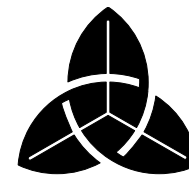


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Worship & Church School Schedule

SUNDAY

8:00am	Holy Eucharist, Rite I	Church
9:15am	Education Hour	
	Infants/Toddlers	Room 119
	3yo - Kindergarten	Room 120
	1st - 2nd Grade	Room 211
	3rd - 5th Grade	Room 210
	Adults	See Brochure
10:30am	Holy Eucharist, Rite II	Church
	Infants/Toddlers	Room 119
	3yo - Kindergarten	Room 120
	1st Grade and up	Children's Chapel
	(Children led from Sanctuary)	
12:00pm	Youth Group	
	Education	See Brochure
	Fellowship	until 2:00pm
6:00pm	Holy Eucharist, Rite I I	Church

WEDNESDAY

11:00am	Rector's Bible Study	Library
12:15pm	Healing Service	Stringfellow Chapel
6:30pm	Wednesday Programs	See Brochure
	For Adults, Children & Youth	

PROGRAM STAFF

The Rev. Louanne Loch, Rector
The Rev. Ron Owen, Associate Rector
The Rev. Jeremy Hole, Associate Priest

Dr. John T. Lowe, Director of Music

Kristen Bryant, Director of Children's and Youth Ministries

Cursillo is a three day retreat which brings together a diverse group to share the richness of worship and broaden one's appreciation for our Church. Lay people conduct the weekend with two or three clergy members functioning as spiritual advisors. Cursillo strives to enrich and deepen your faith and to foster ministry among lay people. For more information you can visit the national website: www.episcopalcurso.org and to learn about Cursillo in this area please contact Janice Hamilton at: pohmom970@gmail.com.

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ADULT SPIRITUAL FORMATION



Charged with enriching the spiritual life of our parish and developing programs that help members experience joyful relationships with God and the church community. This committee is focused primarily on supporting prayer activities outside of the regular Sunday worship services. This includes providing resources for developing personal prayer practices as well as providing opportunities for gathering as a prayer community. For more information contact: Christina Ford, 352.225.3648, tapsy@hotmail.com or Ann Case, 352-373-706, acase3@cox.net

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 23 - 27, 2012

VBS is a week long event for children aged 3 years -5th grade including not only those who attend our church, but invited guests of parishioners and even community members, as well. The week is organized around a theme and utilizes a rotation model to enable the children to have opportunities to learn in various different settings and in different ways. The main part of the program is the morning segment with an aftercare available for those needing childcare in the afternoon. This is a wonderful chance for adults to spend a week doing something "out of the ordinary" with the parish children, and a chance for the youth to volunteer as well. There are also multiple opportunities to volunteer in a "behind the scenes capacity." For more on this year's VBS theme please refer to the parish newsletters beginning in January 2012.

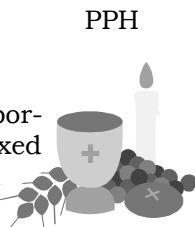


IV. OTHER OFFERINGS

FAMILY SERVICE

First Sunday of the month at 10:30

This alternate service, with Eucharist, is a wonderful opportunity for the whole family to worship together in a relaxed atmosphere. Children of all ages are welcome to join their parents in the Parish Hall and pray together, sing together, feast together and offer up their thanks and blessings. This year's services will continue to offer strong roles for the children and lots of great surprises! Family Fellowship follows each service, with a chance to get to know the members of your church family who are walking the same walk "right where you are!" This year's dates are: September 4, October 2, November 6, December 4, will not be held in January (due to New Years), February 5, March 4, April 1, May 6, June 3, July 1 and August 5.



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BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW

LRR

This international men's organization has been active in promoting fellowship, service, and worship for men since the 1800's. Holy Trinity became the 7th church in Florida to have a Chapter of the Brotherhood. Many projects will be considered for the Brotherhood to be involved in. Meetings are the first Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Lillycrop Reception Room. Meetings feature devotion, fellowship, and service to the Church and Gainesville. Annually, the Brotherhood of St. Andrew hosts the well attended and enjoyable Oktoberfest, and those interested in helping put this great event together can simply find out more by attending the monthly meetings as they are able. For more information, please contact Doug Johnson, President.

