

Adult Formation gets started again in September, with **LOTS of offerings**. Our “academic year” will begin on Sunday, Sept 18. More details on each offering will be in the September Come & See.

Adult Formation: The Celtic Church and Its Spirituality

Join Fr. Eric and Mthr. Lisa as they explore the history, theology, liturgy, and experiences of Celtic Spirituality. Select Sundays this Fall, from 9am to 9:50am, in the main Sanctuary: **Note, we are not meeting on Sundays that include parish breakfast*

September 18, September 25, October 2

October 16, October 23, October 30

November 13, November 20

Bible 101 is back!

The existing class will resume on Tuesday, Sept. 20, from 10 to 10:45 AM. in the Chapel Annex. All are welcome, no matter whether or not you've ever been to the class before.

A new Bible 101 is starting

The Rev. Lowe Davis is offering to teach a new Bible 101 class, starting at the very beginning. (Hint: "In the beginning, God created...") This class consists of 45 minutes of lively learning about the big stories, the big names, and the big ideas in the Bible. The day and time for the class are yet to be determined by consensus of those interested. Please text or call Lowe with your preferences. lowedavis@yahoo.com, 910-408-7051.

Back by Popular Demand... Theology Uncorked!

Join us every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month for rousing conversation and good company.

Our first gathering is Wednesday, September 14, at 5pm, at Southport Tap & Cellar.

No need to RSVP—all are welcome!

1 Corinthians Bible Study with Canon Jim

Join Canon Jim's Zoom Bible Study on Thursdays from 7:30-9 am. To sign up, please contact Canon Jim by email at jim.hanisian@gmail.com so that an invitation can be sent to you.

Weekly Share Group Ministry forming. If you would like to learn more and possibly be part of this new Ministry that is intended to bring participants closer to Christ and one another, please call George & Judy Freeman at 210-885-9990.

CALLING INTERESTED LEADERS!

Do YOU have a topic you'd like to share? Or a study you would like to offer to our St. Philip's family? We are always looking for folks who want to share their faith and passion for loving God & neighbor. Contact Sue Mills (Faith Formation board chair) at 920-634-5122 or mamamills2011@gmail.com to discuss the possibilities.

Outreach Board Meeting

Monday, Sept 26, 4:00 PM

Place: Room 202 (upstairs in admin building)

Anyone interested in the process and distribution of Charity Grant Requests are welcome to attend.

Prayers of the People

In keeping with our commitment to love one another, please offer prayers daily for those on our prayer list.

Please pray continually for all those who suffer in body, mind or spirit, especially:

Adelynn H, Meghann H., Erin L., Bud B., Erinn H., Sharon S., Ennis H., Kate H., Sabrina G., Pat P., Joseph M., Muriel N., Mark O., Clyde F., Doylene B., Ben J., Candice, Mary Claire M., Laura M., Nancy F., Sandy S., Nan B., Sue M., George M., David O., Dennis G., Miller S., Ken M., Ann R., Jacquie M., Terri S., Frank D., Annette C., Barbara F., Edward G., Jean M., Juanita S., Rusty H.

Please pray for the people of Ukraine.

Please pray for all those affected by the Coronavirus around the world. Please pray for all seminarians and all those discerning their call to serve God, especially Gino H.

Please pray for those who serve in the Armed Forces, especially: Alex, Gunner W., Tully E., Brian P., Amanda, Ileana, Ted, Brooke, Cam, Oliver, Cody, Julie, Eric, Conall, Tom, Ben, John, Devon, Christopher, and Scotty.

Starting Wednesday, September 14

Portico Sittin' (used to be Porch Sittin') is BACK!!!

Join Clergy from 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM on the Portico to catch up, chat, ask a question or just enjoy the view.

Theology Uncorked is BACK!!!

Join in lively discussions about various topics from 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM at Tap and Cellar in Southport.

All are welcome to join in these casual conversations. .No RSVP needed!!

The ECW Fall Festival is less than a month away! Mark your calendars!

Saturday, October 1, 2022 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The event will take place at the Parish Hall. The ladies of the ECW have created an abundant selection of fine crafts to make your holiday home a warm and festive place. Baked Goods will also be available as well as a Raffle. A Hot Dog luncheon is offered for our shoppers' pleasure. Don't miss out on the savings and quality gifts.

Admission is free.

Cash, Check or Charge. All moneys raised by the sale of items goes to St. Phillip's Ministries.

Raffle Ticket Sales for Fall Festival

Tickets for Items in the Raffle for the ECW Fall Festival to be held on Saturday, October 1st, from 9am - 3 p.m. will be available for purchase before and after each service in the narthex on Sunday, September 18 and Sunday, September 25. 1 ticket = \$1; 6 tickets = \$5; 12 tickets = \$10 and 25 tickets = \$20.

~ Balancing Mind, Body, and Soul ~

What better time to experience this event than when the day and night are equal!

Join us at St. Philip's Labyrinth on the evening of the **Autumn Equinox** for a celebration of balance and healing.

Wednesday, September 21, 2022 5-7 pm

St. Philip's Episcopal Church Labyrinth

(Drum Circle, Reflexology, Chair Yoga, Sound Bowls, Healing Anointing and more)

Pledge statements were sent the week of August 29 to those with outstanding balances for the 2022 general fund or capital campaign. Donation options to consider include:

Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs) from your IRA. If you are 70 ½ or older, you can have your IRA administrator send a check from your IRA to St. Philip's. QCDs count towards your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) but are not taxable and are not deductible.

Stock Transfers from your non-retirement investment account to St. Philip's. Capital gains on stocks that are transferred are not taxable.

Set up a recurring payment using your financial institution's online banking. Contributions are sent automatically as scheduled, for example monthly or weekly. You no longer have to worry about writing checks or using envelopes.

More information is available on the website, under the Donate to St. Philip's link. As with all financial transactions, please check with your financial advisor. If you have any questions, please contact Treasurer Bob Fuchs.

Walking Through Grief Beginning

The 9 session Walking Through Grief seminar sponsored by St. Philip's for those grieving the loss of a loved one will start Tuesday September 20th at Trinity United Methodist Church from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM.

For more information email frbilleberle@gmail.com or call 540-212-3094 (mobile)

Christmas in August!

SAVE THE DATE DECEMBER 6, 2022

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

CELEBRATE THE CHRISTMAS SEASON AT MYRTLE BEACH

INCLUDES: *Overnight stay at the Beach Cove Resort in Myrtle Beach (Renovation complete!)

*A complete dinner at a new restaurant, Chestnut Hill *Tickets to the Alabama Christmas Show

*A full breakfast at the resort the next day

\$123.00 per person double occupancy

\$175.00 single occupancy

PLEASE NOTE: Signups will begin in September; Payments due the last week of October

Please email humphreyslinda@yahoo.com or call George or Linda Humphreys at 941-504-9689 or 941-780-5396