

PRAYER LIST

*Dear God, bless those young people who travel.
May your word be a lantern to their feet and light to their path, that at journey's
end they may safely rest in the knowledge of your grace and protection.
We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen*

Sr. EYC mission trip to Perry County, AL

Megan Ernst, Olivia Stockert, Emily Stockert, Darby Cook,
Cathryn Campbell, Katie Fowler, Georgianna Malchow, Virginia Reticker,
Frank Broadbridge, Anna Marie Sokolowski, Jordan Perry,
Sarah Merkel, Sarah Hamill, Lindsay Stewart, Andrew Drechsel,
Caroline Herbert, Robbie Gordon, Richie Sokolowski, Avery Calhoun,
Payton Calhoun, Derby Sutter, Megan Barrett
Adults: Christy Beesley, Lilia Romero, Elizabeth Harris, Charles Shipp

PARISH BIRTHDAYS: *Loving and gracious God, we give you thanks for the
gift of life and the gift of love, and for placing in our lives people with whom to
share your love, especially those who are celebrating birthdays today and in
the coming week: (7/5) Jeff McMullen, Michelle Bivens, (7/6) Anne Saunders,
Kelly Ferrel, Florence Perusse, Jan Hackney, Marc Lambert, Jay Singh, Kate
Howkins, Zachary Schroll, Carrie Bornholm, Alan Quigley, (7/7) Jim Williams,
Donald Zima, Susan Drechsel, Cayce Carter, Steve Hyser, Lizzy Kline, Mitch
Lanik, Audrey Farnham, (7/8) Mamie Kneller, Bill Craighill, Hampton Mallis,
Emily Hoyt, Katherine Moultrie, Anna Thomas, Alexander Loper, Conley
Street, Andrew Grissom, (7/9) Pat Schneider, Libba Drewicz, Reta Peery,
Spears Mallis, Clair Foley, Grace Laney, Anna Devine, (7/10) Betty Pribitski,
Carter Taylor, Ryan Graham, Patrick Atwater, Casey Farrell, Katie McComb,
Eva Moffat, Justin Mitchell, Grace Jackson, Jenna Scott, Emma Aaron, (7/11)
Phyliss Brasse, Hedy Edmondson, Glenda Berthelot, Jennifer Morris,
Lindsay White, Nicholas Menefee, Daniel Palladino, Jr., Reilly Murtaugh,
George Christman.*

THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING: *Comfort and heal all those who suffer in
body, mind or spirit, and those receiving communion at home today.*

THE INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP is committed to pray for those on
the prayer list for a period of two weeks. If you want continued prayer, please
call Fran Parr at 404-255-0309.

LECTIONARY FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Amos 7:7-15; Ephesians 1:3-14;
Mark 6: 14-29; Psalm 85:8-13.

Pastoral Staff

The Reverend Martha P. Sterne-Associate Rector
The Reverend Alison M. Schultz -Assistant to the Rector
The Reverend Tryggvi G. Arnason -Assistant to the Rector

Parish Staff

Susan Farrell- Parish Administrator
David Brensinger - Director of Music
Christy Beesley-Youth Minister
Susan West -Assistant Organist
Norma Whitley –Facilities Manager/Events Coordinator
Leigh Jackson- Director of Communications/Outreach Coordinator
Melody McNeil -Technology/Office Manager
Jeanne Reichmann-Registrar
Judy Blumenau-Director of Nursery and MMO
Ginny Black-Financial Secretary
Carol Johns-Receptionist
Clifford Thomas– Sexton

Vestry

Mike Ernst, Sr Warden Pat Chesser, Jr Warden
Bill Aaron, Margaret Boone, Tami Crewdson, Greg Esslinger,
Peter Hardin, John Hedrick, Julie McGhee Howard,
Kathie Larkin, Rolf Meinhold, Bob Tarkington
Jan Stewart, Immediate Past Senior Warden
Youth Vestry: Parker Ford and Katie Vaky

Clergy on Call

Week of July 6-The Rev Martha Sterne-404-805-5547
Week of July 13-The Rev Alison Schultz-404-357-8202

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Welcome Visitors!

Following the 8:30 service, you are invited to gather in the
Inglett Room for a summer breakfast and fellowship.
So that we may get to know you better, kindly complete the
tear-off visitor card found in the WELCOME leaflet in the pew racks and
place in the alms bag or hand to a clergy person.

Welcome to Holy Innocents!