V. CONFERENCES AND RETREATS

SPIRITUAL RETREATS AT CAMP WEED



Camp Weed is our Diocesan camp located outside of Live Oak an hour north of Gainesville. During the Summer it provides the children and youth of our Diocese with an excellent Christian camp experience. During the remainder of the year it hosts spiritual retreat weekends for children, youth and adults. Please see your Youth Leaders for information on Breakout, Be the Church, Megamorphosis, Happening, and other youth events.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND ADULTS

I. CHILDREN'S EDUCATION PROGRAM

INFANTS AND TODDLERS

Room 119

Led by Kat Gallagher & Amanda Ciuffetelli

Sundays, 9:15 Education Hour through end of 10:30 services

These children will be tenderly cared for so that their parents may attend adult education classes. Cribs are available for napping infants. Registration forms must be filled out for **each** child. Toddlers receive age appropriate lessons from David C. Cook's *Starting Steps*, which emphasize Jesus' love for them, and incorporate arts and crafts activities. For those children staying through the 10:30 service, please feel welcome to come get your child to join your family at the altar for a blessing or Communion. Many families do so just as Communion is beginning.

PREK THROUGH KINDERGARTEN

9:15 - Room 201

Age 3 by September 1st through end of K year

10:30 - Room 120

Led by Margaret Cauthon and Jennifer Kuntz

Sundays, 9:15 Education Hour through end of 10:30 services



Godly Play will be offered at 9:15. Children will gather in Room 120 then process upstairs to Room 201 (their Sacred Space) for Godly Play stories. Godly Play teaches children the art of using Christian language - parable, sacred story, silence and liturgical action - helping them become more fully aware of the mystery of God's presence in their lives. Participants are encouraged to make meaning for themselves by inviting them into stories and providing the opportunity for them to connect the stories with their personal experience. Godly Play is a way of preparing children to join in the worship and life of their congregations as they develop a deeper understanding of stories, symbols and rites.

Living the Good News will be offered at 10:30 back in Room

120. Here, we will have a snack, bible study, singing, arts and crafts, and play activities. The lectionary based curriculum is creative, varied and can be applied at home. Children will participate in both segments, and then are encouraged to join your family at the altar for a blessing or Communion. Feel free to pick-up your child as Communion is beginning.



FIRST & SECOND GRADES

Led by Dee Dugger and Terri McKinney
Sundays, 9:15 Education Hour

Room 211

This group of children will utilize the curriculum *Living the Good News* to delve into Biblical stories and bring the weekly readings alive. Children in this age group are full of questions, answers and more questions! A choice of games, group play, arts, prayer and song will enable these children to explore Scripture and challenge themselves to find the answers they most seek while growing and developing their relationship with God. "Let the children come to me." Matthew 19:14

PREK - SECOND GRADES

Led by Shanelle Woods and Kristen Bryant
Wednesdays, 4:45pm

Room 203

Singing with the Spirit: children will learn traditional and contemporary children's hymns while being introduced to beginning music theory. The combination of worship and learning with art and activities is sure to get children's toes tapping and voices singing out in praise.



THIRD, FOURTH & FIFTH GRADES

Led by Wendy Dever and Belinda Stewart
Sundays, 9:15 Education Hour

Room 210



This class will follow the Episcopalian Liturgical Calendar allowing children to study what the congregation is learning in church. The class is Bible based and child centered, allowing participants to have opportunities to know what will be studied and how they might like to study the material. Learning choices will be offered that fit each child's learning styles and interests. Fun will be had by all, and learning will happen naturally.

PREK THROUGH ELEMENTARY GRADES

Led by Kristen Bryant and Jill Dumas
Wednesdays, 6:30pm

Room 211

This group of children will utilize the curriculum 252 Basics. It uses Bible stories and dramatic play to teach core virtues. And to make it easy to understand, each principle is supported by a weekly Bottom Line—a short phrase so easy to remember that it can be reinforced at home throughout the week. When participants transition to middle school, they will hopefully have experienced and own three basic truths modeled by Jesus in Luke 2:52 (light bulb moment—now you know what the 252 means):

- I need to make the wise choice.
- I can trust God no matter what.
- I should treat others the way I want to be treated.

Wednesday Night Programs, 6:30pm Starting September 7, 2011

The Rev. Loch, Henderson and Hole will lead a class on the topics of Islam and its beliefs and Christianity and our beliefs. The class will either meet in the parish hall or the library depending on the number of students.

BIBLE STUDY

Led by Rev. Bill Yaeger
Join Rev. Bill Yaeger, a church leader at First United Methodist Church, in a traditional bible study.

