

ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 5, 2012

WE WELCOME YOU to the Episcopal Church of St. Bede

<http://venerablebedes.org>

www.episcopalswfl.org

WELCOME: St. Bede Social Hour on the patio after mass is a wonderful place to gather. It's a place where we get to know each other as we enjoy delicious "Episcopalian" refreshments. Come out and join us each Sunday, choose a greeting card. See you on the patio. nm

Adult Education/Bible Study meets in the Library, Sunday mornings, before Mass. Open to anyone who is interested. We would love to share teachings with you.

The St. Bede's Nursery is available all year long for children from infants to 6 years of age. The door is open every Sunday from 9:45 a.m. until the time of Holy Communion, when your children will be brought to you. Our nursery is a fun and safe place for little ones. Any and all nursery workers have completed the "Safeguarding All God's Children" training required by the diocese. See one of the ushers for assistance. (Available year round)

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN Ask an usher or Carol Peterson for additional information.

THURSDAY HEALING SERVICE AND BIBLE STUDY

St. Bede Healing Service is held on each Thursday at 10am in the Chapel. Immediately after the service, Fr. Carson teaches a Bible Study class in the library. We "read, mark, and inwardly digest" the Word. It's a lively class with interesting discussions and many questions. Refreshments are provided. nm

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS: Whenever anyone has a prayer request for themselves, for their families, or for their friends or neighbors, they can contact Sandye Lightfoot (522-6208) or Ruth Blakley (525-9419). There is also a Prayer Request Box located in the rear of the church. gm

OBLATIONERS SIGN UP: Please sign up to be an oblationer for a Sunday. It is an honor to take up the Host during Mass. The sign-up sheet is at the back of the church. The ushers will instruct you on how it is done. gm

ECW – MAKING A DIFFERENCE

I pray that we will make a difference in the lives of people for whom Jesus died." Bishop Dabney Smith
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ECW Conference at Kanuga: Province IV ECW Conference at Kanuga, NC with side trip to Savannah, Ga., with dinner at Paula Deen's and the Lady' and Sons Restaurant. June 2nd – 7th, 2012. Come join us, open to all women. Travel by car. Most meals and hotels are included: (Cost approx. \$665.00). Registration to hold a space is \$100.00. Balance due by May 1st, 2012. For registration forms and itinerary, see Linda Rothmann 526-0597. va

SOCIAL HOUR ON THE PATIO hosts and hostesses:

Feb26 Social hour George & Nancy

Thank you to all of these volunteers! mm

Who is delivering our "BREAD BLESSING" each week? February - Beth Delos Reyes
March - Kathy Brock

A mission outreach fundraiser is being planned for Saturday, Feb. 18 in the Parrish Hall. **A meatloaf dinner with all the trimmings will be served.** Please come and enjoy fellowship with church members and help raise needed funds for St. Bede's. Cost is \$10 a person. Meal prepared by Dave and Lisa Coddington. Time: 5:30 p.m. More details to come. Jr

"The Miracle Continues" Inspirations at Day Spring, for all Episcopal women, Feb 25th, 9:30am - 3pm, Key note speakers: Katerina Whitley and Rev. GiGi Connor, music by Fran McKendree. Cost \$15.00 - includes lunch. See Sandy Lightfoot for registration. Space limited, Recommended reservations ASAP. Lr

FOOD PANTRY PROJECT:

An ongoing project at St. Bedes is to collect and donate food to St. Giles and St. Bartholomew's Food Pantries. These pantries feed thousands of people in our community each year. They recommend donations of: tuna, mac & cheese, baked beans, cereal, canned meats (beef stew, hash) soups, pasta and sauce, rice mixes, canned fruits & vegetables, peanut butter, jelly, coffee, tea, sugar, also paper and plastic bags are always needed. ECW women, Claudia Maynard, Ruth Blakley and Linda Rothmann will deliver St. Bede's donations to St. Giles and St. Bartholomew's nm

All Year Round -

When thinking of Stewardship, remember, we miss you when you are not here.

ANYONE WANTING ITEMS PLACED IN THIS WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENT SHEET MUST OBTAIN PRIOR PERMISSION FROM FR. CARSON **BEFORE** IT IS SENT TO ME FOR PUBLICATION. NO EXCEPTIONS, PLEASE. IF NEED BE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 823-7649 OR CONTACT HIM AT THE E-MAIL ADDRESS OF StBedes01@aol.com. BRC IF YOUR E-MAIL TO ME DOES NOT INCLUDE YOU HAVE CLEARED IT WITH FR CARSON, I will be unable to add it to the **Announcements.**

ANNOUNCEMENT information - please have your church related announcements to Jean Baylies by the end of each WEDNESDAY. Contact her via Telephone, 323-7308, or preferably by e-mail: jbaylies@aaasouth.com. Submit your items "publish" ready. If there is a misprint, please let me know so it can be corrected before the next issue. jlb