

“Happy Eastertide! Alleluia! Christ is Risen!”

The long awaited “Alleluia!” was first heard in our Easter Vigil celebration in the Opening Acclamation:

Alleluia, Christ is Risen!

The Lord is risen indeed, Alleluia!

The Opening Acclamation will continue to be said at the beginning of each Eucharistic Service from Easter Eve through the Day of Pentecost. The “Alleluia!” acclamation brings to a close the end of the Lenten Season and Holy Week as we look forward to the next season of Eastertide.

This year’s Lenten Season programs were rich and full of opportunities for spiritual formation, contemplation and worship. During the Adult Education Lenten Program, we had the opportunity to hear from representatives of some of our Outreach Ministries including the Haiti Partnership Program, the YWCA Women’s Abuse Shelter, the Liberian Leprosy Mission, and Manna House, a hospitality ministry for the homeless. Many of us were touched, inspired, and, at times, brought to tears over the sharing of those in need being served and those involved in faithful service.

The Wednesday Evening Lenten Program was one of the most well-attended and successful to date. Each Wednesday night, we shared a simple but delicious meal together followed by a “Way of the Cross” program where we journeyed through different interpretive scripts each week. The outside “Stations of the Cross” concluded our programs and continues to be one of the most memorable experiences during Lent. Our Holy Week worship service was moving and beautiful. The Easter Vigil and following Easter services were filled with the “Light of Christ” celebration.

We continue our Easter celebration after Easter Sunday with the liturgical season of Eastertide, also known as the “Great Fifty Days”. Since the first few centuries, the Church has celebrated an Eastertide season from the Resurrection through Pentecost over a fifty day period marked by rejoicing, celebration, and redemptive liturgies. During the “Great Fifty Days of Easter” there are some liturgical customs and observances that highlight the redemptive and celebratory nature of the Eastertide season. Some of them are:

- ◇ The liturgical color is white used during the entire Fifty Days
- ◇ The Paschal candle is moved from its normal position near the baptismal font to a prominent place near the altar to remind us of our Baptismal Covenant in our celebrations
- ◇ The “Alleluia” which is omitted during Lent is restored to the liturgy as the premier expression of joy celebrating the Resurrection
- ◇ The “Gloria” which is omitted during Lent is also restored to the liturgy as a point of praise and celebration
- ◇ The Acclamation of: “Alleluia! Christ is Risen!” is said at the beginning of each worship service
- ◇ The Fraction Anthem is sung in place of the Agnus Dei.
- ◇ As Rite I is celebrated during the Lenten season, Rite II Eucharistic Prayer B is observed during the Eastertide season

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The Rev. Terry Street, Rector

April at a Glance

- 4-6 Catechesis Training
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- 27 Scouts Archery Class
- 28 EYC Car Wash
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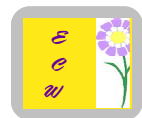
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During the “Great Fifty Days of Easter”, may we all take the time to continue to celebrate our redemption through the Cross of the Resurrection, to explore what this great mystery means in our own lives and to fully embrace our Baptismal Covenant. Alleluia! Christ is Risen!

“The best is yet to come!”

Fr. Terry 



Music News

A big THANK YOU goes to the choir members, including all the new and returning singers, who participated in the Holy Week services. The Hallelujah Chorus was the best one yet!

Lisa Fairchild
Director of Music Ministry

MEN’S CLUB

April 26th is almost here! Back by popular demand, will be the 2nd Annual Golf Scramble and Fund Raiser. Last year the Men of St. Philip raised \$5,000 that was used to help support the continuation of our youth ministry. This year hopes to be even bigger and better.

Even if you don’t golf, come and join us at this fun event. Over a dozen volunteers from the ECW and church helped at last year’s tournament. It was truly a church wide event. This year, the outing will take place on Friday, April 26, 2013. A barbeque lunch buffet will kick off at 11:00 AM, with a “shotgun” start at noon. We purposely moved the event to Friday and an afternoon time slot so that more folks could enjoy a long weekend. And...what better way to kick it off! Beautiful Glen Eagle Country Club will again host our event.

I have been asked many times about how the “hole sponsorship” works. In the golf world of “scrambles and fund raisers”, it is common place for a company, vendor, supporter or person to “sponsor” a golf hole. You donate an amount (\$50 for our golf event) and your company or personal name goes on a sign at a specific golf hole. The sign says, “*This Hole Sponsored by: _____.*” The golfer’s then see who is supporting the event, from companies to vendors to friends of our church.



