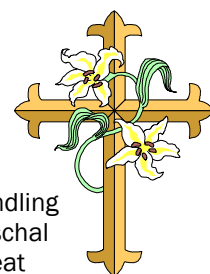


The Wheel

The Rites and Celebrations of Holy Week and Easter



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• A Way of the Cross for Children

We offer a special family Stations of the Cross on Tuesday, April 7, at 6:30 p.m. This is an interactive Stations designed to stimulate imaginations and help our children experience the walk through Holy Week. The characters in the drama of the Passion can inspire our own efforts to offer friendship, care and support to those in need. For children ages 7-12, this experience will help them understand what happened to Jesus, and encourage both children and parents to think about God's presence and action in their lives.

• Easter Communions

We invite you to let us know if you will not be able to be in church on Easter Day due to illness. The Church's tradition is to bring the communion of Sunday of the Resurrection to those unable to celebrate in the midst of the community of faith. Simply contact the office to let us know. We'll have one of our Lay Eucharistic Ministers call to arrange for Holy Communion in your home during the following week.

• Flowering of the Cross

We invite all children to bring cut flowers to the 8:45 AM Easter morning worship service. It is our custom to flower the cross in front of the sanctuary just as the glorious worship service begins. Be sure to bring flowers for each child and we always appreciate some extras for children who are visiting or simply forgot theirs in the rush of dressing in their Easter finery.

• The Great Vigil of Easter, April 11

Be sure to bring your favorite and loudest bells, one for each member of your family to this beautiful liturgy! The Great Vigil of

Easter begins with the kindling of fire from which the Paschal Candle is lighted. This great candle is a distinctive feature of the Easter liturgy, leading the procession into the darkened church. The Exultet is sung. This prayer is among the oldest liturgical texts. The Liturgy of the Word begins, we listen to the record of God's saving acts in history, the witness of His continuing presence among his people, as well as in his world. We respond to each reading and then pray, silently and then our prayers are gathered into a collect. The celebrant then calls us to renew our baptismal vows. Now at last into its final part, the Holy Eucharist. This special Easter greeting begins the Eucharist. Alleluia, Christ is risen! The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia. Here bells are rung. For the first time since the beginning of Lent a joyful song of praise is sung. The bells are rung to celebrate the great news of Christ's resurrection. The people celebrate the victory of their King who has triumphed over sin, death, and the powers of darkness. The light of Christ! We end the evening with a small and quiet reception, a foretaste of the joy and celebration the next day.

• Our Outdoor Stations

Our outdoor Stations of the Cross is complete with liturgies for your use, including a history of Stations of the Cross, description of our Stations and map, laminated and in a housing near Station Number 1 by the Church front doors. We invite you to use the Stations during Holy Week or any time as a way of enjoying our beautiful grounds.

Holy Week/Easter Schedule – page 4!

The people of St. Catherine's seek to share in the love that Jesus Christ has for us and the world by welcoming, accepting, nurturing, and serving all people through the power of the Holy Spirit.

We Welcome You!

Office Schedule

The church office will be closed Good Friday, April 10, and Easter Monday, April 13.

Ministry Focus: Pastoral Care

This month we celebrate the life and work of our Pastoral Care Ministry Team. To find out more about their activities please check the Opportunities for Ministry in your bulletin or contact convener Margaret Shaw.

Holy Baptism

Next date: Pentecost Sunday, May 31

Please check with the office for more information and to request the customary booklet about Holy Baptism.

Confession — Good for the Soul

Beginning on page 447 in our Book of Common Prayer, one can find two forms for The Reconciliation of a Penitent. These are forms of the sacramental rite commonly known as confession. While we don't talk too much about the sacrament of Reconciliation, confession is an important part of our spiritual practice.

Our spirituality is our relationship with God and, just as in our human relationships, there are many actions or inactions which might block our openness in that relationship. Our Lenten disciplines are intended to bring us into awareness of these actions. Where am I blocked in my relationship with God? Where am I resistant to a "full" and intimate relationship with God? As we move through Lent we may become aware of some action or inaction on our part that keeps us from a deeper understanding of God's desire for relationship

with us. This is the stuff of what we call *reconciliation*.

