



# Epiphany *Light*

Ministry highlights for July 16, 2017

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



Our 2017 Haiti Summer Camp Team returned on Friday. Pictured above, top to bottom, L-R: Caroline Means, Alyssa Franklin, Sam Groesch, Anna Murphy, and Marisa Ridgely. These folks were part of a team of 26 who served at summer camps in Mirebalais, Haiti. Members of the team will share their experience with us at services next Sunday!

## *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 or 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!

*Welcome home, Haiti Summer Camp Team!*

## *Epiphany today*

### **Potter's House Men's Clothing Drive continues**

*through July.* Potter's House is a rehabilitation facility for men just north of Athens. They have a great need for clothes, as some of the men come to them with only the clothes on their back.

Epiphany's Men's Group is asking for gently used clothing: casual clothes, socks, undershirts, t-shirts, jeans, khakis, etc., for all sizes and seasons. Bring your items to church and deposit them in the box labeled "Potter's House" downstairs.

**Sunday School Teachers needed!** The fall semester is quickly approaching. Sunday school begins on August 13 and Epiphany needs teachers and helpers for ALL classes. Sign up on the Blue slip or contact the Formation Team at [formationteam@epiphanysuwanee.org](mailto:formationteam@epiphanysuwanee.org).

*The nursery team needs some help on Sunday mornings!* Could you be part of our regular nursery staff or even volunteer occasionally? We could use your help staffing both nurseries. Both adults and youth are welcome! If you can be a part of this integral part of worship at Epiphany, please contact Talitha Minton at [talitha318@gmail.com](mailto:talitha318@gmail.com) and/or Sign up on the Blue slip.

**Rainbow Village school supply collection.** Now through the end of July we will be collecting school supplies for the 2 elementary aged kids living in the apartment that we support. We are collecting for a 2nd, a 4th, and an additional 5th grade child. Grab a tag with needed supplies from the display in the lobby and return to church!

**Reminder: Sunday worship returns to regular schedule, 8:30 and 11:00, on August 6th!**

*Calling all musicians!* Do you have a talent for singing or playing a musical instrument? NOW is a great time to share your gift! Thomas Pearson, Assistant Minister for Music, would love to get to know you and find a place for you in our music ministry. Contact him at [Thomas.pearson@epiphanysuwanee.org](mailto:Thomas.pearson@epiphanysuwanee.org).

**National PRAY program coming to Epiphany!** The national PRAY program offers age-appropriate lessons geared toward ANYONE who wants to deepen their faith and learn more about God, Jesus, and the Protestant movement. Kim Towne, an active Boy Scout and Girl Scout leader, is coordinating this program at Epiphany Sunday, July 30-September 10.

TIME: 4-5:30 p.m., downstairs

COST: \$15, covers workbook, materials, party, certificate

WHO: Any Epiphany member elementary through high school

We would love to have some Epiphany adults help lead some sessions. The middle school kids will be learning about the history of the Lutheran church as well as Epiphany history. If you'd like to volunteer, email [ktowne2@bellsouth.net](mailto:ktowne2@bellsouth.net).

For more info, visit <https://www.praypub.org/pray>, and register at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d48a5ae22a02-pray>.

Registration deadline: July 20

**Grace House Campus Ministry Low Country Boil, Saturday, August 27th, 4-7 p.m.** This delicious and fun annual event is Grace House's one big fundraiser which raises more than 10% of their annual funding. The low country boil, fellowship, music, and a live auction will be held at Living Grace Lutheran Church, 1812 Cooledge Rd., Tucker, GA 30084. Tickets are \$50/adults; students and everyone under 21/FREE! Get your tickets at [www.GracePeople.org](http://www.GracePeople.org). If you can make something or donate to the auction, email [Devin@GracePeople.org](mailto:Devin@GracePeople.org).

**Women's Book Clubs in July.** The weekly women's book club meets Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. at church. We will be reading short stories: July 18: *The Love Story* by Elizabeth Berg; July 25: *Hills Like White Elephants* by Ernest Hemingway.

The monthly women's book club will meet Monday, July 24 at 7 p.m. at *La Madeleine's Café* in Buford. We are reading *The Perfect Stranger* by Megan Miranda.

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## Epiphany this week

### Tuesday, July 18

10:00 AM Women's Book Club

### Wednesday, July 19

7:00 PM Worship

8:00 PM Worship Rehearsal for Sunday Worship

### Friday, July 21

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

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

### Wednesdays at the Well on July 19

Our midweek gathering provides a "cup of living water" with Worship at 7 p.m., a spiritually uplifting, relaxed and informal break in the middle of your week. Come, be refreshed at the *Well!* Join us as we begin studying *Exodus: Part 2*.

**Help keep Epiphany Green!** Remember our TerraCycle recycle bins located downstairs by the entrance. Bring in your empty hard-to-recycle items, like toothpaste tubes, deodorant sticks, mouthwash bottles and spray bottle triggers.

**Summer Green Tip: Drink, but don't waste water.** Your body needs water to stay healthy and hydrated, so carry that water bottle with you, but don't waste it! Any "leftover water" can be used to water plants or give to your pets.

## Daily Prayer Calendar

Please include these Epiphany families in your prayers this week:

Monday.....John, Wendy & Joshua Wahl  
Tuesday.....Ana Walker  
Wednesday.....Mike, Joanna & Kinsey Weaver  
Thursday.....Bobbie, Candas, Jackson & Nathan Yocum  
Friday.....Chris, Stacie, Cade & Chase Zeman  
Saturday.....Emily Acuff

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

