

~ ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

ST. CYPRIAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2019

A St. Cyprian's Invitation

If you are visiting with us today, we invite you to consider joining St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church. It would be our delight and pleasure to share with you our life of fellowship, worship and prayer. To join us, simply contact the Rector about making St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church your parish as well.

IN OUR CYCLES OF PRAYER:

We Pray for Parishioners: Martha Milo-Avery, Zelma Taylor, Jean Boyd, Gene Harden, Cornelius Taylor, Tinea Savage-Otey, Cynthia Sutherland, Minnie Stiff, Norma Pinkelton, Connie Daniels, Olive Ezell, Jeannette & Wilbert Lovett, Sylvester & Gwen Newsome, Crystal Diggs, Ron Minor, Will Canty IV, Vernell Walden, Adrienne Combs, Deacon Earl Christian, Jodie Ansel James, Curtis Winston, Sr., Alex Strawn, Jeffrey B. Corbin, II, and Charlene Farquharson

We Pray for Friends and Family: Ashleigh Davenport, Clarence Savage, Derrick Edmonds, Loretta Ogden, Lois Martin, Margaret Comegys, Bridget Canty, Clay Cane, Alexa Munoz, Leonard Alexander, Howard Durrah, Cheryl Maxson, Anthony Tabron, Doris Harris, Marcus Reid, Jeannie & Paul Saunders, Beverly Amaya, Lily Holloman, Allison Jordan, Greg & Patrina Newton, Kenneth Bullock, Peggy Winston, Dominique Jordan, the Rev. Martin Bolton, Linda Bolton (*sister of the Rev. Martin Bolton*), Helena Hawthorne, Tony Leroy Duncan, Carolyn Blissett, Florence Hubbard, Edith & Sana Harris, Jasen Fykes, Ron Durrah, Theodosia Peacock (*sister of Connie Daniels*), Sylester Babb (*sister of Dr. Minnie Stiff*), Sophia McCloud (*sister of Lucretia Clayton*), Frances Batts (*sister of Jean Boyd*), Shawna Harris Mathias (*sister of Crystal Diggs*), Joy Staton, Atlena West (*sister of Dr. Minnie Stiff*), Daren Ramsey (*son of The Very Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Ramsey*), Christine Calhoun, Joyce Steadman (*resident, Hampton Sentara Life Care*) and family, Marc Miller (*father of Tamika Miller Benson*), Rev. Jerome R. Watson (*brother of Laura L. Manigault*), Jeffrey Peele, Sinclair Williams (*brother of Alberta Reid*), Oliver Christian (*brother of The Rev. Earl R. Christian*), Sheryl Smith (*cousin of Sandra Corbin*), Howard Moore (*brother of Lucretia Clayton*), Florence Hubbard-ICU Sentara Hospital (*Crystal Diggs' mother*), and Philip Whitaker (*Crystal Diggs' brother*)

We Pray for Those Serving in the Military: LaToya Artis (*niece of Dr. Minnie Stiff*); Capt. Luke Carpenter, III (*grandson of Bill and Fannie Walls*), U.S. Marine Corps; John "Holland" Watkins (*son of John & Maria Watkins*), U.S. Navy - on-board the USS James E. Williams; PFC. Malik Leonard (*great-grandson of Vernell Walden*); Ensign Joy Maria Watkins (*daughter of John & Maria Watkins*), U.S. Coast Guard - assigned to the Cutter Douglas Munro; and TSgt Lauren A. Scales (*daughter of Karen Scales*), Air Force - stationed in Qatar

We welcome all who are visiting today. Please sign our guest book in the Narthex and feel free to take one of the “*Welcome*” packets located in the pew racks with you. Our hope is that you will find the information helpful. Before leaving church, we ask that you complete and return the card and leaflet section to an usher. Following both services, all visitors are cordially invited to join us in Randall Hall for coffee, refreshments and fellowship. We look forward to the opportunities for fellowship with you, as you get to know more about us.

Calling Volunteers - Opportunities to host Coffee Hour in 2019 are available for those who would like to do so. This is a great opportunity for families, teams, or friends to join this ministry. See the schedule on the bulletin board outside of the Parish Office. **The Men’s Club will host the Coffee Hour after the 11 a.m. service for the month of March.**

Kroger Rewards Program - It is never too late to participate in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. Register your Kroger Plus Card at www.krogercommunityrewards.com using the **Non-Profit Organization Number VH749** to link your card to St. Cyprian’s account. If you do not yet have a Kroger Plus Card, they are available at the customer service desk at any Kroger. Informational sheets on the Kroger Rewards Program may be picked up on the table in front of the Parish Office. For additional assistance, please contact William Walls, Jr. ~ *William H. Walls, Jr.*

Bible Study will resume on **Wednesday, March 13th** at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. All are welcome to attend these sessions.

Men’s Club Meeting will be held this month on **Friday, March 15, 2019** at 7 p.m. in the Vestry Room. Scheduled meeting dates are listed below. Please contact Henry Russell for further information. ~ *Henry Russell*

- March 15, 2019 7 p.m.
- September 20, 2019 7 p.m.
- November 15, 2019 7 p.m.

Daughters of the King (DOK) - The Daughters of the King are planning a Quiet Day at St. Cyprian’s on **Saturday, March 23, 2019** from 10 a.m. - 12 noon.

