



# THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

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RESTORING ALL PEOPLE TO UNITY WITH GOD AND EACH OTHER IN CHRIST

**August 13, 2017**

**Theme for 2017: We Are One Body**

*For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. – Romans 12:4-5*

Today's Altar Flowers - Today's Altar Flowers are given by Bob and Pamela Hoelscher in memory of Pamela's mother.

Nursery (12 weeks old up to and including age 3) is available Sunday mornings from 8:45 until 11:30 am and Sunday evenings from 4:00 pm until 7:00 pm. We partner with *College Nannies and Tutors* to provide trained staff for our Nursery. If you are a nursing mother needing to feed your child, and would like some privacy during the service, feel free to do so in the nursery or in one of the chairs in the church office.

Spirit Time - Spirit Time Children's Worship is held in the Chapel of St. Michael with Jackie McCarthy. This is a simultaneous worship service for children ages 3 through Grade 5. The children go directly to Spirit Time following the cross at the beginning of the service. Children return during the Peace so we can celebrate the Eucharist together.

## Formation Classes

### **Sunday**

9:00 am	Children's Formation	Resumes Sept. 10	Classroom 1
9:00 am	Children's Formation	Resumes Sept. 10	Classroom 2
9:00 am	Adult Formation	<i>New study begins Sept. 10</i>	Chapel of St. Michael
4:00 pm	Youth Bible Study	Resumes in Fall	Youth Barn

### **Wednesday**

3:00 pm	Mid Week Reflection	<i>Called to Community</i>	Meet in Classroom 2
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**Adult Christian Formation: Remaining in Christ** - A fall bible study of the Gospel of John will begin on Sunday, September 10th at 9:00 am in the Chapel of St. Michael. This 8 week study is provided by the Episcopal Diocese of West Texas and will be posted on-line at [dwtx.org](http://dwtx.org). All are invited to participate. Contact Pat Jankowski 509-7779.

**Church Secretary** - Please join us in welcoming Michelle Autry to our staff as Church Secretary. Read more about Michelle on our website. Her office hours are Tuesday through Friday 8:30am-noon. We also offer our gratitude to Marissa Scholler for being our Interim Secretary this summer; you rocked it! Best of luck as you return to school.

## Outreach

**Thank You for Your Support!** -Thank you to all those who did so much to make the H.I.S. Love event a success! Much hard work and lots of supplies were needed and provided - thank you all!

Outreach Opportunities available include: Mobile Loaves and Fishes (Cheryl North), Mystic Park Rehabilitation/Senior Center (Peter Scholler), O.P. Schnabel Park, Magdalena House (Leslie Padgett) and Habitat for Humanity (Jack Hadley). See the bulletin board in the Communications Corridor for more information on opportunities to serve or contact Cheryl North (210)475-1400.

## Children's Ministry

**Formation** - Children's Formation is Sunday morning at 9:00 am. The class is on break for summer and resumes September 10th for the fall program.

**Sunday School Teachers** - *Teach a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.*"(Prov.22:6) What better way to do this than join our Sunday School team as a teacher? No experience is necessary, curriculum is provided. It takes a small amount of planning time during the week, and less than one hour on Sunday morning. Contact Jason Roberts at [jroberts@sentbythespirit.org](mailto:jroberts@sentbythespirit.org) to learn more or sign up!

## Youth - Grades 6-12

*"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity."* 1 Timothy 4:12

**Formation** - (resumes in the fall) Sunday formation at 9:00 am in Jason's office and Youth Bible Study is Sunday 4:00-5:15pm. Email Eddy emartinez@sentbythespirit.org for info.

**Helotes Movie Night, Friday, August 18th** - The Youth will meet at Helotes City Hall for the summer monthly movie night showing of *Moana* on August 18th at 7:00 pm; bring chairs or a blanket to sit on.

**Blessing of the Backpacks and Satchels - August 27th**- We welcome students and teachers of ALL AGES to bring their backpacks or book bags to church with them on Sunday, August 27th for the 10:00 am service. We begin the school year in prayer as a parish family, so that those following academic pursuits may experience a blessed and fruitful school year.

**Camp Capers Annual Mother-Daughter Retreat** is Friday-Sunday, September 8-10. This weekend retreat for daughters and their moms (or mother figures) is a special time to share with each other at camp, including Bible study and worship, singing, fellowship and lots of fun activities! Cost for adults is \$140, cost for children (ages 6 to 18) is \$100. Scholarships are available. Register online at [www.dwtx.org/events](http://www.dwtx.org/events).

**Back to School Bash - Friday, August 25th at 5:30 pm** - Enjoy the last days of summer! Save the date for the Annual Back to School Bash on Friday, August 25 at 5:30pm. Bring the family, relax, and enjoy hot dogs, chips, and ice cream! Put on your game hat for Bingo, face painting, lawn games, relays, bubbles, a photo booth, and magic! A specially chosen movie will be shown after Bingo. Contact Donna Crabtree 210-744-3302 or Karla Dieltz 210-602-7005 for more info. Join the fun for this All Church, end of summer family social!

