



# The Severn Light

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church  
Crownsville, Maryland



## Annual Meeting and Lent Edition of the Severn Light

A section of the preamble to a proposed revision of our By-Laws reads as follows: "In obedience to The Great Commission of Jesus Christ (Mt. 28:17-20) we will be active in seeking and nurturing new members. Foundational to this is a strong Christian Formation program for all ages. Working within the sacramental tradition of the Church, Holy Baptism and a mature public affirmation of our Baptismal Covenant at Confirmation will be the framework of Christian formation for our young people and for adult new members. For all members continual growth in our life in Christ calls us to an ongoing practice of prayer, study of God's Word and service in Christ's name."

from the  
**PASTOR**

I see this not only as a preamble to our By-Laws, but as a keynote for ministry development in the coming year and beyond, when revived Evangelism and Christian Formation Mission Teams will have a key role.

### CHRISTIAN FORMATION

As our Christian Education Program resumed January 9th, we began with a return to the basics of the faith as taught by the Bible in a 4 week unit on "Great Doctrines of the Bible." Among those basics is "Amazing Grace" which will be the subject of our Wednesday Evening Lenten Program this year. (see page 15) Also during Lent, the 9:10 a.m. program will be a special program on Holy Communion for 5 Sundays, from February 20th through March 20th. (see page 7 for description) The best possible program for our children, youth and families is among our highest priorities at St. Stephen's.

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**ONE DAY ONLY!**  
**February 13, 2005**  
**ONE Service at 9:00 a.m.**  
**ANNUAL MEETING**  
**to follow**

**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
traditional language  
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
contemporary language with music  
10:00 a.m. Church School  
Kindergarten through High School Classes  
NURSERY AVAILABLE FOR ALL SUNDAY SERVICES

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There will be some redesigning of the program as we prepare to adjust to the diocesan policy that 15 will be the normal age for youth Confirmation. Shaping this program will be among the priorities of our revived Christian Formation Mission Team. The first meeting is Sunday, January 23rd at 11:30 a.m. in the 4th Grade Classroom. All Church School Staff and interested parents are invited. For adults interested in Confirmation or Reception into the Episcopal Church, the Bible studies and Lenten program for adults is a good start, and will be supplemented by individual or small group instruction that I will provide. We are reviewing a variety of possible dates for Confirmations in 2005 and 2006.

We have discussed renewing our connections with Scouting here at St. Stephen's. While troop sponsorship does not appear to be an immediate need, there is a good way for us to start. Over the years I have worked with Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts as a teacher and counselor in the God and Country religious award series. This program is available for all ages. I will be glad to set up after-school individual or small group programs. See me if you know of children and youth who are interested, or if you would like to be part of a teaching team that I will lead for this. In a related matter, as part of my work in the Certificate in Science and Religion Program at the Boston Theological Institute, I developed a Creation Studies Program with a variety of uses for a variety of ages. I have been scouting some field trips in local wildlife refuges, the National Zoo, and museums and look forward to organizing some restoration work in our St. Francis Garden and Trail as well as setting up a recycling program when we move into the rectory.

### EVANGELISM MISSION TEAM

The Evangelism Mission Team continued its work at the January 12th meeting. We continue to work in four areas:

- a) Spiritual renewal
- b) Invitation events
- c) New member integration
- d) Ministry to the inactive

Our goal is to organize an invitation and newcomers welcome Sunday for the Spring and to organize a pastoral canvass of inactive members in the coming year. Plans for ongoing Bible studies and strengthened prayer groups are also being discussed.

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# AMAZING GRACE

## Lenten Program 2005

5 Wednesdays: February 16th through March 16th  
Parish Hall

6:00 p.m.-6:50 p.m. Pot Luck Fellowship Meal

7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Music, Bible Study, Prayer Time

The program will be structured with five verses of the hymn, *Amazing Grace*, setting the keynote theme each week. We will sing a portion of the hymn each week and see various performances of *Amazing Grace* via the PBS tape "Amazing Grace" which also features an interesting biography of John Newton, the hymn's author. Bible studies and reading from historic and contemporary authors will also guide our study.

