THE STEEPLE

The Church of the Nativity

March 16, 2016

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Our Mission

God's family at the historic Church of the Nativity is joyfully and energetically committed to sharing Christ's love and healing by proclaiming the Good News of the Gospel through worship and service to the world.

HOLY WEEK 2016

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Beginning this Sunday with Palm Sunday, Holy Week draws us into the great mystery of God's love in Christ as we enter the paschal mystery. I encourage you to be immersed in the church's observance of God's saving acts which show the way Love delivers our salvation.

Many of our families with children are now in the season of spring break. No matter where you are, I hope you will find an Episcopal Church and show up on Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday and Good Friday (and I do hope you will all be home by Easter!). I remember my parents taking me to church as a child when we were on vacation...it obviously made a lasting impression and shaped my life! I hope you will give your children and yourself this gift.

Our observance of Holy Week is not, however, only about events that happened 2000 years ago. The Way of the Cross has significance for our life today. Our Bishops meeting together this week have important things to say to us about what happened that first Holy Week that must continue to shape our lives in Christ today in this divided world. It is unusual they come to a unanimous mind on matters of public policy, but the Spirit has led them to offer the Church these words. I share them in the prayerful hope that you will take them to heart, allowing God's love in Christ revealed in Holy Week and Easter shape your life and your decisions today.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY, EPISCOPAL

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Worship Schedule (* Nursery available)

The Holy Week schedule is on page 3

SUNDAY

7:45am Rite I Holy Eucharist (Bibb Chapel)

*8:45am Rite II Holy Eucharist Children's Chapel

*11:00am Rite II Holy Eucharist

WEDNESDAY

Noon
Holy Eucharist
& Healing
(Bibb Chapel)

THURSDAY

6:00pm Rite II Holy Eucharist (Bibb Chapel)

A Word to the Church from the House of Bishops this Holy Week

We reject the idolatrous notion that we can ensure the safety of some by sacrificing the hopes of others.

On Good Friday the ruling political forces of the day tortured and executed an innocent man. They sacrificed the weak and the blameless to protect their own status and power. On the third day Jesus was raised from the dead, revealing not only their injustice but also unmasking the lie that might makes right.

In a country still living under the shadow of the lynching tree, we are troubled by the violent forces being released by this season's political rhetoric. Americans are turning against their neighbors, particularly those on the margins of society. They seek to secure their own safety and security at the expense of others. There is legitimate reason to fear where this rhetoric and the actions arising from it might take us.

In this moment, we resemble God's children wandering in the wilderness. We, like they, are struggling to find our way. They turned from following God and worshiped a golden calf constructed from their own wealth. The current rhetoric is leading us to construct a modern false idol out of power and privilege. We reject the idolatrous notion that we can ensure the safety of some by sacrificing the hopes of others. No matter where we fall on the political spectrum, we must respect the dignity of every human being and we must seek the common good above all else.

We call for prayer for our country that a spirit of reconciliation will prevail and we will not betray our true selves.



Children's Corner Children's Sunday Formation



Holy Week and Easter for Children

March 20, <u>Palm Sunday</u>, 8.45 Service. Horse-led procession begins the service. No Sunday School.

March 24, <u>Maundy Thursday</u>, 6.00 pm Children's Agape Meal, meets in Ridley Hall. For children 5 years and older. Nursery available.

March 27, <u>Easter Sunday</u>, 8.45 service, Flowering of the Cross.

8:30am, children gather in Ridley Hall with flower decorated mite boxes (mite boxes available in Ridley Hall). They will process into church to fill the cross with their mite boxes.

Following the 8:45 service, Easter Egg hunt in courtyard. Remember your baskets! No Sunday School.

Important news about the Easter Egg hunt

The Easter Egg hunt in the courtyard begins after the 8.45 service. This year, the eggs will be **empty**. After collecting eggs, children may trade them for an Easter treat bag. Please explain this to your children! Children 4 years and younger will have their own hunt area. Golden eggs will have special prizes. Remember to bring Easter baskets!

Parish Weekend, April 22-24

This Train is Bound for Glory!
Sign up online, http://tinyurl.com/parishweekend2016

Vacation Bible School, July 12-14

CAMP NATIVITY.

