

THE FAITHWAY

JANUARY 2013

OUR MISSION:

*To welcome all people into
an ever-deepening relationship
with our Lord Jesus Christ.*

A MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR:

Dear Friends,

I give thanks to God for our Christmas services and to all the people who participated and made them so glorious: Dean Peggy and her crew of dedicated “shepherd wranglers,” the children and their parents; the altar guild, the ushers, and our excellent acolyte corps, Mark Childers and the choir and the members of the Royal School of Church Music. The hospitality committee graciously and lovingly provided dinner for people participating in several services. It was a Christmas celebration that truly glorified God. Beginning with the Children’s Pageant and continuing through Christmas Day, I do not remember so wonderful a celebration. Thank you, one and all, for all the hard work of preparation and participation.



We come again to the New Year with hope and expectation that our ministry may grow and continue to spread the Good News that Jesus came to deliver us from a dark world of sin and evil. On New Year’s Day, at six in the evening, we will celebrate the Feast of the Holy Name at the Taizé service. Then, on the Sunday, January 6, we will celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany, the manifestation of Jesus to the gentiles, with our normal services at 7:30 and 8:30 am. Then, at the 11:00 o’clock service, we will celebrate the Epiphany with a solemn high mass. Our special preacher for the day will be Father Jim Gordon. Father Jim has been called to be the Vicar of St. Paul’s Church in Marfa, Texas and this will be our final opportunity to wish him and Andi “Godspeed.”

On January 27, the last Sunday of the month, we will have our Annual Parish Meeting and pot luck dinner, at 4:00 o’clock in the afternoon. At the Annual Meeting, we will receive the reports of the various ministries in the parish, as well as look at and discuss the financial budget for the year. We will hear the reports of the Senior Warden, Treasurer, and Rector, and we will elect three people to the Vestry.

In January we would like to prepare the way for the arrival of a new member of the clergy staff. Dean Peggy and I feel there is a need to address unresolved issues over the departure of our previous associate priest and will offer a session to deal with those issues on January 9, at 4:15 pm in the Kinsolving Room.

Let us enjoy this season of Epiphany and look for ways in which Jesus is manifest to us in all aspects of our lives.

God bless you,
Ken Semon



BODY BUILDING EXERCISES... ***FOR YOUR SPIRITUAL BODY***

"I am come that you may have life, and have it more abundantly."

Our culture is filled with phrases that convince us that "just a little more" would be "enough." We are bombarded with that message of scarcity, and we come to believe it. But abundant life is here and now, revealed in how we steward what we have been given. Generosity comes from the heart that is overflowing with a sense of abundance. It is to the generous that Christ promises the abundant life.

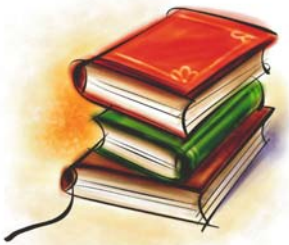


**Can the church be the one place where we
acknowledge the abundance God has given us?**

HOSPITALITY BREAKFAST

Join us on Sunday, January 6, at 9:45 am, for a wonderful morning of food and fellowship in Palen Hall. Our cooks have created an exciting menu that is sure to please the most discerning of palates. Suggested donation \$5.00, children 12 years of age and under, eat for free.

PARISH LIBRARY



The Parish Library will be open between services on Sunday, January 6. Library volunteers Martha Wallace and Clarke Fountain will be available to help parishioners explore the library and check out books.

***Please come in and get to know our library
with its wonderful collections!***

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL CHAPLAINS

A NEW CALL for two additional Children's Chapel Chaplains! Do you want to have fun sharing the Gospel with children in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd once a month at 8:30 am? Join six other Chaplains who lead the simple liturgy with procession, a children's Creed, handwritten Prayers of the People, and the Lord's Prayer. Then share the Bible Story of the day or help children understand the various seasons of the church year. Chaplains serve in pairs and lead the children into the church to join their parents for the Peace. Mentoring and "on the job training" is available.