The word *reconciliation* means "to be brought back into harmony with" someone. As Christians we believe that the sacrifice of Good Friday brought the world back into harmony with its Creator and a new relationship is ours now in the glory of the redemption of that sacrifice.

Is there something in your life that keeps you out of harmony with God? Is there a "secret" that controls you or causes you to be resistant to a "full" and open relationship with your Creator? If so, consider the possibility of taking your burden to God and offering it through the sacrament of reconciliation.

Fr. Jim and Susan are always available for anyone seeking the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Kathy+

Prayers of the People

For the Sick

Sharon Parisi, Lillian Vu, Tom Carter, Agnes Floyd, Glenda King, Zanny Dillson, Joan Nixon, Hugh Wolfe, Mary Anne Chavala, Pia Johanson, Rosemary Henson, The Rev. Patty Roberts, Renita Mozley, Sandy, Christel Sandbrink, Helmut Sandbrink, Presley Shrader, Dottie Simmons, Anthony Scott Hobbs, Bill Krupp, Ann Bondi, The Sharpe Family, Richard Ewing, Jill Morich, Bill Mashburn, Connor Gwin, Betty Earley, Mike McCabe, Joe Burlas, John, Kay Jordan, Brooke Ryan, Arlene Brooks, Cathy, Mark Gross, Leila Ruff, Norma Alexander, Chris, Edward Markette, David Shannonhouse, Joyce Harmon, Jacob Morris, Kathy Kareken, Bob Pepper, Lorraine Brown, Alison Gale

Deceased

Elizabeth Loyd, friend of Pat & Bob Pepper; E.J. Caruthers, friend of the Olliffe family; Glen Ray Thomason, Lisa Spessard's cousin

Parish Cycle of Prayer

(4/19) Richard & Eleanore Pearson; Bob & Pat Pepper; Nancy Perkins; Bruce, Barbara & Justin Perry, Courtney Gardner; Rosemarie & Tyler Perry

Birthdays

(4/6) Olivia Grace Smith, Karla Smolen, Spencer Shushan, (4/7) Meg Ramsay Reeves, Grace Adams, (4/8) Tad Selby, (4/9) Lorraine Nichols, Lily Schuring, Audrey Grace Greene, (4/10) Mary Beth Sloss, Molly Frost, (4/11) Sue Schnorf, Jillian Dumke, (4/12) Kelley

Kilgore, Carson Heath, Emma Greene, (4/14) Shepard Worden, (4/15) Nathan Sluss, Justin Perry, Richard LaGardé, (4/16) Russell Sloss, Connor Buckalew, (4/18) Adam Scott, Olivia Lopez, Matthew Shannonhouse, (4/19) Nancy Ban

Transferred In

Stephanie Yucius from Grace Episcopal Church, Kilmarnock, VA

Special Prayers

Prayers for peace and stability for Libby and children and a job for Libby.

Blood Drive

**Easter Monday, April 13
2:30-7:30 PM**

Come to the Parish Hall this day to give the gift of life! The Red Cross will be here for our next drive. Thank you!



“A Man For All Seasons”

Cats On Wheels has a block of tickets for the Wednesday, April 8, matinee show (2:30pm) at Theater In The Square (Marietta). This classic play is a captivating and gripping recounting of Sir Thomas More's moral struggle to obey his conscience in defiance of King Henry VIII. Our own Harrison Long is part of the cast!

All are invited to join us, cost is \$18 each. Please sign up with your check on the Opportunities For Ministry in your bulletin, or contact Susan Johnson or Alan Certain.

Financial Freedom classes



Our new Financial Freedom Ministry invites you to put April 23 and May 5, both at 6:30 - 8:30 pm in the Parish Hall, on your calendar. On these two dates we will offer four hours of free classes to help families get started on the road of sound financial stewardship.

