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St. James

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BAPTISM or RECEPTION ~

During Bishop White's visit on the 25th, anyone wishing to be baptized or received into the Episcopal Church may do so. BUT in order to do so you must let me know by Monday the 5th so that I may submit this to the Diocese before next Wednesday. If you've wondered about your status within the Episcopal Church/St. James this is a wonderful opportunity to assure your membership.

BEING RECEIVED IN THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The following is from *An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church.*

“Baptized persons who have been members of another Christian fellowship and who wish to be affiliated with the Episcopal Church may make a public affirmation of their faith and commitment to the responsibilities of their baptism in the presence of a bishop. The bishop lays hands on each candidate for reception and says, “We recognize you as a member of the one holy catholic and apostolic Church, and we receive you into the fellowship of this Communion” (BCP, p. 418). Candidates for reception normally have made a mature commitment in another Christian fellowship. Some dioceses have reserved reception for those candidates who have previously received sacramental confirmation with laying on of hands by a bishop in apostolic succession.”

This Week's Services

February 4

Rite I

8:00 a.m.

Chalicer and Lector

Susan Benson

Rite II 10:00a.m.

Chalicer

Susan Benson

Candle Bearers

Skylar Jin

Rylee Aber

Lector

Barbara Saunders

Ushers

Barbara Saunders

Eleanor Bailey

Cantors

Bob Skidmore

Dawnell Graham

Morning Prayers

via

Zoom 11:00 a.m.

FEBRUARY SERVICES ~

February 4 – Communion with Susan Riis providing the sermon. Includes a second basket offering to benefit the music program.

February 11 – Communion with Tom Tompkins providing the sermon.

February 14 - 4:00 Ash Wednesday Service

February 18 – Communion, First Sunday in Lent, Eric Blake will be providing the Sermon.

February 25 – Communion, Second Sunday in Lent, The Reverend Canon Kristin Uffelman White.

FRIENDSHIP DINNER ~

At the Friendship Dinner on January 27, we served 96 meals at a cost of \$0.63 per meal. This meal was inexpensive because we had a clean out the freezer dinner. The variety of food was enjoyed by our guests. A Big Thank You to those who helped to prepare, to serve, and to clean up after our meal.

Our February Friendship Dinner will be February 24. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board in the Undercroft. PLEASE sign the sheet if you plan on volunteering. Also, we are serving cookies as the dessert, there is a signup sheet for donating cookies for this meal.

FROM TOM TOMPKINS -

The print copy of Connections Magazine is published twice a year. The most recent edition had wonderful interviews with our provisional bishop and our bishop-elect. I've discovered many of the folks at St James are not receiving it, including Eric.

Anyone can subscribe to receive it, but the catch is that you have to use an online link. That's sort of a blind spot in Cincinnati — if you want a hard copy of something you probably aren't able to do that.

That being said, could we put something in our weekly newsletter inviting anyone who wants to subscribe to the hard copy Connections Magazine to submit their request to the church office. We just need a name and mailing address. I will be happy to help sending the names to Cincinnati or show someone else how to do it.

Tom.

PASTORAL CARE ~

Arrangements have been made to provide pastoral support to you if needed. Please contact the church office at the number above to start the process.

Community Outreach Programs

Load of Love continues to need your support through your donations of quarters or supplies. Tom Tompkins is the contact person for this outreach program.

Transition House could use donations of baby shampoo, conditioner and soap, baby teethingers, baby binkies, diaper rash cream, heading pads, boys' sizes 8-10 clothing (new or gently used). If you have donations you would like to share, Beth Burton is the contact person for this ministry.

Friendship dinner has been a mainstay of St. James for years. Volunteers are always needed with the current list of needed desserts always posted. Let Susan Benson know that you can help.



February

Birthdays

1 Cynthia Linn
17 Barbara White
26 Milman H. Linn III

Anniversaries

None

PRAYER LIST

Our Military Family

Zachary Spiker Jacob Spiker
Audrey Spiker Ben Spiker

Our Parish Family and Friends

Deborah Robinson Sekou	Cindy Yost
Sally Mathes	Janice Campfield
Anthony Gillespie	Cris Morrison
Susan Hall	Andrea Salahub
Steve Averill	Susan Spiker
Shirley Stephens	Caroline Bruni
Lisa Ferguson	Carol Griffin and Rebecca
Stephanie Sherman	Cathy Blair
Greg Butler	Larry and Charlie Jeffers
Nicole Blake	Beth
Brittyn Miller	Lola Sherman
Jo Ann Van Gilder	Michael Ryan Family
Dink Heinzman	The Martin Family
Erica Cook and babies	Pat Longshore

SHROVE TUESDAY DINNER



155 N 6th St., Zanesville, OH 43701 740-453-9459 stjameszanesville@gmail.com

FEBRUARY 13, 2024

4:30 PM TO 6:30 PM
COST: \$15.00

Tickets can be purchased by contacting the Janet Stewart or Carol Thompson, at the door, through Venmo @stjamesecw, as well as purchasing them from parishioners.

