

# CATHEDRAL TIMES

The Weekly Newsletter of the Cathedral of St. Philip, Serving the City and Diocese of Atlanta

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## Talking Ourselves into Life

"In the beginning was the Word," we are told by the prologue to John's Gospel. "And the Word was with God, and the Word was God." When we talk we create. Words bring things into being, give them shape and content, and provide a future that they would not have otherwise had.

It's no surprise, then, that the Church is born out of a conversation. On the day of Pentecost, an outpouring of the Holy Spirit, taking the form of tongues of flame and rushing wind, created a community of believers by giving them the spiritual gift of being able to talk to each other and to understand each other.

*"And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language?'" (Acts 2:6-9)*

The disciples literally talked the Church into life.

And, fortunately for us, they kept on talking. They started at Pentecost, but they kept on talking. Think of the conversations between Philip and the Ethiopian Eunuch on the wilderness road (Acts 8:26-40), Ananias and Paul in Damascus (Acts 9:1-19), and Peter and Cornelius in Caesarea (Acts 10). The Church is reborn each time someone is empowered by the Spirit to talk about their experience of God's grace and salvation in words that someone else can hear and understand.

At the Cathedral of St. Philip, we have enjoyed just such a person in Ann Fowler, our Director of Communications. For the last seven years, Ann has continued to find new ways to help us talk ourselves into life. In addition to our regular and occasional print and digital communications, Ann started the *Meet a Member* series, in which she interviewed people at the Cathedral and helped them put their stories into words. She is also responsible for the look and feel of the Easter Meditation booklets, our stewardship campaign materials, the graceful directional signs that have gone up around the campus, the pictures that have increasingly filled our publications, and our new web site.

These are all signs of the Spirit that Ann has brought to us.

But, now it's time to say good-bye. Ann has decided to focus on a different part of our conversation. She will be leaving us in the middle of June to become the new Director of the Lokey Center at Emmaus House. Please join me in thanking her for all that she has done for us and blessing her in her new position.

We will pick up the conversation where Ann left off, though. Dan Murphy, currently the Cathedral's Coordinator of Membership and Stewardship, will become our new Director of Communications after Ann leaves. Dan has been working with Ann on a number of our publications and communications strategies. He is well situated to ensure that the quality of our conversation continues, that we continue to talk ourselves into new life.

Thank you, Ann. Welcome, Dan.

The Rev. George Maxwell  
Vicar



*Suddenly from  
heaven there came a  
sound like the rush  
of a violent wind,  
and it filled the  
entire house where  
they were sitting.*

From this week's lectionary  
Acts 2:1-21



## 2014 CHAPTER

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## PROGRAMS DURING THE WEEK

### TUESDAYS

**The Dean's Men's Bible Study:** 7-8 a.m., Room 319. Weekly Bible study is led by Sam Candler, the Dean of the Cathedral, and others.

**Early Morning Women's Bible Study:** 7-8 a.m., Walthour Library, led by Canon Beth Knowlton. *This group will resume meeting in September.*

**St. Veronica's Guild:** The guild offers fellowship as members give time, raise funds, and collect goods to support Church of the Common Ground, Holy Comforter Church, Crossroads Community Ministries, Emmaus House, and Rainbow Village. Periodic guild fundraisers benefit other charities in our community and beyond. The guild meets on **second Tuesdays, September-May, at 10:30 a.m. in Lanier House.** Contact Lane Barnum, 678-713-9112, lbarnum6@yahoo.com.

**St. Monica's Guild:** The guild meets the **second and fourth Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in the Gould Room** and focuses on support for and fellowship among mothers of school-age children and younger. Contact Mary Caroline Cravens, 404-869-5686 or marycarolined@cs.com. *This group will resume meeting in September.*

**Daughters of the King:** The group meets the **second Tuesday of the month at 5:15 p.m. in Mikell Chapel** to offer the Daughters of the King (DOK) daily prayers. After prayers we have a light supper in room 239 or at a local restaurant. All women are welcome. The DOK is a group of Episcopal women who focus on prayer, service, and evangelism. Contact Cathy Hutcheson at 770-451-0907 or jchutcheson@juno.com. *This group will resume meeting on September 9.*

### WEDNESDAYS

**The Dean's Women's Bible Study:** 10:45-11:45 a.m., Room 319. Weekly Bible study is led by Sam Candler, the Dean of the Cathedral, and others.

**Eat Your Word Bible Study:** Noon, Room 239. Canon Wallace Marsh leads the Bible study. Bring your lunch and be ready for a lively conversation!

