

THE STEEPLE

The Church of the Nativity

June 1, 2016

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.

Sabbatical Thoughts and Thanksgivings

I begin my Sabbatical this Friday, June 3, with a heart full of gratitude for all of you, especially that Nativity is a place of amazing faith and vitality in propelling God's mission in the world. We are spiritually alive and growing in our relationship with God through Christ's love and the Holy Spirit's invigorating presence. We trust and support each other; we work together generously sharing grace and life with others. Our unity is revealed through the rich diversity of our faithful people offering many gifts, leading to beautiful worship and vibrant ministry.

The focus of my Sabbatical is walking the ancient Christian pilgrimage path, the Camino de Santiago (the Way of St. James) in the north of Spain. Flying to Madrid June 13, I begin the traditional *camino frances* in St. Jean Pied de Port in France June 15. It's about 495 miles to Santiago. Our son Case will join me in Pamplona (only 440 miles to go!). Walking an average of 11-18 miles a day, we will stay in pilgrimage albergues most nights, with a few hotel rooms reserved to insure a good night's sleep and hot showers! Arriving in Santiago, the city of St. James, on July 19, Tippy meets us there. After seeing *Finisterre* (the end of the world where St. James visited) we will spend family vacation time in Portugal before returning to the states.

During this three month period (returning Rally Day, August 28), I will "disconnect" from parish life and ministry. The Wardens' Council, the clergy, and I have a detailed plan of parish administration, pastoral care and worship implementation in place. Although I will not be reachable through parish e-mails, my plans are to stay connected by sharing pictures and thoughts on the [Nativity Facebook page](#) (if not a member, sign up today!).

I am grateful for the excellent leadership of our vestry, wardens, clergy and staff. Our vestry is dynamic and working extremely well together, especially with the leadership of Sr. Warden Bill Starnes and Jr. Warden Allen Daniels. Bill is the "canonical" authority in the parish when the Rector is away and the Junior Warden and members of the Wardens' Council provide additional leadership and support in administrative matters.

Associate Rectors Rusty McCown and Bonnie McCrickard, assisted by our Priest Assoc. Basye Holland-Shuey will continue to provide the excellent pastoral and sacramental presence they offer week in and week out. Priest Assoc. Van Foreman is helping collegial friends, Steve Grumand at St. Matthew's and Susan Sloan at St. Stephen's while they are on Sabbaticals and he will return to assist in August. There will be no gaps in the care of souls this summer.

Our Administrative and Programming Staff at Nativity are gifted, hardworking, committed folks who do amazing things for our ministries. They all work hard, often putting in longer hours than they are paid. Everything will run as smoothly as it always does. We are blessed!

And I have confidence in each one of you who do so much for our parish life and ministry. When something needs doing, you just do it. I know you will continue to step in and step up as Christ's hands, feet and heart. I am so thankful for all! Please pray for me (especially my feet!) and know I am praying for you. Every step I will make is a prayer. And may this summer also be a time when you know God's refreshment, rest and renewal in new ways in your own life.

May we go into the summer in peace, holding fast to that which is good. Render to no one evil for evil. Strengthen the fainthearted, help the afflicted, support the weak. Honor all people. Love and serve the Lord rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. And the Blessing of God Almighty: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be among you now and always.

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CHURCH
OF THE
NATIVITY,
EPISCOPAL

Est. 1843

Worship Schedule (* Nursery available)

SUNDAY

8:00 Rite I

Holy Eucharist
(Bibb Chapel)

*10:00am Rite II

Holy Eucharist
Children's Chapel

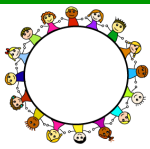
WEDNESDAY

Noon

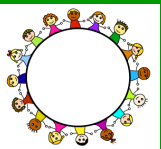
Holy Eucharist
& Healing
(Bibb Chapel)

THURSDAY

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



Children's Corner Children's Sunday Formation



Summer Children's Chapel

Come join us on the playground Sunday mornings! With the summer schedule, children's chapel moves outside. Our regular leaders will need some extra helpers this summer. No preparation is necessary and you will always have a partner. [Sign up here](#) or email Mary Coe.