**February 16th**

**Verse 1:** *Was blind but now I see*

**Keynote Scriptures**

Romans 4:18-5:11 *While we were yet sinners*

John 9 *The man born blind*

**February 23rd**

**Verse 2** *The hour I first believed*

**Keynote Scripture**

1 John 4:7-21 *Perfect love casts out fear*

**March 2nd**

**Verse 3** *He will my shield and portion be*

**Keynote Scriptures**

Hebrews 6:13-20 *Hope is the anchor of the soul*

John 10 and Psalm 23 *The Good Shepherd*

**March 9th**

**Verse 4** *Through many dangers, toils and snares*

**Keynote Scripture**

Romans 8:18-39 *Nothing can separate us from*

*the love of God in Christ*

**March 16th**

**Verse 5** *Bright shining as the sun*

**Keynote Scripture**

Selections from *Revelation* and *Daniel*

# Chalicians, Lectors Needed!



Have you ever thought about being a chalice or a lector? We are seriously in need of additional chalicians (especially) and lectors. We would welcome you to our ministry and we will provide the training and ongoing support necessary, in small groups and/or individually.



**Chalicians** provide a sacramental ministry during our worship services by administering the wine during Holy Eucharist. They also assist in worship by leading the “Prayers of the People” and processing the Gospel. Those who serve in this role often find that this experience makes their own worship more meaningful and “alive.”

**Lectors** come forward from the congregation to read the lessons and to introduce the psalm during the worship service. St. Stephen’s is blessed with wonderful lectors, who read expressively to help make the lessons more meaningful to the congregation.

To serve as a chalice, a person must be confirmed (or received) into the Episcopal Church. That is not a requirement for lectors.

Youth are encouraged to become chalicians; we have one and would like to expand that. We have five youth lectors, and would welcome more. It is ok to overlap service; that is, a person can be a lector and a chalice, or a LEM and a chalice, or an acolyte and a chalice, etc. (usually not on the same Sunday).

If you have an interest or even want to explore the possibility, please contact Clare Banwart (410-721-3695 or [cbanwart@comcast.net](mailto:cbanwart@comcast.net)) or Fr. Hagerman or call Irene McEntee at the church office. The church provides vestments for chalicians and lectionary books and pronunciation guides for lectors. We have a “server-friendly” scheduling process: servers can select to serve at 8:00 or 10:00, the frequency, and to opt out in advance for days they will not be available.

Please ask yourself if God is calling you to this ministry. And say, “Yes, I can serve.”

*Clare Banwart*

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## STEWARDSHIP OF CHURCH PROPERTY

As we prepare for Annual Meeting, two items of importance will address this area:

- a) The need for an active Property Committee.
- b) The need for a church sexton

A modest amount (\$4800.) has been included in the 2005 budget for a very part-time sexton for small repairs, light bulb changing, cemetery assistance and some traditional sexton duties. This is supplemental to our cleaning service. Since the addition of any staff position represents a significant step that should have consensus support from the congregation, it will be my policy not to ask the Vestry to finalize any new position until it has been discussed and officially supported by the Annual Meeting.

A few additional items of importance to note:

- a) There is a need for additional chalice bearers for our services. Please see Clare Banwart or Father Hagerman if interested.
- b) A strengthened Acolyte ministry is among our goals. All youth, fourth grade and up are eligible. See Ben Brown or Father Hagerman if interested. February 6th, a Family Sunday, will be *Acolyte Sunday*. All acolytes will process for the 10:00 a.m. service. We will have a special prayer service of blessing and commissioning for the acolytes at the service.
- c) We are developing a strengthened ministry of pastoral care shared by the Rector and an active lay ministry; continue to let us know of any needs.

