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Can you help Sulzbacher families move into permanent housing?

The Sulzbacher Center is moving families and individuals into permanent housing so fast, their inventory of furniture just can't keep up! Sulzbacher always helps their residents by providing them with basic items when they move: beds, couches, tables and chairs, kitchen items and more. Do you have any gently used items you could donate to help these folks start a new life? Your support would mean so much. Sulzbacher is proud of their residents and families who have worked so hard to get back on their feet. With your help, they will also be able to create comfortable homes for themselves and their families. To arrange a time for a pick-up or delivery of furniture, please call Tricia Gravatt at 394-8082. The need is great. Please call today!

Pick-ups are limited to Duval County.

Donate to our flower fund for altar flowers

If you would like to donate altar flowers in loving memory of or in thanksgiving for a loved one, you can donate online! Go to www.jaxcathedral.org, hover over the "Give" tab at the top of the page, then scroll down and click "Donate altar flowers," and you can fill out our flower donation form with your preferences. Thank you so much for your generous donations!

Looking for an opportunity to deepen your spiritual life?

EFM, Education for Ministry, will gear up again this fall and welcomes new participants. EFM is a four year study of the Bible, Christianity from a historical perspective, and theology. EFM recognizes that each person is a unique individual that has been formed by religion and the culture we are surrounded by - our understanding of the activity of God in the world and in our lives is shaped by all those factors. EFM seeks to provide tools so that each participant is prepared for ministry. Please contact Laura or Joe O'Shields, joeoshie@comcast.net or (904) 399-5916. You can also find more information about EFM online at EFM's website: http://efm.sewanee.edu/

Shakespeare Reading Group News

Our Shakespeare Reading Group is currently reading *Othello*. The group meets on Thursdays from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. in Ingram Lounge. We will take a break during the last two weeks of July. Come join us -- you can just sit, listen and enjoy, and see how Shakespeare is still so relevant to our world today. For more information about the Shakespeare Reading Group at the cathedral, contact Peter McCranie at petermccranie1@gmail.com.

Love the history of St. John's Cathedral?

Docents lead groups on tours of our beautiful sanctuary and grounds. To learn more about being a docent, contact Fr. Carl Saxton at csaxton@jaxcathedral.org.

Going away for the summer? Don't forget us!

As our population dips over the summer, so do our Sunday collections. Our expenses remain the same though, regardless of attendance. So, as you set out for your vacations and temporary relocations, consider setting up your pledge to be automatically withdrawn from your credit card or bank account. It's quick and easy to set up online at our website: www.jaxcathedral.org. Just hover over Give and select Donate to St. John's. And you can even text your contribution to us wherever you may be in the world! Contact our bursar, Meredith Cataland at mcataland@jaxcathedral.org, or 356-5507 ext. 116 for assistance.

You can now watch our 10:30 a.m. service live on YouTube! Just click the Live Broadcast link on our website.

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+Prayers of the People+

The Church, especially for the Church in the Philippines, for John, our bishop, for Charles and Dorsey, our assisting bishops, for Michael, our presiding bishop, for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, for all ministers, and for the mission of the church.

For all those who have died, especially Pierce Hazleton, Sr. (To see our full prayer list, please pick up a copy at the back of the church.)

Forgot your checkbook or cash? Text the dollar amount of your gift to 904-584-3116. (Example: \$20)

WELCOME TO

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

E PISCOPAL DIOCESE OF FLORIDA, JACKSONVILLE

256 E ast Church Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost July 10, 2016



The Parable of the Good Samaritan

To all who enter here—to those who are weary and need rest, who mourn and need comfort, who sin and need a Savior, who rejoice and wish to praise, who are blessed and wish to serve—this Church opens wide the door and says in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, WE LCOME.