Conference Room

ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASS

Led by Rev. Ron Owen
The Rev. Ron Owen will teach a 5 week confirmation class in preparation for Bishop Howard's visitation on October 23rd. This class is especially appropriate for those in the choir who cannot attend the rector's confirmation class on Sunday mornings and for those who need to make up a class.

Room 204

HOLY TRINITY YOGA,

Yoga asanas have been traditionally used for centuries to help calm the body, mind, and spirit in preparation for meditation. Join us on September 7th, beginning in the church nave, as we practice asanas (yoga poses) to condition our bodies, calm our minds, and prepare us for prayer and meditation. Following practice in the church nave, the Stringfellow Chapel will be open for those who want to continue prayer in their mindful state.

Church Nave

Wear comfortable clothing you can move freely in, that won't ride up while stretching, and bring a yoga mat or yoga traction gloves and socks, a towel or blanket for support, and of course, water. For more information, call Kate McEachnie (630-306-6638) or the Holy Trinity Parish office, 352-372-4721.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST IN COMMUNITY

In January, we will offer a program called Disciples of Christ in Community or DOCC. It is both a comprehensive Christian Education opportunity (teaching about many aspects of the faith), and an intense small-group experience, which work to build community. DOCC (pronounced 'Dock') is a dynamic Christian adult education course, which offers a step-by-step journey into the heart and soul of Christianity. It covers the essential foundations of our Christian faith, and examines themes including "Community," "Becoming Church," "Sacred Listening," "Love," and "How We Are Changed by Christ's Example." More details will be forthcoming shortly.

CONFIRMATION/INQUIRERS CLASS

Stringfellow Chapel

Led by The Rev. Louanne Loch

Bishop John Howard will be coming to Holy Trinity Church on October, 23, 2011, for parish visitation, confirmation, and reception. If you are an adult and wish to be received or confirmed into the Episcopal Church this year, please contact the parish office as soon as possible, 372-4721 or e-mail the Rev. Louanne Loch at: louloch424@hotmail.com

There will be 6 classes in all. Confirmation is for those who have been baptized but not yet confirmed by a bishop in the Episcopal, Lutheran, or Roman Catholic Church. For those who have been confirmed in the Lutheran or Roman Catholic Church, the process of being welcomed into the Episcopal Church is known as Reception.

KUELL HINSON INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY

Conference Room

Led by Kathy Navajas and Lanier Harper-Dickson

September 11th will resonate forever with violence done in the name of religious extremism. But this year on September 11th, Holy Trinity takes up our own sacred texts to wrestle with the voices that shout and whisper from those pages, the voices that plead, praise, promise, debate and question. The Lectionary Class will meet each Sunday at 9:15 in conference room 124 to study the Bible readings appointed for the day. Lanier Harper-Dickson and Kathy Navajas invite you to join us every Sunday or any Sunday as we work to discern what God is doing in those texts and what it means for us today.

THE RECTOR'S BIBLE STUDY

Library

Led by The Rev. Louanne Loch

The Rector's Bible Study will meet Wednesdays at 11:00 AM in the Library beginning on Wednesday, September 7th. Please come casual and bring a sack lunch if you wish. All are welcome to come to one or all of the sessions as each class is self-contained. Please feel free to bring a guest!

EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY

Lilicrop Room

Led by Christina Ford and Jean Reid

EFM meets weekly for about 3 hours at a time for 36 weeks. It is a four year curriculum covering Old Testament, New Testament, Church History and Theology, however, you only need to commit to a year at a time. The curriculum involves reading, discussion and theological reflection. Please contact Christina Ford if you are interested at 225-3648.

SOLEMN COMMUNION

Room 211

Led by Debra Stinson and Dee Dugger
Sundays, 9:15 Education Hour

Solemn Communion classes for second and third graders (older children can also be accommodated) will begin January 29, 2012. It is a seven week program that takes place during the Education Hour, 9:15 AM - 10:15 AM, extending through to the end of Children's Chapel. Each week during the class and in Chapel, we will focus our study and meditations on two questions: *Who is Jesus?* and *What is the Holy Eucharist?* Children must be baptized in order to participate (last Baptism prior to this date is January 8, 2012). Prior registration is necessary because of limited space and there is a \$25.00 registration fee (scholarships are available). Registration letters will be mailed in January to all eligible children.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL

Room 203

FIRST GRADE AND ABOVE

Led by Kristen Bryant and Clergy



Children will begin the 10:30 service with their parents and will be led from the sanctuary before the first reading. They will rejoin their families during the Passing of the Peace. During Children's Chapel they will review the day's readings along with learning the meaning and importance of different aspects of our service including, but not limited to, the calendar of the Church year, significant prayers, and the items and symbols that make up our beautiful sanctuary.