Contact: Mary Coe mcoe@nativity-hsv.org

CAMP NATIVITY VBS July 12-14, 9 to 12

[Register today!](#)

CAMP NATIVITY VBS is just 6 weeks away!

We have a terrific program of camp songs, crafts, campfire stories and games. Your children will not want to miss this time of fellowship and fun.

Join us for the kick off/cookout Monday night,
July 11th, 5:30 to 6:30pm

CAMP NATIVITY is free to every camper age 3 through rising 6th grade, including your camp t-shirt and the Monday night cook out.



Adults and teens are invited, too.

Come be a cabin counselor or activity helper. Adults can volunteer during registration.

[Teens register to volunteer here.](#)

Can't wait to see you at CAMP NATIVITY in July!

[REGISTER HERE](#)



**Nativity hosts
Dining with Friends dinner
Friday, June 10th in Ridley Hall**

**For more information,
purchase tickets,
or sponsor a table,
contact Margaret Bibb-Quirk
margaretbibb@gmail.com**

Lemonade in the Shade



**Sunday morning
following the 10:00am service**

Participate by helping at the hospitality table - It's easy & fun! It's a great activity for the whole family.

To sign up, contact Terry Clevenger:
terry.clevenger@hotmail.com

Hosted by Nativity's Blue Apron Ministry

Outreach in Action



We delivered 100 beach towels
to Sawyer's -

Thank you for your donations!

Save the Date: Saturday July 23rd

The Outreach

Committee is partnering with St. Thomas for a 20,000 Meal Packaging Event from 10:00am until 2:00pm. There will

be two shifts. Watch for more details along with a pre-registration link coming soon.

All ages are welcome to participate.



"Taste and See" event

Sat., June 18, 2016, 10:30am - 1:30pm

You are invited to bring the entire family to the Sewanee campus.

Tours, a nature hike, and a family picnic are part of the day's offering.



We seek to build bridges between seminary students and the world in which they will serve in order to better facilitate the empowerment of parishes and their communities.

[Click or tap here for the online registration](#)

HAP Sunday is June 5



Items Needed

canned fruit,
any vegetables,
spaghetti sauce, spaghetti noodles,
1 lb bagged beans,
1 lb bagged rice,
canned meat (chicken, tuna, ham),
boxed cereal,
oatmeal,
peanut butter, jelly|

Thanks for all your support!

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JOIN US! June 10-12, 2016
DIOCESAN
HOMECOMING



Register at www.campmcdowell.com
Contact Georganne Perrine 205-358-9230 or
gperrine@dioala.org with questions



QUICK BITS

Reminder

You need a decal to park in our parking lot
at Eustis & Greene.
Decals are available from the Church office.

Baptisms

The next baptism date at Nativity will be Sunday July 10, 2016. Anyone wishing to have children baptized on that date should contact Mother Bonnie no later than Monday, June 20th

Contact: Mother Bonnie McCrickard
bmccrickard@nativity-hsv.org (256.533.2455 x207)

Sunday on Thursday 6:00pm, Bibb Chapel

Remember Sunday on Thursday if you find yourself unable to make it to church on Sunday morning. It's a service of Holy Eucharist every Thursday evening at 6:00pm in Bibb Chapel.

Come as you are!

Mission Guild Planning Meeting Monday, June 6th. 10:00am, (Library)

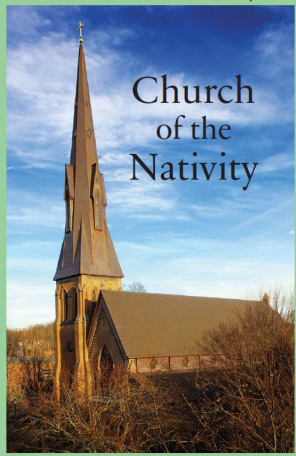
Members please make a strong effort to attend this important meeting.

Sawyer ville Day Camp Needs Arts & Crafts supplies!