All of the above represents our over-arching plan of moving forward in the development of basic ministries with responsible stewardship and good communication.

*Father Hagerman*  
Rector

CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE/FATHER HAGERMAN IF INTERESTED:

# God & Country

phone 314-638-1017 or 800-933-PRAY (7729) fax 314-638-7250 e-mail pray@praypub.org web www.praypub.org

PROGRAMS OF RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES WITH YOUTH (P.R.A.Y.), 8520 MACKENZIE RD, STE. 3, ST. LOUIS, MO 63123-3413

## God and Me (Grades 1-3)

Children will become best friends with Jesus and tell their story of "God and Me" together. Children will make a game in each lesson and keep their games in a GAMEBOX (God And Me Exploring BOX). These games will reinforce the Bible lessons and provide opportunities for families to explore God's love together.

Section 1: God Created Me

Section 2: Jesus is God's Gift to Me

Section 3: I Can Talk with God

Section 4: Because God Cares for Me, I Can Care for Others



## God and Family (Grades 4-5)

The God and Family program will help children understand the importance of family and God's role in a healthy family. Children will compare families and "pizza," and they will make a pizza as they study how families can grow together in God's love.

1. CRUST-FOUNDATION - We are God's Family
2. SAUCE - Family Heritage, Spiritual Heritage
3. TOPPING - Our Talents and Gifts Strengthen Our Families
4. CHEESE - In God's Family We're Loved No Matter What! Because We're Loved, We Follow Rules
5. BAKE - Being in God's Family Helps Us When Things Are Tough
6. EAT, SHARE, ENJOY! - In God's Family, We Share as a Response to God's Love



## God and Church (Grades 6-8)

The God and Church program will be a journey to meet Jesus, worship God, and witness and minister for Christ. Participants will create a video or a photo album to share their faith journeys with others.

Unit I - My Journey:

Meeting Christ

Meeting Jesus, the Person

Meeting Jesus, the Son of God

Meeting Jesus, the Head of the Church

Unit II - My Journey: Worshipping God

Learning how Christ Worshipped God

Exploring How My Congregation

Worships God

Discovering How I Can Worship God

Unit III - My Journey: Witnessing and Ministering for Christ

Learning How Christ Witnessed and

Ministered to Others

Exploring How My Congregation

Witnesses and Ministers to Others

Discovering How I Can Witness and

Minister to Others



## God and Life (Grades 9-12)

The God and Life study is based on the life of the Apostle Paul as recorded in Acts 9:1-31.

Section 1: God calls all kinds of people.

Section 2: God doesn't expect us to do it on our own.

Section 3: Each of us must make a personal response to the call of God



Section 4: God gives strength to face adversities.

Section 5: God can accomplish great things through those who are willing to do God's will.

### ADULT MENTOR PROGRAM

The God and Country Adult Mentor program is an optional program for parents who have children enrolled in the God and Country series. Parents will have a workbook to complete. They will model their Christian faith by working side by side their children. Certificate and pin are available upon completion of the course.

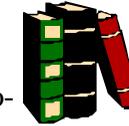
### ADULT RECOGNITIONS

Adult recognitions are given to adults for outstanding service to youth through both their church and one of the national youth-serving agencies (Boy Scouts of America, Camp Fire USA, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., American Heritage Girls). An outside party must nominate an adult to receive an award by submitting the required applications, letters of recommendation, and resume of activities.

### Starting the Program is Easy!

- Order the appropriate program booklets based on your grade.
- Meet with the pastor: show your pastor the God and Country booklets and together choose a counselor.
- Complete the requirements under the supervision of your counselor.
- Present your work to the pastor for final approval.
- Order the recognition items by sending the application form to P.R.A.Y.
- Plan a special ceremony in church to receive your award.

## news shorts



**Parish Archives** Old photographs, news items, family history, and articles pertaining to the life of the parish are requested for preservation in the Archives. Please contact Jean Sunday, 410-672-3680.

