

Week of June 18 - 25, 2017

Sunday, June 18th

8:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II
9:30 am Coffee Hour, parish hall
Choir Practice, nave
10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Monday, June 19th

11:00 am Summer Feeding, Thompson Middle School

Tuesday, June 20th

11:00 am Summer Feeding, Thompson Middle School

Wednesday, June 21st

11:00 am Summer Feeding, Thompson Middle School

Thursday, June 22nd

11:00 am Summer Feeding, Thompson Middle School

Friday, June 23rd

11:00 am Summer Feeding, Thompson Middle School

Sunday, June 25th

8:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II
9:30 am Coffee Hour, parish hall
Choir Practice, nave
10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II
5:30 pm VBS: Aslan on the Move – Family Movie & Dinner

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in the
Spirit*

Weekly & Monthly Reminders

Men's Prayer Breakfast	July 8th	8:00 am	Parish Hall
Vestry Meeting	July 9th	11:45 am	Parish Hall
Healing Eucharist	July 12th	11:00 am	Nave
Pack for Beans & Rice	July 14th	9:00 am	Parish Hall
Beans & Rice	July 15th	9:00 am	Narthex
Bunco	July 20th	6:30 pm	Parish Hall

Taste of the Spirit Update: Can you help?

We have set a new date for TOTS, our annual fundraiser.

It will be the evening of **Oct. 28, 2017!**

More details to follow, but first we need COMMITTEES!

(and don't worry about football, both Alabama and Auburn are off this day!)

Sign up at: <http://holyspirit-al.org/volunteer-spot> or in the Narthex



Catch the Spirit at Holy Spirit this Summer!

There are volunteer opportunities galore this summer at Church of the Holy Spirit. While many parishes take it easy during the warm vacation months, this place is off and running and I like it. Let me encourage each of you to get involved in as many of the following activities as you can. We've created this announcement as a checklist so that you can make a note of everything with which you'd like to be involved.

- ❑ **Honduras Mission Trip Supply Drive:** until July 11th, Toni Nash ✉toni.nash@aol.com
- ❑ **Summer Feeding with ACS:** June 5th – July 28th, Toni Nash ✉toni.nash@aol.com
- ❑ **Sawyerville Meal:** June 24th, Buzz Palmer ✉buzz.palmer@rawsonlp.com or Toni Nash ✉toni.nash@aol.com
- ❑ **VBS: Aslan on the Move:** June 25th & June 27th-29th, Julia ✉julia@holyspirit-al.org
- ❑ **Back to School Supply Drive:** July 4th – August 8th, Tara ✉tara@holyspirit-al.org

We accomplish several things when we participate in activities like these. We help others. We build community inside and outside of the church walls. We share the love of Christ. So, let's join together this summer to help, to build, and to share. It'll be fun!

Rev. Bill Blackerby,
Interim Rector

Church Happenings

Honduras Mission Trip

As you may know, Carol & Doug Smedley will travel to Honduras this summer to provide assistance at the El Hogar school. We are collecting underwear and socks to send with them to distribute to the students. Please bring boys & girls underwear (sizes 3-12) and socks (miscellaneous sizes) and drop off them in the narthex. All of your donations are greatly appreciated!!

Summer Feeding

Holy Spirit is hosting Summer Feeding at Thompson Middle School this year. We need friendly faces from Holy Spirit to hand out prepackaged meals & books to the children. This is such a wonderful opportunity to help the children in our community! Please consider donating your time from 11:05-12:15 weekdays this summer. Contact Toni, toni.nash@aol.com with any questions & sign up at <http://holyspirit-al.org/volunteer-spot/>.

Calling all volunteers!! Sawyerville Meal, June 24th

We are feeding 130 staff members at Sawyerville Day Camp Saturday, June 24th! Buzz and the Holy Smokers will have the Boston Butts cooked and we will need the sides. We will need a volunteer team to go and serve that day as well. Contact Toni Nash, toni.nash@aol.com or Buzz Palmer, buzz.palmer@rawsonlp.com if you would like to help with preparing, bringing or serving food!



