

*this*WEEK @ Holy Innocents'

Sunday, October 1

Holy Eucharist Rite II (no music)	Church	8:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist Rite II (with music)	Church	10:30 a.m.
Church of South India	Parish Hall	1:00 p.m.
PRAY Program	Kiser Hall	2:00 p.m.
Crown Do Well	Kiser Hall	5:00 p.m.

Monday, October 2

Plant City Community Choir Rehearsal	Church	6:30 p.m.
Cub Scouts	Conf. Room	6:30 p.m.
Wolf Scouts	Kiser Hall	6:30 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	6:45 p.m.
Boy Scouts	Parish Hall	7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 3

KidsPACK Packing	Parish Hall	9:00 a.m.
St. Lawrence Guild	Kitchen	10:00 a.m.
Stitch Group	Kiser Hall	10:30 a.m.
Parish Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 4

Bread Ministry Pickup	Parish Hall	6:45 a.m.
Meals on Wheels	Parish Hall	10:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist	Chapel	12:00 noon
The Gathering	Parish Hall	6:00 p.m.
Youth Group	Youth Room	6:45 p.m.
St. Nicholas Children's Choir	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 5

KidsPACK Loading & Delivery	Parish Hall	8:30 a.m.
Adventures in Faith & Science	Parish Hall	2:00 p.m.
Daisy Troop	Youth Room	5:45 p.m.
Search Committee	Conf. Room	7:00 p.m.
Handbell Choir	Church	7:00 p.m.
Bereavement Group	Kiser Hall	7:30 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Parish Hall	8:00 p.m.

Friday, October 6

Rachel's Guild	Parish Hall	9:30 a.m.
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	10:30 a.m.
Youth to Matthew West Concert	Parking Lot	4:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 7

Church Work Day	Church Campus	9:00 a.m.
Altar Guild	Church	9:00 a.m.



HOLY INNOCENTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH
VALRICO, FLORIDA

TRANSFORMING LIVES, TRANSFORMING THE WORLD

News for the Pews † Sunday, October 1, 2017

Young People's Worship

Any child age three and older is welcome to come to Young People's Worship during the 10:30 service for teaching and activities. Young people will join behind the children's cross in the procession and proceed to Kiser Hall.

Gordon McIntyre Resigning as Junior Warden Effective Today

Due to a family situation, Gordon McIntyre is stepping down as Junior Warden. Bill Cox will finish serving Gordon's term through January of 2018. Thank you, Gordon, for your years of service to Holy Innocents'!

The Gathering Continues on Wednesday

The Gathering continues this Wednesday with food, fellowship, worship, and teaching. This week will feature a potluck dinner, so please bring your favorite dish to share! We'll worship with music from the band, and have some teaching and discussion about the apostle Andrew and his legacy. *We need volunteers to sign up to help with meals each Wednesday evening.* Please Sign up in the Parish Hall.

KidsPACK Packing Day Resumes This Tuesday, October 3

Because of the impact of Hurricane Irma, the schedule for KidsPACK packing was altered, but it is resuming this week. The next packing session is Tuesday, October 3, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall.

Bereavement Group Meets Again Starting on October 5

The Bereavement Group will begin meeting Thursday, October 5, in the Kiser Hall prayer room from 7:30-8:30 p.m. There will be six consecutive weekly sessions. A signup sheet will be available in the Narthex starting this Sunday, September 10. Please RSVP via the sheet or by contacting Noel Ritch at insighthome@aol.com.

Rachel's Guild Quilts on Friday, October 6

If you can tie a knot, you can be part of this amazing ministry that provides quilts to local abused, abandoned, and neglected children. Come to the Parish Hall on Friday at 9:30 a.m. to learn more and see the quilters in action.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

The following things are either due by next Sunday or happening next Sunday.

Submissions for Veterans' Book Due

At Holy Innocents', we keep a record of all of our congregation members who are military veterans. If you have served in our armed forces and have not yet submitted your information to be included in our book, please contact Pat Magnant at patm@myitperson.com for specifics on what to submit or submit your information through our website.

Reception for Matt Woods

Matt Woods' last Sunday with us is October 8. We will have a reception for him following the 10:30 service. There will be a box available for cards and notes to wish Matt Godspeed as he moves to North Carolina.

Blessing of the Animals

Bring your pets to the area outside Kiser Hall at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 8. Fr. Read will be offering a special blessing to each pet.

Confirmation Classes Start Next Sunday

If you or someone in your family would like to be confirmed into the membership of the church, please contact the church office by **today**. Confirmation classes start next Sunday at 9:15 a.m. in the conference room. Confirmation will be held on Sunday, November 19.

UPCOMING CHURCH EVENTS

The TNT Group Meets on Saturday, October 14

Our Twenties & Thirties Group (TNT) has their next gathering on Saturday, Oct. 14, beginning at 5:00 p.m. Join us for a fun evening of board games and potluck food! We'll meet at the home of Alex & Ashley Perschall. You can get their address from the church directory or by emailing Kelle Schnabel at kelle.schnabel@gmail.com. Children are welcome! Please bring a side dish to share. We'd like a head count so please email Kelle if you are attending.

Baptisms Will Be Held on Sunday, November 5

If you would like to be baptized or have your child baptized on November 5, please contact the church office by **Sunday, October 15**, to sign up or get more information.

Save the Date for the Stewardship Luncheon

Mark your calendars for the luncheon on Sun, Oct. 29. Details coming soon...



**Saturday,
October 7**

There are two parts to the day: cleaning the kitchen and all other projects.

- *Cleaning the Kitchen:* **This project begins at 8:30 a.m.** and involves a thorough cleaning of the entire kitchen space. Please email Greg Johnson at greg.johnson@preciseconstruction.com if you want to be a part of this project.
- *All Other Church Projects:* **This part of the day begins at 9:00 a.m.** Tasks to be done include pressure-washing, painting, yard work, weeding, refurbishing wood, mulching, and working on the sound system. Please bring the following tools with you if you have them: water hoses, pressure washers, rakes, pitchforks, hoes, and shovels.

A lunch of pizza and chips will be available at 12:30 and water will be provided throughout the day. Both projects will conclude by 1:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

Oct. 3

Michael Farrier
Garth Notel

Oct. 5

Earlyn Baldwin
Erma Derr
Patti McBride
Gordon McIntyre

Oct. 6

Paulette Ramsay
Pete Soto
Donald Winch

Anniversaries

October 5

Elizabeth & Shawn Kartes
Chrystal & Graham Roberts

We apologize if your birthday or anniversary is not listed. Please call the office to update your information.

FINANCIALS

How are we doing financially? Prior Week Actual Revenue: **\$9,109**. Prior Week Budgeted Expenses: **\$8,474**. YTD Actual Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$297,616**. YTD Budgeted Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$291,564**. Thank you for keeping your financial commitments up to date.