Ready to volunteer? Email mcoe@nativity-hsv.org

Camp McDowell Summer Camp Registration

Registration is open for summer camp at Camp McDowell and Bethany Village for rising 1st through 12th graders. Click through to Camp McDowell to register.



Contact: Mary Coe mcoe@nativity-hsv.org

Wednesday, March 30, 5:30pm (Ridley Hall).



This month's program: Amy-Jill Levine Bible Study Primer

\$5.00 per person, \$20.00 family maximum.

Separate activities for children & youth

Nursery is available for little ones 4 and under

As always, dinner reservations appreciated but not required. Nursery reservations are required.

Contact: Church office (256.533.2455)

cgadomski@nativity-hsv.org







There's lots of room on this train for you...



The Nativity Parish
Weekend 2016
April 22-24
Camp McDowell

Register online:

tinyurl.com/parishweekend2016

Information also available in the Ridley Hall foyer



HOLY WEEK & THE TRIDUUM

Palm Sunday - March 20th

The Sunday of the Passion
7:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Bibb Chapel
*8:45 a.m. Parade of Palms and Holy Eucharist
The Service begins outside with a Jazz Band
and Beast of Burden leading the Parade
*11:00 a.m. Parade of Palms and Holy Eucharist (Incense)
The Service begins outside, in front of Bibb Chapel

Monday in Holy Week - March 21st

The Anointing of Jesus
Noon, Holy Eucharist, Bibb Chapel

Tuesday in Holy Week - March 22nd

The Refusal to Believe in Jesus Noon, Holy Eucharist, Bibb Chapel

Wednesday in Holy Week - March 23rd

Judas' Betrayal of Jesus Noon, Holy Eucharist, Bibb Chapel 6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross - Begins in the Church

Maundy Thursday - March 24th

Jesus the Servant

**6:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Mandatum (Foot Washing)
and Stripping of the Altar (Incense)
6:00 p.m. Children's Service and Agape Meal in Ridley Hall
Children join the Service at the Foot Washing
(All may participate in the Mandatum, but please come prepared)
8:00 – 11:00p.m. Prayer Vigil, Bibb Chapel

Good Friday - March 25th

The Crucifixion of Jesus 6:00 a.m. – Noon - Prayer Vigil, Bibb Chapel* Noon, Good Friday Liturgy

Holy Saturday - March 26th

Waiting for Jesus' Resurrection
7:30 p.m. Great Vigil of Easter with the Lighting of the
New Fire; Baptisms; Festal First Easter Eucharist (Incense)
Bring bells to ring in the Resurrection!

Easter Day - March 27th

The Risen Lord Gives Us New Life
7:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Bibb Chapel
*8:45 a.m. Festal Holy Eucharist and Flowering of Mite
Box Cross (Bring Mite Box & Flower to Ridley Hall)
Easter Egg Hunt for children to age 10
Begins after 8:45a.m. Service (Bring your basket)
*11:00 a.m. Festal Holy Eucharist (Incense)

Services are held in Church Nave unless noted

The Church office will be closed on Easter Monday, March 28

Wednesday Evening Lenten Series March 16

Rabbi Elizabeth Bahar Temple B'nai Sholom, Huntsville

Dinner (Reuben Casserole) ~ 5:30pm Programs for all ages ~ 6:00 p.m.

Nursery is available by reservation.

Reservations are required for the nursery & dinner: 256.533.2455

From the 2nd Ever Men's Retreat

In addition to the fellowship and enjoying the outdoors, a stained glass window frame that had been removed many years ago from the Church was installed in Nativity Lodge at Bethany Village as a retreat work project. The frame was donated back to the Church after it had been used as a table top, covered with glass





^{*} Nursery available

^{**}Nursery by reservation only to (256.533.2455)

Ushers wanted

Have you been looking for a way to serve the church, but don't have a lot of extra time, then Ushering is for you!

We are in need of ushers for both the 8:45 & 11:00 Sunday service. Each usher is assigned to a team; each team serves for two months during the year.

Please contact the church office if you are interested, and we will get you plugged in!

Mission Guild

Monday, March 21st. 10:00am, (Library)

Our speaker is Becky Cecil, Executive Coordinator, Hope Place. Our meeting is open to everyone so please join us to hear about this local non-profit charity.