Whoever you are, welcome

Wherever you find yourself

On the journey of faith

We welcome you in the name of Jesus Christ

**On Sunday, August 9, 2009
Holy Innocents' welcomes our seventh rector
The Rev. Michael Radford Sullivan
and his family Page, Mattie, and Jack.**

**On his first Sunday as our rector,
Michael will offer the sermon at all services.
We invite your presence and your prayers.**

RETREAT 09

It's HI Time to Play

Camp Mikell- Toccoa, GA
September 11-13

**Whether you want to hike, bird watch, knit, play with clay, paint a
picture, read, make some crafts, play kickball or four square, or just
enjoy the company of your family and friends, Retreat 09 is for you!**

Sign up today!

Forms in the narthex or on line.

We must guarantee our numbers with Camp Mikell this week!

Questions? Please contact:

Jeremy Webber, jwebber@us.ibm.com or
Alison Schultz, aschultz@holyinnocents.org

Announcements Sunday, July 5, 2009

LAYING ON OF HANDS is offered this morning at the 8:30 and 10:30 services. Healing Ministers are located on the far right and left aisles. You may approach them upon returning from Communion. Members of the healing ministry team will lay hands on your head and have a quiet prayer with you before you return to your seat.

ASSISTED HEARING DEVICES are available. If interested, please see an usher.

SUNDAY SUMMER SERVICES are at 8:30 am, 10:30 am, and 6:00 pm.

SUMMER CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am– 4:00 pm, Monday—Thursday, and 9:00 am—3:00 pm on Friday.

TODAY AT HIEC

Independence Day Propers (8:30 & 10:30 am)

As we do each year, the proper readings for Independence Day will be utilized today, as well as patriotic hymns and the presentation of the flags at the offertory.

Please join us for a summer breakfast between the morning services in the Inglett Room.

Today's breakfast is hosted by the Pastoral Care Committee.

Under Tony Clarke's direction, a number of groups minister to our parish.

Healing Ministry - Renee Peyton

Members of the healing committee are available on the side aisles during the 2 principal Sunday services, to offer prayers of healing.

Lay Pastoral Care- Martha Sterne

Volunteers dedicated to visiting the elderly, homebound, or parishioners having long term needs.

Intercessory Prayer - Fran Parr

Members pray daily for any needs identified by parishioners or clergy and meet Monday's at the church.

St. Joseph of Arimethea - Anne Hutto

This Guild ministers to bereaved families by hosting a reception following funeral services in the Church.

Lay Eucharistic Ministers - Karen Steanson

Parishioners go directly from a Sunday liturgy to share Holy Communion with those who cannot be present with the gathered church.

Petal Pushers – Marye Fincher

Volunteers take flowers on holidays to homebound or hospitalized parishioners.

Care Connection – Martha Sterne

A support group for those caring for medically fragile persons, near or far.

Transportation Committee- John Hedrick

Taxi service is provided to parishioners at Mt. Vernon Towers and Campbell Stone Apts. This group is working toward helping other members with transportation needs.

Please contact the chairperson or church office if you are interested or would like more information on any of these groups.

THIS WEEK AT HIEC

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES AND CHAPEL SERVICES

Monday	Emmaus Bible Study, Conference Room	7:30 am
Wednesday	Bible Study, Conference Room	6:38 am

WEDNESDAYS

Eucharist	7:30 am	Chapel
Eucharist	10:00 am	Chapel

BRIDGE PARTY meets July 10 at 12:30 pm in the Inglett Room.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT HIEC

SUMMER BREAKFASTS: Who we are!! Here are the hosts for the remaining summer breakfasts:

July 12	Youth
19	Ushers
26	Flower Guild
August 2	Baptism
9	ESL
16	Membership
23	Formation
30	Parish Picnic (no breakfast)
September 6	Outreach

Breakfast is served each Sunday morning during the summer between the services at 9.30 am – Join us for fellowship and learn more about each of these ministries and organizations!

SUMMER CINEMA: Wednesdays at Holy Innocents': Let's all go to the movies... Every other Wednesday in July, bring your lunch to watch movies together in the Youth Pavilion. Our movie time will begin at 11:30. July 15: *Elf – Xmas in July*; July 29: *Hotel for dogs*. **EVERYONE IS INVITED!!!!!!!!!!**

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB Summer dates and books are July 13: *An Altar in the World* by Barbara Brown Taylor (everyone is invited to read this book and meet with us); August 10: *Bel Canto* by Ann Patchett. Meetings are at 6:00 pm in the Inglett Room.