These classes are no charge, no RSVP needed, and are open to all in the community – please invite your family, friends, neighbors and everyone you know who might be interested! Consumer Credit Counseling Service (CCCS) of Atlanta will teach these courses and your attendance will be funded by a grant they have for non-profit organizations. The topics these two evenings will be:

- **April 23:** “Financial Success Starts Here” and “Recruit Your Family”
- **May 5:** “How Do I Get Out Of Debt” and “Where Do I Want To Be In 5 Years”

All about Counseling

Saturday, May 2



Ever wonder what happens when someone goes to a counselor? Ever tried to navigate the healthcare/counseling maze when you or someone else needs help? Ever wanted to help someone find a counselor but you didn't know how? In our St. Catherine's family we have many people who are licensed counselors who help people every day. Join us for a panel presentation by many of our own St. Catherine parishioners who work in the mental health or counseling field. Each of our presenters will give you a brief overview of what really happens in the first (and subsequent) counseling sessions. They each can provide a unique input into how people can be helped. There will be plenty of time and opportunity for questions (both public and written/private). This session is brought to you by our own Stephen Ministers at St. Catherine's.

Join us on May 2nd from 9:00am to 11:00am in the parish hall. We want to encourage everyone to take advantage of this unique opportunity.

Wine Tasting

April 18, 6 PM

The Young Families invite you to attend our 3rd annual wine tasting event on Saturday, April 18 at 6 PM at the home of Emily and Nelson Gale. We will be learning more about Italian wines and tasting several from different regions.

Cost is \$10 per person, and we need you to **please RSVP in advance by emailing Lisa Spessard at LNSPESSARD@Yahoo.com or Molly Banko at mdbanko@comcast.net by April 15.** Please also bring a heavy appetizer to share and your tasting glasses. All are welcome!

We hope to see you there!

Career Ministry continues

Mark your calendar for these programs:

- April 16 - Jim Browning — LinkedIn
- April 30 - John Marotto — Career Quest
- May 14 - Kelly Beard, Attorney — Employment Law

Please invite everyone—friends, neighbors, anyone interested. Programs are free, no RSVP needed. If you have any questions, or suggestions, please contact Jennifer Massey (jmmassey@att.blackberry.net) or Hans Kraeger (hans.kraeger@gmail.com). Special thanks to our St. Catherine's Career Ministry Team: Bill Holman, Tom Hunter, Hans Kraeger, Jennifer Massey, Bruce Perry, Margaret Shaw. To get on the email list for announcements about Career Ministry, send email addresses to Karen Manno, karen@stcatherines.org

This week at St. Catherine's

Monday, 4/6
Susan's Day Off
Cobb County Spring Break-all week

Tuesday, 4/7
 7:00AM Lenten Eucharist/Study
 10:00AM Morning Prayer
 10:30AM Staff Meeting
 12:15PM Renew vows @ Cathedral
 4:00PM Catechesis
 6:30PM Children's Stations of the Cross
 7:00PM Jubilate

Wednesday, 4/8
 9:30AM Bible Study
 2:30PM Seniors - Theater Outing
 7:30PM Eucharist & Healing Service

Thursday, 4/9
 11:00AM ESL
 11:00AM Egg Hunt Prep
 7:30PM Maundy Thursday Service
 9:30PM All Night Prayer Vigil

Friday, 4/10
Jim's Day Off
Office Closed
 9:00AM Morning Prayer
 12:00PM Stations of the Cross
 6:30PM Stations of the Cross
 7:30PM Proper Liturgy
 8:00PM A.A.
 9:00PM Monastic Supper

Saturday, 4/11
 8:30AM Jubilate Choir
 10:00AM Proper Liturgy
 10:00AM Easter Rehearsal
 7:30PM Easter Vigil with Baptism

Sunday, 4/12
Easter Sunday
 6:30AM Sunrise Service
 7:30AM Breakfast
 8:45AM Festive Family Eucharist
 10:00AM No Church School
 10:00AM Reception + Easter Egg Hunt
 11:15AM Festive Choral Eucharist
 12:45PM Reception

**Easter Preparations
 (cont'd from page 1)**

• **Monastic Dinner**
 We will gather after our April 10 Good Friday service for an adult monastic dinner in the Parish Hall immediately following the liturgy. It serves to break our Good Friday fast as we come together in silence and candlelight to enjoy fish stew, bread, and a little wine or other beverage. As the meal progresses it is always a delight to hear the room move from silence to a solemn joy as we anticipate the rest of the story of the death and resurrection of Christ. Look for the Opportunity for Ministry in your bulletin to sign up and join us.

