

*this*WEEK @ Holy Innocents'

Sunday, May 7

Holy Eucharist Rite II (no music)	Church	8:00 a.m.
Cup of Life Class	Conf. Room	9:15 a.m.
Holy Eucharist Rite II (with music)	Church	10:30 a.m.
VBS Crew Leader Training	Conf. Room	12:15 p.m.
Church of South India	Parish Hall	1:00 p.m.

Monday, May 8

Plant City Community Chorale Rehearsal	Church	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, May 9

KidsPACK Packing	Parish Hall	9:00 a.m.
St. Lawrence Guild	Kitchen	10:00 a.m.
Stitch Group	Kiser Hall	10:30 a.m.
Small Group Bible Study	Conf. Room	2:00 p.m.
Parish Choir	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 10

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.
St. Nicholas Children's Choir	Choir Room	7:00 p.m.
Youth Group	Youth Room	7:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 11

KidsPACK Loading & Delivery	Parish Hall	8:30 a.m.
Centering Prayer	Church	2:00 p.m.
Daisy Troop	Kiser Hall	5:45 p.m.
Women's Bible Study	Youth Room	7:00 p.m.
Handbell Choir	Church	7:00 p.m.
A.A. Meeting	Parish Hall	8:00 p.m.

Friday, May 12

Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner Setup	Parish Hall	9:00 a.m.
A.A. Meeting	Choir Room	10:30 a.m.

Saturday, May 13

Altar Guild	Church	9:00 a.m.
Boy Scouts Spaghetti Dinner	Parish Hall	6:30 p.m.



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Baptism Class Begins Today

If you are interested in being baptized yourself or having your child or children baptized, please plan to attend the baptism preparation class. The class will meet at 9:15 a.m. for several Sundays, and the baptisms will be held on Sunday, June 4. If you miss the first class or if you have a child you would like to have baptized and have already taken the class, please contact Sue in the church office.

The Gathering Meal on Wednesday is Empanadas

The Gathering meets this Wednesday at 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Dinner is being made by our St. Lawrence Guild, and they are featuring homemade beef empanadas, green beans, corn soufflé, salad, and chocolate cake! Worship starts at 6:45 and children's choir and youth group also meet beginning at 7:00.

Centering Prayer Meets on Thursday

As we move further away from the joy of Easter morning and deeper into the Easter season, take some time to continue to make that joy part of your life through centering prayer. The group meets at 2:00 p.m. in the chapel on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Contact Barbara Glaser at barann2@verizon.net for more details.

Young Adult Fellowship Outing on Saturday

The Young Adult Group will be meeting for some fun and fellowship! On Saturday, May 13, we'll meet at Topgolf at 3 p.m. It's pay your own way. The booth rental at that time is \$35 per 6-person booth per hour which we will split evenly between us all. So cost should be approximately \$15 to \$20 plus your \$5 membership card (if you don't already have one) and any food you choose to purchase. Need more info? Contact Kelle Schnabel (kelle.schnabel@gmail.com or 813-727-9770) or go to the Topgolf website: <https://topgolf.com/us/tampa>.

Looking for Our High School Seniors

We would like to recognize all of our high school seniors in worship on May 21. If you are a graduating senior, contact the church office via phone or email (office@hiepiscope.org). Please leave your name, contact information (email and phone number), and name of your high school. Thank you!

Memorial Service for Don Flynn

A memorial service for Don Flynn will be held on Saturday, May 20, at 1:00 p.m. in the church. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 5-9

Sign Up Now to Be Part of VBS!

Registration is now open for Vacation Bible School! Sign your kids up now for this free week of fun and learning about Jesus and the gifts he has given us. VBS goes from 9:00 AM - 12:00 noon each day. Register on our website or use the paper form on the table in the narthex and turn the form into the office.

Luau to End VBS and Celebrate the Start of Summer!

We're holding an all-church luau on Sunday morning, June 11! It will take the place of coffee hour after the 10:30 service. It's going to be all kinds of summer fun wrapped up in one great event! Lunch will be potluck sides and dessert with a main dish of Hawaiian BBQ. There will be lots of hula skirts and even an inflatable water slide - so bring your bathing suits! Mark your calendar now for this event you won't want to miss!

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

May 7 Sophia Pergola	May 11 Judy Comiskey
May 8 Cyndi Horn Dimariliz Ramirez	May 12 Vito Gioscia Laura More Bonnie Thomasson
May 9 Elizabeth Kartes Donna Marrin	Ed Walker

Anniversaries

May 7 Amy & Ron Meldrum
May 8 Audrey & Kenny Cull Miyoko & Donald Winch
May 10 Janet & Ken Watts

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: **\$6,339**. Prior Week Budgeted Expenses: **\$8,474**. YTD Actual Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$143,223**. YTD Budgeted Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$134,568**. Thank you for keeping your financial commitments up to date.

PAINTING FUNDRAISER FOR MISSIONS ON MAY 18



Our next missions fundraiser is at "Painting with a Twist," the art studio where you meet friends and enjoy some wine while you create a painting. We'll gather together on Thursday, May 18, at 7:00 p.m. at the Brandon location of "Painting with a Twist" on Lumsden Road. We will be creating this beautiful beach scene! Cost is \$35 and you can take your finished painting with you when you're done. A Premier Jewelry rep will also be there selling jewelry. All proceeds for both events go to missions. Register at www.paintingwithatwist.com/Brandon. Click on our event on the calendar.

Attention Meals on Wheels Volunteers

All MOW volunteers (team captains, cooks, drivers, substitutes, etc.) are invited to attend an important planning meeting on Wednesday, May 31, from 1:00-2:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Please contact Jan Marriner (813-965-1553) or Lea Gallagher (813-505-7679) if you are unable to attend so that they can get you the information that will be discussed.

Holy Innocents' Annual Rays Game!

Join us on Saturday, July 8, to see our Rays take on the Boston Red Sox. Tickets are \$25. *We need a count of who is interested in going. We also need to know if those who are going are interested in taking a rented bus together.* Please email Bill Cox at bcx1953@gmail.com to let him know if you would like to go. Make checks payable to Holy Innocents' and not "Baseball Tickets" in the memo. Handicapped seats are available.

Social Media Help Needed

We are looking for someone who has an interest in social media to help contribute to the church Twitter and Instagram accounts, and make videos for YouTube. Please contact Pat Magnant at patm@myitperson.com.

Boy Scouts Spaghetti Dinner and a Movie is Saturday, May 13

The Boy Scout Troop that meets here is hosting a spaghetti dinner and a movie night to help raise funds to send scouts to camp this summer. The dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m. on May 13 in the Parish Hall. Tickets are \$7 each, and will be on sale this morning after each service. You can also buy them at the door on Saturday night. The movie is "Moana" and will start at 7:00 p.m. that evening. You can dine in so you can stay and watch the movie, or you can come and make take-out containers for yourself to dine at home. The menu is spaghetti, salad, and bread, and gluten free spaghetti will be available. Questions? Contact Rachel Zattosky at 813-340-9648.

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