

*this*WEEK @ Holy Innocents'

Sunday, June 5 *Family Promise Guests Arrive*

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| Holy Eucharist: Rite Two (no music) | Church | 8:00 a.m. |
| Holy Eucharist: Rite Two (with music) | Church | 10:30 a.m. |
| Church of South India | Church | 1:00 p.m. |

Monday, June 6

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| 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, June 7

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| St. Lawrence Guild | Kitchen | 10:00 a.m. |
| Stitch Group | Choir Room | 10:30 a.m. |

Wednesday, June 8

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| Bread Ministry Pickup | Parish Hall | 6:45 a.m. |
| Meals on Wheels | Parish Hall | 10:00 a.m. |
| Holy Eucharist | Chapel | 12:00 noon |

Thursday, June 9

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| Centering Prayer | Chapel | 2:00 p.m. |
| A.A. Meeting | Parish Hall | 8:00 p.m. |

Friday, June 10

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| A.A. Meeting | Choir Room | 10:30 a.m. |
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Saturday, June 11

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| 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, June 5, 2016

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Education Sunday

This morning we recognize and honor our students, teachers, graduates, and all of our Christian Education teachers as we come to the end of another school year. Thank you for all you do!

Family Worship Today

This morning is family worship so all children will stay in church with their parents. The nursery is still open for infants and toddlers ages 0-3.

Meeting about Back-to-School Festival

At the same time we're celebrating the end of one school, preparations are beginning for the festival that will mark the start of the 2016-17 school year! We are planning a festival for community children, including Dover Elementary, for Saturday, August 6. We are looking for ministries and groups who meet there to sponsor a game, snack, etc. during the festival. Come to an informational meeting *today* in the Parish Hall after either service. Contact Rick Barfield at 813-741-9504 or rick811bar@aol.com.

Healing School Postponed

The Healing School, previously scheduled for the end of this week, has been postponed until Fall. As soon as new dates are confirmed, it will be announced.

Centering Prayer Meets on Thursday

Centering Prayer will be offered this Thursday, June 9, at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Take time to reflect and center yourself in the presence of God.

Summer Scheduling for Groups Meeting at Church

If you are the leader of a group that meets at church, please contact Sue in the office to let her know whether or not you are taking breaks this summer. You can call, email, or leave a note for her this morning.

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

UPCOMING @ HOLY INNOCENTS'

Registration Continues for Vacation Bible School

This amazing week will teach kids about following the light of Jesus as they make their way in the world. Fun lessons and catchy songs will help them on their way. Registration is FREE and open to all children age 4-5th grade. Sign up online at www.hiepiscopal.org or use the form in the narthex table.

A Few More Volunteers Needed for VBS

We are still looking for a few crew leaders on our adult volunteer team. We need help from caring adults to make this week great for the kids! If you can help, please contact Shannon Scharf at 813-757-3111.

Safeguarding God's Children Class on June 18

All adults working with children and youth in the Episcopal Church must be trained in "Safeguarding God's Children". Deacon Gary will lead a class for any VBS volunteers (and anyone else who needs to be trained) on *Saturday, June 18 from 9 a.m.–noon in the Parish Hall*. Call the church office to sign up or to verify if your training is still current. **If you cannot attend on June 18, there is a class TODAY at 2:00 at St. Mary's Day School in Tampa.**

Father's Day is June 19

As a special gift to dads this year, Beth Foti will be taking informal family pictures in the garden (weather permitting) between worship services from 9:15-10:20. Bring your family to worship and stay for a special picture to honor your dad! All pictures will be emailed to each participating family.

Fr. Mark's Last Sunday at Holy Innocents' is June 19

Fr. Mark and his family are relocating to Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. His last Sunday with us is June 19. Please plan to join us for a reception after the 10:30 service that day to thank him for his service here.

Travel for Daniel Lemley's Ordination

Parking is limited at the Church of the Ascension in Clearwater, where Daniel Lemley will be ordained on July 1. If you are interested in carpooling, please call Bill Cox at 813-391-6292 or email him at bcx1953@gmail.com.

Job Opening at Holy Innocents'

The search is on for a new Youth Ministry Coordinator! This is a part-time position on the church staff. We are currently accepting applications and any inquiries should be directed to Fr. Doug at dscharf@hiepiscopal.org.

THURSDAYS @ HOLY INNOCENTS'

Adventures in **FAITH & SCIENCE**

This summer, Deacon Gary is beginning a new group study that will explore the differences and the connection points between faith and science.

DAY: 1st & 3rd Thursdays of each month

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Parish Hall

The first meeting will be on Thursday, June 16. Anyone who is interested in this topic is welcome to be present and participate. Contact Deacon Gary at garyec38@gmail.com or 813-333-1832 with questions.



Barbara Glaser continues to lead a group in Centering Prayer.

DAY: 2nd & 4th Thursdays of each month

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Chapel

Contact Barbara at barann2@verizon.net or 813-681-2848 with questions.

THIS WEEK'S

Birthdays

| June 5 | June 8 | June 7 | June 11 |
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| Eli Edwards Linda Tomlinson | Steve Purifoy | Ron Fernandez | Larry Lewandowski |

Anniversaries

| June 5 | June 9 | June 11 |
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| Laura & Bill Edwards | Jackie & Bill Bennett | Patricia & Don Bresett |
| | June 10 | Erma & Paul Derr |
| | Ashley & Jimmy Pareja | |

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

FINANCIALS

How are we doing financially? Prior Week Actual Revenue: **\$4,970**. Prior Week Budgeted Expenses: **\$9,560**. YTD Actual Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$182,179**. YTD Budgeted Pledge/Regular Contributions: **\$190,344**. Thank you for keeping your financial commitments up to date.