Love at the Core

THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

8 a.m. 9 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost Fun Day Sunday - Activities for children available during the breakfast hour Holy Eucharist - Cathedral Breakfast is served - Taliaferro Hall The Lord's Prayer, Part I- Ingram Lounge Holy Eucharist - Cathedral
Monday, Jul. 11 5:30 p.m.	Friends of Bill W Room 305
Tuesday, Jul. 12 12:10 p.m. 5:45 p.m.	Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel Yoga - Cummings Chapel
Wednesday, Jul. 13 7 a.m. 12:10 p.m. 6 p.m. 6 p.m. 7 p.m.	Holy Eucharist - Holy Communion Chapel Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel Introduction to Rob Bell - Ingram Lounge Basic A - Dean Kate's office Knitting Group - Lobby
Thursday, Jul. 14 9:30 a.m. 12:10 p.m. 2 p.m.	Shakespeare Reading Group - Ingram Lounge Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel Adult Coloring Group - Room 304
Friday, Jul. 15 11 a.m. 12:10 p.m.	Clara's at the Cathedral - Taliaferro Hall Contemplative Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel
Saturday, Jul. 16 10 a.m.	Daughters of the King Meeting - Ingram Lounge
Sunday, Jul. 17 8 a.m. 9 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist - Cathedral Breakfast is served - Taliaferro Hall The Lord's Prayer, Part II - Ingram Lounge Holy Eucharist - Cathedral

Thank you Vacation Bible School volunteers!

Yesterday, Saturday, July 9, St. John's Cathedral held its Vacation Bible School, full of songs, worship, animals, crafts and so much more, for children from all over our community. We would like to thank all those who helped with this year's VBS. Without volunteers, this fun, important ministry for children and their families would not be possible!

Our volunteers for VBS this year were: Pam Searcy, Beth & Hugh Wilson, Linda Martin, Fr. Lou Towson, Deacon Jean Dodd, Fr. David Erickson & Mtr. Heather Erickson, Judith & John Flynn, Robert Hyde, Fouad Raja, Karim Raja, Stacey, Skylar, and Stephen Lowery, Christopher Collinsworth, Jay Henderlite, Michelle Ramirez, Grace Whipple, Nina Searcy, Devanne Jones, Linda Baker, Selecia & Patricia Young-Jones and Donna Meyers-Perry.

Looking to advertise your event at the cathedral?

If you are a ministry leader of any kind at the cathedral planning an event, and you would like for your event to be advertised in the Sunday bulletin, the cathedral e-newsletter the Eagle, the cathedral website, or other venue, please fill out our "Request for Publication Form" on our website at www.jaxcathedral.org/blog/looking-to-advertise-your-event-at-the-cathedral. Please note that the deadline for any submissions for the Sunday bulletin or the Eagle is Tuesday, otherwise, your submission will be advertised the following week. If you have any questions or have a submission, please contact Helen Likins at hlikins@jaxcathedral.org.

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NEW OR VISITING? WELCOME!

We'd like to know who you are! Please fill out a Visitor's Card found in your pew and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher. After the 8 a.m. service, please join us for breakfast and fellowship in Taliaferro Hall. After the 10:30 a.m. service, please join us for coffee and fellowship in Taliaferro Hall. Assistive Listening Devices are available to enhance worship services for the hearing-impaired. A large-print edition of our service bulletin is also available. Nursery care is available during Sunday services. Office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Friday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. If you have any questions, please call us at 904-356-5507 or check out www.jaxcathedral.org.

VELVET ELVIS

Bookstore Specials

Come visit our bookstore next to the reception area before and after Sunday services. You can also shop on weekdays. Hours of operation depend on bookstore volunteer availability. We have new books in the bookstore by bestselling author Rob Bell: Velvet Elvis: Repainting the Christian Faith and Love Wins. Fr. David Erickson is leading a study of Rob Bell's Velvet Elvis during the summer on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. in Ingram Lounge.

Summer Classes for Adults

Join us on Wednesday evenings in July for fellowship, study and reflection. Find what's right for you!

