this WEEK @ Holy Innocents'

Sunday, April 8		
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (no music)	Church	8:00 a.m.
"Cup of Life" Adult Ed. Class	Kiser Hall	9:15 a.m.
Holy Eucharist, Rite II (with music)	Church	10:30 a.m.
Church of South India	Parish Hall	1:30 p.m.
Children & Youth Choir	Choir Room	5:00 p.m.
Monday, April 9		
Plant City Community Choir Business Mtg.	Nursery	5:45 p.m.
Plant City Community Choir Practice	Church	6:30 p.m.
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.
Men's Bible Study	Youth Room	7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, April 10		
kidsPACK Packing	Parish Hall	9:00 a.m.
Stitch Group	Kiser Hall	10:30 a.m.
Vestry Meeting	Conf. Room	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 11		
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.
Thursday, April 12		
kidsPACK Loading & Delivery	Parish Hall	8:30 a.m.
Daisy Scouts	Kiser Hall	5:45 p.m.
Parish Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.
Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Church	7:00 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Parish Hall	7:30 p.m.
Friday, April 13		
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	10:30 a.m.
Saturday, April 14		
Altar Guild	Church	9:00 a.m.
Scrapbooking Event	Parish Hall	9:00 a.m.
Golf Tournament	Offsite	1:00 p.m.

Submissions for the "News for the Pews" or "The Shield" must be emailed to communications@hiepiscopal.org by 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday.



News for the Pews † Sunday, April 8, 2018

Easter Flower Pickup

Easter flowers are available for pickup. Please take one home with you today after the 10:30 service.

The Gathering Resumes this Wednesday

The Gathering meets Wednesday in the Parish Hall for dinner, fellowship, worship, and community. Dinner starts at 6:00 and this week the meal is La Septima. Worship and youth group start at 6:45.

Scrapbook Event in Parish Hall on Saturday

A cropping event is scheduled for Saturday, April 14, from 9 AM - 6 PM. For \$35, you get your own space at a table, a light breakfast, lunch, and access (for an additional fee per line) to an embosser. Register now on our website.

New Directory Picture Sign Up Is Next Sunday

On Sunday, April 15, Pat Magnant will be in the narthex before both worship services to sign people up to have directory pictures taken. Photographs will be taken on Saturday, May 12, from 11 AM to 5:40 PM. Anyone who is interested in having their picture in the directory can contact Pat at 727-365-2300 or talk to her in the narthex next Sunday.

Thank You from the Youth Group

Thanks to all who chaperoned, brought food, or donated candy for the Easter Egg Hunt. All of these helped to make the youth lock-in a great success!

THE GOLF TOURNAMENT IS SATURDAY AND YOU CAN STILL REGISTER!



You can still sign up online or in the narthex to participate in this exciting, fun, and important annual event that raises money for the mission and ministry of the church. The tournament starts **Saturday at 1:00 p.m. at RiverHills Golf Club.**

Not a golfer? You can still participate! Dinner begins at 6:00 and is \$20 for all non-golfers. Sign up online or using the form in the narthex. Going to dinner means you can participate in the fantastic raffle and silent auction!



Feed the Bay is Next Sunday!

Feed the Bay is an annual unified effort of local Bay Area churches to show God's love to the hungry in our community. This is a concentrated effort of

God's people for five hours on one Sunday every spring to fill our local food banks and emergency food pantries in area agencies when supply is desperately low. Volunteers help collect the purchased items, and sort and load them into a truck at collection sites. There is a volunteer sign-up sheet in the narthex. Holy Innocents' has five spaces confirmed at Publix at 1971 SR 60 E, from 8:15 to 11:15 AM next Sunday. The list of groceries to purchase will also be handed out next Sunday. There are no new "Feed the Bay" t-shirts this year; volunteers may wear one from previous years but it's not required. Anyone who wants to volunteer at a different location can go to www.feedthebay.org.



Thank you to all who gave macaroni and cheese to kidsPACK last month. This month, they have an urgent need for laundry detergent. Detergent donations will be collected through April 28 in the box in the narthex.



Family Promise Guests Here Week of April 22

Family Promise is the ministry that houses local homeless families in area churches to help them get back on their feet. Please sign up to help while

the families are with us April 22-29. The signup sheet is in the narthex. This ministry is making a difference - over 30 families have found permanent homes because of their involvement in the ministry in the last several years. If you have any questions, contact Sherry Roithmayr at sherlyn21@aol.com.

Vacation Bible School is June 4-8! Register now using the form in the narthex or on our website. Don't miss this incredible week!

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

April 12 April 14
Gregory Tyson Emma Edwards

April 13 Allen Zak

Anniversaries

April 11 Simone & Gary Cartwright

April 14 Melissa & Courtney Bailey

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.



Diocesan Youth Baccalaureate Service on Saturday, April 28

All are invited to the first Youth Baccalaureate Service to be held on Saturday, April 28, at 11 a.m. at the Cathedral. Graduating high school seniors are invited to participate in the service and to attend the luncheon

immediately following it. All seniors must register using the diocesan website (www.episcopalswfl.org) to attend the service and the luncheon with their families. Everyone else can attend the service without registering.



Here are two summer mission projects open for participants:

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

The Tampa Deanery Dominican Project is building the new San Timoteo Episcopal Church in the town of Nizao. We will be doing a lot of carpentry work - building pews, altars, and more furniture for their sanctuary. Some teams may do needed repairs on the San Matias Church and School.

Trips: June 16-23 or June 29-July 7

Cost: \$1,865 (some funds may be available to help) A valid passport, registration form, and \$200 non-refundable deposit are required for the trip. For more info or to apply, contact Pat Magnant at patm@myitperson.com or 727-365-2300.

LOCAL "NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS" DAY

Everyone is invited to participate locally in our Neighbors Helping Neighbors Day on **Saturday**, **July 28**. We will be helping some of our parishioners who need assistance with small tasks around their home or need help with transportation. If you would like more information about helping during the day or receiving help, contact Pat Magnant at the phone number or email address listed above.