• **Easter Receptions**
 Gala receptions will be held after the 8:45 and 11:15 services on Easter morning. We will need volunteers to provide finger foods and assist with set-up and clean-up for these events. Please indicate on the Opportunities for Ministry in your bulletin or contact the church office if you are able to help. Thanks so much!

• **Rites of Reconciliation**
 The clergy of St. Catherine's offer the opportunity for private confession (The Reconciliation of a Penitent) during Holy Week. During Lent we are called to a ministry of forgiveness. Holy Week is a great time to explore the areas in our own lives where forgiveness would be appropriate. Confessions are not restricted to times of sickness. They may be heard anytime and anywhere. This liturgy is found in our Book of Common Prayer, pages 446-452, if you are interested in exploring this sacrament. The Reconciliation of a Penitent is available for all who desire it. The Anglican tradition has always been that all people can avail themselves of this sacrament, some should, but none must. If you want to explore this sacrament including simply inquiring about it, please contact Father Jim or Father Sue for an appointment during Holy Week.

**Holy Week
 April 5-11**

Palm Sunday	7:30 am	HE (Holy Eucharist)
	8:45 am	Liturgy of the Palms + HE
	10:00 am	NO Church School
	11:15 am	Liturgy of the Palms + HE
Tuesday	7:00 am	HE + Brief Study
	10:00 am	Morning Prayer
	6:30 pm	Children's Stations of the Cross
Wednesday	7:30 pm	HE + Healing (Nursery)
Maundy Thursday	7:30 pm	Proper Liturgy (Nursery)
	8:45 pm	Stripping of the Altar
	9:00 pm	All-night Prayer Vigil
Good Friday	9:00 am	Morning Prayer
	12:00 pm	Stations of the Cross (outdoor)
	6:30 pm	Stations of the Cross (indoor)
	7:30 pm	Proper Liturgy (Nursery)
	9:00 pm	Monastic Supper
Holy Saturday	10:00 am	Proper Liturgy
	7:30 pm	Easter Vigil (Nursery)

Easter Day – April 12

6:30 am	Sunrise Service
7:30 am	Breakfast
8:45 am	Festive Family Eucharist
10:00 am	Reception and Easter Egg Hunt (No Church School)
11:15 am	Festive Choral Eucharist
12:45 pm	Reception



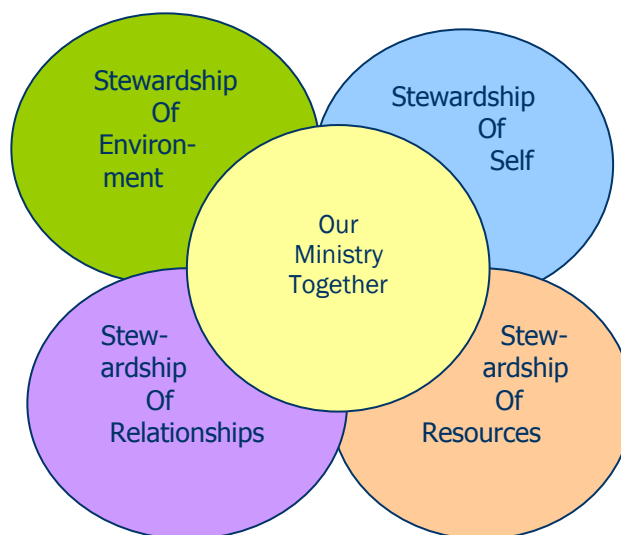
• **Prayer Vigil**
 Our custom is to keep Vigil with our Lord through the night from immediately following the Maundy Thursday (April 9) liturgy until Morning Prayer on Good Friday at 9:00 AM. The sign up poster is in the foyer. Please sign up for the time you desire even if others have already signed up. Please stop by and find a half-hour or hour period of time you can sit in prayer with Christ in his passion in the garden at Gethsemane. We will have security in the building through the night. Won't you spend one hour with your Lord?

Stewardship, a Year-round Journey

Stewardship is not here today and gone tomorrow, but stewardship is a journey. Stewardship is about life and in fact, is a way of life. At Saint Catherine's, we want to introduce year round stewardship. Our goal is to promote a year-round awareness and education to encourage church members to practice stewardship.