Bring your old newspapers, magazines, and used clean jars (16 ounce or smaller) to the donation bin in Ridley Hall. Sawyer ville campers will use these materials to make candles and other crafts

2016 Green Book Updates - Last Chance

2015 Guide Book and Directory



208 Eustis Avenue, SE • Huntsville, AL 35801
(256) 533-2455 • nativity-hsv.org

We are completing our annual update of Nativity's Green Book. The Green Book is our member directory and guide to the ministries and yearly events.

Has your address, phone number, or email address changed in the last year?
Have you dropped your landline?

If so, please let us know so we can update our records.

We have extra copies available to check your information.

Directory update information:

Connie Gadomski (256.533.2455)

cgadomski@nativity-hsv.org

Extra Green Books and advertising information:

Glenn Sommer (256.533.2455)

gsommer@nativity-hsv.org

Upcoming Events at a Glance

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|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| Jun 5 | HAP Sunday | |
| | Nativity Choir Spring Concert | 5:00pm |
| Jun 5-11 | Youth Mission Trip ~ Tennessee | |
| Jun 9-12 | Cursillo #203 ~ Camp McDowell | |
| Jun 10 | Nativity's 'Dining with Friends' | |
| Jun 19 | Father's Day | |
| Jun 28 | Centering Prayer
Dinner & a Movie | 5:30pm |
| Jul 4 | Independence Day, Office Closed | |
| Jul 12-14 | Camp Nativity Vacation Bible School | 9:00am - Noon |



Nativity Choir Spring Concert

Featuring the "Messe Solennelle" of Louis Vierne

June 5th, 2016 5:00pm
Church of the Nativity

Christian Crocker, conductor
Nicholas Bergin, organist

Nativity Music Presents

Nativity Choir Spring Concert

Sunday, June 5th, 5:00pm (Church)

The choir will be singing music of Tye, Tallis, Duruflé, Brahms, Tsai, and Thomas.

We will be joined by organist Nicholas Bergin to sing the "Messe Solennelle" of Louis Vierne. Nick will also play two movements from Mendelssohn's Sonata IV in B flat major.

Come out and support the choir to end the season and kick off the summer!

Summer Choir begins July 3rd!

If you've wanted to sing in choir but can't commit to regular rehearsals during the year, Summer Choir is for you!

Rehearsals will be on Sunday mornings in the nave at 9:00am before the 10:00am service. We will rehearse the music for that particular service. Everyone is welcome to join to sing in Summer Choir

For more information contact Christian Crocker at 256.533.2455 x 216 ccrocker@nativity-hsv.org.

Centering Prayer, Pot-luck Dinner, and a Movie

Annual Summer series returns



Please join our Centering Prayer group for our annual summer of Centering Prayer, Dinner and a Movie. We meet in Ridley Hall at 5:30pm on the fourth Tuesday of the months of June, July and August. We begin with our Centering Prayer sit, then serve the food and begin watching the movie. After the movie, we have a brief discussion.

Please bring a dish to share and join us for an evening of spiritual connection and sharing. Our summer series this year:

June 28 - Ashes and Snow



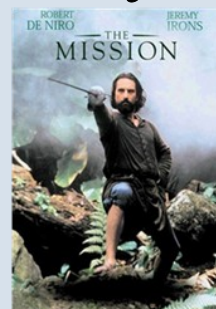
Using both still and movie cameras, this feature is a poetic narrative rather than a documentary to explore the extraordinary interactions between humans and animals.

July 26 - A River Runs Through It



Two fly-fishing brothers, (Craig Sheffer & Brad Pitt) struggle to mollify their Presbyterian preacher father's lofty moral, and fishing, standards.

August 23 - The Mission



An 18th century, Jesuit missionary establishes a church in the hostile jungles of Brazil, but finds his work converting the indige-nous Indians threatened by his superiors.

Please contact Brenda Chynoweth 256 464-9457 brendacc@knology.net with any questions

Cursillo: A special gift to yourself!

We've all heard that *'it's better to give than to receive.'* However, wouldn't it be great to give AND receive at the same time? Giving yourself the gift of a Cursillo weekend and joining the Cursillo community allows you to do just that!



