



Epiphany *Light*

Ministry highlights for April 15, 2018

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



The Women's Group artist-led paint party was a big success! We had a great turnout with a lot of new attendees! Even though the artistic talent may be in question, there's no doubt everyone had a great time!



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, epiphanysuwane.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 K-5th grade downstairs at 9:45 am

Signs outside the classrooms identify the age groups.

K & 1, 2nd & 3rd, 4th & 5th — Spark!

Middle School—upstairs for Congregational Meeting

High School — upstairs for Congregational Meeting

Adults - upstairs for Congregational Meeting

CIA (Confirmands in Action) meets downstairs today immediately following the 11 am service

New Member Class today downstairs after the 11 am service for those interested in joining Epiphany

Handbells practice today at 12:15 pm

Epiphany Quarterly Congregational Meeting is today at 10 am Plan to attend this informational quarterly meeting and find out how Epiphany is growing in faith and reflecting God's light in our community and world!

New Summer Worship schedule starts

Sunday, May 6 Worship times will change to 9:00 am and 10:30 am and there will be no formation classes in between services. We invite you to socialize in our coffee bar area before and after services. Please note this means that **Confirmation** for our 8th graders on **Sunday, May 20** will be held at the **10:30 am** service.

Funding Our Ministry

Month of March

Giving (<i>General & Capital Funds</i>)	\$38,395
Total spending for ministry	\$60,780
Deficit for the month.....	\$22,385
Year-to-date surplus	\$19,096

Child Protection Training Are you planning on helping out with VBS or other youth-related activities or has it been a few 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 three years since you took a class. Class will be offered on **Sunday, April 22 at 9:45 am**. Please sign up on the blue slip.

Registration is NOW OPEN for Vacation Bible

School! 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 epiphanyсуwanee.org/vbs** or in the church office. Volunteers will be needed for that week - 6th graders up through all ages of adults are welcome to help out! If you can help out with the decorations leading up to VBS, please sign up on the blue slip.

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, heart rhythm, abdominal aortic aneurysm, and 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.

Can you help out in the office? We need some volunteer help in the office on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays between 9 am - 12 pm. Please contact Laurie Tinc or sign up on the blue slip if you are available to help serve during those hours.

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 Monday, April 16, 7 pm at La Madeleine's in Buford.

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Epiphany This Week

Monday, April 16

7:00 PM Monthly Book Club - La Madeleine's in Buford

Tuesday, April 17

10:00 AM Women's Weekly Book Club

Wednesday, April 18

6:00 PM Community Meal
6:25 PM *Imagine* Children's Choir
7:00 PM **Worship**
8:00 PM Rehearsal for Sunday Worship

Thursday, April 19

10:00 AM Bible Study
7:00 PM Rainbow Village Big Recess - Men's Group

Friday, April 20

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

Sunday, April 22

8:30 AM **Worship**
9:45 AM Child Protection Training Class
11:00 AM **Worship**
12:00 PM Real Time - Cooking with Anders

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9 am-4 pm; Friday, 9 am-noon.

Contact laurie.tinc@epiphanyсуwanee.org to schedule meetings; send info for the newsletter to Loren Means at communications@epiphanyсуwanee.org.

Wednesdays at the Well on April 18 Our midweek gathering provides a "cup of living water" in the middle of your week. Come for dinner at 6 p.m. for **Roasted chicken thighs with tropical salsa, rice pilaf, green beans, salad, rolls 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..... Brad & Dottie Leamon
Tuesday..... Thomas, Marisa, Nicholas, Emily & Ashley Leckwold
Wednesday..... Linda, George & Karen Liskey, Hannah & Britney Gilliland
Thursday..... Eddie, Liz & Catcher Mangan
Friday..... Kristen McDermott
Saturday..... Judy McHenry