

February Bible Readings

New Testament		Old Testament	
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1. <input type="checkbox"/> 10:21-42	<input type="checkbox"/> 15:22-41	<input type="checkbox"/> 24	<input type="checkbox"/> 1-3
2. <input type="checkbox"/> 11:1-19	<input type="checkbox"/> 16:1-15	<input type="checkbox"/> 25	<input type="checkbox"/> 4-6
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FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 2/1 Stanley Holick**
2/3 David Gould
2/6 Patty Debenport
2/11 Kyle Baker
2/20 Jo Millican
2/23 Kathy Johnson
2/23 Martha Sue Oliver
2/27 Micaela Brown



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February 2015

*“And
Jesus
Said
Come
And
Follow
Me . . .”*

Mark 1: 17

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Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are creatures of habit. When I drive to the church campus from home, I take College Hills Boulevard to Oxford to West Beaugard and into the church parking area. When I return home, I usually take the same route. I rarely notice anything different in the neighborhood of the church. Since learning of the “One Mile Challenge”, I am not only taking different routes to get to and from the church, I’m paying closer attention to who is on the streets, what kind of vehicles are in front of homes, are there children around, are the homes in good shape or in need of repair. I’m praying for our neighbors in a concerted way, asking the Lord how you and I can reach out to them.

We are accepting Archbishop Foley’s charge to participate in the “One Mile Challenge.” Archbishop called on all congregations to visit those living within a one mile radius of their church campuses; to meet them, get to know them, pray for them, and invite them to worship.

We are recruiting folks to pray for our neighbors and Visiting Teams by name, serve as a member of two person teams, and provide transportation to and from the streets we will visit, then back to our church parking area. We plan to visit all the homes bordered by College Hills Boulevard, West Beaugard Avenue to Moritz Circle to Sherwood Way to the Red Arroyo, and back to College Hills Boulevard. There will be a map of the streets we are visiting, and the progress we make.

Our plan is to prepare by praying and practicing our remarks as we meet folks. We will be coached by Corey Peddy and Teddye Read, experienced door to door visitors. We will have a church brochure to give those with whom we speak, ask them how they believe the church can make a positive impact in our neighborhood, and ask if we can pray for them or a concern they have. Before leaving we will invite them to worship with us. We expect to be at each home from 5-7 minutes. We will not go inside the homes, nor solicit or accept donations.

Let’s pray for one another as the Lord prepares us in Reaching our neighbors with the Transforming Love of Jesus Christ!

Stan Burdosh +

We are securely His forever,
Father Stan

ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, January 26, 2015 we held our Annual Meeting and Election of Vestry Members and Delegate and Alternate to the Diocesan Synod. Mr. Glen Polhemus of the La Gran Familia Orphanage in Mexico shared Good Shepherd

Parish's history in the development of the Orphanage, as well as the current improvements and expanded ministry to the children of the area.

ELECTED TO THREE YEAR TERMS ON THE VESTRY: Brent Daniel, Katie Harrison and Larry Weber

ELECTED TO TWO YEAR TERMS TO THE DIOCESAN SYNOD:

Rudy Wallace, Delegate, and Eileen Burdock as Alternate.

Holy Baptism

On Wednesday, February 4, at the 6:30 PM Holy Eucharist, Georgiana Sophia Bartl, the daughter of Tony and Noelle, received the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. Light Refreshment following the service in the Parish Hall.

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VESTRY MEETING AND DAY AWAY

The Vestry will meet for its regular monthly meeting on Monday, February 16 at 6:00 PM in the church library. All Vestry meetings are open to members of the congregation, where they have voice but no vote. The Vestry will also be meeting for A DAY AWAY, prayer, planning, and fellowship on **Saturday, February 21** from **8:30-3:30 PM.**



SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE SUPPER

The Vestry will prepare and serve pancakes and sausage:

**5:30-6:30 PM
Tuesday, February 17**
In the Parish Hall.

Come hungry and bring a friend!

