

April, 2016

## From The Dean . . .

In February, I was fortunate to spend time with our newly installed Presiding Bishop: the Most Rev. Michael Curry. He was a keynote speaker at the annual conference of the Consortium of Endowed Episcopal Parishes and also spent an afternoon with the Rectors and Deans. Bishop Curry is a powerful and dynamic Christian leader, and I believe he is ideal for the Episcopal Church at this moment in our history. At last summer's General Convention, in advance of the presiding bishop election, the house of Deputies identified two priorities for the coming decade: Evangelism and Racial reconciliation. These have been central aspects of Bishop Curry's ministry, and are certainly consistent with the priorities that Bishop Thompson has set for the Dioceses of Louisiana.



This summer, we will be welcoming our new Presiding Bishop to the Cathedral pulpit. On the evening of Sunday, July 31, we will host the opening Eucharist for the annual conference of the Union of Black Episcopalians at which Bishop Thompson will celebrate and Bishop Curry will preach. Following the service, the Diocese is hosting a festive reception, so it is sure to be an amazing and memorable evening. This event will be open to everyone, so if you are in town, I hope you will make every effort to be present to share in this historic occasion.

THE CANTICLE

## For Children . . .

### Parent's Night Out

*Another great opportunity for a quiet evening out or in.*

Friday, April 15th - 6 to 9 pm.

We provide for the children: dinner, activities & crafts, and time to play.

Cost: Free

For more information please call

Canon Steven Roberts (504) 352-4564 or Page Beary (504) 232-1100

Please RSVP if you can join us!

### Let the children come to me!

*All children are invited to come and join a wonderful experience just for you!*

9:45am Sundays

We meet in the Martin Room for breakfast and a special time to be with GOD through activities & sharing.

At Communion we return to the Cathedral & join our families.

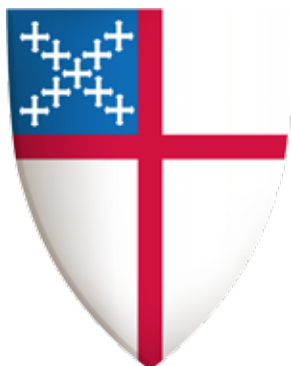
This unique worship time will be led by  
Canon David Lowry & Canon Steven Roberts

Parents are welcome

Questions: Contact Canon Roberts (504) 352-4564



THE  
EPISCOPAL  
CHURCH



WELCOMES YOU

**LECTIONARY TEXTS**  
(Sunday Readings)

**April 3**

Acts 5:27-32  
Psalm 150  
Revelation 1:4-8  
John 20:19-31

**April 10**

Acts 9:1-6  
Psalm 30  
Revelation 5:11-14  
John 21:1-19

**April 17**

Acts 9:36-43  
Psalm 23  
Revelation 7:9-17  
John 10:22-30

**April 24**

Acts 11:1-18  
Psalm 148  
Revelation 21:1-6  
John 13:31-35

**EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF LOUISIANA**

The Right Reverend  
Morris K. Thompson, Jr., *Bishop*

**CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL**

The Very Reverend David A. duPlantier,  
*Dean*  
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*Priest Associate*  
The Reverend Travers C. Koerner,  
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Ms. Karen Landry, *Nursery Worker*  
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*Nursery Worker*

**HONORARY CANONS  
NON-RESIDENTIARY**

The Reverend S. Chad Jones  
Mr. David R. Pitts  
The Reverend E. Mark Stevenson

**VESTRY**

**2017**

Mikey Corcoran,  
Sandy Jackson (Senior Warden)  
Karen Whitfield (Secretary)

**2018**

Kendall Genre,  
Jesse George (Junior Warden)  
Lawrence Marrione, Rick Mithun

**2019**

Ryan Garrity, Angela Kellum,  
Dan LeGardeur

**2016**

Alan Brackett, Laura Brown,  
Robert Clepper

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Chris Beary



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\*Items for the May, 2016 issue of  
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**Weekly Liturgies**

*Sundays*

7:30 AM ~ The Holy Eucharist (Spoken)  
1928 Prayer Book  
10:00 AM ~ The Holy Eucharist (Sung)  
Rite II (Rite I in Lent)  
6:00 PM ~ The Holy Eucharist (Sung)  
Real Presence

*Weekdays (M-F)*

12:15 PM ~ The Holy Eucharist

*Saturdays*

9:30 AM ~ The Holy Eucharist (Spoken)  
Rite II

**WGSO 990AM**

Sunday Morning 10 AM Eucharist  
Live Broadcast on WGSO 990 AM  
Radio.  
Online streaming and downloadable  
podcast at [www.wgso.com](http://www.wgso.com)  
Broadcasts underwritten in part by  
St. Martin's Episcopal School.



Rebuilding Homes. Rebuilding Lives.

Rev. Bridget,

I just wanted to send you a quick note on behalf of the St. Bernard Project team. Sarah Zonoli & Jim Sones presented us with the donations they had collected from the yoga classes held at your church. We're thankful for this & love to hear that you & your colleagues are opening up your church to the community for these regular yoga classes.