**St. Elizabeth's Guild:** The guild meets at **noon on the first Wednesday of the month in Room 381.** We volunteer in the Cathedral Archives, support the Atlanta Day Shelter for Women and Children, and we help with the Cathedral Antiques Show. Contact Carol Clark at 404-233-1591 or caroljclark@bellsouth.net or Lida Askew, 770-435-2455.

**Centering Prayer:** 6:30-7:30 p.m., Lanier House Chapel. Contact Jeannie Mahood at jmahood@stphilipscathedral.org.

### THURSDAYS

**Centering Prayer:** 4 p.m., Lanier House Chapel. Contact Ann Hickman, mannhick@aol.com.

### FRIDAYS

**St. Clare's Guild:** We welcome all mothers of school-age children (elementary, middle, and high school) to join our guild for outreach both as a group and as an activity with our kids. A schedule is posted at stphilipscathedral.org/stclares. Contact Leah Wilkerson at lsawkerson@comcast.net or 404-603-8574. *This group will resume meeting in September.*



## CLERGY AND SENIOR STAFF

The Very Rev.  
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Priest Associate

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Canon Associate for Pastoral Care

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Priest Associate

Mr. Charles L. Jacobs  
Director of Finance

## CHAPTER

Ms. Jennifer Rosenblath, Senior Warden  
Ms. Holly Sims, Junior Warden

## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 8, 2014 / Pentecost, Year A

### Liturgy of the Word

Lesson: Acts 2:1-21

Psalm 104:25-35, 37

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13

Gospel: John 20:19-23

**7:45 a.m.** Holy Eucharist, Mikell Chapel  
*Celebrant and Preacher:*  
Canon George Maxwell

**8:30 a.m.** Nurturing Center opens

**8:45 a.m.** Holy Eucharist, Cathedral  
*Celebrant: Canon Carolynne Williams*  
*Preacher: Canon Wallace Marsh*

**9 a.m.** Holy Eucharist, Mikell Chapel  
*Celebrant and Preacher:*  
Canon George Maxwell

**11:15 a.m.** Holy Eucharist, Cathedral  
*Celebrant: Canon Todd Smelser*  
*Preacher: Canon Wallace Marsh*

**1:30 p.m.** La Santa Eucaristia, Mikell Chapel  
*Preacher: The Rev. Ricardo Bailey*

The Nurturing Center opens at 8:30 a.m. each Sunday for children age four and younger.

Children's Chapel: During the 8:45 a.m. service, an age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word is offered in St. Mary's Chapel for children in first through fifth grades and in the Children's Chapel for children three years through kindergarten. Children attending either of these chapel services will process into the Nave at the Offertory to join their parents for Holy Communion.

## MUSIC

Sunday, June 8, 2014 / Pentecost A

**8:45 and 11:15 a.m.** Holy Eucharist and Holy Baptism / Cathedral Choir (Cantoris)  
Grayston Ives, *Listen, Sweet Dove*  
Charles Beaudrot, *Come down, O Love divine*

## WORSHIP MONDAY-SATURDAY

Daily Office, Year Two

**Morning Prayer:** 8:45 a.m., Monday-Saturday, Mikell Chapel.

**Holy Eucharist:** 12:15 p.m., Monday-Friday (Healing on Friday), St. Mary's Chapel.

**Evening Prayer:** 5:45 p.m., first, second and fourth Thursday, Mikell Chapel.

**Centering Prayer:** 4 p.m., Thursday, Lanier House Chapel.

**Labyrinths:** Indoor, 3-8 p.m., most Mondays and Fridays, Child Hall. Call 404-365-1000 to confirm availability. Outdoor, in front of the Lanier House, open daily.

**Taizé Service:** 8 p.m., third Monday of the month, Mikell Chapel. Labyrinth available at 7 p.m. in Child Hall.

## DO YOU SPEAK ANOTHER LANGUAGE?

Readers are needed for Pentecost Sunday services on **June 8 at 8:45 and 11:15 a.m.** Anyone who can read and speak in a language other than English is invited to join the reading of the Gospel. You do not have to be an expert, you do not have to find your own translation, and you do not have to read alone! If you are interested, please contact Jeannie Mahood, 404-365-1034 or jmahood@stphilipscathedral.org.

