

# *this*WEEK @ Holy Innocents'

## Sunday, October 16

Holy Eucharist Rite II (no music)	Church	8:00 a.m.
Christian Ed. for Youth & Children	Various	9:15 a.m.
Holy Eucharist Rite II (with music)	Church	10:30 a.m.
Baptism Class	Conf. Room	12:15 p.m.
Church of South India	Parish Hall	1:00 p.m.

## Monday, October 17

Cub Scouts	Conf. Room	6:30 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	6:45 p.m.
Boy Scouts	Parish Hall	7:00 p.m.

## Tuesday, October 18

KidsPACK Packing	Parish Hall	9:00 a.m.
Staff Planning Meeting	Offices	9:00 a.m.
St. Lawrence Guild	Kitchen	10:00 a.m.
Stitch Group	Kiser Hall	10:30 a.m.
Vestry Meeting	Conf. Room	7:00 p.m.

## Wednesday, October 19

Bread Ministry Pickup	Parish Hall	6:45 a.m.
Staff Meeting	Offices	9:00 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.
St. Nicholas Children's Choir	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.
Youth Group	Youth Room	7:00 p.m.

## Thursday, October 20

KidsPACK Packing	Parish Hall	8:30 a.m.
Adventures in Faith & Science	Parish Hall	2:00 p.m.
Daisy Troop	Youth Room	5:45 p.m.
Parish Choir	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.
Handbell Choir	Church	7:00 p.m.
Women's Bible Study	Youth Room	7:00 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Conf. Room	8:00 p.m.

## Friday, October 21

Rachel's Guild	Parish Hall	9:30 a.m.
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	10:30 a.m.

## Saturday, October 22

Altar Guild	Church	9:00 a.m.
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HOLY INNOCENTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
VALRICO, FLORIDA

TRANSFORMING LIVES, TRANSFORMING THE WORLD

## News for the Pews ✚ Sunday, October 16, 2016

### Loose Plate Offering This Morning

This morning's loose plate offering goes to Angel Tree, a ministry that provides Christmas gifts to kids who have a parent in prison.

### Submit Names Now for All Saints Sunday

On Sunday, Nov. 6, names of congregation members who have died in the past year will be read in worship. We invite you to submit names of friends or family members who have died since Nov. 1, 2015. You can do that online at our website or on the table in the narthex.

### Women's Bible Study Begins on Thursday

The women's bible study begins this Thursday at 7 PM in the youth room. The 7-week study is entitled *Open Your Bible* by Raechel Myers and Amanda B. Williams, and includes a workbook. Contact Connie Barfield at 813-741-9504 to reserve a spot and order your workbook (\$15.00).

### Coffee with the Clergy is Next Sunday

If you are new to Holy Innocents' and would like a chance to talk to Fr. Doug and hear some basic information about the church, please join him for "Coffee with the Clergy" in his office next Sunday, October 23, at 9:15 a.m.

### The 4th Annual Chili Cook-off is October 26

Sign up now to enter your chili in the cook-off, which will be held during The Gathering on October 26. The winner gets a \$25 gift card to Amazon, and everyone who comes gets to try all kinds of wonderful chili! Sign up in the Parish Hall!

### Healing School Held at Holy Innocents' October 27-29

Signups are going on now for the Healing School held here at the end of October. Go to [www.amazinglovehealing.com](http://www.amazinglovehealing.com) for more information or to register.

### Make-Up Day Scheduled for Directory Pictures on October 29

If you did not have your picture taken for the new church directory, you have another chance on Saturday, Oct. 29. There are limited spaces to have pictures taken from 1-5 p.m. Please call Pat Magnant ASAP at 727-365-2300 to reserve a space.

### Election Help Needed on November 8

We have four spaces still available for volunteers to help with the election. The church earns money for each volunteer we have. Thank you to the 46 people who have already signed up! Contact Pat Magnant at 727-365-2300 to help.

## UPCOMING AT HOLY INNOCENTS'



**Middle School Youth Invited to New Beginnings**  
 New Beginnings is a great opportunity for youth in grades 6-8 to grow in their love of themselves, others, and Jesus Christ. The weekend will be held at DaySpring Nov. 11-13. Registration is due Nov. 1. Go to the diocesan website ([www.episcopalswfl.org](http://www.episcopalswfl.org)) and click on the menu for children and youth to find the link to register. Scholarships are available by contacting Fr. Doug.

### Yard Sale Thank You

The youth raised \$1,520 at last weekend's yard sale!! Thanks to all who donated and all who came out to shop and buy, and the youth who helped at the sale. The money goes to support youth activities at the church.



### A KID'S PLACE

*An organization devoted to helping abused, abandoned, and neglected kids. Here's how you can help.*

### Donate Books for Re-Sale at the Fall Whistle Stop Craft Show

Bring any new or gently used books to the narthex collection box or contact Greg Johnson (813-267-3862) if you have a larger amount for pickup. All books will be sold at the craft show in November. All proceeds go to A Kid's Place.

### Contribute to the Wish List of Needed Items for A Kid's Place

There is an ongoing collection for items for A Kid's Place. You can place all items in the box that's in the narthex. These are the items they need now:

- Canned vegetables (corn is a favorite)
- Canned fruits & applesauce
- Diaper wipes
- Toddler sippy cups



## FAMILY PROMISE UPDATES



The next hosting week is November 13-20. We are in need of overnight hosts. This is an easy way to help. Please consider signing up for one night—or more. If you would like to sign up to help or have questions about any of the volunteer positions, including overnight hosting, contact Arlene Maloney at [arlene352003@yahoo.com](mailto:arlene352003@yahoo.com). You can also sign up in the narthex.

**Christmas Cookie Bakers Needed!** Family Promise is raising money this holiday season through a silent cookie auction! They are looking for bakers willing to donate a few dozen homemade cookies. The deadline to register to bake is November 4. Please contact Sue Benitez at [susben@verizon.net](mailto:susben@verizon.net) if you can help.



**November 5 @ 9:00 AM**

**ALL VENDOR SPOTS ARE NOW SOLD OUT!**

**COME SEE THE GREAT CRAFTS BY LOCAL ARTIST AT OUR POPULAR SHOW!**

- ☞ The Bake Sale is on! Please consider donating homemade baked goods.
- ☞ **New this year:** A children's area, complete with an obstacle course, face painting, and a dunking tank, where one of the "dunkees" is Fr. Doug!
- ☞ Boy Scouts will be selling lunch, including pulled pork.

**If you have questions about the craft show, please contact Pat Magnant at 727-365-2300.**

## THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### Birthdays

<b>October 16</b> Bill Edwards Jeanette Wasik	<b>October 21</b> Lochlan Ramsay
<b>October 17</b> Roger Ramsay	<b>October 22</b> Tabitha Holden

### Anniversaries

<b>October 18</b> Sharon & Pete Soto
<b>October 21</b> Mary & Wally Tyre

*We apologize if your birthday or anniversary is this week and it is not listed. Please call the office to update your information in our system.*

## FINANCIALS

**How are we doing financially?** Prior Week Actual Revenue: **\$10,219**. Prior Week Budgeted Expenses: **\$9,560**. YTD Actual Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$334,569**. YTD Budgeted Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$354,732**. Thank you for keeping your financial commitments up to date.