As we move through the year and the future, it will be more and more apparent how stewardship is a journey that includes all that we are and all that we do.

We are approaching this journey in four distinct seasons of stewardship: Self, Environment, Resources and Relationships. Our Ministry teams will be placed into one of the four distinct seasons. Even though this will happen, there will be a commonality that all areas share. This may be made more apparent when you view the diagrams (organizational chart, timeline and venn) from the presentation, that depicts how this distinctness and commonality is shared.



This is presented and explained more fully on the Saint Catherine's website (go to the stewardship area to view the presentation). The presentation has been made to both our conveners and to our Ministry teams as a way to understand that stewardship is all that we are, with all that we have and all that we do with the gifts God had provided to each of us. It is how our ministries relate to each other and how the gifts can apply to more than one area of stewardship.

The four seasons of stewardship tie in with our annual seasons. Self relates to the early part of the year through Easter. Environment relates to spring through summer. Resources begins towards the end of summer into late fall. Relationships begin in later fall through the holidays. This all will become clearer as this process unfolds and we are each allowed to share our God given gifts.

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold your gracious hand in all your works, that, rejoicing in your whole creation, they may honor you with their substance, and be faithful stewards of your bounty. — BCP 329

This week at St. Catherine's

Monday, 4/13

Susan's Day Off
Office Closed

2:30PM Blood Drive
6:30PM ESL
7:00PM Women's Bible Study
7:30PM B.S. Troop 713

Tuesday, 4/14

10:00AM Morning Prayer
10:30AM Staff Meeting
4:00PM Catechesis
6:30PM Cub Scouts
7:00PM Jubilate Choir
7:00PM Stewardship
7:30PM Fellowship

Wednesday, 4/15

9:30AM Bible Study
5:45PM WNL-Dinner
6:15PM Youth Choir
6:30PM WNL-Programs
7:30PM Adult Choir

Thursday, 4/16

7:30AM Executive Committee
11:00AM ESL
6:30PM EFM
7:00PM Men's Bible Study
7:00PM Career Ministry

Friday, 4/17

Jim's Day Off

17th-19th Happening Weekend
10:00AM Women's Bible Study
8:00PM A.A.

Saturday, 4/18

8:00AM Finance
9:00AM Level I Formation
9:00AM Coracle Group
5:30PM Young Families Wine Tasting

Sunday, 4/19

7:30AM Holy Eucharist
8:00AM Breakfast
8:45AM Family Holy Eucharist
10:00AM Church School
10:00AM Confirmation Class
10:00AM Episcopalian 101
11:15AM Choral Holy Eucharist
2:00PM Catechesis
2:00PM Harpers
5:00PM Youth Group
5:00PM Stephen Ministry

Glorious Flowers in Sacred Settings

A flower festival will be held at the Cathedral of St. Philip April 23rd and 24th. Internationally recognized floral instructor and author, Judith Blacklock will give two floral demonstrations and launch her new book, Church Flowers. Thirty churches and garden clubs will come together to decorate the Cathedral and Lanier House.

St. Catherine's own Flower Guild is participating in the festival designs! For schedule and registration information, visit stphilipscathedral.org/flowers.html or call 404-365-1007.

Adult Christian Education Focus Groups

The Adult Education Committee is having two focus groups beginning at 6:30pm on April 22 & April 29 to generate ideas for classes beginning in the Fall. Were you unable to find a class to attend? Then this is a great opportunity for you to help plan. Questions? Contact Susan Johnson in the church office.

Renew Your Romance

Rediscover the one you love on an Episcopal Marriage Encounter Weekend! Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones - and focus only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference an Episcopal Marriage Encounter weekend can make!

The next weekend is April 24-26. Registration is limited so a quick response is encouraged. For more information or to register, please contact: Ron & Connie Bergeron, 770-951-1411, atlantaeme@earthlink.net or go to: www.stcatherines.org/atlantaeme.



Cursillo Weekend

If you have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, but you seek a more integrated daily Christian experience, then you may find participation in Cursillo worthwhile. Those who feel led to participate often experience a closer, more meaningful, relationship with their Creator and others. The next Cursillo weekend will be April 23–26. Deadline for registration is April 10. The cost is \$150, scholarships are available. Check the website at www.aecc.us, contact Carla von Hoffmann at cvhbuggie@Aaol.com, 404.213.7408, or talk with Fr. Jim for information.

