



Epiphany *Light*

Ministry highlights for April 16, 2017

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



Happy Easter!

We are thrilled that you are celebrating the resurrection of our Lord with us this morning. If you are visiting with us, please complete the visitor information on the Blue Signup Slip in your bulletin.

We invite you to stay after worship for a cup of coffee and fellowship in the Holy Beans Café.

Our nursery is open for children through age 5. Located to the left and right of the entrance to our worship center, our nursery is staffed by childcare professionals every Sunday morning and for our Wednesday evening midweek worship services.

Join us for formation and fellowship outside of worship. Explore our website, epiphanysuwanee.org, for all of our ministry opportunities. And don't hesitate to contact us if we can be of service, 770-831-1966.

Easter pancake breakfast served this morning until 10:30 downstairs in the fellowship hall. Thank you to the Men's Group for cooking this morning! Your freewill offering will help support Epiphany youth trips and activities.

Sunday school for all ages returns next Sunday downstairs at 9:45.

Signs outside the classrooms identify the age groups.
Pre-K, K & 1, 2nd & 3rd, 4th & 5th — *Spark!*
Middle School — *CIA Small Group*
High School — *Real Time discussions*
Adults — *Modern Topics in Christianity, fellowship hall; Study of the Gospel of Matthew, choir room*

Funding Our Ministry

Month of March

Giving (<i>General & Capital Funds</i>)	\$ 47,610
Total spending for ministry.....	\$47,774
Deficit for the month.....	(\$164)
Year-to-date surplus	\$8,281

Epiphany this week

Monday, April 17 *Office closed for Easter Monday*
 7:00 PM **Women's Monthly Book Club, *La Madeleine's French Café*, Buford**
 7:00 PM **Men's Group, *Pastor Chris's home***

Tuesday, April 18
 10:00 AM **Women's Weekly Book Club**

Wednesday, April 19
 6:00 PM Community Meal
 6:25 PM *Imagine*, **Children's Choir**
 7:00 PM Worship
 8:00 PM Worship Rehearsal for Sunday Worship

Thursday, April 20
 7:00 PM Rainbow Village Big Recess

Friday, April 21
 6:30 AM **Men's Breakfast Bible study, (*IHOP, 3463 L'ville-Suwanee Rd*)**

Wednesdays at the Well on April 19. Our midweek gathering provides a “cup of living water” through fellowship, formation, and worship. Take a 90-minute break in the middle of your week. *Community meal this week is serving* a taco bar, nachos and fixings, refried beans, and an ice cream sundae bar. Suggested freewill offering for dinner is \$6/adult and \$3/child. Sign up on the Blue Slip.

Imagine Children’s Choir meets at 6:25, and *Worship* begins at 7. Come, be refreshed at the Well!

Daily Prayer Calendar

Please include these Epiphany families in your prayers this week:

Monday.....Carol Johnson

Tuesday.....Vanessa Johnson

Wednesday.....Kevin Jones

Thursday.....Tom and Sheila Jones

Friday...Allen, Bridgett, Tanner, Eric, Christopher & Delaney Jorgensen

Saturday.....Jeffrey, Lauren, Jack & Amelia Kaeser

Upcoming Events at Epiphany!



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 *Hero Central: Discover Your Strength in God!* VBS will be held the week of June 26-30 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. VBS is open to all children ages 3-5th grade (children must be potty trained.) The cost is \$25 per child. Register on our website at epiphanyсуwanee.org or in the church office. For questions or more information, email vbs@epiphanyсуwanee.org.

Worship with us this summer on Sundays at 9:00 and 10:30 a.m., beginning June 4 through the end of July, and Wednesday evenings at 7:00.

Sunday School Kick-off on August 13. Join us for a festival of fellowship, games, food, and fun to kick off our new year of formation hour for all ages!

Trunk or Treat and Chili Cook-Off on October 29. Join us for our annual celebration with decorated trunks, treats, food, and a costume contest for all ages!

Celebrate Epiphany! Second annual special dinner with live music celebrating life at Epiphany.

Connect, Grow, and Serve with Epiphany. Epiphany has many opportunities weekly and monthly to gather for faith sharing, fellowship, and service, including our children’s choir, adult music ministry, our Seniors Group, book clubs for women weekly and monthly, small groups, and service opportunities monthly at Rainbow Village. We partner with the Haitian Timouan Foundation and send adults to Haiti annually for a week-long immersion experience and our youth serve at summer camps in Haiti every July. We also hold food drives for North Gwinnett Co-op during Thanksgiving and have food collections throughout the year. For more information about ways to *Connect, Grow, and Serve* with us, visit our website at epiphanyсуwanee.org.



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Regular 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 Mary Mullenbach at communications@epiphanyсуwanee.org.

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

