

**Welcome to St. John's**

Welcome to St. John's Episcopal Church. We hope you enjoy worshiping with us today. If you are a visitor, please fill out a visitor card located in the pews and place it in an alms basin or give it to an usher. We are happy to have you here today! Pick up your visitor and newcomer nametags located on the bulletin board in the Barr Center across from the kitchen. If you would like to speak with someone about our church, please contact Ashley Jaillette with the Newcomer and Visitor's Committee at 803-331-5491 or ajaillette@alumni.clemson.edu.

Feast of All Saints

We pray with the saints in light:

Dorothy Alfonso

The Rev. John Barr

Campbell Courtney Freeman, MD

Sandy Howie

Alice Hungerford

Warren King

Mark Leach

Robert H. McLaughlin, Jr.

Ramona Mitchell

The Rev. Patrick Emmett Mullen

Vernon Mustian

Martha Oliphant

Colleen Robinson

Suzanne Long Santos

Yvonne Sine

Altar Flowers at St. John's

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of today's baptisms.

Music at St. John's

Singers needed in Chancel Choir, Selah and Intergenerational Ensemble. Contact Celia in the office.

Today, Feast of All Saints: Hymns accompanied by trombone (Russell Ramirez), timpani (Campbell Freeman) and cello (Brian McCants). **9:00 am** Choir Anthem "The Souls of the Righteous" by Stanley Marchant **11:15 am** At the Offertory: Choir, timpani, trombone, cello and organ "Kyrie" from Lord Nelson Mass by F. J. Haydn.

Youth at St. John's**EYC Calendar**

5-7pm @ St. John's unless otherwise noted

Nov 7 ArtShack @ St. John's

Nov 14 Paintball \$10

Meet at St. John's @ 1:15

Nov 21 Harvest Eve

3:30 pm Arrive to prepare dinner

Nov 28 NO EYC

SR HIGH SKI TRIP: Jan 7-9

Sign up by Nov 16

Email Dorian to sign up.

\$80 Deposit Due

Go to the Youth Blog for more information!

D-Groups: Wed Night Bible Study

5:15 JR High

6:30 SR High

The Kingdom Experiment

Come and explore how we might live out scripture intentionally. How do we apply Jesus' teachings to our daily life, and how do they translate his teachings into real actions? Come and join the experiment.

Children's Sunday School 10:15 am**Nursery Available on Sunday**

9:00 am Service

10:15 am Sunday School Hour

11:15 am Service

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3K "Little Lambs" (curriculum used)

4K - Story Hour Year I (Room 129)

5K - Story Hour Year II (Room 117)

1st Grade - Godly Play (Room 216)

2nd Grade - Godly Play (Room 215)

3, 4 & 5 Grades - Living the Good News (Room 226)

Children's Chapel

9:00 am Service for 3K, 4K, 5K

Early Adult Formation Class following 7:45 am service (Heyward Hall, Multi-purpose Room – Next Class is November 14) Early church adult formation class meets the second Sunday of each month. On November 14, the class begins with breakfast and Rev. Brad Wilson presenting a series called *Tales from a Madhouse*. A set of 15-20 minute vignettes of a series of visits to an 18th Century insane asylum, *Tales from a Madhouse* takes you to hear one person who was present at the crucifixion: Pilate's wife, the centurion, Judas, the penitent thief, etc. Each has his or her unique tale to tell. These brief cameos were produced by BBC and feature many of England's finest actors. Following,

we will have an opportunity to chat and reflect on the visit - and why the inmate is there.

Adult Formation Classes 10:15 am (The Book of Acts (Heyward Hall Multi-purpose Room))

Do you wish you knew more about the Bible? Are you afraid to ask what might turn out to be a rather elementary question, so you just don't ask it? Did you know the Bible is filled with stories and accounts of people just like us, who had the same challenges and situations facing them as we recognize in our lives today? When you hear someone say, "The Bible is relevant and timeless!" do you think to yourself, "Really? I wish someone would show me how that's true." This class will help us to begin a walk through The Acts of the Apostles. Come and find out what the 1st century church experienced in the years following Christ's resurrection and the coming of the Holy Spirit.

Getting Involved with God (Heyward Hall Parlor)

Do you find reading the Old Testament intimidating, frustrating, unengaging? How might it speak to us today with greater meaning and relevance? In her book Getting Involved with God: Rediscovering the Old Testament, Duke University divinity scholar Ellen Davis provides a revitalized reading of these ancient texts in ways that respond to the cultural, environmental, and spiritual conditions of our own time. We'll read a chapter or two each week followed by lively discussion in class as we rediscover the Old Testament. (Books still available, \$13.)