March Agnus Dei Deadline is March 15



ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

As we begin our 40 day observance of Lent, we will celebrate The Holy Eucharist and Distribution of Ashes. The service will begin at 6:30 PM on Wednesday, February 18, 2015.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

As Lent begins we will once again be inviting members of the parish to share their testimony as "Living Letters" at the Sunday Worship Services. Please contact Fr. Stan if you would like to share what the Lord is doing in your life. Each Living Letter will be about 10 minutes in length, and take the place of the second Lesson.

**YOUR HELP IS NEEDED
PREGNACY HELP CENTER CONCERT**

Would you be willing to help provide, soft drinks, water, small bags of chips, pretzels and etc? If so please contact:

Sharon Weber
Email: sharon.weber@angelo.edu
Home phone 949-3116
Cell Phone 245-8616

Plans are well underway for this wonderful concert. Please continue to pray for God to anoint this time and that it would bear much fruit for His Kingdom.

TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

**PREGNANCY HELP CENTER
BENEFIT GOSPEL CONCERT
-MARCH 14-**

Saturday, March 14 from 1:30-8:30 at the Wells Fargo Pavilion, our church along with other churches Christian organizations are sponsoring this concert.

All music will be Gospel music, performed by youth musicians and church choirs, as well as The Concho Grass, The Embers Quartet, Proof of Grace (Tom Thornton and Group) and several others. There will be **refreshments** available all day long. If you would like to donate items, home baked cookies etc, for the refreshment stand, please contact Sharon Weber. The Knights of Columbus Council, Wall will have **dinner** available from 5-7 PM.

Pam Thornton of Good Shepherd and Dorothy Pustka of St. Terese, Carlsbad, are gathering donations for the **silent auction**. If you have something to donate or can help gather items, please contact Pam Thornton. (325-650-4686) You can bring the items to the church for safe keeping.

Tickets are available: \$7/adult; \$12/for a family. Rosemary and Brent are at the church office on Thursday nights from 5:30 -6:30 PM for those wishing to purchase tickets. Tickets will also be available at the door.

PRAY for the success of the concert, **PRAY** for all the church, organizations and KIDY FOX who are helping support the concert. **PRAY** for all the corporate donors. **PRAY** for the young mothers, their unborn and infant children, as well as the numerous parents and families helped through the ministry of the Pregnancy Help Center staff and volunteers.

PARISH HILL COUNTRY RETREAT

Feb. 6-8 Bishop Mark and Cindy Zimmerman will lead the parish retreat at The Great House in Junction. We have a full house for the retreat, praise You Lord, and will have photos and testimonies in March's newsletter.

A Letter From Our Bishop



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Clergy of the ADSW

January 28, 2015

Dear friends,

Cindy and I just got back from California where we were able to celebrate the consecration of the Rt. Rev. Keith Andrews as the next ACNA bishop of the Western States. The service was glorious and brought my heart right back to St. Clement's eleven months ago. It was good to be there to support Keith. His diocese is even bigger than this one and borders on ours in Arizona. As I look back on the better part of my first year I have become incredibly aware of my need for prayer support. I believe I would still be very sick if it was not for all of your prayers. One of our fellow bishops has set up a team of thirty-one prayer intercessors that commit to pray for him one day each month. This is a great idea, and so I am asking you to consider making that commitment to me. I would like to collect thirty-one names of people throughout the diocese who would be willing to pray for me one day each month. I will assign everyone on the list a day and keep in touch with my intercessors with special prayer concerns and my calendar so they know how to pray for me. It would be very helpful if each church could collect names of volunteers and send that list back to me by e-mail. I will need people's e-mail addresses in order to set up a contact group. I thank you in advance for considering to help me in this crucial manner.

I have also recently returned from the College of Bishops meeting in Orlando. *(Yes, Orlando and California are lovely in the winter, but I need a few days at home. There really is no place like home)* A good summary of our work in Orlando is posted on the ACNA website. However, I have a few reflections I would like to share with you.