Cursillo is a lay-led movement with the support of our clergy, including Bishops Sloan and Marray. All of Nativity's clergy have attended a Cursillo weekend and help the community thrive at our parish. Bishop Stough brought the Cursillo movement to Alabama in the late 70s and Nativity's Emile Joffrion was one of the architects of the movement in our Diocese. Over 37 years later, the Cursillo movement in Alabama is still going strong, celebrating its 200th weekend this past October.

Each Cursillo weekend consists of a series of talks by the lay and clergy staff as well as various fun activities at wonderful, wonderful Camp McDowell. Following the weekend, members of the Cursillo community gather in small groups in their parish for weekly reunion groups. Members of the community gather several times a year with other Cursillistas from Madison County and the Diocese for fellowship in a larger group setting.

Each Cursillo weekend consists of 30-40 pilgrims guided by a staff of about 25 laypersons and clergy from across the Diocese. Nativity is blessed to have a vibrant Cursillo community and will have several parishioners on staff during the remaining two Cursillo weekends this year. There are five Cursillo weekends held each year in Alabama with the dates of upcoming Cursillo weekends in 2016:

September 8-11 (with two staff members from Nativity)

October 6-9 (with six staff members from Nativity)

Registration forms are generally due six weeks before a Cursillo weekend, with the September deadline only about two months away. If you are interested in attending a Cursillo weekend this year, please contact David or Debbie Collette drc3898@knology.net to start the process.

Cursillo is a gift that you give yourself by making the time to ignite your spiritual life in the beauty of 'God's Backyard.' We hope that you will attend a Cursillo weekend this year and find out why nearly 8,000 Episcopalians in the Diocese of Alabama and hundreds at Nativity are part of this incredible community!

David and Debbie Collette

Nativity Parish Lay Rectors for Cursillo

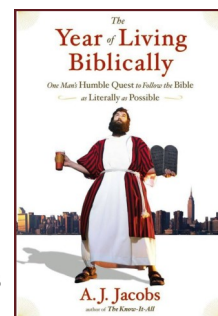
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What Are You Reading?

Submitted by: Liddy Malone

The Year of Living Biblically: One Man's Humble Quest to Follow the Bible as Literally as Possible

The Year of Living Biblically was assigned to my AP Language class after Christmas this year as a model for our then upcoming research projects. It was the perfect example of a research process in which someone uses not only books and websites to explore a topic, but dives in more completely.



In this book, author A.J. Jacobs takes on the huge task of trying to follow the Bible according to its literal and explicit teachings for an entire year. No rule, however small or metaphorical, is ignored. He wants to see if he is unaware of an essential part of the human experience, or if he made the right choice to be less religious.

As A.J. Jacobs was an agnostic writer with Jewish heritage, I was afraid *The Year of Living Biblically* would turn out to be cynical of religion. However, though it is a light and funny read, he truly becomes aware of the beauty of the teachings and rituals of all types of Christianity and Judaism. As I followed his journey, it was hard not to become more respectful, knowledgeable, and appreciative of different religions, including my own, alongside Jacobs. At the same time, it was perfect for making me question some of the laws of the Bible that I had not considered thoroughly. The reader is forced to dive right in with him.

Please let us know what you are reading by contacting:

maryjohnson2@knology.net or
lpmalonepi@gmail.com.

HABITAT HOUSE 2016

Dedication Ceremony

Please join us as we dedicate this year's home:

Saturday, June 4, 10:30am

2409 Garden Park

Huntsville, 35810

(Oakwood Ave & Blue Springs Rd)



Click the image for
a location map

Additional details are available
by contacting Bill Giardini
(256.698.5307)

STEWARDSHIP OF CREATION

THE CLEAN FIFTEEN

Last month we learned about “The Dirty Dozen (plus 2) List” telling us which fruits and vegetables have the highest pesticide loads and therefore should be on our “buy organically grown” list. This time, let’s take an additional look at the fruits and vegetables we feed our families and ourselves. Here is the recently released 2016 Environmental Working Group’s (EWG) list of produce in the U.S. that has the lowest levels of pesticides. This list is called “The Clean Fifteen.” Use this guide to decide which produce you can safely buy conventionally grown.

