



# Epiphany *Light*

Ministry highlights for April 8, 2018

*That all might thrive and serve in the light of God's grace.*



### ***He is Risen! He is Risen indeed!***

Holy Week at Epiphany was quite busy! In addition to our traditional schedule, we had new services at 12 pm on Maundy Thursday & Good Friday, a sunrise service at Suwanee Town Center, hosted our community Egg Hunt, held a Fish Fry dinner and an Easter pancake breakfast. Thank you to everyone who participated, donated your time or money to our fundraisers and worshiped with us this past week!

## ***Welcome visitors!***

If you are visiting with us, please complete the visitor information on the Blue Signup Slip in your bulletin. Epiphany's nurseries for infants and toddlers are staffed with adult childcare professionals. Children up to kindergarten age are welcome in the nurseries, located just outside the worship center. Of course, children of all ages are invited to worship. **Please have a cup of coffee with us in our Holy Beans Café** in the lobby. Check out our website, [epiphanysuwanee.org](http://epiphanysuwanee.org), for more information about Epiphany. And don't hesitate to contact us if we can be of service, 770-831-1966. Epiphany is a church that welcomes **ALL!**

## ***Epiphany Today***

***Sunday School for all ages downstairs at 9:45 am***

Signs outside the classrooms identify the age groups.

**K & 1, 2nd & 3rd, 4th & 5th — Spark!**

**Middle School**—downstairs in CIA Room

**High School** — downstairs in Real Time Room

**Adults** — downstairs for Bible study & Wired Word discussion

***The Reach, Formation and Outreach Teams will be meeting today.***

***Handbells practice will resume on April 15*** Thank you for all your work and your beautiful performances on Easter Sunday!

### ***Epiphany Quarterly Congregational Meeting is***

***Sunday, April 15, 10-11 a.m.*** Mark your calendars and plan to attend this informational quarterly meeting. Find out how Epiphany is growing and reflecting God's light in our community and world!

***Women's Group April Get-Together*** Join us for a Paint Party on Tuesday, April 10 at 7 pm at Gina Hermansen's home. It will be led by an artist, so no artistic talent required! Supplies will be provided; there will be a small fee for supplies & a canvas. Sign up on the Blue slip if you can make it!

***Just So Seniors April Outing*** April 12th will find the Epiphany Seniors group touring Barrington Hall in Roswell followed by lunch at a local venue. Bus transportation from the church (leaving at 10 am) will be available. Check the Barrington Hall website for more information about this historic home. Sign up on the blue slip. Friends are welcome!

# Epiphany This Week

**Child Protection Training** Are you planning on helping out with VBS or other youth-related activities or has it been two years since you took a training class? All volunteers that help with kids under the age of 18 must take a child protection training class. You must also renew your training if it has been over two years since you took a class. Classes will be offered on Wednesday, April 11 at 6 pm and on Sunday, April 22 at 9:45 am. Please sign up on the blue slip.

## Registration is NOW OPEN for Vacation Bible

**School!** Over 100 children from Epiphany and the community attended last year’s VBS. This year’s theme is Rolling River Rampage: Experience the Ride of a Lifetime with God! **VBS will be held the week of June 18-22 from 9 am to 12 pm.**

VBS is open to all children ages 3-5th grade (*children must be potty-trained*). The cost is \$25 per child or \$50 max/family.

Register on our website at [epiphanyсуwaneе.org/vbs](http://epiphanyсуwaneе.org/vbs) or in the church office. For questions or more information, email [epiphanyсуwaneевbs@epiphanyсуwaneе.org](mailto:epiphanyсуwaneевbs@epiphanyсуwaneе.org). Volunteers will be needed for that week - 6th graders up through all ages of adults are welcome to help out!

## Life Line Screening coming to Epiphany on

**Monday, April 23, 9 am - 4 pm** Protect your health by finding out your risk of having a stroke by participating in the Life Line Screening that will be coming here. Through ultrasound screenings, they evaluate the carotid arteries for the buildup of fatty plaque which is the leading cause of stroke. Other tests included are carotid artery screening, heart rhythm screening, abdominal aortic aneurysm screening, peripheral arterial disease screening and osteoporosis risk assessment. Cost is \$149 for all tests. Pre-register by calling 1-888-814-0416 or register online and receive a special \$10 discount at [www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners).

**Women’s Book Clubs in April.** The weekly Women’s Book Club meets Tuesday mornings at 10 a.m. April’s book selection is *Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate. Coming up for the April monthly book club— *The Bette Davis Club* by Jane Lotter. They will meet on April 16, 7 pm at La Madeleine’s in Buford.

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### Monday, April 9

7:30 PM Lead Team Meeting

### Tuesday, April 10

10:00 AM Women’s Weekly Book Club  
6:00 PM Rainbow Village Dinner  
7:00 PM Women’s Group Get-Together

### Wednesday, April 11

6:00 PM Community Meal & Child Protection Training Class  
6:25 PM *Imagine* Children’s Choir  
7:00 PM **Worship**  
8:00 PM Rehearsal for Sunday Worship

### Thursday, April 12

10:00 AM Bible Study  
10:00 AM Seniors Group Outing to Barrington Hall

### Friday, April 13

6:30 AM Men’s Breakfast Bible study, (*IHOP, 3463 L’ville-Suwanee Rd*)

### Sunday, April 15

8:30 AM **Worship**  
10:00 AM Congregational Meeting  
11:00 AM **Worship**  
12:00 PM New Member Class & CIA Session  
12:30 PM Handbell practice

**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9 am-4 pm; Friday, 9 am-noon.** Contact [laurie.tinc@epiphanyсуwaneе.org](mailto:laurie.tinc@epiphanyсуwaneе.org) to schedule meetings; send info for the newsletter to Loren Means at [communications@epiphanyсуwaneе.org](mailto:communications@epiphanyсуwaneе.org).

**Wednesdays at the Well on April 11** Our midweek gathering provides a “cup of living water” in the middle of your week. Come for dinner at 6 p.m. for **Penne Pasta with meat sauce, Caesar salad, bread and dessert.** Suggested free-will offering is \$6/adult, \$3/child. Cash, checks, and credit cards accepted. Sign up on the Blue slip. Stay for worship at 7 p.m.! The last Wednesday night meal will be April 25 and then will break for summer.

## Daily Prayer Calendar

Please include these Epiphany families in your prayers this week:

Monday.....Lauren & Kaitlyn Kress  
Tuesday.....Chuck, Evelyn & Erica Kretzmann  
Wednesd.....Stewart, Deborah, Sean & Mikaela LaFave  
Thursday.....Chris & Melanie Landry  
Friday.....Paul & Landa Larson  
Saturday.....Greg & Cathy Laszewski

Reaching out, raising up, and changing the world through the light of the living Christ!