The best part is how easy it is to accomplish. Just ask someone you work with, use as a vendor or other and say, “Would you like to sponsor a hole for our church golf fund raiser?” At only \$50 (which is well below the norm), I promise you that most will say “of course”. The forms are hanging on the bulletin board.

For the month of April, we will be meeting on April 11th at 6:30. The men of St. Philip come together for worship, dinner and great conversation monthly. All men of the church are welcome!

For further information:

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CATHEDRAL DAY

Join the fun at **YOUR Cathedral** on Saturday, April 27 for a day of activities for the entire family. Art auction, music, lectures, tours of the Cathedral and the Diocesan House, Reception with Bishop and Mrs. Johnson, crafts, games for kids, and food! Sponsored by the Cathedral Identity Committee of St. Mary’s.

To the Altar Guild



A HUGE Thank You goes out to all of the Altar Guild ladies who stepped up to help with the MANY Holy Week services! Without your tireless dedication, our altar would have not been set. Each and every one of you is an asset to this church, and your service is soooooo appreciated.

Love you all!

Carol & Elizabeth



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Episcopal Church Women

To ALL women of St. Philip:

The next ECW meeting and covered dish lunch will be on April 7, in Bernard Hall.

Bring your favorite spring time dish and your favorite recipe to submit for the new **St. Philip Cookbook**.

Thank you from your Senior Warden—

I wish to thank all St. Philipians who worked so hard, faithfully and, many times, anonymously to produce a holy and meaningful Lenten season and Holy Week for our parish family. I know the Flower Guild, Altar Guild and Ushers take on extra work during this season as well as LEM's and Lectors. There are many others who helped also: the youth and advisors who started our Lent with that delicious Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, the office staff (lots of bulletins to produce and fold, lists to manage, people to manage), Lisa and choir (many extra rehearsals and music to produce), the groups and individuals who cooked and served our Wednesday night Lenten suppers, those who set up and took down the tables for each special event, and those who contributed in ways that no one else knew (you know who you are), and all the "worker bees" in the kitchen, sacristy, and at staff meetings. Let us not forget the faithful who stayed with Jesus throughout our prayer vigil. Finally, to Fr. Terry – you provided us with pastoral care and leadership in all your thoughtful service and homilies to inspire us to be "Easter people" all year round.

In Christ,
Ferd

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

(For children 2½ years-6th grade)



Liturgy of Light-Sunday April 14

The children have been busy in the atrium! In recent weeks the youngest ones have been focusing on the mystery of the Kingdom of God, its growth, transformation, and great value, through meditations on the mustard seed, the leaven, and the precious pearl in the parables of the kingdom. The older children learned more about God's covenant with Noah as they completed a study of the Genesis account of the Flood. They've also pondered God's love and forgiveness through moral parables such as the Debtors and the Talents.

Our biggest celebration of the year, the **Liturgy of Light**, will take place on **Sunday, April 14 at 9 am**. This prayer celebration follows the liturgical structure of the Great Vigil of Easter and helps initiate the children in the rich Easter Liturgy of the Church. Following the blessing and lighting of our atrium Paschal candle, we will walk forward in darkness to follow its light. After brief readings and songs, the children will receive a candle lit from the Paschal candle, which symbolizes the Risen Christ. Sofia Cavalletti, one of the founders of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, says in her book, *The Religious Potential of the Child*, "The moment when we linger to look at the light that has come all the way to us is often a time of intense contemplation, leaving a vivid memory that the growing children cherish." Don't let your child miss this experience!

We'll have chairs set up in the Parish Life Center and invite parents and any others who might be interested to join us to observe the celebration.

Wishing you and your family Easter joy,
Donna Turner

Pre-YC

Want to provide lunch for Pre-YC?

Lunch is provided for the Pre-YC group every Sunday that they meet. If you would like to help out and sign up for a lunch, please go to www.takethemameal.com and sign up!

Last Name: **PREYC** Password: **Lunch**

Reimbursement up to \$40 is available.

Sunday, April 7th

We will finish our stained glass window!

Pre-YC is a gathering of all children in grades 3-6.

Sunday, April 21st

We will be playing games outside. Come play!

Christian Education meets every Sunday at 9:15 AM . Join us as we address the characteristics of spiritual development!