**St. Stephen's Guild "Country Store"** will again be featured in conjunction with the Spring Dinner on Saturday,

May 7, 2005. Nice, clean, good-condition, new and nearly-new items are requested - books, small toys, household items, etc. Proceeds will be contributed to outreach programs. Items will be accepted at the Archives Office now. Information - please contact Jean Sunday, 410-672-3680 or [sundayofodenton@verizon.net](mailto:sundayofodenton@verizon.net)

**Big Thank You** Hats off to Rick Kuhblank for volunteering to clean the ovens in the Parish Hall kitchen. Well done!!

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Church on Rte. 424. Come on out and support the choirs! The service will conclude with a massed concertato (choir/congregation/trumpets) setting of "Crown him with many crowns," by Walter Pelz.

Junior choristers will be working on ribbons in the RSCM curriculum of music and worship education. RSCM (Royal School of Church Music) has revised its testing program, and we are working to incorporate the newly-instated yellow ribbon and the bronze, silver and gold medals into our program at St. Stephen's. The 3 new medals and their respective syllabi/tests are given at the regional and national levels, bringing more standardization and accreditation (international) to choristers' studies. These are open to choir members of all ages. Please speak to the music director if you are interested in pursuing these worthy goals.

Lent is a season of renewed commitment. I ask for prospective choir members, especially tenors and basses, to join choir at St. Stephen's! Your talents and skills are needed in music during worship. Please seriously reconsider your stewardship in this area.

The organ re-leathering (pedal pipes, tremolo, etc.) is nearing completion. The Vestry has appropriated a second large installment toward this work, which should be completed by early February. Use of the organ will be curtailed in the meantime. Thanks for a piano!

Happy New Year, and best wishes for music ministry at St. Stephen's in 2005!

*Don Chandler*  
Organist/Choirmaster



Church music is best at Christmas! Christmas music is best in church! I am always thankful that my musical “work” centers on the central celebration of the season -- the heart of the heart of Christmas is the music! A big THANK YOU is in order for the great job by our musicians during Advent and Christmas: Junior Choristers were in wonderful form on Christmas Eve as well as on Advent II & IV, including soloists Matt Duffy and Peter Sykora. Matt deserves honorable mention for working up the Bach/Gounod *Ave Maria* for Advent IV and doing an excellent job on this classic.

Senior Choir worked long and hard on Vivaldi's *Magnificat* to get it ready by Christmas Eve. It came off very well, with soloists Marjorie Centofanti and Mary Gale, sopranos, and Lucile Seborg, alto, guest tenor and bass soloists Mark Hornbaker and Richard Strattan, plus string quartet. Our choir is to be commended for tackling this difficult piece at such a busy time. It was wonderful to hear the venerable text (Latin) in its seasonal place of greatest relevance -- the Song of Mary, Jesus' mother, at the celebration of his birth. This *Magnificat* is not often performed but one wonders why not; by all accounts it is

at least as great as the same composer's more famous *Gloria*.

Our Teen Choir and Youth Instrumental Ensemble provided a wonderful musical context for the Christmas Eve 8:00 p.m. liturgy: for the first time in the brief (3-year) history of the Ensemble we were able to use trumpets – thanks, Matt Hagerman, first trumpet, and the entire crew: Emily Zimmer, Kathleen Kirchner, Emily Seeman, singers; Laura Zimmer, violin; Liz Cumberpatch, French horn; Peter Sooy, trombone; Brian Hoge, guitar; plus guests Nicole Bridgland, violin, and Amanda Magnus, second trumpet.

Thanks to Marjorie Centofanti also for her rendition of “Rejoice greatly,” from *Messiah*, on Christmas II (Jan. 2). Thanks also to Richard Strattan, bass, for his many contributions to music here, as he bides his time while looking for an appropriate professional position.