When is your special day?

The church bulletin and newsletter lists all known birthdays and anniversaries. If you would like to share this information please fill out the Opportunities for Ministry flyer in your bulletin or call the church office.

Need a Name Tag?

Would you like a name tag or have you lost yours? It's very helpful to all of us if you wear a name tag on Sundays.

Fill out the Opportunity for Ministry flyer in the bulletin or print your name on the pad available in the name tag kiosk or contact Rose Wolfe in the church office.

CONGREGATIONAL NURSES CORNER

Stroke Warning Signs

The American Stroke Association says these are the warning signs of stroke:

- Sudden numbness or weakness of the face, arm or leg, especially on one side of the body
- Sudden confusion, trouble speaking or understanding
- Sudden trouble seeing in one or both eyes
- Sudden trouble walking, dizziness, loss of balance or coordination
- Sudden, severe headache with no known cause

If you or someone with you has one or more of these signs, don't delay! Immediately call 9-1-1 or the emergency medical services (EMS) number so an ambulance (ideally with advanced life support) can be

sent for you. Also, check the time so you'll know when the first symptoms appeared. It's very important to take immediate action. If given within three hours of the start of symptoms, a clot-busting drug can reduce long-term disability for the most common type of stroke.



Dial 9-1-1 Fast — Heart attack and stroke are life-and-death emergencies — every second counts. If you see or have any of these listed symptoms, immediately call 9-1-1. Not all these signs occur in every heart attack or stroke. Sometimes they go away and return. If some occur, get help fast! Today heart attack and stroke victims can benefit from new medications and treatments unavailable to patients in years past. But to be effective, these drugs must be given relatively quickly after heart attack or stroke symptoms first appear.

Youth

- **Coffee House Rescheduled**

The Coffee House that was planned for Friday, March 27th has been rescheduled to Friday, May 8th from 7:30-10:00pm. Bring your musical instruments, poetry, jokes, or just yourself and join us for a Coffee House for all youth in Rite-13, J2A, and YA. Bring your friends and a dessert to share. We will have all kinds of flavored coffees as well as soft drinks. In addition to an "open mic" style evening we will also be practicing a few of the songs that we will be singing at Youth Sunday, on May 10th. If you want to help plan this event or if you are an adult and can help chaperone please contact Amelia at amelia@stcatherines.org.

- **Congratulations to Stephanie!**

Congratulations to Stephanie Burkholder for winning Miss Georgia National Teenager this past month. We are so proud of you!

- **Youth Sunday, May 10th 2009**

Youth Sunday is right around the corner. If you would like to participate please contact Amelia at amelia@stcatherines.org. The youth ministry committee will meet on April 7th to discuss details for Youth Sunday and during Church School on April 19th and 26th we will be having the youth sign up to participate.

- **Youth Mission Trip Summer 2009
Save the Date**

Save the Date for the Youth Mission Trip this summer, July 5-9, 2009. We will be going to Perry County, Alabama to work with an organization called the Rural Poverty Initiative. We will be doing projects in the community during the week and we will have activities at night based on our theme "Here I am, Lord, send me". Also we will be meeting up with the youth group from St. Augustine's Episcopal Church in New Orleans and we will work, worship, and play with them throughout the week. We will also have a guest musician for the week, Mike Peterson, who joined us two years ago at our Youth Retreat at Kanuga.

The cost of the trip is \$275 for the week and includes all meals and lodging. All youth in grades 7-12 and seniors who have graduated are welcome to join us! Save the Date, July 5-9, and stay tuned for more information and permission forms. Thanks!

Easter Egg Hunt

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt for young children will be on Easter Day, April 12, immediately after 8:45 service (approximately 10:00 am) under our Great Oak. We appreciate your donations of **empty plastic eggs and wrapped candy, by Friday, April 3 at the latest** (please make sure the candies contain NO peanuts or peanut products). Donations can be dropped off in the box outside of Amelia's office labeled "Easter Egg Donations."

Come to the **egg assembly party, Thursday, April 9 at 11:00 am** in the conference room. Drinks will be provided! If you would like to help put the eggs together please contact Amelia Arthur at amelia@stcatherines.org.

