



PUT YOUR TRUST



IN THE LORD

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

BIRTHDAYS: Feb 21, Henry Parr; Feb 23, Dottie Bridgers; Feb 26, Clayton Watson

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Teresa & Bob Forbis, Barbara Jones, Abbey Hale, Frannie Smith, Marilyn Grivich, Mike Pharr, Graham Clayton, Yvonne, Juli Valley, Katie, Ryan, and The Sigler Family

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE ON OUR PRAYER LIST, REMEMBERING TODAY: OUR PASTORAL CARE TEAMS, ASHLEY STRANGE, T.I. DAVIS, NIKKI SKILES, BRIAN CLEMMER, STUART SKILES, JUNE MILLWOOD, BUTCH PORTER, DANA NELSON, ED, JAMES, KURT B., MARY STINNETT, KRISTIN DILL, BILL NICHOLS, BUCKY, PAUL HYDE, JOSH PARTLOW, JACK & GAIL BOBICZ, KIRBY, BOB LEE, CHRIS, THE HARRIS FAMILY, JUDY DUNLOP, and LORIE TURNER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OSL HEALING UNIVERSITY—THE LORDSHIP OF JESUS: Healing University will meet Thursday, Feb 24, at 6:00 PM in the parish hall. This week's lesson is "The Lordship of Jesus," taught by Barry Bennett. We say "Jesus is my Lord," but, in reality, are we living with other lords? What other things are ruling our lives? Thursday night we'll explore these questions. For more information, contact Jean Woods at 901-581-5233 or at jean@jwplanning.com.

PRE-LENTEN RETREAT: The retreat is this weekend, on Sunday, shortly after the end of the 10:30 service, and it will be led by Fr. Jeff. The theme is "Setting a Rule of Life." The goal is to help people make concrete plans for how they want to improve their personal level of "life function," with Lent serving as a time to make measurable commitments. Sessions will cover different areas such as the physical, prayer life, self-knowledge, relationships, church membership, discipleship, and evangelism. It will end by 3:30 or 4:00 PM. It's too late now to sign up for lunch, but please feel free to attend the sessions with Fr. Jeff.

COFFEE, CHATTING, AND FOLDING OF READING LEAFLETS: If you are available on Wednesday, Feb 23, at 1:00 PM, AND, if you would like to have some social connection time and coffee with other parishioners, please come join us in the parish hall to help fold Revised Common Lectionary reading inserts. The Church Publishing Group changed format for the weekend readings, and the leaflets for each weekend now have to be folded. It's a time-consuming process, so it would be great if parishioners could come help fold while having an opportunity to have coffee and chat with each other. We had a great time in December! We'd love to see you there!

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES: Ash Wednesday is Mar 2, and Saint Andrew's will have Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes at 6:30 AM, 12:00 PM, and 7:00 PM.

MEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY: The men's group is in the midst of a new video-based study of **John** with Gary Burge. (A trailer for the class can be viewed at <https://masterlectures.zondervanacademic.com/john-gary-m-burge>.) All men are invited to attend every Monday at 10:00 AM in the parish hall.

LADIES' TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY: The ladies' group is studying **Elijah** by Priscilla Shirer. They meet every Tuesday in the parish hall from 10:00–11:30 AM. They welcome new participants. Everyone is invited.

FR. JEFF'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Fr. Jeff's study on **Genesis** uses materials posted on Facebook and the church website (look under Worship/Reflections), with additional insights from the Church Fathers of the Christian faith. It is a slow-motion study, trying to honor the depth to be found therein. Study notes are provided on the church website for those who want to use them as a guide. Go to menu headings Parish Life/Adults/Adult Formation and you will find Bible Studies on the Adult Formation page. In the description of the Wednesday study is a link to the notes. They can also be found under Parish Life on the church's mobile app. Everyone is invited on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM in the parish hall.

FR. CHRISTIAN'S THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY: The Thursday group finished their latest study and will not meet on Feb 24. Beginning Mar 3, for the Lenten season, their study will explore what it means to die to self. They will use the book *Renovation of the Heart in Daily Practice* (by Dallas Willard & Jan Johnson) alongside other Christian writings to help dive deeper into the heart of God so that participants' own hearts may be renewed and transformed. They will use the mini personal retreat, like Jesus did regularly, to interact with God regarding inward transformation into Christlikeness. It will be like short experiments, in which one's daily spiritual journeys will flow guided by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Becoming disciples of Christ demands our total focus and determination so that we can learn Kingdom living in God's presence. Everyone is invited on Thursdays at 10:00 AM in the parish hall.

~ ALTAR FLOWERS ~

Given by Margaret & Glen Stewart to the glory of Almighty God
and in thanksgiving for their many blessings
and in honor of their anniversary



LORD, MAKE ME AN INSTRUMENT

words attrib. St. Francis of Assisi (1182–1226) and the Vedas,
music by Jonathan Willcocks (b. 1953)

Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace;
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is discord, may there be union;
where there is doubt, faith;
Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace.

Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace;
where there is despair, let there be hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, may there be joy!
Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace.
May we all be in peace, peace, and only peace,
and may that peace come unto each of us.

Daily Office, Year 2, Week of 7 Epiphany, Feb 20–26, BCP 949

Sun	AM Psalm 118 Prov. 1:20-33	PM Psalm 145 2 Cor. 5:11-21	Mark 10:35-45
Mon	AM Psalm 106:1-18 Prov. 3:11-20	PM Psalm 106:19-48 1 John 3:18—4:6	John 11:17-29
Tue	AM Psalm [120],121,122,123 Prov. 4:1-27	PM Psalm 124,125,126,[127] 1 John 4:7-21	John 11:30-44
Wed	AM Psalm 119:145-176 Prov. 6:1-19	PM Psalm 128,129,130 1 John 5:1-12	John 11:45-54
Thu	<i>Holy Day, St. Matthias, February 24, BCP 997</i>		
	AM Psalm 80 PM Psalm 33	1 Samuel 16:1-13 1 Samuel 12:1-5	1 John 2:18-25 Acts 20:17-35
Thu	AM Psalm 131,132,[133] Prov. 7:1-27	PM Psalm 134,135 1 John 5:13-21	John 11:55—12:8
Fri	AM Psalm 140,142 Prov. 8:1-21	PM Psalm 141, 143:1-12 Philemon 1-25	John 12:9-19
Sat	AM Psalm 137:1-9, 144 Prov. 8:22-36	PM Psalm 104 2 Tim. 1:1-14	John 12:20-26

EYC MISSION STATEMENT

Our goal as a youth group is to be an all-inclusive community of young believers who set an example for other Christians in speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity (1 Tim 4:12).

EYC ANNOUNCEMENTS

- EYC Bible Study meets in person on Wednesday nights from 6:00–7:00 in the basement. If you cannot come in person and want to Zoom in, ask Julie for the link.
- If you have any questions or you want to be added to the list to get texts about EYC events, get in touch with Julie at 901-240-6189.