

► **LAYING-ON-OF-HANDS FOR HEALING**

We offer Healing Prayer with laying-on-of-hands on Sundays at all services during the time of Communion and on Thursdays at the Noon Service:
8:00 AM. & 10:00 AM Altar Rail in the Chapel
6:00 PM Altar Rail in the Main Church

► **WHEAT-FREE COMMUNION WAFERS** are available. Please let us know when you come for communion or request in advance (561-395-8285).

► **NURSERY CARE**

Child Care is provided during the 8:00 and 10:00 AM services. An attendant is in the Nursery from 7:45 AM - 11:30 AM

► **ALTAR GUILD ATTENDANTS THIS WEEK**

Leslie Ross*, Phyllis Bailey, Polly Cochran, Angela Hipper, Phyllis Houghton, Fran Norris, Cynthia Owens

► **PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISH FAMILIES THIS WEEK**

Dan & Elizabeth Radic, Virginia Rafter, Tricia Rason, Peter & Laura Recupero, Rod & Gina Redzanic

WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS ALL WHO ARE ILL, especially

Clark Bailey	Joan Gepford	Barbara Miner
Shirley & Ed Bowyer	Charles Heebner	Mike & Flo O'Brien
Hallie Brooks	Joe Houghton	Jim Sorensen
Fran Conn	Maria Jacoby	Kip Speyer
Lilly DiGiacamo	Susan Manwaring	Maureen Schuler
Carlos Estrada	Jean & Jerry Martin	Madeline Stein
Tommie Frank	Claire McCarthy	Michelle Stillman
Nashaud Fancy	Peggy McCall	Bessie Wright
Brett & Fred Fegel	Carole McGee	

Adam, April, Jean, Jim, Terri, Marcia, Heather H.

Deceased: Paul Blyler, Jr.

SERVING AT WORSHIP SERVICES THIS LORD'S DAY

► **8:00 AM**

Verger: Tony Muro

Lay Readers: Gene Tracy, & Susan Hawkins

Prayers of the People: Bill Lintz

Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Heidi Hileman, Gene Tracy

Acolyte: Maxwell Wheeler

Ushers: Jack Merkl, Bill Lintz, Jeff Eastburn

Greeter: Eleanore Andrews

► **10:00 AM**

Vergers: Char Vinik, Clark Bailey

Lay Reader: Mary Beth Zimmerman, Peter Hawkins

Prayers of the People: Lori Snow

Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Raynold Auguste, Marilyn Athey, Frank Moore,

Joyce Dawson

Acolytes: Anthony Leonelli, Sarah Hawkins, Paul Hawkins, Phillip Noble

Ushers: Mark Laman, Hal Wiseman, Eli Aguhob, John Holgerson

Greeter: Bea Guccione

► **6:00 PM**

Lay Assistants: Mary Beth & Lee Zimmerman

ST. GREGORY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

8:00 A.M. - Holy Eucharist and Sermon
10:00 A.M. - Choral Eucharist & Sermon
10:00 A.M.- Church School
6:00 P.M. - Holy Eucharist and Sermon

WEEKDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. - Morning Prayer Monday - Friday
12:00 Noon - Holy Eucharist Monday - Friday
6:30 P.M. - Evening Prayer- Wednesday
The Rev. Andrew J. Sherman, *Rector* - Ext. 603
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THE DIGNITY of DIFFERENCE, 4th Annual Global Shemin Trialogue Seminar, Feb. 15, 2010, Kaye Performing Arts Auditorium, 7-9:30 p.m. FAU Student Union Bldg, Glades Entrance

The Trialogue annually brings together three influential, internationally known religious leaders for dialogue and education. The goal is to foster understanding and communication among the three Abrahamic faiths to play a vital role in mending world differences.

Michael J. Cook, A Jewish Perspective, Professor, rabbi, author, Hebrew Union College, Cincinnati, OH

Philip A. Cunningham, A Christian Perspective, Dir. & Prof. of Jewish-Catholic Relations, St. Joseph's Univ., Philadelphia.

Zainab Al-Suwaij, A Muslim Perspective, Exec. Dir. American Islamic Congress women's empowerment program, southern Iraq, world Interfaith participant. "2006 International Person of the Year," National Liberty Museum.

FAMILY PROMISE Update

Coordinator: Allyn, bubbieallyn@yahoo.com

Volunteer van drivers needed to drive guests between Day Center and the Host Congregations. **561-482-6691 (after 1 p.m.)**

Wk day:-5:30-8:30 a.m. & 4:45-6:00 daily; Wkend: 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Daycare Volunteers needed: Flexible duties, i.e., answering phone, computer assistance, playing with the children. Shifts: 9-1 p.m. & 1-5:00 p.m.

Youth Group Volunteers invited to assist Day Center on Sat., Sun. & school holidays. Shifts: 1-5:00. May receive community service hrs. An adult must be present. Check with your youth group leader.