## SUNDAY CLASSES AT 10:10 A.M.

### END OF LIFE DECISIONS (ROOM 122)

The Cathedral's pastoral care team will present a two-week session on "End of Life Decisions: Preparations for the Final Celebration of Life" on two Sunday mornings, **June 22 and June 29**. Led by Canons Carolynne Williams and Todd Smelser, along with attorney Richard Perry, the class will look at issues relating to death and dying, funeral planning and financial planning. Attendees are encouraged to come to both sessions. To pre-register please contact Jeannie Mahood at [jmahood@stphilipscathedral.org](mailto:jmahood@stphilipscathedral.org) or at 404-365-1034.

### ESSENTIAL BIBLE STORIES (CHILD HALL)

This summer we're focusing on the stories of the Bible. Join us as we look at a different story each week and consider why it is fundamental to the faith and essential to our life in the world today. Each session will be led by a different speaker. On **June 8** Scott Russell will lead a discussion on *Psalm 23:1-6 and John 10:1-12*, "Understanding the Bible: What's Up With All the Sheep?" The full schedule can be found at [stphilipscathedral.org/ofss](http://stphilipscathedral.org/ofss).

### GREEK CLASSES (ROOM 356)

Both *Begining Biblical Greek* and *Continuing Greek* classes will meet on **Sundays, June 8 and 15, and July 13, 20, and 27**. *Begining Biblical Greek* is offered on a drop-in basis at 10:10 a.m. *Continuing Biblical Greek* is offered on Sundays from 1:15-2:45 p.m. for anyone who wants to learn the basics of translation. For more information visit [stphilipscathedral.org/greek](http://stphilipscathedral.org/greek) or contact the Rev. Thee Smith at [thee.smith@emory.edu](mailto:thee.smith@emory.edu).

## YOUTH MINISTRIES

### GOOD NEWS FOR OUR YOUTH MINISTRIES!

We are continuing to grow. Last year our confirmation class included almost one hundred students. And this year, we expect to have record numbers of participation in both our middle school program and in our high school programs. In order to give these students the attention they deserve—to take the time to walk with them as they learn the stories, practices, and rituals of our faith—we are restructuring our Youth Ministries. Rebecca Storace will focus her ministry on our programs for high school and college students, as our new "Director of Youth and Emerging Adult Ministries." Mary Hunter Rouse will expand her ministry to include our programs for middle school students, as our new "Director of Children and Youth Ministries." Both Rebecca and Mary Hunter are excited about these new challenges and the opportunities that they create for us to do new things. Please do not hesitate to call either Rebecca or Mary Hunter if you have any questions about what these changes may mean for you or any of your children. It's going to be a great year.



Rebecca Storace



Mary Hunter Rouse

### SUNDAY BREAKFAST AT THE CATHEDRAL

On the menu: sausage biscuits (\$2.50), muffins (\$2), cinnamon rolls (\$2), danishes (\$1.50), bagels (\$1.50), seasonal fruits (50 cents) and orange or apple juices (50 cents).

**7-9 a.m. in Child Hall**

## PRAYERS

*For those who are ill or recovering:*

Priscilla Harrison Beale  
Catherine Carson  
Lawrence Cowart  
Bettie Driver  
Matilda Dobbs  
Terry Dornbush  
Pat Glomb  
Elsie Gould  
John Miner  
Mary Ann Neale  
Jeanne Shaw  
Debbie Shelton  
Jackie Stewart  
Mary Elrod

Bennie King  
Terry Stevenson  
Julia Alston  
Sterling Beale  
Sara Beebe  
Sully Reeves Bogardus  
Charles Bordner  
Meredith, Adam & Leo  
Bugenske  
Andrew Clark  
Barbara Daniel  
Roslyn Flanagan  
Randy Gill  
Theron H. Hawkes, IV  
Bob Hillegas  
Mary Ann King

Judith Klauba  
Pat Krebs  
Margaret Winders Kuhn  
Chen Ying Liang  
Jack Lyle  
Jane Maddox  
Emilia Martins  
Toni McGauley  
Dan & Jan McPherson  
Michael McRae  
Robert Ethan Myers  
Linda O'Hara  
John Thompson  
Esther, Ted, Katherine and Ben Williams  
Stephen Williamson

*For those who have died*  
William Beggs  
Vincent Gordon Harding  
Patty Lacombe  
Irma Ruth Arnold Mathews  
Mary Page Sims

*For all those serving their country away from home, for their safe return, and for their families who wait for them*

*For all expectant parents*

### MEMBERSHIP

#### Baptisms

William Edward Holmes



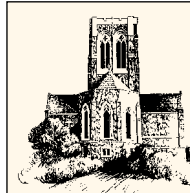
### ST. ANTHONY PICNIC

The Sixth Annual Picnic in celebration of St. Anthony of Padua will be held on **Sunday, June 8** in Child Hall immediately after the 11:15 a.m. service. A picnic lunch will be provided. This year's special guest speaker is Margaret Bosbyshell. She will talk about the history of labyrinths. The picnic is hosted by the Elder Ministry Council.