Hostesses: Henrietta Boykin and Karen Scriven.

QUICK BITS



HAP for March

Items needed: Spaghetti sauce, noodles, fruit (canned), mixed vegetables, tuna, small canned hams.

Thanks for all your support!

HAP Sunday is April 3



The Fantastic Four is shaping up... http://www.lentmadness.org/about/

An offering from



10:00am Church School for all ages will not meet on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. The regular schedule resumes on Sunday, April 3rd.



Nativity Medical Outreach Mission to Haiti

April 30 -May 7

The Nativity Medical Team will be going to Haiti again this year from April 30 thru May 7. Like last year, we will be asking for your financial assistance to purchase vitamins, toothbrushes, and condoms, among other medical items.

We will have a table set up on Sundays in April where you can come "buy" items of your choice that you would like to donate. You may also send checks to the church office indicating that this is to go to the Haiti Medical Mission.

We thank you for your support as we go to Haiti to share God's love and medical care with the people of St. Simeone Parish in Haiti.



Daughters of the King is an order for women in the Episcopal Church. Members undertake a Rule of Life with a spiritual discipline of

daily prayer, service and evangelism.

The Nancy Lacy chapter at Nativity meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month to pray, study and work together for the spread of Christ's kingdom and in particular to support the mission and health of The Church of the Nativity and her clergy.

If you are interested in becoming of member of DOK or to learn more about us please contact our chapter president, Caffey Litkenhous at (256.883.2668).



Our sincere thanks to the 389 Nativity families who pledged to support our mission and ministry this year.

We are finalizing this year's campaign. Your pledge is very important!

You may click or tap the logo to go to Nativity's online pledge page

Nativity's Stewardship Ministry

Nativity Music Presents

Sunday, March 20, 5:00pm, Kevin Class will be presenting the second part of his concert of Mozart works. Presented by the Friends of Music at Nativity

On March 31st, Noon, Christian Crocker will be playing an organ recital on the AGO Thursdays at Noon Organ Recital Series. The program will be just under an hour, and will feature music of Bach, Langlais, and Howells.

For more information contact Christian Crocker at 256.533.2455 x 224 or ccrocker@nativity-hsv.org.



Heaven, Hope, and Hurricanes

Spring Gala to endow
The Community of St. Mary
Internship Program

Saturday, April 9^{th.} 6:00 - 9:00pm, at Cravens Hall in Sewanee

Call 931-598-0046 for reservations

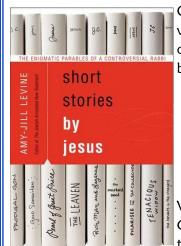
Enjoy a fun-filled evening with a reception of wine, hors d'oeuvres, and a silent auction, then progress to a delicious Cajun dinner buffet, followed by a fantastic musical performance by Louisiana's Brenda DeKeyser Lowry and Joshua "Bubba" Murrell,

Tickets: \$60 individual, \$100 couple

Table sponsorships available

Heaven, Hope, and Hurricanes mixes both traditions for a lively interpretation of Resurrection in the face of the hurricanes of life!

Book Corner



On April 17th, Amy-Jill Levine will speak at Nativity during our Church School on her book:

Short Stories by Jesus: The Enigmatic Parables of a Controversial Rabbi.

Click the image for online ordering options.

We are thrilled to have her!
Get her book and make plans
to attend!



Amy-Jill Levine - April 15, 16, & 17

In preparation for Dr. Levine's talks, there are several opportunities to become acquainted with what she has to say:

The after-supper program for this month's family spaghetti dinner will be an Amy-Jill Levine primer Bible study. Wednesday, March 30, 6:00pm (Ridley Hall)

A two-week Amy-Jill primer bible study course beginning Wednesday, April 6th, 5:30pm (Ridley Hall) Led by Fr. Rusty McCown

You may also check her out on YouTube. https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=wbE87SHRQ3A

Amy-Jill Levine from Vanderbilt University will be the guest of Church of Nativity, Temple B'nai Sholom, First Presbyterian Church, and Trinity United Methodist Church. Dr. Levine is the author of such books as *Jesus, The Misunderstood Jew*, and *Short Stories by Jesus -- Enigmatic Parables of a Controversial Rabbi*.