Velvet Elvis and NOOMA: An Introduction to Rob Bell 6 p.m., Ingram Lounge, led by Fr. David Erickson.
At age 28, Rob Bell founded Mars Hill Bible Church in Michigan, and under his leadership it was one of the fastest-growing churches in America. In 2011 he was profiled in Time Magazine as one of their 100 most influential people. We'll read Rob Bell's first book, Velvet Elvis: Repainting the Christian Faith, as well as watch his NOOMA video series.

Basic A - 6 p.m., Dean Kate's office, led by Fr. Carl Saxton.

Learn about the faith that sustains us here at the cathedral. This class explores the scriptures, why we worship in this ancient tradition and how to become part of the cathedral community.

The nursery will not be available on Wednesday evenings during the summer months.

On Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in Ingram Lounge, the following classes

Sunday, July 10 & 17 - **The Lord's Prayer, led by Fr. David Erickson** Sunday, July 24 - The Gnostic Gospels, led by Fr. Carl Saxton

will be offered:

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Sunday, July 10 Anne McCranie, Erin Cumiskey, Amelia Still

Monday, July 11 Charlene Lewis, Nancy Keyser, Kylee Cole

Tuesday, July 12 Hallie Brown, George Masters, Jim Cox

Wednesday, July 13
David Busse, Gary Lockwood,
Linda Jackson

Thursday, July 14 Margaret Brundick, Chris Spicer, Bridget Hart, Hollin Hakimian, Kyran Purcell, Victoria Vormack

Friday, July 15 Judy Martin, Donna Walker Bell, Ruby Fouraker

Saturday, July 16 Abe Meide, Fred Hodgkins, Liza Haley

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"Unshackling Shame": A Special Retreat Coming Soon

What do canoes, silence, volleyball, prayer, hiking, worship and play have in common? These describe some elements of a special spirituality retreat at Camp Weed to be held September 8-11. The retreat is an ecumenical offering open to all.

Beginning the first day, Thursday, September 8, (registration is at 3 p.m.) the retreat kicks off around a music and wine mixer followed by a generous dinner



buffet. After the buffet, Dean Kate Moorehead will offer the first presentation for the retreat. This talk will commence the retreat's theme, "Unshackling Shame: The Intersection of Spiritual and Mental Health."

The next day includes two more presentations (morning and afternoon) with feedback and group discussions. Communal and individual activities will be offered throughout the day. We will close out the night with a time for playful fun after the buffet dinner.

The third day offers practices that embrace the focus on the intersection of spiritual and mental health. Some workshops will also be available for those with special or shared interests. The evening will offer a wine and jazz occasion.



Following our breakfast buffet the next morning, we will join our spirits in stunning Mandi's Chapel. Eucharist will be shared as we bless God and one another into our lives of love and service.

To register, please visit the following website: http://allianceofbaptists.org/NewsAndEvents/event detail/1033

For more information, please contact Reverend Dr. Ken Meyers at kenneth@allianceofbaptists.org.

Provide new clothes for kids going back to school

Even though it feels as if summer just began, the first day of school is a little more than a month away, and the Sulzbacher Center is beginning their fundraising efforts now for school clothes for children living at the center and in Sulzbacher's aftercare program.

Sulzbacher's Back to School shopping day is August 12. Won't you help kids start the year



feeling good about themselves in their new school clothes? Sulzbacher appreciates any amount you can give.

We know that a child's self-esteem is directly related to academic performance. With your help, every child living at the Sulzbacher Center will have the opportunity to feel great and do well in school this coming year. Thank you so much in advance for making it possible to provide new school clothing for the children at Sulzbacher!

Online donations: Go to www.sulzbachercenter.org to donate online and please designate your gift to "Back to School."

<u>Donations by check:</u> Please note "Back to School" on your check and mail to The Sulzbacher Center, 611 E. Adams Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202