EYCC Calendar

Sunday, April 7th
Answer the Question! & Dodgeball
4:00-6:00 PM, St. Philip

Wednesday, April 17th
Capture the Flag-Glowstick Style
6:45-7:45 PM, St. Philip

Sunday, April 21st
Picnic in the Park
4:00-6:00 PM, Shelby Farms Park

Sunday, April 28th
Youth Trip Fundraising Car Wash
12:15-2:00 PM, St. Philip

GOD AT THE GULF



All youth in grades 6-12 are invited to go to Gulf Shores for the Summer Youth Trip!
When: May 27th - 30th
Cost: \$325
Deadline: Wednesday, May 1st
Registration Forms will be on the youth bulletin board.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER THIS SEMESTER:

April 5-6	DYC Spring Fling: Middle School Lock In
April 28	Car Wash fundraiser for the Youth Trip
May 5	Senior Sunday
May 27-30	Youth trip to Gulf Shores



More information will be provided as it gets closer to each event.

What is EYCC?

EYCC stands for Episcopal Youth Community. Young people in grades 7-12 are invited to gather for fellowship, fun, and food at St. Philip. We meet every other Sunday and Wednesday, where we play, pray, and eat dinner together. Friends are always invited and encouraged to join us as we build our own community!

For any questions, please contact Rachel McDaniel, Director of Youth & Family Ministry, by calling 388-9830 or e-mailing rachel@stphilipmemphis.org.

Stewardship 2013



Skipper Staggs Thank you,
 2013 Stewardship Chair Liz and Jessica

Treasurers' Notes

Statements are in the mail for the 1st quarter of 2013. If you have a pledge to the General Fund and a pledge to the Youth and Family Ministry Director please examine how your payments have been applied. If there is any discrepancy please contact us and we will correct our figures. You may call Jessica (335-8117) or email jjheckle@yahoo.com. You may also leave a message with the church office and Liz or Jessica will get back to you.

St. Philip Episcopal Church Profit & Loss Budget Performance—February 2013

	Feb 13	Budget	Jan-Feb 13	YTD Budget	Annual Budget
Ordinary Income /Expenses					
Income					
4100-Operating Income	21,745.32	25,742.50	48,002.32	53,485.00	311,140.00
4200-Investment Income	45.01	45.00	90.51	90.00	540.00
5100-Non-Funded Receipts	0.00	250.00	-575.00	500.00	3,000.00
5200-Funds Transfer	0.00	58.33	8,472.75	116.66	700.00
Total Income	21,790.33	26,095.83	55,990.58	54,191.66	315,380.00
Expense					
6000-Operating Expenses	21,650.82	24,361.62	52,025.87	51,486.36	337,177.46
7000-Non-Funded Activities	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Expense	21,650.82	24,361.62	52,025.87	1,486.36	337,177.46
Net Ordinary Income	139.51	1,734.21	3,964.71	2,705.30	-21,797.46
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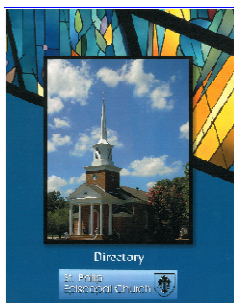
Meet Mondays,

6-7:30 PM

Bernard Hall

Judy Green, Leader

901.568.3143



ST. PHILIP PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES

The new directories are finally in and many have gone to their new homes. If you have not picked yours up, please see Sandra Booth or Marilyn Riehl when you are at the church. The comprehensive “in house” directory is updated weekly and will continue to be available in hard copy and by email for the asking.

Please note the following addition to the pictorial directory:
Email for Faye Frykholm - fayefrykholm@yahoo.com

SCOUTING CORNER



Troop and Pack 458 have had a fantastic February and March. February saw the Troop camping at Fort Pillow in the snow while the high temperature was about 30. The March trip to Shelby Forest was a break from the rain and cold of the last couple of trips. We were wishing for shade. We were joined by our 7 new Scouts that came to us at the end of February.

The Pack just had the Blue and Gold banquet where Scouts were awarded rank advancements, belt loops and one Scout “Crossed Over” into the Troop. Bar-b-que and spaghetti from Leonard’s was served for dinner and a variety of cakes seemed to disappear quickly.

The Troop will be heading to the Council’s annual Camp-o-ree on the first weekend in April as a day trip. The Pack will be joining the Troop and several Scouts from a neighboring Pack on the weekend of April 12th at Big Hill Pond for a camp out. On Saturday, all will head to Coon Creek where they will have a chance to work at an active archeological dig. On the last Saturday, there will be a class for adult Scout leaders that want to learn how to be archery instructors. St. Philip has generously offered use of our facility.