The first is that we are indeed blessed by some great teachers and preachers in the College. Everything we did was framed by Biblical worship, preaching, and

teaching. Gone are the days when we strictly focused on business. We kept our focus on the Word of God. As a result, we came back empowered by the Spirit, not drained by politics, and arguments about the placement of commas in canons.

Secondly, I was blessed by the Spirit of unity and brotherhood that is growing more and more as the College gathers together. While the alphabet soup of overlapping oversight seems to cause a good deal of tension, the bishops have come to trust each other and believe in time the Holy Spirit will bring order.

One of the topics that we discussed was how we as a church should approach marriage. At a time in which the culture is moving away from a Biblical understanding of marriage in many ways, we believe that we need to address these issues with care, prayer, and be able to speak the truth in love. A task force has been appointed is working on a statement that honors God's Word and is something we as a College can all support. We are being careful not to lose our ability to engage the culture on this crucial topic.

It was noted that within the next seven years many of our current bishops will be retiring. The College will look very different in a short amount of time. We want to be intentional about making these transitions in the best way possible. One of the ways we intend to do that is to set up a mentoring program for the new bishops. We will host the first of these programs here in Albuquerque. Bishop Bill Murdoch will work with me and Bishop Keith Andrews in April. Other bishops have also been invited. The teaching at the College revolved around recovering an Apostolic understanding of the role of Bishop as teacher, servant, and intermediary between bride (*the church*) and bridegroom (*Christ*). It was noted that Bishops must maintain a healthy humility and operate with the authority of love not the coercion of power, *"for the floors of hell are paved with the skulls of bishops."* -St. Athanasius

We also spent a good deal of time talking about the importance of prayer in the life of a bishop. This brings me full circle. Once again I ask that you would consider serving on my team of intercessors. If the Spirit is leading you to help me in this way please let your rector know so that he can give me your name and e-mail address.

Yours in Christ,
+Mark

**- CASTING CROWNS -
May 1st at the Coliseum ...**



And at the River Stage

WOW WEDNESDAY - JUNE 3

Many of you are aware of the music and ministry of *Casting Crowns*, a contemporary Christian Music Group. (*Casting Crowns* will be performing in concert on **May 1st at the Coliseum.**) One of the song writers and singers from the group, and one of the producers who is a comedian will be returning to San Angelo for **WOW WEDNESDAY**, and perform in concert at the ...

RIVER STAGE

from

6:30-8:30 PM on June 3, 2015.

A generous member of our congregation donated \$3,000 to bring this production to San Angelo. This event is family oriented and evangelistically directed, free of charge and open to the public. Please begin praying for those who the Lord will reach during this time of music, comedy and challenge. If you are interested in helping in some way, please contact Fr. Stan. Planning for the **WOW WEDNESDAY** begins in earnest this month.

~ LIFE ON MISSION ~

Life on Mission offers clear Bible teaching and provocative discussion questions designed to empower small groups to share their faith with people right in their own neighborhood. This six-week study looks at topics like how to connect with unbelievers, how serving others can open their hearts to the gospel, and how paying attention to our own spiritual growth can strengthen our witness.

People who really matter to God are right around you, and God has given you the incredible assignment of inviting them to come home. *Life on Mission* will inspire and equip you to do that.

Life on Mission is being offered at the Sunday School Hour from 9:15-10:10 AM and at the Oliver-Weber Home Group Meeting. Please sign-up to purchase a study guide (\$7.50/guide) in the Narthex of the church.

Sessions Include:

Session One: Overview [18:30]
Session Two: Connect [18:25]
Session Three: Serve [14:11]
Session Four: Share [13:33]
Session Five: Grow [13:43]
Session Six: Pray [18:25]

*** ATTENTION—ATTENTION—ATTENTION ***

We have added a new website address to our current one! We wanted it to be shorter for our printed publications which already include our name. (stationary, business cards, brochures, and etc.)

The new address is www.anglicancgs.com

The www.anglicanchurchofthegoodshepherd.com is still able to be used, so we will just update the new address when we restock these items.