VBS Coming

St. Catherine's Vacation Bible School will be July 20 - 24 from 9:30am to 12:30pm. It is open to children who will be 4 years of age by 07/01/09 through rising 5th graders. Registration forms will be out in April. The cost is \$25 per child. We also welcome and appreciate the youth as volunteers during the week.

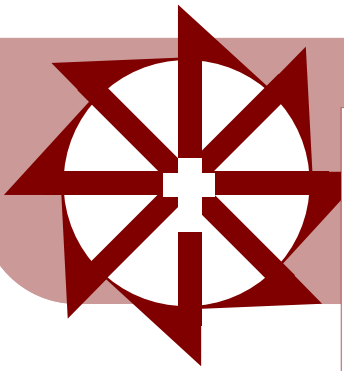
Our VBS will be raging and romping on the bayou with this year's Crocodile Dock theme. We welcome many volunteers during the week, please mark your calendars and email us if you want to be a part of this fun summer ministry. You could be a station leader for the week or volunteer for just a day. We hope to see you in the swamp this summer at St. Catherine's VBS. Emails can be directed to stcatsvbs@live.com.

Young Families & Young Adults!

We're updating our email list for those who want to be informed about activities coming up with our Young Families Ministry and our new Young Adult Ministry. If you are already signed up OR would like to be added, please sign up on the Opportunities For Ministry form in your bulletin or contact Lisa Spessard, InspessardATyahoo.com for Young Families and contact Amelia at amelia@stcatherines.org for Young Adults.

Get your *Wheel* online/by mail

The *Wheel* newsletter is published in 2 issues per month: one in print mailed to all parish members, and one in electronic form sent by email to all on our "Parish Announcements" news list. Also, all issues are posted on our website. If you would prefer to receive all your issues by email and NOT to receive a printed copy, please check the Opportunities For Ministry form in your bulletin or contact the church office (be sure to provide your current email address).



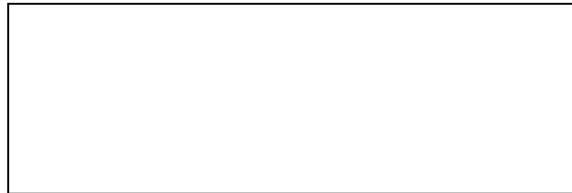
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Mark Your Calendars

- 4/5 Palm Sunday
- 4/7 Children's Stations of the Cross
- 4/8, 4/9, 4/10 Holy Wednesday, Maundy Thursday & Good Friday
- 4/11, 4/12 Easter Vigil & Easter Day
- 4/13 Blood Drive
- 4/18 ... YF Wine Tasting
- 4/28 Elizabeth Inn

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Rice Bowls Outreach

Ingathering April 12-17

Fact: There are nearly 144 million orphans world-wide.

Fact: Malnutrition plays a part in more than 1/2 all child deaths.

Fact: Nearly one in four people live on less than \$1 per day.

Fact: You and your family can help with CHANGE.

Help make a difference in the lives of millions of kids, made vulnerable by HIV/AIDS, poverty, and other circumstances. Please pick up a plastic "rice bowl" in the church foyer. Use it to collect your spare change to make a difference in the lives of these children. Filled bowls are due back to the church the week after Easter. Questions? For more information call Ash & Jenny Gale, 770.579.0657.



...Let us not Love with Words or Tongue but with Actions & in Truth...

" Exploring Our Creative Spirit "

Saturday, May 2

Several of St. Catherine' gifted artists will join together on Saturday, August 16 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in the Youth House to support, encourage, and massage the creative spirit which lives within you! Whether you fancy yourself as an artist or consider yourself hopelessly devoid of creativity, you will enjoy this time with **Mel Paris, Elizabeth Lopez, and Jason Snape**. Professional storyteller, **Ginny Accella** and spiritual director, **Kathy Holman** will begin the day with scripture and reflection. Participants will then choose clay, words, or paper and pencil to articulate their experience of the morning. Lunch will be served and our group will gather together to process our reflections and creations.

The day will be light, fun and wondrous. We look forward to *EXPLORING* with you. For more information contact Deacon Kathy.