Living in the Spirit

Week of February 27-March 6, 2022

Sunday, February 27th
8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II (no music)
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II
12:00 p.m. Holy Spirit 101, Parish Hall

Tuesday, March 1st
6:00 p.m. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Parish Hall
8:00 p.m. An Order for Compline Live-Streamed via Facebook

Wednesday, March 2nd
7:00 a.m. Ashes-to-Go, Parish Parking Lot
12:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service, Nave
7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service, Nave

Thursday, March 3rd
8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Live-Streamed via Facebook

Sunday, March 6th
8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II (no music)
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II
12:00 p.m. Cahaba Valley Health Clinic, Parish Hall

Welcome, Guests.

Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please fill out our welcome card found in the chair in front of you or the narthex (church entrance). Most of what you need to participate in worship is included in your bulletin. Where indicated, the Book of Common Prayer (BCP) is the red book; the 1982 Hymnal is blue, and the Alleluia III song book is yellow. If you have any questions, or need assistance please ask your neighbor or an usher. You have blessed us with your presence.
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Beans and Rice in Need of Donations and Cookies
Please help us restock our pantry. We are running low on everything for our Beans and Rice ministry. Please bring canned good and or any sustainable food. We always need any form of canned meat. Any donations can brought to church or be left in the brown bin directly outside the church doors near the parking lot. Thank you. We still need volunteers to provide bags of cookies for our upcoming Beans and Rice events in 2022. If you would like to help, please contact Jean Williams at 205-983-2022.

Calling All Volunteers
We are always looking for volunteers to help with worship. If you would be interested in any of the following please let us know at office@holyspirit-al.org. Acolyte, Crucifer, LEM, reader, usher, greeter, and audio/video streaming. We would love to have you serve with us!

Shrove Tuesday | Pancakes-Supper & Blessing of the Vestments and Paraments, March 1st
at 6:00, Parish Hall
Please join us as the EYC assists with our special Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on March 1st. We are also looking for volunteers to help cook and serve. Please contact Lindsey Austin at 205-267-9747 if you would like to volunteer or if you have any questions. Any donations of pancake mix, butter, syrup, sausages, etc would be greatly appreciated. We will be accept cash or check donations the night of the supper. If you would like to pre-order your pancakes meal and pay with a credit card with the link below:
https://checkout.square.site/merchant/0HQFPH01MTGCZ/checkout/M3ATPMYCLXQIABANPS2BVR1
*** We will be blessing and dedicating the new purple vestments and paraments that evening after the dinner, so please stay with us after supper for this special dedication service!

Ash Wednesday Services, March 2nd
Ash Wednesday is the first of the forty days of Lent, named for the custom of placing blessed ashes on the foreheads of worshipers at Ash Wednesday Services. The ashes are a sign of penitence and a reminder of mortality, and may be imposed with the sign of the cross. On this day, Christians gather to begin the journey towards the Cross and the Resurrection with the Ash Wednesday service. Father Eric will have Ashes-to-Go from 7:00 am – 9:00 am in the parking lot, weather permitting. We will also have a 12:00p.m. and 7:00p.m. service.

Searching for a New Parish Administrator
We are in the process of searching for our next part-time Parish Administrator at Holy Spirit, whose primary responsibility will be to assist our Rector, Father Eric, with general, office administrative duties. For a complete job description of the position and to learn more about how to apply please contact Father Eric at rector@holyspirit-al.org
**Lenten Calendar Posters**
We are providing *Lenten Calendar Posters*. These posters are available in the Parish Hall. Feel free to pick one up, or contact Mandy Golightly at office@holyspirit-al.org if you would like one mailed to you.

**Lenten Devotionals Available**
Subscribe for “Living Well Through Lent” daily devotionals at livingcompass.org/lent or from Episcopal Relief & Development at episcopalrelief.org/church-in-action/lent. Contact Father Eric at rector@holyspirit-al.org if you have any questions.

**Cahaba Valley Health Care Clinic, March 6**
On Sunday, March 6, Cahaba Valley Health Care professionals will be onsite at Holy Spirit providing dental and vision screenings. Please contact Toni at 205-249-7482 if you would like to register for this free service or volunteer to help make CHVC & their patients feel welcome.

**Cursillo**
Have you heard of Cursillo? This is not a “secret society!” There are many wonderful surprises at Cursillo and we truly believe that when the Lord leads you to go, you get exactly what you need from it, and you leave with a lasting impression, a changed heart, lifelong friends and community centered on our Lord and living in the spirit. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Mandy Curry at curry81704@gmail.com.

**Meet and Greet with Tim Tipton**
Please join us March 13th at 9:30 a.m. for a simple breakfast and an opportunity to get to know our new Music Director, Tim Tipton! All are welcome as we welcome Tim to our Holy Spirit family.

**New Weekly Schedule During Lent, (Beginning March 6th)**
**Sundays:** 8:30 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II; 9:30 am Sunday School in the Parish Hall for Children and Adults. The children will gather in the children’s Sunday school room with Lindsey Austin. They will be using a curriculum called “All-in-One Sunday School” from Group Publishing. The adults will gather in the adult Sunday school room with Father Eric. They will be using a curriculum called “Feasting on the Word,” a lectionary-based Bible study focusing on one of the lessons appointed for the week. TBD Music and Choir Rehearsal. Be on the lookout for more information about when and where to meet. 10:30 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II, followed by coffee hour in the Narthex.

**Tuesdays:** 8:00 pm Compline (Live-streamed on Facebook)

**Wednesdays:** 9:00-11:00 Coffee with the Priest at Starbucks on Kent Dairy Road; 12:00 noon Noonday Prayer (Live-streamed on Facebook); 6:30 pm Lenten Community Dinner and Taize Service

**Thursdays:** 8:30 am Morning Prayer (Live-streamed on Facebook)
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, February 20, 2022

Pledged ..................................................$ 3010.00
Unpledged ...............................................$ 431.00
Beans and Rice ........................................$ 45.00
Pancake Supper .......................................$ 25.00
Memorial Fund (Judy Ghareeb) .................$ 655.00
Total Contributions .................................$ 4166.00

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Bishops and Clergy: Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop ECUSA; Glenda Curry, Brian Prior, Assisting Bishop; Eric Mancil, Rector

Diocesan Prayer Cycle: Diocesan Pastoral Counseling Center Military, Institutional, Hospice and Hospital Chaplains Grace Church, Anniston Grace Church, Pike Road

Anglican Prayer Cycle: The Anglican Church of Kenya

Ministries & Programs within The Church of the Holy Spirit Guidance for new outreach opportunities

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

For all people everywhere, especially those sick with the coronavirus, first responders, scientist, doctors, and nurses. Prayers for Ukraine and peace in Eastern Europe.

Healing & Guidance for members, relatives and friends of Holy Spirit
Janice Dark (Wilbanks family); Linda Murphy (Sharon Poset), (Poset family); Ted Smith (Sally Jorgensen); Robin Banks (Robbie McCoy); Patricia Smith (Sally Jorgenson); Mandy Heatherly; Cary Nicholas (Jason Portney), Miles Sorensen (Kim Sorensen); Bill Beauchamp (Sharon Greer)

For those who have died: Benjamin Jordan, Judy Ghareeb, Danny Crowson, Geraldine Hollen, Ed Brown, and Brian Brooks may light perpetual shine upon them.

Upcoming Birthdays: Michael Matthews (3/3); Mandy Curry (3/4); Val Autrey (3/9); Judy Dykes (3/10); Janet Cooley (3/11)