

THIS WEEK AT:
The Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit
724 Pilgrim Mill Road Cumming, GA 30040 (770) 887-8190
February 2 – February 9, 2025

Today February 2

8:30a Holy Eucharist
9:30a Christian Ed All Ages
10:45a Holy Eucharist
8:00p Compline –online

Monday February 3

12:30p Women’s AA Meeting
5:30p EfM
8:00p Compline –online

Tuesday February 4

12:30p AA Meeting
2:00p Theology Studies
8:00p Compline –online

Wednesday February 5

9:30a In Stitches
7:00p Parish Choir Rehearsal
8:00p Compline –online

Thursday February 6

10:30a Bible Study
12:00p Eucharist & Healing Service
12:30p AA Meeting
8:00p Sung Compline –online

Friday February 7

10:00a AA Meeting
12:00p Beloved Sisters
8:00p Compline –online

Saturday February 8

8:00p Compline –online

YOUTH NEWS

Questions: Contact Shannon David at:
youth @ ecohs.net or 678-457-0192
Please remember to sign up for REMIND! Text @gkf374 to 81010.

Next Sunday’s Lessons – February 9, 2024

**Isaiah 6:1-8 [9-13]
Psalm 138
1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Luke 5:1-11
www.lectionarypage.net**

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Intercessions – February 2, 2025

Prayer Requests:

Prayers are offered this week for:

Holy Spirit Parishioners:

Julie Anderson • Charlotte Bradley • Bobbie Brodie • Allison Lipscomb Burnett • Sandra Culver • **Carol Franklin** • Gregg Harbison • Brenda Hobby • Brad Jameson • Beth Jones • **Janet Pfaff** • Greg Plank • Doug & Elizabeth Puckett • Bill Putt • **DeWayne Rodgers** • Joan Simmons • Kay Stine • Jan Van Keuren • Pat Wall • **Maureen Wester** • Dennis Whittle • Inge Woods

Family & Friends:

Arrendale women & families • DFACs workers & families • John Joseph Brady • **Bailey Davenport** • Nancy Davis • Syndey Gabin • Jennifer Gonzalez • **Andrew Hayes** • Thomas Holland • Ruth Steward Holt • Joseph Hudson • Billy Jones • Gary Kochert • Roy & Claire Kryscuk • Annalise Lupia • Paul Lupia • **Kathy Mello** • Kathleen Monaghan • Michael Monaghan • Paige Monti • **Lynn Oglesby** • Bill Pazman • Craig Perkey • Robyn Pfaff • Rosa Ramirez • Carolyn Reagan • **Michelle Rhodes** • Michelle Richardson • Lena Rudicill • **Nancy Ryan** • Fields Sharp • Lloyd Shipman • Chet Smith • Gloria Szokoly • **Susie Tallent** • Abe Vanderweele • **Amber Vandinskaite** • Dalton Walsh • Diane & Link Weis • Bonnie Wilson • **Robert Youngblood** • Datie Younkins • **Daniel & Edgar**

Armed Forces:

Austin Rivers, Aaron Bohan, James Gooch, Ross Feaster, Chad Mixon, Tyler Benson, John Granlund, Matthew McClelland, Zach Taylor, John Taylor, Owen Taylor, Adam Rivers, Jason Warner, William J. Putt, Alex Szokoly, Addison Rivers, Peyton Douglas, Colin Brady, Jack Simons, Alex Downs, Austin Reid, Davis Louis, Joseph Miller, Pedro Silva, Anthony Rosario, Jackson Miller, Deborrah Panowitz, Jaden Ahadzi, Blake Bramlett, Logan Cardin, Jaxon Deems

We give thanks for those who celebrate birthdays this week: **Beverly Clemmer, Clint Howell, Janet Pfaff.**

We give thanks for those celebrating wedding anniversaries this week: *N/A.*

We pray for expectant parents: **Allison & Brandon Burnett.**

We remember those on our Parish Cycle of Prayer this week: **Marc Bradley, Bobbie Brodie, Alice Bryan, Karen Byrd, Sumner Cahoon, Elizabeth & Dennis Campbell, Pam Cannon.**

We pray for those who have died: *N/A.*

Prayer Requests:

Email to Julie Wilson
jwilsonjat@gmail.com

Julie will get your requests on the prayer list and share with our Intercessory Team.

WELCOME!

- Welcome to those who are visiting Holy Spirit! *We are honored to have you with us in worship and would love to get to know you!* If you did not receive a visitors card when you entered please see an usher after the service. You can turn the completed card in to the usher or by placing it in the offering plate.
If you have any questions please contact:
Cathy Schlecht- Parish Administrator 770-887-8190 or office@ecoys.net
- All baptized people of all ages and church backgrounds are welcome to receive Holy Communion in this church. If you would like a *gluten free* wafer for communion, please let one of the clergy know.
- If have questions about baptism, communion, or any matter of faith, please contact Fr. Brandon at fr.brandon@ecoys.net

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Honduras Mission Dinner/Silent Auction Fundraiser:

Our annual fundraiser for our Honduras mission trip will be Saturday, February 22nd. Tickets on sale now!

Backpacks of Love - Help Needed!

Backpacks of Love, one of our Outreach ministries at Holy Spirit, needs some help! This ministry provides food-insecure children with donated food items once a month. Like so many Outreach ministries, Backpacks of Love relies on many different forms of help. Twice a month, a group meets at a storage unit in Alpharetta (off Hwy 9, close to the big Target) to bag food items donated by churches (ECOYS being one). A stock check is taken and then another group of volunteers goes out to buy enough items to fill the balance of food needed in each bag. Yet another group of volunteers delivers the bags to the allocated schools via the counsellors in each school on the Tuesday or Thursday morning of bagging. Another group actively organize food drives to augment the shelves. It is truly a huge task with many moving parts! Backpacks of Love needs help in all parts of this ministry.

At the moment, the greatest need is twice a month on Thursday mornings to help bag and deliver the food items.

We would love to have you join this team. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact Ro Woodhead at 404-435-2311.

Next Backpacks of Love in-gathering is Sunday, February 9th. You can bring donations to the church office during the week during office hours or Sunday morning. Please leave donations by the church office door. Many thanks!

Church Office Hours

Mon - Thurs. 10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.; Closed on Friday

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Honduras Mission Dinner/Silent Auction Fundraiser: Saturday, February 22nd

Women's Prayer Brunch: Saturday, March 1st

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper: March 4th

Ash Wednesday: March 5th

Parish Weekend: April 25-27, Camp Mikell

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Summary of Financials for ECOYS					
			Actual	Budget	
December	Actual	Budget	YTD	YTD	YTD Difference
					from Budget
Pledges	26,594	28,584	359,185	343,000	16,185
Offerings	5,322	3,611	43,745	43,335	409
Preschool & Other	18,590	10,791	155,279	129,492	25,787
Total Revenues	50,506	42,986	558,209	515,827	42,382
Expenses	52,871	43,126	585,687	520,236	65,451
Net difference	-2,365	-140	-27,478	-4,409	

Wendy's Place AKA The Pantry:

Our January pantry served 42 families with the help of seven cold but dedicated volunteers. We can use size 5 and 6 diapers and L and XL men and women's. Next Pantry is February 22.