

# CATHEDRAL TIMES

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

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## The Loving Care on Every Side

Donny called me over to see his paintings in the gallery at Holy Comforter, and as I admired his art, he said to me, *"I know many don't understand what it's like to live with schizophrenia. Some people are even afraid of me. But here, especially when I am painting, I know that I am a whole person partly because of, and not in spite, of my illness. No one sees the world exactly as I do. Here, I know God loves me too."* In the Book of Common Prayer we give thanks for and celebrate life together in Christ with this lovely prayer:

*Accept, O Lord, our thanks and praise for all you have done for us. We thank you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love. We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care that surrounds us on every side. We thank you for setting us at tasks which demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments which satisfy and delight us. We thank you also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone. ... Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know him and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. Amen.*

This prayer is about life in community, and faithfulness in the midst of uncertainty and change. And it is about hope. I am aware that many suffer from significant isolation because of mental illness and the associated stigma.

The Rev. Joani Peacock, priest associate at Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Alexandria, Virginia, lives with bipolar disorder. In her blog, "Orthodox and Unhinged," she describes herself as a "mental health evangelist," highlighting the need for mental health awareness in parishes and communities of faith. Episcopalians elsewhere are speaking out, educating, and taking steps to educate others. Dr. Kay Redfield Jamison, an Episcopalian, is the co-director of the Mood Disorders Center at Johns Hopkins University. The author of many books, including "An Unquiet Mind," Jamison writes about the spiritual dimension of mental illness, and shares her personal experience of living with bi-polar disorder.

In Christian communities, health and wholeness are possible when awareness and community support are more important than shame and fear. Here, wholeness is not determined by or limited to "symptom relief." Donald Winnicott, the psychiatrist whose deep Anglican faith informed his practice, said, *"You may cure your patient of her or his symptoms and still not know what makes them go on living. The absence of pathology may be a definition of health, but it does not mean having a life."*

In Atlanta, Holy Comforter parish, whose day center serves people with mental illness and other disabilities, contests stigma by offering loving care at every turn. Today, nearly two-thirds of the parishioners there have some form of mental illness.

At the Cathedral of St. Philip, we serve the community through our Counseling Center where every day, in the sacred space beyond the labyrinth, healing and transformation occur. When we provide counseling in the context of the church, and in conversation with theological core values, we question definitions of normality which can constrain and limit deeper understandings of what it means to be a whole person. Pastoral counselors are in a unique position to critically expand frameworks of mental illness and recovery.

This year many of us will run the Peachtree Road Race in support of the Care and Counseling Center of Georgia. Our own Cathedral Counseling Center is a CCCG partner location: [www.crowdrise.com/TeamCCCGRunthe2014Peachtree/fundraiser/billharkins](http://www.crowdrise.com/TeamCCCGRunthe2014Peachtree/fundraiser/billharkins)

I invite you to hold those who serve there, and those who benefit from their services, in your prayers. Please do look for opportunities to insure that Donny, my friend at Holy Comforter, and others in need, experience hope amid the *loving care which surrounds them on every side.*

The Rev. Bill Harkins  
Priest Associate



*Those who find  
their life will  
lose it, and those  
who lose their  
life for my sake  
will find it.*

From this week's lectionary  
Matthew 28:16-20



## 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. *From June through August the group studies lectionary texts for each upcoming Sunday.*

**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. *From June through August the group studies lectionary texts for each upcoming Sunday.*

**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

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*Canon Associate for Pastoral Care*

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## CHAPTER

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Ms. Holly Sims, *Junior Warden*

## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

*Sunday, June 22, 2014 / Pentecost 2, Year A*

**Liturgy of the Word**  
Lesson: Genesis 21:8-21  
Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17  
Epistle: Romans 6:1b-11  
Gospel: Matthew 10:24-39