MID-SINGLES SECOND SUNDAY BRUNCH

The next Mid-Singles Second Sunday Brunch will take place on January 13. We will return to the popular Museum Hill Café for Brunch after the 11:00 am Eucharist. Meet near the piano about 12:30 pm to carpool to Museum Hill. We will try to arrange an optional tour of the Museum of American Indian Art. More details to follow. Newcomers are always welcome Call Dean Peggy at 982-4447, ext. 119, or email revpeggy@gmail.com by Thursday, January 10 so that reservations can be made.

WRITING YOUR WAY HOME WRITING AS A TOOL FOR HEALING AND WHOLENESS AFTER LOSS

This five-week Workshop is an experiential way to honor your spiritual journey after loss and to continue to heal and grow as you gently move toward integration and transformation of your grief. The format is appropriate for all types of loss, including loss of a spouse, family member, unborn child, or friend. Sr. Paula Gallagher is an experienced Spiritual Director and author of numerous books on grief. Her book, *A Light in the Window*, will be used in the class (cost \$10).

- When:** Tuesdays, January 15, 22, 29, and February 5 and 12, from 1:30-3:00 pm
- Where:** The Campbell Room
- Leader:** Sr. Paula Gallagher, a Sister of the Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Scranton, PA.
- Registration:** Call 982-4447, ext. 119. Please leave your name, phone number, and email address (if applicable) so that the necessary materials can be prepared in advance.

FINAL AFFAIRS: A CONVERSATION ABOUT END OF LIFE DECISIONS AND THE CHURCH

A Three Week Series entitled “Final Affairs”: There will be three presentations on various aspects of End of Life Decision Making led by Dean Peggy Patterson, the Reverend Kenneth Semon, and Dr. William (Bill) Plauth, Palliative Care Physician at Christus St. Vincent Medical Center.

Session I: *SOLACE: Wisdom of the Dying: A Journey into the Wilderness of our mortality and beyond.* This documentary film directed by Camille Adair, a Hospice Nurse, features interviews with Hospice patients and families about their spiritual, emotional, and physical experiences at the end of life. Patients are local residents who wanted others to share in their journey. A discussion of the film will follow at round tables.

Session II: A presentation on Palliative Care Philosophy and common decisions facing families and patients in the hospital. Dean Peggy will join with Dr. Plauth in discussing Hospice Care in Santa Fe, including the “Hospice Team,” costs, choices, family involvement in homecare and facility options, and the role of your priest in the Hospice Care Team.

Session III: The Reverend Kenneth Semon will discuss the role of the Church and Parish Clergy in assisting families with end of life planning, decisions about burial, cremation, preplanning of funerals, purchasing a niche in the columbarium, options for funerals(music, Eucharist, readings), and the opportunity to include the priest in end of life Sacraments. Dean Patterson will join Fr. Semon in presenting each participant with the *FIVE WISHES* Document which invites people to talk about end of life plans, hopes, desires for medical and personal choices regarding pain, comfort, family presence at the end of life. Each person will receive the *Five Wishes* booklet to take home and discuss.

When: Three Wednesday evenings from 6:00-7:30 pm with coffee and dessert provided.
Session I – January 16; Session II – January 23; Session III – January 30

Where: Palen Hall

Leaders: Dean Peggy Patterson; Dr. Plauth, Father Kenneth Semon

Registration: Call 982-4447, ext. 119. Please leave your name, phone number, and email address (if applicable) so that the necessary materials can be prepared in advance.

BEREAVEMENT GROUP

A new schedule for the monthly Bereavement Group begins in January. The Group meets on Thursday January 24, February 21, and March 21 from 2:00-3:30 pm. In addition, the Writing Your Way Home Workshop is highly recommended to give an additional opportunity to reflect on and process your grief. For more information, call Dean Peggy Patterson at 982-4447, ext. 119.