She is a lecturer for The Teaching Company, and has lectured for that concern on The Old Testament, and Great Figures of the New Testament.

Talks are open to the public without charge or reservation

To reserve a Friday dinner or Saturday lunch, please call (256.536.3354 x129). This is a shared phone number for all of the participating organizations.

Friday, April 15

5:30pm Dinner at The Cooper House of Central Presbyterian Church (\$20 per person charge, reservations required), followed by a Shabbat service at Temple B'nai Sholom during which Dr. Levine will address the general theme of how Jews and Christians use and read scripture differently. The service will be followed by Oneg, where dessert will be served.

Saturday, April 16 The Saturday lectures will be at Nativity.

9:30am "Jesus in his Jewish Context: Piety, Practice, Prayer and Politics"

11:00am "The Bible and Sexuality"

1:30pm "How Jews and Christians Speak about the Middle East Differently"

Lunch is available (\$12 per person charge, reservations required) but no charge for the talks.

Sunday, April 17

8:00am First Presbyterian Church, Dr. Levine will deliver the sermon, "Finding the Pearl of Great Price."

10:00am Dr Levine will lead adult Church School at Nativity, "How to Hear a Parable: The Laborers in the Vineyard."11:00am First Presbyterian Church, "Dangers on the Road to Jericho: The Good Samaritan in his Time and Ours."

Additional sponsorships to help underwrite the costs associated with bringing Dr. Levine to Huntsville are available. For those contributing a minimum of \$250.00, there will be a Saturday evening reception with Dr. Levine in a private home, allowing 2 to attend the reception, the Friday evening dinner, and have lunch on Saturday. Individual sponsorships allowing 1 to attend the reception, 1 Friday evening dinner, and 1 lunch on Saturday are available for a contribution of \$150.00.

Sponsorships may be made payable to **Temple B'nai Sholom** and mailed to: Temple B'nai Sholom re: Amy-Jill Levine 103 Lincoln Street NE Huntsville AL 35801

2016 EASTER FLOWER DEDICATION Easter dedications are \$20 each Please complete this form with your check made payable to: Nativity Flower Guild Please check the box next to the dedication you desire. Mailing address: Andrea Vandervoort, 434 Locust Ave. Huntsville AL 35801 All dedications read: Your Name as it is to be listed in the service leaflet To the glory of God and... (if you do not wish your name listed, please indicate) In loving memory of... In thanksgiving for... In celebration of... Phone #: Name for this dedication: PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION, If you have questions, you may call Andrea at 256.539.2673 THANK YOU The Dedication Deadline is March 18 To Everything a Season - something ends

Available De	dication Dates
May 8	September 25
June 12	October 9, 23
July 10	November 27
August 21, 28	December 4, 11, 18

and something new begins Spiritual Retreat April 15-17, 2016 Bethany Village at Camp McDowell Online registration & information at: bit.ly.com/dioala retreat

2016 ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION FORM

Please complete this form with your check (\$40 or \$20 for shared dedication	ons) made payable to: Nativity Flower Guile
Mailing address: Andrea Vandervoort, 434 Locust Ave. Huntsville AL 35	801
Date Desired	Please check the box next to
<u> </u>	the dedication you desire.
Your Name	All dedications read
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	in loving memory of
Would you share a dedication?	in thanksgiving for
Do you wish to have your name listed in the bulletin?	
I	in celebration of
Name for this altar flower dedication:	

ASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION, If you have questions, you may call Andrea at 256.539.2673

PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray for those whom prayers have been requested:

Leigh Wahl, Pete Fleming, Marion Schroeder, Nancy Colin Swenson, Martha Sue Hutchens, Becky Sodikoff, Gloria Hyatt, Nancy Chase, Warren Vann, Dell Crawford, Veali Holtcamp, Sara Welch, Bill Rogers, Kathy Jacob-House, Bob Ward, Bob Hale, Katherine White, Kingslea de Roode Merkel, Lorene Dilworth, Carla King, Elsie Olsen

We pray for the birth of a child:

Knox Francis Phillips, son of Macon & Emily Phillips, grandson of Mac & Barbara Phillips, born March 9th Anna Franklin Stroud, daughter of Heather & Justin Stroud, born March 15th