Gift Cards for Wal-Mart, Target, or prepaid phone cards are appreciated. Cash donations help stretch Family Promise shopping at thrift

ANNOUNCEMENTS 31 JANUARY 2010

TODAY!!! ANNUAL PARISH MEETING/Church

In lieu of Coffee Hr, Mary Burnside & the Youth Group will serve subs, chips, drinks & chocolate cookies. Suggested donation: \$5/psn or \$10/family. Annual Meeting @ **12:15**. A major item: Election of four new vestry members. Nominees: **Anne Koch, Carole Kain, Dale Gregory, Jack Levine, Nancy Stroud & Bill Unger**. You must be present to vote, and be a communicate member over 16 yrs. of age, in good standing with regular attendance and contributions of record. Our By-laws state: *"only those ballots shall be counted which show votes for the same number of candidates as there are vacancies to be filled."*

► **COFFEE HOUR HOSTS** needed after the 10 a.m. service for **February 28th** and thereafter except for the second Sunday of each month when Brothers serve breakfast/brunch. Please sign up in Harris Hall or call Marilyn Athey at 561-482-4099 to add your name to the list.

DR. CHARLES WISSINK LECTURE SERIES

TODAY, 9 AM, Conf. Rm.

Today's Topic: "Biblical Interpretation"

BISHOP TO VISIT ST. GREGORY'S

Next Sunday, **February 7th**, The Rt. Rev. Leo Frade, D.D., will be with us for our Episcopal visitation. Come join us as we greet our Bishop.



ANNUAL EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN'S SUNDAY

February 7th, 4:00 p.m, Chapel at Duncan Conference Center
The Rt. Rev. Leo Frade, DD, Presiding at Eucharist

This is an annual event for the Episcopal Church Women of the SE Florida Diocese. Please join women from throughout our Diocese as they meet, pray and partake of the Eucharist. We are particularly blessed to have this festive service in our area this year. A reception at the Conference Center will follow the event. It's also a chance to visit our Diocesan Conference Center and view the facility.

15820 S. Military Trail
Delray Beach, FL 33484

► **LIFE IN CHRIST AT ST. GREGORY'S 11:45 A.M.** —A new class begins **Feb. 14th**. Fr. Andrew conducts this five week class for newcomers and anyone who would like to know more about the Episcopal Church. It will meet in the Library (on the south side of the church behind the altar).

► The memorial service for **Dorothy Hartswick**, our centenarian whose birthday we celebrated July 2009, will be held Saturday, February 13, at 11 AM with a reception in Harris Hall following the service.

THIS WEEK

- ▶ **TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**, Conference Room 10AM
- ▶ **CENTERING PRAYER**, Groups meet:
TUESDAY 3:00 PM in the Library THURSDAY 9:45 AM in the Chapel
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY - MEN'S SPIRITUALITY**
Led by Fr, Andrew, 7:30 AM, Painted Apple Restaurant, 1250 W. Hillsboro Blvd., Deerfield just east of the AmTrak Station.
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY 4-5:30, BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK.** Come help pack food for Boca Raton's underprivileged school children, Harris Hall.
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY 5:00—6:00 pm LITERATURE & SPIRITUALITY.** Short stories in preparation for Lent.
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY 5:45-6:30 PM—FELLOWSHIP SUPPER, HARRIS HALL** Come before or after class and enjoy a simple meal for a nominal fee
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY 6:00-8:00 YOUTH CONFIRMATION CLASSES, Youth Rm**
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY 6:30-7:00 PM, EVENING PRAYER - CHAPEL**
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY, 7-8:30PM DOCC , Conf. Rm.** Parables of the Kingdom in Scripture & Fiction.
- ▶ **WEDNESDAY 7-8 PM Fr. Andrew's Bible Study** class is studying the Book of Acts, Harris Hall
- ▶ **FRIDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY, 9-11 AM** led by Melissa Turmo. The class is studying The Gospel of St. John. Class meets at the home of Anne Koch, 745 Oleander Street, Boca Raton

REHEARSALS FOR MUSIC DEPT.

Handbells, Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.
Chamber Choir Rehearsal, Thursday, 6:45—7:30p.m.
Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room, Harris Hall, 2nd fl, 7:30—9 p.m.
Instruments, Sat., 12:30 p.m.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES, Feb. 17th

7:30 AM 5:30 PM
12 noon  7:30 PM

Simple supple served from 5:45-7 PM in Harris Hall

Observe the beginning of the 40 days of Lent by receiving Holy Communion and the Imposition of Ashes. The Service takes its name from the Old Testament practice of covering oneself with sackcloth and ashes as a sign of repentance and mourning.

"Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return."

*Faith, hope, and love abide,
these three;
and the greatest of these is LOVE.
I Cor. 13: 13*

UPDATE ON HAITI EARTHQUAKE

Our emissary David Gury traveled to the area this past week

The Episcopal Church, along with most of Haiti, has suffered severely from the earthquake. The once beautiful Holy Trinity Cathedral is completely destroyed, along with surrounding diocesan structures, which include Holy Trinity School and the home of Sisters of St. Margaret, the Episcopal University, the High School and an older section of St. Vincent Home and School, for blind and disabled children. The Diocesan Center survived, but Bishop Duracin's house is destroyed and he is living in a tent. Mrs. Duracin fractured her leg and after two operations is doing well. Father Kesner Gracia, the priest in charge at Ste. Marie Madeleine, happened to be in Port au Prince at the time of the earthquake and continues to work there as well as at his own parishes which includes Ste. Marie Madeleine. His wife and daughter are now in New Orleans living with her sister.