## Calendar

### **Sunday, August 13, 2017**

8:45 am Nursery Opens  
9:00 am Choir Rehearsal  
9:00 am Adult Formation Class  
10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
10:00 am Spirit Time  
11:30 am Children's Ministry Team Meeting  
5:30 pm Worship Service w/Communion

### **Monday, August 14, 2017**

6:30 pm Circle of Care Meeting  
7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 208 Meeting

### **Tuesday, August 15, 2017**

3:00 pm Magdalena House Meal Team Prep  
6:30 pm KOKES Executive Committee Mtg

### **Wednesday, August 16, 2017**

9:00 am Morning Prayer  
9:30 am Staff Meeting  
3:00 pm Mid Week Spiritual Reflection  
5:30 pm Mid Week Eucharist with  
Healing Prayers  
6:00 pm Cursillo Reunion  
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

### **Thursday, August 17, 2017**

12:00 pm Flick Chicks

### **Friday, August 18, 2017**

10:00 am St. Clare's Guild Workshop  
7:00 pm Youth attend Helotes Movie Night

### **Sunday, August 20, 2017**

8:45 am Nursery Opens  
9:00 am Adult Formation Class  
9:00 am Choir Rehearsal  
10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
10:00 am Spirit Time  
11:30 am Holy Spirit 102  
5:30 pm Worship Service w/Communion

## For Your Calendar

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**Join the Flower Guild for Flowers and Food on Sept. 10 -** Learn how to arrange that perfect arrangement for your home and church from members of the Flower Guild - and see if this might be the ministry you are looking for. Join us for lunch and training on September 10 after the 10:00am service. Contact Stacy Dowdy, [stacysdowdy@gmail.com](mailto:stacysdowdy@gmail.com) to learn more.

## Community Life

The Holy Spirit Choir will resume rehearsals on Wednesday, August 16th. We would love to see more of our worship community join the choir which rehearses each Wednesday night at 7:00 pm. If you are passionate about singing or music, please join us or contact Chris Bendrell for more information at [cbendrell@sentbythespirit.org](mailto:cbendrell@sentbythespirit.org).

The Annual World Mission Symposium will take place on Saturday, August 26 at the Bishop Jones Center from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The theme is "Developing your church's World Missions program." The Rev. Jason Roberts will be one of the speakers and our celebrant and will talk about "Sharing your missions passion with your congregation". The cost to attend is \$20 and includes lunch and supplies for the day. For more info, contact Kaitlin Rogers, 210-824-5387 or [kaitlin.reed@dwtx.org](mailto:kaitlin.reed@dwtx.org). Register online at [dwtx.org](http://dwtx.org).

Mariachi Campanas de America San Antonio - September 24 at 10:00am Service - On our Homecoming Sunday, Mariachi Campanas de America will be our music worship leaders for a Mariachi Mass. This group is an innovative twelve-piece musical ensemble mariachi band. The music of Campanas de America is an entire musical spectrum, including traditional mariachi sounds, the accordion, keyboards, and a full drum kit.

United Thank Offering (UTO)- Participation in the UTO box collection enables us to express gratitude for our many daily blessings; Blue Boxes are on the back table to participate in this ministry. In-gathering (the collection day) is All Saints' Day, Nov. 5. UTO has been an ongoing ministry in the Episcopal Church for over 125 years; for more info, go to [dwtx.org](http://dwtx.org).

See Children's Ministry and Youth Ministry Sections for info on **Sunday School Teacher Recruiting and Blessing of the Backpacks and Satchels on Aug 27th!**

## Those Who Serve Today

<b>Presiding</b>	Rev. Ed Dohoney	<b>Acolyte 1</b>	Marissa Scholler
<b>Preaching</b>	Rev. Kelly S. Conkling	<b>Acolyte 2</b>	Carter Miranda
<b>Eucharist Minister 1</b>	Lynne Vandewalle	<b>Coffee Hosts</b>	Linda Hadley
<b>Eucharist Minister 2</b>	Tim McMahon		Joan Adkinson
<b>Lector 1</b>	Pamela Hoelscher		Kathy Martin
<b>Lector 2</b>	Judy Francis	<b>Order of St.</b>	Ed McDuffie
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Judy Francis	<b>Luke</b>	Tom Hohing
	Gail Carbajal		Betty Touns
<b>Ushers</b>	Lynn Lindsay	<b>Eucharistic</b>	Pamela Hoelscher
	Peter Scholler	<b>Visitor</b>	Cheryl North
	Joann Kelly	<b>VPOD</b>	Vikki Miranda
	Dennis McCarthy	<b>Asst. VPOD</b>	Bob Crabtree
	John C. Whitehurst	<b>Projector</b>	Irma Scholler
	Mike Foster		