We pray for the departed:

Eleanor Forsyth Johnston, aunt of Helen Vaughn

Harden Wesley

Louise Rhett Orem, sister of Leslie Crosby

Flo Stockton

Hap Welch

Helen Jackson, mother-in-law of Chris Jackson

Eleanor Surrency, former parishioner

Pat Stone, mother of Nancy Crunkleton

We pray for those deployed/serving with the Military:

US Army, Guice Moore

US Navy, Kenneth Vandervoort

US Navy, Jesse Teal

We give thanks for birthdays of our children:

3/16	Sara Neal DePiano	3/16	Tim Curran	3/19	Edward Aboudonia	3/22	Travis McClendon
3/22	Lizzie Clute	3/22	Elizabeth Rainey	3/23	Anna Kane	3/23	John Kelly
3/24	Luke Allison	3/29	Robert McCoy	3/29	Colin Orr	3/31	Wyatt Donovan
4/1	Brayden Durnya	4/1	Alana Putt	4/2	Sidney Gunter	4/2	Karl Schneider
4/4	Maggie Jones	4/4	Nannette Aboudonia	4/5	Celeste Nelson		

Parish Financial Report - Period Ending 2/29/2016							
	CURRENT MONTH		BUDGET for PERIOD		ACTUAL YTD	E	SUDGET YTD
Pledges Received	120,674.29		107,500.00		243,413.62		215,000.00
Plate Other Revenues	7,434.30 4.528.25		7,083.33 9,790.01		14,916.15 5,767.46		14,166.70 19,579.90
TOTAL	132,636.84		124,373.34		264,097.23		248,746.60
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Theology, & Outreach Personnel	25,827.65 70,893.29		25,906.24 71,250.00		45,096.13 152,116.88		51,812.60 142,500.00
Other Expenses	25,295.75		27,170.83		49,760.36		54,341.70
TOTAL	122,016.69		124,327.07		246,973.37		248,654.30
NET \$	10,620.15	\$	46.27	\$	17,123.86	\$	92.30

Copies of financial records and vestry minutes are available in the church office for members to review. Please contact Beverly Franklin or Amy Baxter to set up a time to review these documents.

Vestry meetings are open to the congregation. Vestry meetings are the **third Tuesda**y of each month, beginning at 5:30pm in Joffrion Hall, 2nd Floor, East (J2E).

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7:45 am	McC		Ken Barnett	Ken Barnett	Ken Barnett
8:45 am	Anderson	McCown	Matt Farr, Lewie Bates, Shari Williams, Mike Ward	Lane Mickle	Shirley Hale
11:00 am	Anderson	McCown	Matt Farr, Jordan Cozby, Rob Cozby, Marilyn Lands	Martha Joffrion, Mickey Ellis	Sally Ann Culver
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Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	Ande	erson	Don Lambert		
			SUNDAY, April 10th; 3rd Sunday of Ea		
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8:45 am	McCown	Anderson	Matt Farr, Robert Dunn, Lane Mickle Bankston Creech		Clay Sherrill
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Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
12 noon	Ande	erson	Marilyn Lands		
			THURSDAY, April 14, HE		
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	McCri	ickard	TBD		
	1		SUNDAY, April 17; 4th Sunday of East	ster	
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM	Lector	Intercessor
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8:45 am	Anderson	McCrickard	Matt Farr, Pat Quirk, Margaret Bibb	Allen Daniels	Lee Hicklen
11:00 am	McCown	McCrickard	Matt Farr, Walter Thames, Gary Rasponi	Pamela Briggs, Ted Briggs	Adalene Bledsoe
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STEEPLE SCHEDULE

The Steeple is published the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month.

To submit events or articles, bring them to the church office or email:

gsommer@nativity-hsv.org

The deadline for the next issue is

Monday Noon, April 4th

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AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY

A member of the clergy is *always* on call. If you need assistance from a priest outside office hours, the priest on call will respond to your message.

The number to call In Case of an Emergency Only is 256.533.7007

All other calls should be directed to the main church phone 256.533.2455 and follow the prompts to leave a message for a priest to respond.

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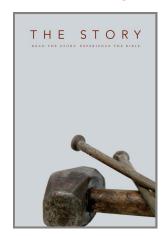


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