The Bondeau buildings are in good shape. Because of the after shocks, people are afraid to stay in buildings. All schools in Haiti are closed until the Minister of Education reopens them. At Bondeau, the daily feeding program continues and now covers adults as well as the school's children, thus greatly increasing the cost of the program as the influx from Port au Prince continues in Bondeau. Fr. Kesner relies on public transportation, as the Bondeau truck engine is defunct after years of heavy use.

St. Gregory's parishioners have given most generously to our Haiti Relief Fund. Thank you for your care and love. These funds are held as part of our newly named Haiti program, **South Florida Haiti Project**. The Executive Committee, consisting of Fr. Sherman, Fr. Stokes and Michael Armstrong from St. Paul's in Delray, Deacon Anita and David Gury are assessing needs at Bondeau and will be making distribution of funds according to immediate needs. Your continued support of Haiti Relief through South Florida Haiti Project, Episcopal Charities and Episcopal Relief and Development is critical. Please visit www.stgregorysepiscopal.org to link to the South Florida Haiti Project web site.

FIFTY FROM THE HEART

The Samaritan Counseling Ctrs have to turn away individuals, families, and children due to lack of resources to help. **FIFTY** from the **HEART** invites you to make a \$50 contribution to the Counseling Scholarship fund, to provide assistance. We will honor donors at a celebratory breakfast, Friday, March 19, 7:30 a.m., First United Methodist Church, Ft. Lauderdale. Please attend a service at St. Gregory's, Feb. 21st to hear the Center's Director or Contact: 954-463-2273 for details

MEN'S SPIRITUALITY GROUP MEETS IN NEW LOCATION

The Men's Spirituality Group gathers weekly for companionship, study and conversation around issues of faith and life at 7:30 a.m., **Painted Apple Restaurant**, 1250 W. Hillsboro Blvd., Deerfield Beach (on the east side of the train tracks; directly east of AmTrak Rail Station on Hillsboro. Phone 954-420-9326). New members are always welcome. Contact Fr. Andrew or Chuck Barnes for more information.

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Youth Group Meetings TODAY due to the Annual Meeting!!!

2010 CALENDAR OVERVIEW

- **Friday Night 6 p.m.-Saturday Morn. 7 a.m., February 5-6, "SLEEPOUT 2010" No Cost!** (HS) Sleep outside at Meyer Amphitheatre to raise awareness about homelessness. Pizza at 5:00 at St. Gregory's; leave church pkg. lot @ 5:30. E-mail Fr. Joel for the Registrations Forms.
PROGRAM FOR SLEEPOUT
"In the Walk," during registration
Inspirational Program, 7-9 p.m., closing ceremony in candlelight
Movie, 9-11 p.m. Major motion picture re. Homelessness
SleepOut 11-7 a.m. (optional—non-staked tents allowed)
- **Sunday, February 7, 6-10 p.m, Super Bowl Party (MS, HS)**
- **Tuesday, February 16th Shove Tues. Pancake Supper, 5:30-7 pm**
- **Saturday, February 20th Vendor Fair Fundraiser (MS, HS)**
- **Saturday, April 17—Diocesan Acolyte Festival (MS,HS)**
- **Friday—Saturday, April 23-24th— 30- Hour Famine (HS)**
- **June 12-18 Mission Trip**

▶ **SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER, Feb. 16, 5:30-7:00 p.m.**, hosted by St. Gregory Youth. Bring family & friends for good food and fellowship to help support the Summer Youth Mission Trip. Suggested donation: \$5/psn, \$15/family. Harris Hall.

▶ **ST. GREGORY'S VENDOR FAIR, Feb. 20th, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.** Help Support the Youth Groups' Mission work. Vendors include: Tupperware, Jewelry, Avon, Discovery toys **PLUS:** Lots of food, Music, Raffle, Creative Memories. Much more than you can imagine: Contact: Liz Vann, 561-392-8121 or Gina Noble, 954-303-9788.

▶ **FIRST FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP DINNER—February 5th!** Everyone is invited to participate in the Fellowship Dinner this Friday, Harris Hall, beginning at 6:30 PM. Bring a dish to share and a friend. RSVP to Marilyn Athey 561-482-4099.

FRIDAY Lunch Bunch

February 19, 12:30 p.m., Le Rivage, Shore Centre
450 NE 20th St., Boca Raton

Come for lunch and fellowship while enjoying French Cuisine in a Country French atmosphere. Open to everyone, including the men. Separate checks are requested and everyone is responsible for their own meal. Sign up in Harris Hall on the office door. Further information: Madeline Fratella, Church office 395-8285 ext. 608