

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Sunday, February 7

Holy Eucharist: Rite Two (no music)	Church	8:00 a.m.
Adult & Youth Education	Parish Hall	9:15 a.m.
Children's Education	Kiser Hall	9:15 a.m.
Parish Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	9:50 a.m.
Holy Eucharist: Rite Two (with music)	Church	10:30 a.m.
Church of South India	Church	1:00 p.m.
PRAY Scouting Program	Conf. Room	2:00 p.m.

### Monday, February 8

Cub Scouts	Conf. Hall	6:30 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	6:45 p.m.
Men's Bible Study	Youth Room	7:00 p.m.
Boy Scouts	Parish Hall	7:00 p.m.

### Tuesday, February 9

#### *Shrove Tuesday*

St. Lawrence Guild	Kitchen	10:00 a.m.
Stitch Group	Choir Room	10:30 a.m.
Shrove Tuesday Italian "Carnevale"	Parish Hall	6:00 p.m.

### Wednesday, February 10

#### *Ash Wednesday*

Bread Ministry Pickup	Parish Hall	7:00 a.m.
Meals on Wheels	Parish Hall	10:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes	Church	12:00 noon
Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes	Church	7:00 p.m.

### Thursday, February 11

KidsPack Loading & Delivering	Parish Hall	8:30 a.m.
Centering Prayer	Conf. Room	2:00 p.m.
Parish Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.
Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Parish Hall	7:00 p.m.
Women's Bible Study	Youth Room	7:00 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Kiser Hall	8:00 p.m.

### Friday, February 12

A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	10:30 a.m.
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### Saturday, February 13

Altar Guild	Church	9:00 a.m.
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Submissions for the "News for the Pews" or "The Shield" must be emailed to [communications@hiepiscopal.org](mailto:communications@hiepiscopal.org) by 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday.



## HOLY INNOCENTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH VALRICO, FLORIDA

TRANSFORMING LIVES, TRANSFORMING THE WORLD

### News for the Pews † Sunday, February 7, 2016

#### Super Bowl Sub Pickup This Morning

If you ordered subs from the youth group, please remember to pick up your order in the narthex after either service. There may be a few extra, so if you forgot to order and would still like one, please ask in the narthex.

#### Shrove Tuesday Dinner on February 9

Shrove Tuesday is a day of feasting before Lent begins. At Holy Innocents', our Shrove Tuesday meal will be in the Italian Carnevale style, featuring lasagna, salad, and Italian bread. All proceeds benefit KidsPACK, and the suggested donation for the meal is \$5. Dinner starts at 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.



ASH  
WEDNESDAY

#### Ash Wednesday Services on February 10

There are two worship services on Wednesday to mark Ash Wednesday, the beginning Lent. The first is at noon, and is Holy Eucharist with imposition of ashes. The second is Holy Eucharist with music and imposition of ashes. All are welcome at either.

#### No "Gathering" This Week

Because of the Ash Wednesday evening service, there will be no "Gathering" this week. It will resume next Wednesday, February 17, at 6:00 p.m.

#### Centering Prayer on Thursday, February 11

If you are looking to grow deeper in your prayer relationship with God, consider practicing Centering Prayer. A group gathers every second and fourth Tuesday of the month beginning at 2:00 p.m. in the chapel.

#### Baptism Classes Start Next Sunday, February 14

Anyone wanting to be baptized (or have their child baptized) must have taken the class. It starts next Sunday, February 14, and continues for several Sundays after that. Register online at [www.hiepiscopal.org](http://www.hiepiscopal.org). Upcoming baptism dates are Sat., March 26, and Sun., May 15.

#### Youth Event at SkyZone on February 20

Any youth wishing to go to SkyZone on February 20 must turn their money in to Kelle Schnabel by this Wednesday, February 10. Cost is \$17. Parents must also fill out an online waiver for this event. The link for this can be found in our weekly e-newsletter "The Shield" or by contacting Kelle at 813-727-9770.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



### Acolyte Training Scheduled for March 6

All children in 3rd grade through 12th grade are encouraged to serve as acolytes on Sunday mornings! Our next training is Sunday, March 6, immediately following the 10:30 service. Lunch will be provided and all current acolytes and those wishing to become acolytes are encouraged to attend.

### Election Help Needed on March 15

Holy Innocents' will once again be assisting with three elections this year. Helping benefits the community and raises money for Holy Innocents'. The help of *six volunteers* is needed at Barksdale Senior Center 1801 North Lincoln Avenue in Tampa from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15. If you can help please contact Pat Magnant at 727-365-2300.

### Food Bags for the Needy in Our Community

Holy Innocents' is preparing food bags for the church to have available to give to anyone who stops by and is in need of food or a little money for gas. There will be a basket in the Narthex for these items, which will be collected one Sunday every quarter. *The first collection Sunday is March 6.* We are looking for the following items.

Peanut Butter 16oz.	Small bags of chips
Grape Jelly 18oz.	Tuna in a package
Ritz Crackers	Juice in box
Vienna Sausage	Small packages of crackers
Fruit in a cup	\$10.00 Publix Card
Pudding in a cup	\$10.00 Gas Card

### Chalice-Bearers Needed for 8:00 Service on Sundays

Chalice-bearers share scripture or prayer with the congregation, and then administers the chalice during the Holy Eucharist. We are in need of a few people to serve in this important role. Can you serve one time a month? Please contact Mike Roithmayr at 813.681.6906.

## MISSION TRIPS

Holy Innocents' is participating in two summer mission trips. One is to the Dominican Republic in June and the other is to Vero Beach in July. Reservations for both trips are due at the end of February. If you would like more information on either trip, including the dates and costs associated with them, please contact Pat Magnant at 727-265-2300 or patm@myitperson.com.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



Attention all women of Holy Innocents'! You are invited to the 7th Annual Women of Grace Retreat! It will be held April 15-17 at the Bethany Center. This year's theme centers around women being "Vessels of Honor". Early registration runs through March 11 and is \$250 (includes a shared room). Contact Deborah Brown at 813-571-5834 for more information.

### Important All-Church Workshop on February 27

The Men's Ministry is sponsoring an all-church Advanced Directives workshop from 9-11 a.m. Saturday, February 27. Included will be a review of the new Florida advanced medical directive forms, and will include a discussion led by a guest from LifePath Hospice, and our own Don Flynn. The time together will allow people to go through the process step by step to help state the kind of medical care they want and to document healthcare instructions and limitations. A light breakfast will be served.



*Save the Date for the 4th Annual Holy Innocents' Golf Tournament!*

This year's tournament will be held on Saturday, April 23. More information will be available soon, including how to register.

## THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### Birthdays

#### February 7

Michele Rudacille

#### February 8

Kathleen Blanchard  
Tom Godfrey

#### February 9

Gill Boissoneault  
Ron Carr

#### February 10

Michael Johnson

#### February 11

Evyonne Folkersen

#### February 13

Tyler Meldrum  
Linda Nemeth  
Robert Stingone

### Anniversaries

#### February 10

Lisa & Ken  
Johnston

#### February 13

Kim & David  
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*We apologize if your birthday or anniversary is this week and it is not listed. Please contact the office at 813.689.3130 to update your information in our system.*

## FINANCIALS

**How are we doing financially?** Prior Week Actual Revenue: **\$8,062**. Prior Week Budgeted Expenses: **\$9,560**. YTD Actual Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$40,510**. YTD Budgeted Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$43,260**. Thank you for keeping your financial commitments up to date.