When possible, talk directly with farmers/growers, to find out the details on how their produce is grown. For example, while tomatoes are on “The Dirty Dozen” list, locally grown hydroponically raised tomatoes (available at the Greene Street Market) - while not technically “organically grown” - are raised without the use of pesticides. You can also find many other examples such as this.

Remember these two helpful lists to help make better choices when doing your grocery shopping.

Suggestion: take a picture with your cell phone of both the “Clean Fifteen List” and “The Dirty Dozen (plus 2) List” and bring it up whenever needed.

For more information about food along with other products and topics of importance to our health and well-being, see the Environmental Working Group (EWG) website. <http://www.ewg.org>

Note: A small amount of sweet corn, papaya and summer squash sold in the United States is produced from GE (genetically engineered) seed stock. Buy organic varieties of these crops if you want to avoid GE produce.

		<p>2015 EWG's Clean Fifteen (produce with the least pesticide residue)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - avocado - sweet corn - pineapple - cabbage - sweet peas (frzn) - onions - asparagus - mangoes - papaya - kiwi - eggplant - grapefruit - canteloupe - cauliflower - sweet potatoes <p>Images courtesy of EWG</p>
		
		
		
		
		<p>sustainablebabysteps.com</p>
		

CREATION - Let's Take Care of It
The Lord God took the man and put
him in the Garden of Eden
to work it and take care of it.

Genesis 2:5

2017 VESTRY NOMINATIONS

We want to hear from you!

The Vestry Nominations Committee is developing a slate of nominees for the upcoming year. According to the Nativity by-laws, the Vestry Nomination Committee submits a slate of proposed new Vestry members to the congregation for approval at the Annual Parish Meeting on November 13th.

You may recommend someone in the parish or submit your own name for consideration. Vestry membership requirements are set forth in the Nativity By-laws :

- confirmed member of Nativity
- regular in attendance,
- made or kept a pledge for at least the current year.

There are several ways to submit a nomination:

- Click or tap the nomination proposal for an electronic nomination form
- Drop boxes located on the Hospitality table in Ridley Hall and in the hallway by the Banister Room
- Mail your nomination proposal

The Church of the Nativity, Episcopal
Attn: Nominations Committee
208 Eustis Ave.
Huntsville, AL 35801

The Committee is composed of the sitting and three most recent Senior Wardens willing and able to serve, along with three members-at-large chosen by the six outgoing Vestry members; the Rector serves *ex officio* in a non-voting role:

Lou Durnya, Chair, Senior Warden 2014
LDurn@aol.com

Bill Starnes, Senior Warden, 2015 & 2016
abcstarnes@comcast.com

Rusty Stephenson, Senior Warden 2013
stephenson526@gmail.com

Pat Goodson, Senior Warden 2012
patgood@knology.net

Donna Joffrion, member-at-large
djoffrion@gmail.com

Elizabeth Foster, member-at-large
elizabethfoster1704@yahoo.com

Holly Ellis, member-at-large
hollyellis804@gmail.com

Andy Anderson, Rector, *ex officio*, non-voting
aanderson@nativity-hsv.org

The Committee welcomes your comments. Please contact any one of them about concerns or suggestions.

VESTRY NOMINATION PROPOSAL

<http://tinyurl.com/NativityVestry2017>

Candidate: _____

email: _____

Phone (personal): _____

Work: _____

What strengths would this person bring to the Vestry: _____

In what Parish activities has this person participated? _____

Have you discussed this with the person; if elected, would he/she agree to serve on the Nativity Vestry? _____

Your signature _____

Printed name _____

Date: _____

Thank you for your input on this candidate. The Nominations Committee meets regularly to consider all proposed nominees and to ensure representative leadership from the entire Parish.

Stephen Ministers Are There to Care

Are you going through a difficult time—emotionally, spiritually, or relationally? Are you lonely, experiencing a crisis, or simply stressed by everyday life? You don't have to suffer alone.



Our Stephen Ministers are trained caregivers, ready to listen, care for and encourage you, pray with and for you, and provide confidential one-to-one Christian care to help you through whatever it is that you are facing.