St. Stephen's is truly blest to have such willing service on the part of many musicians. Thanks, one and all!

In the weeks ahead, we move directly into Lent. Lent is very early this year: Ash Wednesday is February 9 (Easter is March 27); the 7:30 p.m. service on Ash Wednesday includes a wonderful musical setting of Psalm 51. Don't forget to put the Crofton Choir Festival on your calendar: Feb. 13 (Sunday) at 4:00 p.m. at Seton Parish RC

# Church School



Our Christmas pageant, during the 5:00 Christmas Eve service, was wonderful as always. Thank you to Dianne Fyfe Newman for once again coordinating the show. The older children all did great jobs with the readings, and the younger children were adorable portraying the characters! Additional thanks go to Don Chandler and the Junior Choir for incorporating their beautiful music into the pageant. Thanks also to all the parents and other helpers for supporting the children with their time and talent. Our youth have a great network of adults that they know they can count on for guidance and encouragement. It is one of the attributes that makes St. Stephen's a true parish family. These memories will stay with the children for years.

A special thank you to Meredith Kelly for organizing the craft shelves in the Church School office. She took time out during her winter vacation time to help bring some order to this chaotic area. The teachers will now be able to find needed craft items much more easily.

As we look ahead into the new year we are excited to offer a First Communion class, led by Father Hagerman. This class will give the children a greater understanding of the sacrament of Holy Communion. If you are interested in this class for your child, please ask Jenny or Margaret for a registration form.

**Sunday, February 6<sup>th</sup>** will be our next Family Sunday. Our acolytes will be honored on this special day. Please be there to help support this ministry of the church. If your child is interested in becoming an acolyte, please speak to Ben Brown.

**Sunday February 13<sup>th</sup>** is the Annual Parish Meeting. There will be one service at 9:00 a.m. on that day. We **will** have church school classes during this 9:00 a.m. service. During the Parish Meeting, there will be a movie and snacks in the Parish Hall for the children, so that parents and teachers may attend. The High School classes have volunteered to assist with childcare. Please make use of their services and attend this important meeting.

*Jenny Levendusky and Margaret Duffy*  
Church School Coordinators

# On **E.D.G.E**

The New Year has begun and **E.D.G.E.** is busy already. But we would first like to pause and thank our congregation. We asked for help with Holiday Sharing and you all responded most generously. Many of you donated food and gifts.

And we couldn't have done it without those of you that agreed to make the deliveries. I wish to extend my special thanks to Margaret Duffy who took charge of the projects at the last minute because I was traveling.

To our generous benefactress who donates to **E.D.G.E.** with the stipulation that the money be used for the kids, and not for outreach - we had a great time at Bishop Claggett's Winter Jubilee and are very disappointed to learn they will not be offering spring Mid-Combo. Ma'am - I don't know how we could do it without you! But we give thanks that you provided us with such a wonderful opportunity to experience Christian Community.

In February **E.D.G.E.** and **E.T.** host the Pancake Supper to celebrate Fat Tuesday. Please join us in Parish Hall for fun and fellowship. Tickets go on sale January 23. See Meredith Kelly in the Nursery after the 8 am service or the **E.D.G.E.** kids in Parish Hall after 10 am service.

And that is only the start of our year. There's Relay for Life, Lock-in(s) and more! If you are in 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade, we invite you to bring a friend and join us! We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday evenings of the month from 5-6:30 in Parish Hall.

*Lisa Eliot*

**E.D.G.E.** Advisor



**Heart 2 Heart Dance**—Saturday February 12<sup>th</sup> ET will host our Heart 2 Heart dance. The dance will be held in The Parish Hall 7 pm to 10 pm and tickets are \$20. There will be limited seating so please look for Tickets Sales after service.