**7:45 a.m.** Holy Eucharist, Mikell Chapel  
Celebrant and Preacher:  
The Rev. Bill Harkins

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

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

**9 a.m.** Holy Eucharist, Mikell Chapel  
Celebrant and Preacher:  
The Rev. Bill Harkins

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

**1:30 p.m.** La Santa Eucaristía, 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 22, 2014 / Proper 7A*

**8:45 and 11:15 a.m.** Holy Eucharist / Cathedral Choir (Tenors and Basses)

Thomas Morley, *Let my complaint come before thee, O Lord*

John Sheppard, *Christ rising again*

## 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.



## 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 22** Dan Van Horn will lead a discussion on Romans 12:6-8, Ephesians 4:7-13, "Your Vocation and Calling." 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, 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.

### MEMBERSHIP Wedding

Mary Hurt Stafford and Ken Sorrell on May 10, 2014

### STUDY ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS | OCT. 1-10, 2014

To learn more about this opportunity to study St. John of the Cross in Spain this fall, go to <https://www.episcopalatlanta.org/Mission-Work/Hispanic-Ministries-/Pilgrimage-to-Spain/>

## PRAYERS

*For those who are ill or recovering:*

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

Charles Wingo  
Dorothy Heffernan  
Kay Keathley  
Sherri Musgrove  
Will Phelps  
Anne Peters  
Julia Alston  
Sara Beebe  
Meredith, Adam & Leo  
Bugenske  
Andrew Clark  
Barbara Daniel  
Roslyn Flanagan  
Bob Hillegas  
Judith Klauba  
Pat Krebs

Margaret Winders Kuhn  
Chen Ying Liang  
Jack Lyle  
Emilia Martins  
Toni McGauley  
Michael McRae  
Robert Ethan Myers  
Linda O'Hara  
Dorothy Spiotta  
John Thompson  
Heather Dyas Whited  
Esther, Ted, Katherine and Ben Williams  
Stephen Williamson

*For those who have died:*  
Agnes Abrams  
Charles Bordner  
Randy Gill  
Mary Ann King  
Amalie Mortensen

*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*



### 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).

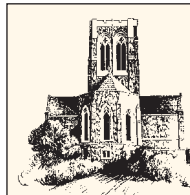
**7-9 a.m. in Child Hall**

### The Cathedral Thrift House Treasure of the Week

Star of Siam bronze handmade cutlery, vintage 50s-70s, made in Bangkok, Thailand. 156 pieces of assorted flatware and 12 serving pieces. Pattern is Thai Dancer.

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**CATHEDRAL TIMES SUBMISSION DEADLINES:** For the **Sunday, June 29** issue, the deadline is **Wednesday, June 18**. For the **Sunday, July 6** issue, the deadline is **Wednesday, June 25**. Please email announcement requests to the editor, Dan Murphy at [dmurphy@stphilipscathedral.org](mailto:dmurphy@stphilipscathedral.org). Learn more about upcoming events, download sermons, and access contact information at [stphilipscathedral.org](http://stphilipscathedral.org).

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### 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.



### Join us for the 2nd Farmers Market Annual Sunday Supper!

**June 22, 6 p.m. in Child Hall**

Our restaurant partners include Staplehouse, Kimball House, Grand Hyatt Buckhead, Avalon Catering, Eat Me Speak Me, Restaurant Eugene, Wrecking Bar, Venkmans, Lure, Red Brick Brewing Co, Storico Fresco, The Little Tart Bakeshop, S&J Woodfire Pizza, Greendale Farm Cheese and more.

Chefs will prepare dishes from market ingredients. Enjoy beer from local breweries and a selection of vineyards. Live and silent auction! Live music by Sailing to Denver.

Tickets are \$70 and may be purchased at the Atrium kiosk, the Market or online at [stphilipscathedral.org/payments](http://stphilipscathedral.org/payments).

Proceeds will benefit our Wholesome Wave program and cover our city-required police officer. We look forward to seeing you! Learn more at [peachtreeroadfarmersmarket.com](http://peachtreeroadfarmersmarket.com).