To find out more, contact Father Rusty McCown (256.533.2455) rmccown@nativity-hsv.org or visit the Stephen Ministry [page on our website](#).

PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray for those whom prayers have been requested:

Kim Tycer, David Reynolds, Betty Gerlach, Bob Adams, Claude Boykin, Anna Post, Martha Joffrion, Claire Johnston, Leigh Wahl, Warren Vann, Avery Tincher, Millie Byram, Jacob Brown, Becky Sodikoff, Marion Schroeder, Gloria Hyatt, Bill Rogers, Bob Ward, Bob Hale, Katherine White, Elsie Olsen

We pray for the birth of a child:

Elliot Drake Frost, son of Hampton & Marie Frost, grandson of Linda & John Frost, born May 12th in Houston, Texas.
Roman Vincent Reed, son of Camille & Gavin Reed; grandson of Lisa & Frank Caprio, born May 15th.

We pray for the departed:

Mari Zimmerman
James Lydon, brother of Tom Lydon
Linda Darwin

We pray for those attending Cursillo #203 on June 10 - 13:

Pilgrim: Laura Pierce
Music Staff: Mike Ward

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:

6/2	Prentiss Miller	6/2	Elise Roche	6/2	Jack Benton Stockton	6/3	Natalia Vela
6/4	John Gleason	6/4	Eleanor Gleason	6/4	Alexander Bounds	6/4	Andy Wells
6/10	Nyssa Henderson	6/12	Jack Copeland	6/12	Ella Jane Duncan	6/14	Abby Amis
6/14	Colton Boyce						



22 New BCP Prayer Books are needed for Nativity Lodge in Bethany Village at Camp McDowell

▶ **\$25 per book**

▶ *Return this card along with your check to:*

Prayer Books
c/o Church of the Nativity
208 Eustis Avenue SE
Huntsville, AL 35801

▶ **Checks made payable to:**
Church of the Nativity



Each Book of Common Prayer will have a bookplate placed on the inside cover with your personalized request:

Your Name: _____

In _____ honor, loving memory, thanksgiving, celebration (circle one)

of _____

given by _____

Open-air Market and Artisan Alley

Thursdays: 4:00 - 8:00pm

The Greene Street Market Store

Monday - Wednesday, Friday: 10:00am - 2:00pm

Thursday: 2:00 - 8:00pm



the
**Greene
Street
Market**
at Nativity

Acolyte Schedule - June 2016

Welcome to summer! As usual, we use far fewer acolytes during the summer months, due to the fact that only a Crucifer is required for the early service. So, several of you will not appear on this schedule at all. I will make sure you get on next month's service—we don't want anyone to get out of practice! Do continue to stop by the back hallway if you're at church, as we can often use a last minute sub. Have a safe and happy summer!