Again, Thank you!

Dulcie Shepherd

I just received this lovely Thank You note that I wanted to share because it really made me think of how God is working in this place. I am an avid yoga fan and have been so happy to have classes here on Tuesday afternoons from 5:30-6:30 and Sunday afternoons from 4 - 5:30. Both are wonderful classes and although I love my regular yoga studio, there is something so wonderful about practicing in this holy space - both the chapel and the cathedral spaces. I sometimes bump an arm or a leg on a pew J but it is worth it!

We do not charge for either class, we ask for a donation for both classes. The Tuesday class teacher is Jim Sones from Mississippi and I met him when we had the Writing Circle at Advent House. This group did not continue after the first term, but Jim told me he taught yoga and would love to teach in the Cathedral, because



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| 1 Edwin (Ed) Fredie    | 16 Gerald Martin            |
| 1 Matthew Buckley      | 17 Adrian Suarez            |
| 1 Claiborne Beary      | 19 Steve Smith              |
| 4 David Galarneau      | 19 Suzette Follette         |
| 5 Tim Dodson           | 20 Julia Davis              |
| 5 Taylor Ghere         | 21 Austin Brackett          |
| 5 Caleigh Richert      | 22 Trevor Best, Sr          |
| 6 Finn Galarneau       | 23 Sarah Davis              |
| 7 Janet Goforth        | 24 Olivia Benge             |
| 8 Earl Moreau          | 25 Julio Figueroa           |
| 8 Sara Collins         | 25 Olivia Montero           |
| 9 Alison LaBauve       | 26 Kelly Rookard            |
| 9 Curtis Billings      | 27 Gabrielle Allee-Pope     |
| 13 Whit Slocum         | 28 James (Jim) Ricciardi    |
| 15 Beau Haynes, Jr     | 28 Ricardo (Rick) Pardo, Jr |
| 16 William Memmott     | 28 Rhett Ghere              |
| 16 Lynda (Lyn) Gladney | 28 Callie Ghere             |

*O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

If your name isn't listed, we don't have your date of birth in our records. Please send an e-mail to [acs@ccnola.org](mailto:acs@ccnola.org) or call the cathedral office and we'll be sure to wish you a Happy Birthday next year!

he loved the building. Thus a wonderful partnership was formed. He chose to split whatever donations he received between Christ Church Cathedral and a charity of his choice and we were happy to agree. When he couldn't be here, he asked friends to fill in and they have all been wonderful, but Sarah Zonoli has come fairly often and we have fallen in love with her. She works for the St. Bernard Project, near and dear to the hearts of many in this place and so that was our charity for a while.

God's economy, I call it! It works out for all of us; we are all blessed. Come check out the class some day - no pressure, no one is "good" or "not good" at yoga, we simply pray with our bodies in a wonderful, holy place.

You are most welcome and thank you!

Blessings,

Bridget+

I publish the Banns of Marriage between

*Jennifer Liggin Johnson & Michael James Krass,  
Jeni Rae Lynn McDougald & Richard James Mithun, Jr.,  
Savannah Marie Urban & Jonathan David Teague.*

If any of you know just cause why they may not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are bidden to declare it.

~ The Very Reverend David A. duPlantier

## Baptism

is especially appropriate at the Easter Vigil, on the Day of Pentecost, on All Saints' Day or the Sunday after All Saints' Day, and on the Feast of the Baptism of our Lord (the First Sunday after the Epiphany). It is recommended that, as far as possible, Baptisms be reserved for these occasions or when a Bishop is present. (BCP, page 312). *Our next opportunity for baptism is April 3, 2016.* Please contact Canon Roberts for more information.



## Coffee Hour

Please consider hosting Coffee Hour one Sunday. Drinks are provided by the cathedral and volunteers provide their choice of food. Host with a friend or two. If you have no time to shop and prepare food, donations are always gladly accepted. Back-up refreshment supplies are low and contributions are welcome. For additional information or to volunteer, contact Kathy Boyd, 891-1360 or [kboydaj@yahoo.com](mailto:kboydaj@yahoo.com). Recent hosts: Barbara Richmond, Verna Barnette, May & Ava Leonard, Nick & Melissa Montero. *Many thanks to all!*



## Calling All Kids!

Claiborne Beary

*One Sunday each month, kids of all ages will get together to hang out! We'll be around the pool, baking cookies, or even jumping at Sector Six!*

### Dates

- 4/10/16 Pool Party (11:30-1:30 PM)\*\*
- 5/15/16 Pool Party (11:30-1:30 PM)



# MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**April 15 - Quiet Day at Advent House**  
9:30 AM

**May 5 - Ascension Day**  
Choral Evensong at 6:00 PM

**May 15 - The Day of Pentecost**  
with picnic following the 10:00 Eucharist

**Sunday, July 31**  
**The Evangelical Lutheran Church of America**  
Hymn sing  
8:00 PM

**Sunday, August 7**  
**The Union of Black Episcopalians (UBE)**  
**National Conference Opening Eucharist**  
Bishop Thompson, Celebrant  
The Presiding Bishop, Preacher  
7:00 PM