The month of May holds a canoe trip for the older Scouts and wrapping up requirements for the Pack. The location is still up in the air, the normal place has become a bit too rowdy, but the Tennessee Buffalo looks promising. Two more young men should cross over to the Troop during May. That will bring us to about 17 Scouts and 10 adults helping.

The success of the Pack and Troop has been a lot of work for a few, but it is a labor of love and could never be happening without the support offered to us by the members and leaders of St. Philip. Thank you.

James Pitcock



In Our Parish Community

April Birthdays

Brooke Taylor	1
Ned Segar	2
Ken Flanagan	4
Jacqueline Romo	4
Missy Elder	5
Vi Flanagan	8
Ginger Holmes	8
Patsy Lum	11
Shae Lewis	14
John Romo	16
Bill Rogers	17
Barbara Sy	19
Daniel Jenks	21
John Lucas	23
Michael Posner	24
Lauren Mitchell	26
Bruce Guthrie	27
Richard Hughes	27
Sam Brandstetter	28
Rachel McDaniel	28
Katherine McGruder	28

Sunday Morning Readings For the Month of April

April 7—Easter 2	
Acts 5: 27-32	Psalm 150
Revelation 1: 4-8	John 20:19-31
April 14—Easter 3	
Acts 9: 1-20	Psalm 30
Revelation 5: 11-14	John 21: 1-19
April 21—Easter 4	
Acts 9: 36-43	Psalm 23
Revelation 7: 9-17	John 10: 22-30
April 28—Easter 5	
Acts 11: 1-18	Psalm 148
Revelation 21: 1-6	John 13: 31-35

On the Prayer List

Luis Aguilar
 Bailey Brooks
 Alecia Brown
 Carter Bucciero
 Cindy Cary
 Colie Chandler
 Pam Childs
 Colby Family
 Eric Cross
 Tammy Culp
 Jeff Cummings
 Degutis Family
 Dollahite Family
 Alice Drake
 Mark Duck
 Kathryn Edmonds
 Jathan Fields
 Richard Flanagan
 Liz Fleming
 Mallory Harrison
 Amy Howell
 Craig Kleimeyer
 Lawrence Family
 Larry McDaniel
 Donna Maginn
 Connie Manning
 Stan Miekicki
 Mitchell Family
 Mike Neal
 Bill Neumann
 Thomas Page
 Sandy Powers
 Jerry Pyrtle
 Phillip Ragen
 Mary Ann Romer
 Ava Roten
 Sipes Family
 Charles Stephens
 Nikki Thomas
 David Thompson
 Thornal Family
 Walker Family
 McKendree Walker
 Carol Wertz
 Denise Wiertelak
 Melinda Winchester

Parish Clean-Up Day May 4th, 9a-12n

The vestry has scheduled our annual spring clean up day for Saturday, May 4th. There is a sign-up sheet on the board. Please watch the Sunday announcement insert in the coming weeks for details about this project. There is much to be done and many hands make the work go fast.

April Anniversaries

We have no anniversaries on file for the month of April. Are we missing yours? Please call the church office and let us know. 901.388.9830



Memorials and Honorariums Received in the Month of March

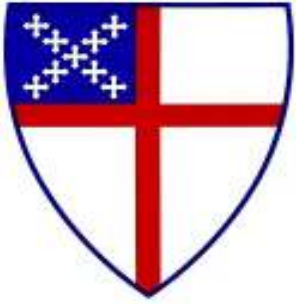
HONORARIUMS:

TO: Mrs. Martha Manos on her Birthday from Mrs. Sally Magdefrau

TO: Greg Taylor from Stan and Daphne Hughes

Military Personnel Currently Deployed Overseas

Jim Beamish, Shawn Campbell, Stuart Creel, Clifford Jordan



EYC CAR WASH

Following the 10:30 AM service on April 28th, the EYC will be hosting a Fundraising Car Wash to help offset the cost of our Youth Trip. The car wash will be from 12:15-2:00 PM. If you would like your car washed that day, please let Rachel McDaniel or a member of the EYC know.



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SENIOR RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Join us on

Sunday, May 5th at the 10:30 AM Service
to honor our graduating high school seniors!
A reception will follow the service.

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Sunday Schedule

8:00a Holy Eucharist
9:00a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
9:15a Adult Christian Education
9:15a Youth Christian Education
10:30a Holy Eucharist

Wednesday Service

12:10 p Healing w / Holy Eucharist

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