ACOLYTES

Sanctuary

Led by Cam Pierce

The word "acolyte" comes from the Greek word "*akolouthos*" which means a servant or attendant who waits on another. The Acolyte ministry originated from Old Testament times. At Holy Trinity, our acolytes serve an extremely important role for us all. Children may begin in this ministry as early as age 9 or 10, but rather than focusing on a specific age, readiness to perform the task in a spiritually appropriate manner is more important. If you are interested in learning more about this wonderful opportunity, please contact Cam Pierce at 375-1729 or at camden_pierce@yahoo.com.



II. YOUTH PROGRAM

GRADES SIX THROUGH TWELVE

Room 217

Led by Kristen Bryant, Christina Ford, David Tremaine, Susanna Tremaine, Leo Dugger & Mark Anderson

The Youth Group at Holy Trinity is open to all 6th - 12th graders. We meet every Sunday morning from after the 10:30am service, in the Youth Room (# 217) on the second floor of the education building for lunch and spiritual development.

PIZZA & PRAYER, SUNDAYS after 10:30 Service (lunch provided)

re:form: (for 6th & 7th Graders) is a totally new approach to youth ministry that trusts youth to wrestle with the historic Christian faith and theology. re:form includes two DVDs with 40 hilarious animated short films that frame the theological questions that youth really ask, an Anti-Workbook that's chock full of individual and group activities.

The Greatest Story: (for 8th & 9th Graders) series is an innovative approach to encountering the Bible. In each course, participants experience the Bible as a series of stories, making it accessible to everyone, even those new to the Bible. As they journey through scripture, they will encounter the key people, places, and events of the Bible, and learn how the biblical stories are also our stories. Over the span of each course, they will discover how those stories connect, increasing their understanding of scripture.

Bible Study/Theological Reflection: (for 10th, 11th & 12th Graders) This is a participant driven program, based on issues that want to be covered and biblical themes that want to be studied. It will be a mixture of a traditional bible study with theological reflections on what is being learned.

WEDNESDAYS at 6:30 (fellowship dinner at 5:30, families welcome)

Faith through Media: (for Middle School Grades)
Wednesdays, 6:30pm

TV and social media throw many images and messages about faith. What can we tell about these messages and how are they impacting our personal faith. Come join the discussion!

SUNDAYS at 9:15 & WEDNESDAYS at 6:30

Confirm Not Conform: (for 8th Grade and up)

Confirm not Conform, or CnC, is a youth confirmation program that takes confirmation seriously. It exposes youth to a wide range of topics, including Scripture, sacraments, creeds, heresy, the Episcopal Church, and other religions, and asks them to think through what they believe and why.

It is also a philosophy. It's about finding one's own voice rather than simply conforming to an external standard. It is a program that respects the work youth do and trusts that if youth put in the effort to articulate what they believe and why, they will make good choices about their next step in faith.

The youth group also meets every month for a youth-centered activity or field trip. Some activities are conducted at Holy Trinity in the youth room, and other activities take place off site. Our activities range from community service to "just for fun" events. A few of our past activities include; rock climbing, horse-back riding, tubing on the Ichetucknee River, Wild Waters, events at Camp Weed, charity events, 30-hour famine, Rock the Universe at Universal Studios, fund-raisers, movie nights, super secret events, Good Friday Experience, Paynes Prairie clean-up, Youth Sunday, and mission trips to Denver and the Florida Keys. Please join us on Sundays and bring a friend! The only thing this group is missing is you!

GOD AND COUNTRY

Room as assigned

Led by various presenters
Wednesdays, 6:30pm

This program will be offered in the Spring as needed in the following four parts, *God and Me (Grades 1-3)*, *God and Family (Grades 4-5)*, *God and Church (grades 6-8)* and *God and Life (grades 9-12)*. The God and Country program supports several different scout / similar religious requirements.

III. ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM

Sunday, 9:15AM Education Hour

FR. JEREMY'S BOOK CLASS

Library

Led by Fr. Jeremy Hole

This class determines the books they will read and discuss. Books do not have to be purchased or read to participate in the class. Newcomers are always welcome.