Counterfeit Gods (Barr Center Dining Room)

*Do you believe money, power or love can bring you true happiness? Discover how only God can wholly satisfy our cravings! Using nationally renowned and best selling minister Reverend Tim Keller's latest book *Counterfeit Gods* as our guide, we will discuss modern day idols by way of classic Bible stories (such as Abraham and Isaac, Jonah, Zaccheus and several others). **This week:** "The Power and the Glory," with a discussion of the idolization of human power and achievement and the stories of Nebuchadnezzar, the great Babylonian king and general. Do not need the book to attend.*

Announcements & Upcoming Events

Holy Eucharist Class for Children Join us this afternoon in the church. Children, 3k, 4k and 5k, will meet at 4:00 pm. Children in 1st - 5th grades will meet at 4:30 pm.

Men's Monday Morning Bible Study, Men's Bible Study now reading and discussing *A Father's Gift: Lessons from Proverbs* by Ken Wingate. Contact: Ned Badgett 787-8189.

Rector's Bible Study Mondays, 11 am, Room 109, lower level Heyward Hall. All are welcome to attend this informal, conversational Bible Study. Come as you are. No experience necessary!

MOMS Welcomes all Mothers to join us anytime! Weekly Tuesday meetings in the parlor from 9:30 am-12:00 pm. Childcare is provided. Contact: Cope Fralick 397-2544.

St. Monicas/St. Bridgets will meet at 1 pm on Thursday, November 11 in the parlor. Visitors are welcome. Contact Margaret Buchanan at 776-6713.

United Thank Offering (UTO) The Fall Ingathering of the United Thank Offering is Sunday, November 14. Bring your

offering to one of the three services. Envelopes and blue boxes are available in the narthex.

Keenagers will meet on November 16 at 12:30 pm. Barbara Mullen with Helping Hands will discuss her work at Hand Middle School here in Shandon. We will learn how we can help in this endeavor and provide items for the 'Helping Hands' wish list. Call the Parish Office at 799-4767 to reserve your seat at the luncheon by Friday, November 12. Bring a dictionary for adults to the meeting as a contribution to Hands Middle School.

Harvest Eve, November 21, 5:00 pm. Thanksgiving Worship in the Church (Evensong) followed by supper, hosted by Servant Ministry & EYC.

Casseroles for Sale ECW will have a casserole sale at Harvest Eve on November 21.

Kanuga Parish Weekend 2011, February 18-20, *Many Voices, One Family*, Speaker: Mark Tidsworth with Pinnacle Leadership Associates.

Volunteers needed for The Messenger Crew! Call 799-4767 to help on Tuesday, November 23 at 10:30 am.

Prayer Requests at St. John's For Healing: Bob Benson, Anthony Bitting, Serena Cann, Ralph Coleman, Mary Margaret Collins, David Cooper, Brion Denny, Blair Epting, Georgia Ewing, Janice Fort, Burt Fowles, Melinda Franks, Larry Grant, John Grimball, Lamar Grimmitt, Donna Hall, Tom Herbkersman, Laura Wells Hiers, Nancy Hinson, Sandy Jacobs, Lyn Johnson, Rudy Jones, Susan Love, Sandy Leach, Morris Lumpkin, Jr., Chris MacDougall, Joyce Mann, Sandra Martin, Mickie Mathes, Kathryn McCormick, Marilyn Meacham, Susan Michaels, Jim Mittenzwei, Frances 'Cese' Newcomer, Evan Pertile, Earl Redout, Bob Reynolds, Sam Roberts, Dominic Rocco, Allen Rogers, Greg Rollings, Peggy Samotis, Mary Swims, Aloo Tata, Ron Tata, Joanne Tate, John Thomas, Stace Todd, John Tolar, DuBose Tuller, Buster Walker, Polly Watts, Martha Weed, Ann Wells. **For Expectant Parents:** Amber & Scott Rankin, Collins & Carroll Williamson, Laura & Scott Winburn, Wendi & Steve Spratt. **For Active Military:** Fred Aldrich, John Benson, Michael Fisher, Michael Hook, Kyle James, Mike Williams

Wednesdays at St. John's

'Wednesdays at St. John's' will conclude for the year on November 17. Wednesday night programs will resume beginning January 12, 2011.

This Wednesday, November 10

4:30 pm: Evening Prayer & Holy Communion
Children's Music & Rhythm Classes

5:15 pm: Adults: "Believing is Believing"
& Jr. High Bible Study
Children: "Learning to use my Bible"
& "Growing with God"

6:00 pm: Family Dinner: Beef Stew over rice with salad and bread rolls (Kid's meals will begin at 5:45 pm)

6:30 pm: Adults: "Believing is Believing"
Youth: "The Kingdom Experiment"

7:00 pm: Choir Practice

Nursery Provided for Infants & Toddlers from 5:00-6:30 pm