Children under 12 only wanting pancakes, eat free when accompanied by an adult.

Carryout available

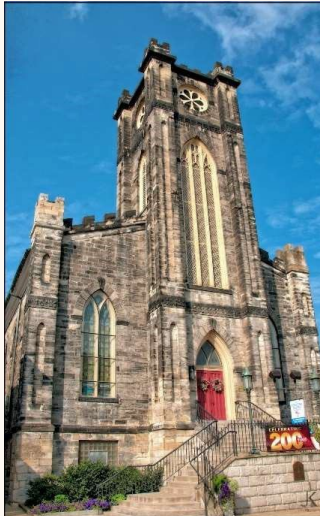
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Please come and enjoy a good start to Lent!

For more information contact: Janet Stewart at 614-204-5863 or Carol Thompson at 740-452-1155



AN EVENT HELD SINCE THE CIVIL WAR!!



St. James Episcopal Church is having their long-standing Shrove Tuesday Dinner on Tuesday, February 13, 2024. This is a tradition carried on around the time of the Civil War. It is being served as a sit-down dinner in the lower level of the church or you can purchase dinners to carry out.

The Episcopal Church Women have guarded the recipe for their special pancakes. The homemade syrup that is served is also a guarded recipe. The money raised is used to help with community out-reach projects.

MENU

HAM

CHEESY POTATOES

GREEN BEANS

APPLESAUCE

DINNER ROLLS

JELLY, PICKLES

BEVERAGE

FAMOUS ST. JAMES PANCAKES FOR DESSERT



St. James Episcopal Church
155 N. 6th Street, Zanesville
Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner

February 13, 2024

4:30 PM to 6:30 PM

A dinner of ham, green beans, cheesy potatoes, applesauce, rolls, jelly, pickles, beverage and our legendary pancakes and syrup will be served in the lower level. Take out is also available.

Cost is \$ 15.00

Children under 12 only wanting pancakes, eat free when accompanied by an adult.

Handicapped accessible

Tickets are available at the door, from tickets sold by parishioners, Venmo @stjamesecw or contact: Janet Stewart :614-204-5863, or Carol Thompson: 740-452-1155.



SHROVE TUESDAY

Shrove Tuesday is almost here and the plans for our annual fundraiser are underway. This year we will return to serving the Pancake Dinner in the Undercroft with carryout available.

Committee Updates

Tickets-Chair Carol Thompson

Presale tickets will be passed out after the 10 o'clock service starting January 7th. If you are unable to be at Church, please let Carol know and she will get the tickets to you. Her number is 740-452-1155.

Maggie and Chris Collins are printing the tickets.

Tickets are priced at \$15 for adults with children under 12 will be free (pancakes only) with an accompanying adult.

The number of tickets sold will determine the amount of supplies we need.

Food Donations- Linda O'Neil

She will be contacting you. If you have any questions, please contact Linda at 614-296-9677.

The Dining Room Decorating and Setup-Co-Chairs-Dianne Ischy and Janet Stewart Setup will be Monday, February 12th at 11a. Volunteers are needed AND will be recruited!!!! Please email Janet at jancys@columbus.rr.com or text or call at 614-204-5863 to let her know you are available on Monday.

Dining Servers-Wendy Gillespie
Her number is 740-586-9043

Kitchen Help-Sherry Gillespie
Prep is Monday, February 12th.

For Tuesday, February 13th, dishwashers, pancake flippers, cooks, and steam table servers are needed.

Please let Sherry know what you plan to do at 740-453-3429.

We are continuing a very important tradition that began at St. James before the Civil War and continued through the Pandemic in various forms. This is our way of making money for those things that are not in the church budget. The Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner is a good way to begin the Lenten Season. Sometimes, as they say, "It takes a village" to make things happen. In our case, "It takes a church" to put this dinner on. We look forward to being together again. So mark your calendars, stay healthy, and we will have a really good time. If you have any questions, please call Janet Stewart at 614-204-5863 or Sherry Gillespie at 740-453-3429