

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
February 21, 2010
WORSHIP

WELCOME, VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS – We welcome you. If you are seeking a church home, we hope you will find here an opportunity to grow in the knowledge and love of God through worship, service and friendships. Please sign the register in the narthex.

HEARING AIDS are available. Please ask an usher.

CHILDCARE is available in the Little Building from 9:30 A.M. until 12:00 Noon.

PARKING – When our lot is full, additional parking is available across Warson Road at MICDS.

EVENING PRAYER - On the weekdays during Lent, Evening Prayer will be read in Grace Chapel at 5:30 P.M. (On Wednesdays the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated.) You are welcome each evening, but the parish list has been divided alphabetically, so that parishioners and their families will be named in our prayers on a specific day. Please watch the service sheets each week for your family’s name. This week’s schedule will be:

- Monday, February 22: Families whose last names are BOND through BUCKLES;
- Tuesday, February 23: Families whose last names are BUETTNER through CHUBB;
- Wednesday, February 24: Families whose last names are CLAGGETT through CUILLE;
- Thursday, February 25: Families whose last names are CULLEN through DUNAGAN;
- Friday, February 26: Families whose lastnames are DUNAWAY through FLANIGAN.

NEXT SUNDAY’S READINGS – The Lectionary Texts for The Second Sunday in Lent are: The Book of Genesis 15: 1–12, 17–18; Psalm 27; The Letter of Paul to the Philippians 3:17–4:1; the Gospel according to Luke 3: 31–35.

EASTER FLOWERS – The deadline to submit your request for Easter Flowers is Monday, March 15. Please use the form which is enclosed in this service sheet.

GRACE PRAYER NETWORK – Visit the website at www.graceprayernet.org. Meditations are emailed, and they’re also available indefinitely on the site itself. The format is now along the lines of a blog. Instead of being limited to a weekly emailed meditation on the lectionary, editor Bryan Miller and others post on other topics as well, several times each week.

EDUCATION

RECOVERY SUNDAY – Join other parishioners **today at 9:00 A.M. in the Elliot Room** to hear two members of Alcoholics Anonymous talk about how God’s grace helped them to overcome their addictions to alcohol.

OFFICE NOTES – The deadline is Wednesday at Noon for the bulletin.

NEWS DEADLINE – The deadline for the Easter issue of the news is **this Friday**, February 26. Please submit your article to Carol Lyons in the Church Office (clyons@StPetersEpiscopal.org).

SUNRISE BIBLE STUDY – Join Jim Purdy on Wednesday morning, March 3, at 6:15 to read and discuss the Larger or Greater Catechism (Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.) and the Thirty-nine Articles.

LENTEN FILM FESTIVAL – Come to the Undercroft at 6:00 P.M. for pizza, popcorn, a movie and fellowship **this Wednesday**, February 24. We will watch the movie *Babette’s Feast*.

BOOK GROUP – Join us on Wednesday, March 3, at 1:45 P.M. in the Elliot Room to discuss *Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet*, by Jamie Ford. All are welcome.

CLIFFORD STANLEY LECTURE SERIES – Bart D. Ehrman, Ph.D. (Professor, Department of Religious Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill) will offer three lectures at Saint Peter’s on **April 23-24**. In preparation for the lectures, join Jamie Spencer at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday evenings, **April 7, 14 and 21** in the Elliot Room. (Dr. Spencer, professor of English at St. Louis Community College,

and an Associate Member of the Jesus Seminar, has led discussion groups of religious works by C. S. Lewis and English religious poets.) Plan to come to any or all!

PASTORAL CARE/FELLOWSHIP/OUTREACH

COFFEE HOURS will be held in the Undercroft following the 8:00 A.M. and 10:30 A.M. Services.

WOMAN’S GUILD – Join us **this Tuesday** (and on March 2) at 12:45 P.M. to hear Deborah Krause, Dean and Professor at Eden Theological Seminary, who will speak in the Undercroft on “A Survey of Women’s Interpretative Approaches to Scripture.” Plan to join us first for lunch at Noon.

NEW CD OF THE SAINT PETER’S ORGANS – *Inspirations from England* features prize-winning organist Scott Montgomery. The CD is available from the Church Office for \$15.

CHOIR & ORCHESTRA CONCERT – March 14, 5:00 P.M. – Celebrating Handel’s 325th Anniversary!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHURCH – Bring your family to the Undercroft at 6:00 P.M. on the second Wednesday of the month—**March 10**, April 14 and May 12. We’ll order pizza; salad and dessert will be provided. RSVP to ann.sutter@sbcglobal.net or notify the Church Office at 314-993-2306, ext. 100, by Noon that day so we will have a count for pizza. The cost is \$4/person or \$10/family.

ANGELS IN THE GARDEN – The Woman’s Guild Garden Walk and Garden Party benefitting local family charities is scheduled for June 9. Please make sure to put that date on your calendar.

EPISCOPAL NEWS SERVICE: NEW PUBLICATION – New this month is *Episcopal News Monthly*, which contains the most current national and international news articles from Episcopal Life Online (http://ecusa.anglican.org/episcopal_life.htm), the online publication of the Episcopal Church. A subscription to the printed version may be ordered at a cost of \$27 per year by calling 1-800-374-9510.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 21 - 28, 2010

Sunday	2/21	8:00 A.M. 9:00 A.M. 10:30 A.M.	The First Sunday in Lent Holy Eucharist Adult Education – “Recovery Sunday” Holy Eucharist
Monday	2/22	5:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M.	Evening Prayer Vestry Meeting
Tuesday	2/23	9:30 A.M. 5:30 P.M.	Woman’s Guild Evening Prayer
Wednesday	2/24	6:15 A.M. 5:30 P.M. 6:00 P.M.	Sunrise Bible Study Holy Eucharist Soup & Study – Movie Night
Thursday	2/25	5:30 P.M. 6:00 P.M. 7:15 P.M.	Evening Prayer Choristers Adult Choir
Friday	2/26	9:45 A.M. 5:30 P.M.	Newsletter Deadline Prayer Group Evening Prayer
Sunday	2/28	8:00 A.M. 10:30 A.M.	The Second Sunday in Lent Holy Eucharist Morning Prayer