June 5 A/M Nutt

8:00

C Sam Hartley

10:00

C Forrest Webber, Bankston Creech

T Huston Moring, Laura Kamelchuk

T Britt Webber, Mary Maddox Creech

S Dylan Chenoweth

AS Riley Kamelchuk

June 12 A/M Sherrill

8:00

C Ireland Braudaway

10:00

C Steuart Evans, Powell Stockton

T Jed Rainey, Elizabeth Evans

T Sarah Whelden Hall, Betsy Bryant

S Katherine Hunter

AS Margaret Bryant

June 19 A/M Ward

8:00

C Tess Lambert

10:00

C David DiFranco, Leighton Luther

T Lucy Ellis, Thomas Aldag

T Madelyn Alison, Mary Ellis Alison

S Cameron Pinson

AS Park Ellis

June 26 A/M Nutt

8:00

C Karsten Correale

10:00

C Sims Windham, Allison Taylor

T Parker Sanders, Patrick Ahearn

T Ella Jane Duncan, Bailey Morrison

S Margaret Foster

AS Emery Windham

WORSHIP SCHEDULE June 2016, published 5/20/16; updated 5/31/16

WEDNESDAY, June 1, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
12 noon	Anderson		Cheryl Watts		
THURSDAY, June 2, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	McCown		Sally Ann Culver		
SUNDAY, June 5 , 3 rd Sunday after Pentecost					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM (McCrickard – out)	Lector	Intercessor
8:00 am	McCown		Don Lambert, Bob Serio	Bob Serio	Don Lambert
10:00 am	Holland-Shuey	McCown	Lane Mickle, Gary Rasponi, Ed Vaughn, Sally Ann Culver	Rhonwyn Watson, Sally Ann Culver	Joan East
WEDNESDAY, June 8, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
12 noon	Holland-Shuey		Joan East		
THURSDAY, June 9, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	McCown		Don Lambert		
SUNDAY, June 12; 4 th Sunday after Pentecost					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM (McCrickard – out)	Lector	Intercessor
8:00 am	McCown		Lee Hicklen, John Hendricks	John Hendricks	Lee Hicklen
10:00 am	McCown	McCown	Lea Ellison, Shari Williams, Rich Goodwin, Virginia Kobler	Fred Beck, Mary Johnson	Martha Bosworth
WEDNESDAY, June 15, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
12 noon	McCown		Lea Ann Barnett		
THURSDAY, June 16, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	Holland-Shuey		Ralph Shuey		
SUNDAY, June 19, 5 th Sunday after Pentecost					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM (McCown – out)	Lector	Intercessor
8:00 am	Holland-Shuey		Ralph Shuey, Pat Sampson	Lane Mickle	Lane Mickle
10:00 am	McCrickard	Holland-Shuey	Mike Ward, Robert Dunn, Margaret Bibb, Pat Quirk	Sandy Brown, Mike Brown	Shirley Hale
WEDNESDAY , June 22, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
12 noon	McCrickard		Mary Hendricks		
THURSDAY, June 23, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	McCrickard		NA		
SUNDAY, June 26; 6 th Sunday after Pentecost					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM (McCown – out)	Lector	Intercessor
8:00 am	McCrickard		Sue Johnson, Allen Daniels	Steve Johnson	Allen Daniels
10:00 am	Holland-Shuey	McCrickard	William Blackerby, Rich Spera, Deborah Baker, Peter Cobun	Buddy Moon, Stacy Moon	Rhonwyn Watson
WEDNESDAY, June 29, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
12 noon	Holland-Shuey		Cheryl Watts		
THURSDAY, June 30, HE					
Service	Celebrant	Preacher	LEM		
6:00 pm	McCrickard		NA		
USHERS					
8:00	Josh Kelly, Jeff Ellis, Tom Ford, Melissa Helton, Bill Joyner, Gripp Luther, Grant Thompson				
10:00	Buddy Moon, Pamela Briggs, Ted Briggs, Terry Clevenger, Kylan Laxson				
ALTAR GUILD					
4	Sue Johnson, Caffey Litkenhous, Nancy Colin, Beth Pugh				
11	Emily Moody, Sara Little, Anne Carter, Sophia Rowe				
18	Connie Stephenson, Rebecca Brothers, Mary Johnson, Judy Vann				
25	Lea Ann Barnett, Linda Watts, Jewell Reynolds, Wanda Cobb				
CLERGY ON CALL SCHEDULE					
May 30 – June 5		June 6 – 12		June 13 – 19	
McCown		Holland-Shuey		McCown/McCrickard	
June 20 – 26		June 27 – July 3			
McCrickard		McCrickard		McCrickard	

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:

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AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY

A member of the clergy is *always* on
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priest outside office hours, the priest
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The number to call *In Case of an
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All other calls should be directed to
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2016 ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION FORM

To dedicate Altar flowers, please complete this form and mail with
your check (\$40 or \$20 for shared dedications) made payable to
Nativity Flower Guild to: Andrea Vandervoort, 434 Locust Ave.
Huntsville, AL 35801. If you have questions, you may call Andrea
at (256) 539-2673.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION, THANK YOU.

Date desired: _____

Your Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Would you share a dedication? _____

Do you wish to have your name listed in the bulletin? _____

Please be specific - circle your desired dedication below:

All dedications read

“To the glory of God and...

in loving memory of...

in thanksgiving for...

in celebration of...

Name for this altar flower dedication: _____

Available Dedication

Dates

July 10

August 28

November 27

December

4, 11, 18

June 1, 2016