

March 7, 2010 Announcements

Visitors Welcome!

Please see our guest table in the Narthex. Name tags are available.

Holy Eucharist Services and Formation Classes for Next Week - March 14th

8:00 am-Noon Nursery (infants - 3 year olds)

8:00 am Holy Eucharist II

8:45-9:20 am Lenten Breakfast - St. B's Café - Parish Hall

9:30-10:15 am

Vicar's Forum - North Building, Lowest Floor (N147)

Lectionary Discussion Group - North Building, Lowest Floor, (N143)

Contemplative Living Group-North Building, Lowest Floor (N144)

God's Seedlings -The Nurturing Center (infants - 3yrs), Top Floor

Growers (Pre-K, ages 3-5 yrs) S307*

Builders (K-2nd graders) S305*

Explorers (3rd-5th graders) S300*

**South Building, Top Floor*

Youth (6th-12th graders) - Youth Room, Parish Hall Level (S100)

10:30-11:00 am St. Scholastica Children's Chapel, Top Floor
(*children will rejoin their parents at the Presentation of the Offering*)

10:30 am Holy Eucharist II

Adult Formation

The Lenten Program continues Tuesday, March 9th. There will be a light dinner at 5:30 pm and the program begins at 6:15 pm. This week's topic is "Serve".

Our regular Adult offerings - The Vicars' Forum, The Lectionary Discussion Group and The Contemplative Living Group - will continue on Sundays.

Children Formation

Dates to Remember:

Intergenerational Parish Lenten Programs: March 9th, 16th and 23rd.

5:30 pm dinner, 6:15 program; **Lenten Retreat:** March 27th, 9 am - 12 pm

Palm Sunday: March 28th - No Formation Classes; Children's Chapel at 10:00 am

Easter Sunday: April 4th - Easter Egg Hunt at 9:30 am

Spirit Week Registration Due May 15th; **Spirit Week!** June 14th - 18th

Contact [Courtney Vaughn](#) with questions.

Youth Formation

Sunday Formation Class is open to all 6th - 12th graders. This year we will focus on "me" issues, "God" issues and "community and world" issues.

March topics include:

What is Temptation?

How to Identify Temptation

How to walk away from Temptation

Betrayal

Believing

EYC Upcoming Events:

March 21st - Movie - Alice in Wonderland
contact [Eve](#) to RSVP or for more information.



Mission and Outreach Opportunities



MUST Ministries: St. Benedict's staffs the food and clothing pantry at the Smyrna MUST location (460 Pat Mell Road) the **last Wednesday of every month, 6:00 - 8:00 pm.** If you can help, please contact [John Gotham](#) or [Carol Kirshner](#).

Don't forget to set your clocks **FORWARD** one hour next Saturday, March 13th. **Daylight Saving Time** begins at 2:00 am Sunday morning.



Parish Life



The Men's Group meets for breakfast on Fridays from 7:00 - 8:00 am at Houston's (Northside and West Paces Ferry). For more information, contact [Bo Keatley](#).

St. Benedict's Career Transition Ministry (CTM) meets the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month, 7:00 - 8:30 pm, in the Youth Room, Parish Hall level. The group is open to individuals in transition at any career stage: younger folks transitioning from school to jobs, mid-career folks between jobs, and later-career folks transitioning to part-time work, volunteer activities or retirement. The next meetings will be March 8th and March 22nd. If you are interested in joining in, please contact [Beth Nix](#).



Newcomers Reception and Mini-Ministry Fair March 21st. Newcomers to the Parish are invited to come to the Parish Hall March 21st, 4:00 - 6:00 pm to learn about St. B's and its ministries and meet its members while enjoying appetizers and refreshments. Childcare will be provided for infants - 3 year olds. Please RSVP to [Melissa and Todd Kaelin](#), our Membership Committee coordinators.

Diocesan Events

TODAY!! March 7th, 2:00 pm, a special concert to benefit ERD featuring choirs and soloists from St. Bartholomew's and St. Paul's Episcopal churches at St. Paul's, 306 Peyton Road, SW, Atlanta 30311. Freewill offering.

Music that Makes Community - Thursday, March 11th - Saturday, March 13th at St. Benedict's. For more information and to register, go to www.allsaintscompany.org.

New Young Adults Group for Episcopalians in the Northwest Atlanta area. Contact Sean Holder at 678-230-9214 or nwatlepiscolalya@gmail.com to learn more.

Community Activities

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) meetings are held at St. Benedict's on Thursday evenings 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Multipurpose Room. (Please enter the door at the Kitchen on the Atlanta Road side of the building.)

Brownie Troop #1872 (1st and 2nd graders) meets 6:00 - 7:30 pm on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at the Church in the upstairs classroom.



Prayer Request Forms, Membership Forms, &
2010 Pledge Forms
At www.mysaintb.org