**Coat Collection**—The Coat Collection is over. We took over 100 warm weather garments to the Homeless in Baltimore. The Women's and Children's coats will be taken to the Chrysalis House in Crownsville.

faith in God, and in our ability, as children of God, to make our community a better place. I have been inspired by the creativeness, energy and spirituality of so many. I now feel obligated to offer my energy and talents to further God's work at St. Stephen's. I offer myself as a candidate for the Vestry of Stephen's Church in order to better apply my skills and energy to contribute to the mission of the Church.

**My name is Susan James** and I would like to serve St. Stephen's Church as a member of the Vestry. Since first attending this parish six years ago, I have served on the editorial board of the Severn Light, been a member of the Committee of Sixty under the Rev. Bruce McPherson, and served on the Search Committee for our new rector. I am currently an acolyte, a Lay Eucharistic Minister, and a supporter of our church ministries. I believe that with Father Hagerman at St. Stephen's, this is an exciting time in the life of our parish. As a Vestry member I would specifically like to work with mission team leaders who may be over-taxed and also to develop ideas for welcoming newcomers. I realize that there will be healthy conflict as we as humans try to discern the will of God and the good of the parish. However, differences afford an opportunity to put trust in our faith and to grow together as we build on the closeness and tradition of this wonderful church family.

**Leo Landry** I attend 8:00 Sunday services where I serve as an usher. I also volunteer to help with the Spring/Fall Dinners, as well as periodic clean-up get-togethers.

Background: I retired from the National Security Agency in 1993 where I worked for 30 years as a Business Manager. In addition, I served over 34 years with the U. S. Naval Reserve as a Cryptologic Officer. I retired with the rank of Captain.

## **news shorts**

**Altar Flowers** Placing flowers on the altar is a thoughtful and spiritual way to honor special people and events. If you would like to give flowers for births, anniversaries, birthdays, memorials, etc., please call Gail Brooks, Altar Guild Director,



at 301-261-0647, or call the church office. The flower chart for 2005 is in the narthex.

**Next Edition** The next Severn Light will be distributed in early March and will feature information concerning Holy Week and Easter. Deadline for submission of news items is Monday, February 28. Hand in to the church secretary or email them to: [st\\_stephens@verizon.net](mailto:st_stephens@verizon.net).

## Meet our Vestry Nominees:

*On February 13 at the Annual Meeting of Severn Parish, one of the items of business is the election of four new Vestry members. The following four members have agreed to run for Vestry positions.*

**Lucile Seborg**- Member of St. Stephen's since 1982. I operated my own business for 35 years. I am President of the Gideons International Auxiliary. I serve on the Board of Directors for a community organization. Headed up the Prayer Chain until it became Clusters. Started the Cluster Program, chaired and formed the committee and the plan for the Parish. Choir member for 23 years, Hand Bell Member, Past President of the Guild. Headed up the parish dinners for 6 years, worked on dinners since 1982. Delegate to the Diocesan Convention 2 years, served on the Committee of 60, co-chaired the Search Committee, member of the Hospitality Committee, member of the Pastoral Care Committee, helped on My Brother's Keeper for one year, active Guild member, and member of the Home Bible Study Group. I am very interested in fulfilling the goals of the Search Committee and Committee of 60. The youth of the church are very important, as are the elderly of the church community. I have a love for St. Stephen's people and feel that I play a vital part in its life.

**My name is Michael Duffy.** My family (Margaret, Matt, Chris and Katie) and I have been attending St. Stephen's for about four years. Since joining the community, I have become increasingly involved in lay ministry activities at St. Stephen's. I started by periodically helping out at the Church dinners and pitching in to assist with youth activities such as EDGE, and worked my way up to participating in clean-up days and last year's painting of the Parish Hall. I enjoyed contributing in these small ways and became inspired to do more. I did so in 2003 and 2004, by contributing to the work of the Committee of 60, partnering with Margaret to teach the 2003-04 Confirmation class, and serving on the Search Committee that resulted in the Vestry's call of Father Hagerman. My children naturally have inspired a particular interest in youth activities at St. Stephen's. Accordingly, I have served as a counselor at the Mid-Winter Youth Retreat at the Bishop Claggett Center, and I am currently teaching the 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade Church School class. I consider myself somewhat of a handy-man, and I was able to put these "skills" to use as Margaret and I decorated the new Nursery this past August.

