florida” getting familiar with what happens behind the scenes at their Church. There are several options which may call to the heart, match particular talents and be ideal for an individual's available time.

HARVEST TIME MINISTRIES

This local non-profit is a long-standing Church partner which serves a migrant community from November through March with our volunteer assistance on designated weekends. Donations of food, clothing and personal items are packed on Friday mornings which takes about 1 hour starting at 9AM. On Saturday mornings from 9–noon, distribution to those in need is handled by volunteers.
Dates: Jan 21-22; Feb 4-5; Feb 18-19; Mar 4-5 and 18-19.
Contact: Barbara Howard 301-602-0125

MEALS OF HOPE

On Mondays (2PM-5PM), our campus hosts the rigs of this non-profit and volunteers hand out staples and fresh produce to Lee County residents who line up in cars and bikes to receive this free food.
Contact: Bobbi Bird (Meals of Hope) 239-537-7775
Nancy Vaughn (St. Mary's) 239-989-3389

PENNYWISE THRIFT SHOP

The Church operates this non-profit store which is staffed with volunteers throughout the year. All proceeds are given to the Church for Outreach Programs and special projects.
Contact: Pam Stamper 239-284-6341

NEW HORIZONS - SUPER KIDS CLUB

This Christian-based after school program is held from 3:30 – 5:00PM Mon-Thurs in the Parish Fellowship Hall. Volunteers help children (grades 1 – 5) with homework and reading assignments. Very flexible schedules.
Contact: Annette Leahy-Judkins 585-967-4182

SUPER READERS (children's lending library)

This new program needs help to set up a small library, within the Parish Church library, designed for the Super Kids Club students.
Contact: Annette Leahy-Judkins 585-967-4182

‘T WAS THE MONTH AFTER CHRISTMAS...

Decorations, wrappings, trees, goodies and greeting cards have all disappeared, but wait, there is more to share....Many thanks! Merci beaucoup! Muchas gracias! Vielen Dank!

St. Mary's Vestry and Outreach Commission are grateful to all who generously supported the 2021 *Kindness for Kids* program with donations and by taking a child's tag from our Christmas Giving Tree in the narthex. Because of your help, we were able to provide a gift bag, including an age-appropriate book, to nearly 90 children from 5 different non-profits supported by St. Mary's

Church. Outreach volunteers also shopped, and wrapped and then delivered these gifts of love to the children who ranged from newborns to 12 years old. Because of your personal generosity, each of their families also received a Walmart gift card to help with their food expenses.

“God bless us every one!”
(Tiny Tim, A Christmas Carol)



ECW Lunch Bunch

Thursday, January 27, 12:00 PM at the restaurant POACHED

2355 Vanderbilt Beach Road, Suite 156, Naples (In the Shoppes at Vanderbilt)

Please RSVP by Sunday, January 23, to Doris Bialowas at doriskialowas@comcast.net

Signup Sheet is in the narthex.

Weekday Holy Eucharist

Tuesdays: 5:30 PM Holy Eucharist Rite 2

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Wednesday: At noon Holy Eucharist Rite 2

Wednesdays: At noon (Healing HE is the first Wednesday of the month)

AA Meetings

Sunday: 6:30 PM AA Meeting

Tuesday: 8:00 PM AA Empathy Meeting

Thursday: 7:00 PM Florida Conference of Young People in AA (bi-weekly)

Saturday: 8:00 PM AA Group Meeting

<i>Monday (Martin Luther King Day)</i>		
Jan 17		Church Office is Open
	12:00 PM	Book Club (Zoom)
	5:00 PM	Evening Prayer
	7:00 PM	Healing Scriptures of Jesus (Zoom)
<i>Tuesday</i>		
Jan 18	9:30 AM	Christian Formation (Zoom)
	10:00 AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry
	11:00 AM	Induction Ceremony rehearsal
	2:00 PM	Executive Meeting
	5:30 PM	Holy Eucharist Rite II in the Chapel
	8:00 PM	AA Empathy Meeting
<i>Wednesday</i>		
Jan 19	10:30 AM	Bible Study (Zoom)
	12:00 PM	Holy Eucharist Rite II in the Chapel
	5:00PM	Evening Prayer
<i>Thursday</i>		
Jan 20	7:30 AM	Morning Prayer
	8:30 AM	Centering Prayer
	10:00 AM	OSL Business Meeting (Zoom)
	3:00PM	Bentley Bible Study
	4:00 PM	Institution and Induction of Rev'd. Wright
	7:00 PM	Florida Conference of Young People
<i>Friday</i>		
Jan 21	5:00 PM	Evening Prayer
<i>Saturday</i>		
Jan 22	5:00 PM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
	8:00 PM	AA Group Meeting
<i>Third Sunday after Epiphany</i>		
Jan 23	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite I
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist Rite II
	6:30 PM	AA Group Meeting