ASLAN ON THE MOVE COMING TOGETHER IN COMMUNITY

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US AS WE JOURNEY
THROUGH NARNIA

June 25th, June 27th – 29th

Sunday, June 25th at 5:30 pm: Kick-Off

We will kick off this year's VBS at 5:30 pm when join as an entire parish to have a cook out and watch the movie *The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* (rated PG). Everyone is invited!! Bring a chair or pillow to get comfy for this family movie night out.

Each week night there will be crafts, games, and Bible Study for the kids based on C.S. Lewis' novel, *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe*.

Tuesday, June 27th, 6:00 – 8:00pm: Winter

Spaghetti Night

Wednesday, June 28th, 6:00 – 8:00pm: Spring

Sub Sandwich Night

Thursday, June 29th, 6:00 – 8:00pm: Coronation Day

Pizza Night & Crowning!

Volunteers

Any help is greatly appreciated!

Please arrive by 5:30 each day & 30 minutes for cleanup when we're finished.

Donations Needed

- Chips
- Noodles
- Pasta Sauce
- Juice Boxes
- Tea (Sweet & Unsweet)
- Burger & Hotdog Buns
- Cookies
- Ketchup
- Mustard
- Flip Flops (various sizes)



Financial Update

Contributions

Thank you for your generous support of our parish. Below is a summary of the contributions received during the week ending on Sunday, June 11, 2017.

Pledged.....	\$5,557.61
Unpledged	\$ 289.00
Flowers	\$ 16.72
Vacation Bible School	\$ 14.82
Men's Group	\$ 62.54
Bethany Village	\$ 600.00
Total Contributions	\$6,540.69

Avg Sunday Attendance

	Mar	Apr	May
8:30am	15	16	15
10:30am	57	78	62
Total	72	93	77

Please pray for...

Bishops and Clergy: Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael Bruce Curry, Presiding Bishop ECUSA; Kee Sloan, Alabama Bishop; Bill Blackerby, Interim Rector; Stan Wright, Priest Affiliate

Diocesan Prayer Cycle: Our companion dioceses of Alaska & the Virgin Islands & their bishops Mark & Ambrose; Sawyerville Commission and Day Camps; Foothills Day Camp; St. Alban's, Birmingham; St. Alban's, Gainesville

Ministries and Programs within The Church of the Holy Spirit: Worship Team (Acolytes, Lectors, LEMs, Ushers), Mow & Clean Team, Daughters of the King, Coffee Hour Ministry

For Nation and Local Community: Donald Trump, President; Kay Ivey, Governor; Communities of Calera, Alabaster, Helena, Maylene, & Pelham

For all people everywhere, especially: those living in Syria and all war-torn countries

Healing & Guidance for members, relatives and friends of Holy Spirit: Richard Smith (Victoria Knierim); Carl Raymond (Allyson Agee); Jo Cochran (Judy Dykes); Roxie & Stan Wright; Debra Dewees (Glenda Jones); Bud Montgomery, Henry (Carol Smedley); Kim & Luke Sloan, Nila Whetsell, Roy Wolfe, David, Obie, Brian, Bill & Debbie (Katy Brooks); Karen Marshall (Allyson Agee); Jim Mankoski (Allyson Agee); Dan Poset; Will Graham; Lou Malone (Sharon Poset); Charlotte Callough (M.E. Spencer); Jimmy Lee (Rodney Dilbeck); Betty Marek; Greg, Tyler, Derek, & Josh Hussey; Val Autrey; J.T. Peterson; Barb Diehl (Jim Hamilton); Dawn Mango (Harriet & Bill Meeks); Gladys McKay; Paul Clausmeyer; Ted Smith (Sally Jorgenson); Nan Vodde; Delauney Family (Carrie May); Braden, Doug, Mt. Zion Church family

For those serving in the armed services: Hall Graham (Julia Jackson), Mark McKay (Gladys McKay)

For all who have died, may light perpetual shine upon them.

Upcoming Birthdays: Sherry Bowlin (6/21), Nicholas Portney (6/22), Caitlin Wilke (6/24), Nick Muruako (6/25), Stephen Heacock (6/28), Bethann Campos (6/30)

Upcoming Anniversaries: Amanda & Michael Wilbanks (6/23)

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