I have greatly enjoyed each of these opportunities to contribute to the St. Stephen's community. Working with many of you in the Parish and our youth has deepened my

## HOLY COMMUNION CLASS



Five Sundays

**BEGINNING FEBRUARY 20<sup>TH</sup>**

from 9:10-9:50 a.m. in the Parish Hall

**MAUNDY THURSDAY MARCH 24<sup>TH</sup>**

Agape Meal and Holy Communion beginning at 6 p.m. in the Parish Hall

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| February 20 <sup>th</sup> | 1) Holy Eucharist means THANKSGIVING.<br>a) God's good creation.<br>b) Marked as Christ's own child forever in Baptism.   |
| February 27 <sup>th</sup> | 2) God teaches us through the Bible   |
| March 6 <sup>th</sup>     | 3) Jesus teaches us to pray   |
| March 13 <sup>th</sup>    | 4) Jesus feeds us together.   |
| March 20 <sup>th</sup>    | 5) A visit to God's House. ( Fr. Hagerman will bring everyone into the sanctuary area of the church to learn about the vessels and vestments of the Holy Eucharist and to review the proper way to receive Holy Communion.) |

This program is for children and their parents who wish to prepare their child to receive First Holy Communion and for children and their parents who are already receiving and wish to deepen their understanding and experience of the sacrament. We are being flexible about the age because a variety of ages can benefit from this program. Generally, children first grade and up will be able to participate.

Father Hagerman and Mrs. Hagerman will be the teachers.

# FEBRUARY 2005

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 12 pm-Noonday Prayer	2 10 am-Eucharist & Healing 10:30 am-My Brothers' Keeper	3 9:30 am-Guild Eucharist 10 am-Guild Meeting 5 pm-Evening Prayer 7 pm-Circle Meeting 7:30 pm-Senior Choir	4	5
6 <b>Family Sunday</b> 8 am-Eucharist 8:50 am-Junior Choir 9:10 am-Rector's Ed Circle 10 am-Eucharist 11:15 am-Fellowship 5 pm-ET, EDGE, FFROG	7 9 am-Morning Prayer	8 12 pm-Noonday Prayer 5:30 pm-Pancake Supper 	9 <b>Ash Wednesday</b> 10 am-Eucharist & Healing 10:30 am-My Brothers' Keeper 7:30 pm-Holy Eucharist 	10 5 pm-Evening Prayer 7:30 pm-Sr Choir	11 3 pm-Giving Back	12 7 pm-ET's Sweetheart Dance  <b>H</b>
13 <b>Annual Meeting</b> 9 am-Eucharist 9 am-Church School 11 am-Annual Meeting 	14 9 am-Morning Prayer 7 pm-Bible Study	15 12 pm-Noonday Prayer	16 10 am-Eucharist & Healing 10:30 am-My Brothers' Keeper 6 pm-Shared Supper 7 pm-Lenten Program	17 5 pm-Evening Prayer 7:30 pm-Sr Choir	18	19
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## February Events

**February 6:** Diocesan Visitation by The Rev. Canon Mary Glasspool at both services

### Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

February 8, 2005

5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Parish Hall

Adult \$5/children 2-12 \$3

Proceeds benefit the activities of E.D.G.E. and E.T.



### February 9, Ash Wednesday:

Holy Eucharist with Distribution of Ashes at 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

### Annual Meeting, February 13

(after the 9:00 a.m. service)

### February 12:

ET's Sweetheart Dance from 7-10 p.m.

### February 16, Lenten Programs begin

6:00 p.m. Pot Luck Supper

7:00 p.m. Program of Prayer, Music, & Study