Wednesday Night Lenten Series - St. Cyprian’s will be joining with the other Episcopal churches in Hampton - Emmanuel, St. John’s, and St. Mark’s - to host the Wednesday Night Lenten Series around the theme, “*Sacred Places for Hard Conversations.*” Each church will host one evening of study, beginning with a simple supper (soup and salad) at 6 p.m. St. Cyprian’s will host the Lenten Series on **March 27, 2019**. The program is open to all.

- March 20th ~ Music, St. John’s - The Rev. Samantha Vincent Alexander
- March 27th ~ History, St. Cyprian’s - The Very Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Ramsey
- April 3rd ~ Theology, St. Mark’s - The Rev. Warren Hicks
- April 10th ~ Public Policy, Emmanuel - The Rev. Rhonda Wheeler

Crockpots of Soup - Volunteers are needed to donate crockpots of soup for the Lenten Supper that will be held here at St. Cyprian's on **Wednesday, March 27th**. A sign-up sheet is posted on the hallway table for volunteers who will bring a crockpot of soup to the March 27th Lenten Service. We are looking forward to tasting your favorite soups. For questions, contact Mary Tall Jackson. ~ *Mary Tall Jackson, ECW President*

Church Growth Task Force (CGTF) - We are beginning to plan for the 2019 Fall Revival and would appreciate your feedback on the 2018 Fall Revival. A very straight forward, ten question survey was designed and will be sent to you, via the email address you provided to St. Cyprian's. The survey is time sensitive; therefore, please complete and submit it as soon as possible. Thank you in advance for your participation. ~ *Stephanie Kendall*

Army Concert - The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Concert will be held at the Ferguson Center at Christopher Newport College on **Wednesday, March 27, 2019** at 7:30 p.m. The concert is a musical tribute to the Modern American Soldier and to the post 9/11 veteran. The band will perform music that captures the fighting determination, patriotism, and *esprit de corps* found in today's Army. **FREE** tickets are available on line http://fergusoncenter.org/ai1ec_event/u-s-army-band-pershings/?instance_id=13787 and at the Ferguson Center Box Office. ~ *Adrienne M. Combs, Deputy Public Affairs Officer, Joint Force Headquarters - National Capital Region/ U.S. Army Military District of Washington*

Please order an Easter lily for **\$10.00**. The sign-up sheet is located on the front hallway table. The last day to order will be **Sunday, April 7th**. ~ *Ele' Pritchett*

CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sun.	Mar.	10th	8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Sun.	Mar.	10 th	8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
Sun.	Mar.	10 th	9 a.m.	Inspirational Choir Rehearsal
Sun.	Mar.	10th	9:45 a.m. - 10:30a.m.	Free Coffee Ministry
Sun.	Mar.	10 th	10 a.m.	Celestial Choir Rehearsal
Sun.	Mar.	10 th	1p.m.	ECW Meeting
Sun.	Mar.	10th		Daylight Saving Time Begins
Tue.	Mar.	12 th	7:15 p.m.	Vestry Meeting
Wed.	Mar.	13 th	10 a.m.	Handbell Rehearsal
Wed.	Mar.	13 th	11 a.m. & 7 p.m.	Bible Study
Fri.	Mar.	15 th	11 a.m.	Celestial Choir Rehearsal
Fri.	Mar.	15 th	7 p.m.	Men's Club Meeting
Sun.	Mar.	17th	8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Sun.	Mar.	17 th	8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
Sun.	Mar.	17 th	9 a.m.	Inspirational Choir Rehearsal
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Sun.	Mar.	17 th		St. Patrick's Day

Bishop Diocesan Pro-Tempore: The Rt. Rev. James B. Magness

Rector: The Very Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Ramsey

Deacon-in- Residence: The Rev. Earl R. Christian

Director of Music Ministries: Phyllis Holland-James

Treasurer: Deborah R. Davis

The Vestry

Stephanie H. Kendall (2020) Senior Warden

Samuel E. Ewell, Jr. (2019) Junior Warden

Lucretia Clayton (2020)

Mark Farquharson (2021)

Gail Boyd Jones (2020) Register

Mary Tall Jackson (2019)

Connie McCullough (2020)

Norma H. Pinkelton (2021)

Fiona Robinson-Powell (2019)

Brenda K. Vinson (2021)

William H. Walls, Jr. (2019)

Maria Watkins (2021)

Eucharistic Ministers: 8:30 a.m. - Sandra Corbin; 11 a.m. - William Walls, Jr.

Psalmist: Laura L. Manigault

Prayers of the People: Sandra Corbin; William Walls, Jr.

Acolytes: 8:30 a.m. - DeLaine Headen; 11 a.m. - Lucretia Clayton; Simone Griffin

Ushers: Connie McCullough; Regal Dubose

Altar Guild: Lucretia Clayton; Lora Ham; Eleanor Pritchett; Delores Minor

Greeter: John Watkins

Eucharistic Visitor: None Scheduled

Daughters of the King: None Scheduled

YouTube Channel: St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church, Hampton, VA

Website: <http://www.stcyprianshamptonva.org>

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesdays –Thursdays/9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Saint Cyprian's Church is named after Cyprian, the first Bishop of Carthage, North Africa (248-258). He spoke for reconciliation of the Church with those who had denied their faith. Cyprian was beheaded for refusing to worship pagan gods and deny Christianity. Thus, he became a martyr of Christ's Church universal.