MEN'S BOOK CLUB: Tuesday, July 14; Dinner: 6:30 pm; Discussion: 7-8 pm; At the home of Rolf Meinhold, 6215 Old Hickory Point, Atlanta 30328; The book is *The Wounded Healer* by Henri Nouwen. RSVP to caryn.l.bains@gmail.com. The discussions are challenging and enriching.

HIEC MEN'S GROUP MEETING: Want to connect with some other men at Holy Innocents'? Then, this is for you. The HIEC Men's Group meets the third Friday of the month in the Youth Pavilion. 6:45 – 8:00 am. Our next meeting is Friday, **July 17**– come join us!

FAB 40'S meets Friday, July 17 at 7:00 pm at the home of Pods Cato. Please call Jean McCain for reservations: 404-252-3577.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Women Who Meet to Read the Gospel summer schedule: on these Tuesdays we will meet for talk and quiet reflection- July 7, July 21, August 11, August 25 Same time: 9ish to 10ish. Same place: youth pavilion. I pray your summer is graceful and glorious and whether you join us or not may you find some time for the stillness of God. Peace, Alison +

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHEESE! AN HIEC PHOTO DIRECTORY IS COMING! Recent individual and family pictures can be sent digitally to directory@holynnocents.org or you can have one of our amateur photographers snap a photo! They will be available each Sunday in July in/or near the Rainbow Lobby. We hope the directory will be complete in early fall. Please call the church office with questions.

SUMMER USHERS NEEDED: If you're willing to serve, please complete a form, found in the narthex, and either give the completed form to an usher or place it in the alms basin.

FORMATION FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH: Come and be counted! The 2009-2010 Christian Formation registration forms are due! If you haven't received the formation information let us know by calling 404 255 4023 or emailing Jeanne Reichmann reichmann@holynnocents.org. If you have any questions please feel free to call Christy Beesley, cbeesely@gmail.com; Rosalyn Devine, rmdevine@gmail.com; or Alison Schultz, aschultz@holynnocents.org.

OTWTWBS (the 6:38 AM Group) is more than a bunch of confusing letters or just a group of people who get up early. We have been meeting for over 20 years. The size of the group has varied from about 35 people to a group of 6 to 12 people. We discuss the meaning of the Gospel, scheduled for the next Sunday, to see how it enhances our daily lives. Everyone is welcome to join us for caring and sharing,. **WARNING** : After a visit, you might be surprised to see such a lively group of men and women always ready to smile and laugh..... and you might find out that 6 : 38 AM is not an early hour. Some call it a Mid-week Fix! The scripture readings used each week can be found under the Prayer List in HILights.

ESL BOOK SALE - August 8-9. Here's a chance to clear some space on your bookshelves or get rid of those boxes in the basement! English for Successful Living, Inc. invites you to donate your new or gently used children or adult books, DVDs, puzzles, and educational games to its Summer Book Sale. (Please, no video tapes or magazines.) Books can be left in the Rainbow Lobby of the church in the container marked "ESL Book Sale" any time between June 1 and August 2.

LITURGY HIGHLIGHTS THIS SUMMER:

July 26 - Guest Preacher: The Rev. Barbara Brown Taylor (10:30 am) Barbara Brown Taylor, one of the most gifted preachers in the country, will preach this morning. Barbara is on the faculty of Piedmont College and Columbia Seminary, after serving as a parish priest for two decades. She was formerly on the staff of All Saints', Atlanta and Grace-Calvary, Clarkesville. **Please join the Women's Book Club on July 13, as The Rev. Brown's book, *An Altar in the World*, is discussed– everyone is invited!**

August 2 - Baptisms! (10:30)

We baptize the newest members of our congregation this day at 10:30 a.m.

August 9- The Rev. Michael Sullivan's first Sunday with us!

EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY(EFM): EFM is a program for adult Christian formation from the School of Theology at Suwanee. Its goal is to empower the individual ministries of lay people through study of the Bible, church history, and theology. EFM at Holy Innocents' also provides a safe place for a small community of faithful people to gather questions, fears, and aspirations as each individual develops a personal theology. A new group will form after Labor Day, and we are seeking people who would like to join us on the journey. Please contact Ursula Simmons (770-992-1308), John Donnelly (770-980-0621), or one of the clergy for more information.

VESTRY PERSONS OF THE DAY: John Hedrick and Parker Ford