There is no charge for the picnic but please make a reservation no later than noon on **Friday, June 6** by calling the Information Desk at 404-365-1000.

### THIRD MUSIC CLASS FOR CHILDREN ADDED

Babies and children up to 4 years-old, along with a caregiver, are invited to participate in music classes taught by licensed Musikgarten instructor Brenda Pruitt. Classes meet **Mondays, 10-10:30 and 11-11:30 a.m. from June 9 to August 4 or Thursdays, 11:15-11:45 a.m. from June 12 to August 7.** The cost is \$50 for 9-week session (scholarship options available) and \$28 (optional) for Family Music Kit with Parent Activity Book (24p), CD, and bean bag. Enroll online at [stphilipscathedral.org/childrensmusic](http://stphilipscathedral.org/childrensmusic) or by contacting Music Coordinator Tim Gunter at 404-365-1050 or [tgunter@stphilipscathedral.org](mailto:tgunter@stphilipscathedral.org).



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**CATHEDRAL TIMES SUBMISSION DEADLINES:** For the **Sunday, June 15** issue, the deadline is **Wednesday, June 4**. For the **Sunday, June 22** issue, the deadline is **Wednesday, June 11**. Please email announcement requests to the editor, Ann Fowler at [afowler@stphilipscathedral.org](mailto:afowler@stphilipscathedral.org). Learn more about upcoming events, download sermons, and access contact information at [stphilipscathedral.org](http://stphilipscathedral.org).

If you would like to receive the newsletter by e-mail, please send your request to Dan Murphy at [dmurphy@stphilipscathedral.org](mailto:dmurphy@stphilipscathedral.org).

### THANK YOU BETH!

Please join us in Child Hall at 10:10 a.m. on **Sunday, July 6** to celebrate Canon Beth Knowlton. This will be her last Sunday at the Cathedral. Beth has served the Cathedral for eight years now, first as Canon for Prayer and Mission, and then as Canon for Liturgy and Prayer. Her wonderful ministry here has reflected her remarkable intelligence, creativity, compassion, and humor. She has cared well for us. And, we have grown through her care. For everything there is a season, though. Canon Knowlton will be leaving us to become the next rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church in San Antonio, Texas. We will miss her, of course. But, we are honored to send her forth to such a tremendous church. It is time for us to entrust her to God's care. So, don't miss this chance to say good-bye—that is, "God be with you."



As is our custom, we also invite and encourage you to contribute to a special "Thanksgiving for Beth Knowlton" purse. Just write the check to "The Cathedral of St. Philip," and indicate that it is for the "Thanksgiving for Beth Knowlton" gift.

### STEWARDSHIP

It is hard to believe that 10 years have passed since the inception of the *Let Your Light Shine* capital campaign of the Cathedral of St. Philip. Thanks to all who generously supported this vast and important project!



It is now time to memorialize the contributions to the capital campaign with a permanent plaque in the hallway between Child Hall and the Cathedral. If you made a pledge or contribution to this campaign, please check the temporary plaque to ensure your name is listed correctly.

Please contact David Rocchio at 404-365-1033 or [drocchio@stphilipscathedral.org](mailto:drocchio@stphilipscathedral.org) with any questions or changes.

### Princeton University Organist in Recital June 11

The Cathedral of St. Philip will host the first of the four organ recitals in this summer's Atlanta Summer Organ Festival on **Wednesday, June 11 at 7:30 p.m.** The Princeton University organist, Eric Plutz, will play a wonderful, varied program including *the following*:

- Alexandre Guilmant, *Scherzo Symphonique*
- Ad Wammes, *Miroir*
- Johann Sebastian Bach, *Prelude and Fugue in G, BWV 541*
- William Grant Still, *Elegy*
- Gerald Near, *Sonata Breve (Second Sonata)*
- Percy Whitlock, "Scherzetto" from *Sonata in C*
- Max Reger, *Benedictus*
- Louis Vierne, "Scherzo" and "Final" from *Symphony V*

The recital is presented by Friends of Cathedral Music and a reception to greet the artist follows. A suggested donation of \$15 will be requested at the door.