DEEP PEACE AND HIGH ANXIETY “PRAY, LOVE, REMEMBER”

Women’s Spirituality Retreat

February 9, 2013

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Church of the Holy Faith

led by Deborah Smith Douglas

We all live in what the poet W. H. Auden called the “age of anxiety.” But we are also invited into the peace of God, a peace so radical that it “passes all understanding.” How can we get from here to there? Without denying the power of what we fear, how can we learn to live in trust and hope?

This retreat will use Scripture and poetry, as well as insights from psychology and art and the lives of the saints, to explore ways we might loosen the grip of worry on our lives, and enlarge our faith that we might hold our anxieties both more lightly and from a deeper place.

Deborah Smith Douglas has degrees in literature and law, and is a writer, spiritual director and retreat leader. She is the author of *The Praying Life: Seeking God in All Things* and, with her husband David Douglas, of *Pilgrims in the Kingdom: Travels in Christian Britain*. Her essays have been published in *Weavings*, *Commonweal*, *Desert Call*, *Spiritual Life*, *Christian Century*, and *The American Benedictine Review*. She is a laywoman in the Episcopal Church, and a Camaldolese Benedictine oblate.

Registration forms are available at the front desk in Conkey House, or you may request an online form by emailing revpeggy@gmail.com. Don't forget your brown bag lunch!

LENTEN CHILDREN’S ADVENTURES

Back by popular demand, Children's Tuesday afternoon Adventures during Lent. Children ages 3½-11 are invited to come for Lenten Children's Adventures on Tuesday, March 6, 13, and 20 from 4:00-5:15 pm. Children will learn about Jesus' ministry and his final week with his disciples during Holy Week. Please watch for registration forms which will be available in February. Don't forget Children's Chapel through the season of Epiphany and leading to Ash Wednesday on February 13. Volunteers are always needed for Tuesday afternoon Children's Adventures!

PARISH MILESTONES

JANUARY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

14 – Chris & Patricia Webster 19 – Harvey & Janet McCroskey

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

2 – Moses Attrep	11 – Camille Flores	24 – Sylvia Johnson
2 – Gary McGinnis	11 – Laura Ford	24 – Gib Mason
2 – Simon Mostert	11 – Clarke Fountain	25 – Jane Amos
2 – Walter Sterling	12 – Janey McCroskey	27 – Mary Dudley
3 – Caroline Semon	13 – Tony Jacobs	28 – Elaine Coleman
5 – Johanna Cinader	14 – Jim Overton	28 – Hank Coleman
5 – Morley Lautens	14 – Luke Sterling	28 – William Furlanetto
5 – David Matthews	16 – Daphne Blue	28 – Rickie Sherrill
5 – Ann Morton	16 – James Gilson	28 – Sean Vanderbilt-Reynolds
5 – Sharon Macdonald	16 – Jack Lott	29 – Lee Ice
5 – Christine Williams	19 – Peter Indall	29 – Robert McKenzie
6 – Carolyn Rainer	21 – Clare Bruno	29 – Jane Meaders
7 – Bill Atterbury	21 – Tag Hoag	30 – Catherine Gronquist
7 – Lise Hilboldt Stolley	21 – Christopher Plauth	31 – Lee DeVary
8 – Dulcenia (Duddy) Wilder	23 – Donna Amos	31 – Asenath Kepler
10 – Sandia Johnston	23 – Julie Rothschild	

PARISH PRAYER LIST

(as of December 27, 2012)

Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, bear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless, and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Rowan, Archbishop of Canterbury	Peggy, Assistant Priest for	Holy Family
Katharine, Presiding Bishop	Family Life	St. Francis Cathedral Basilica
Michael, Bishop	The Vestry	First Presbyterian Church
Kenneth, Rector	St. Bede's	St. Thomas the Apostle Church

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give thine angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for thy love's sake. Amen.

WITHIN OUR PARISH FAMILY:

ALICE Adams	GUY Gronquist	MOLLY Russo
MOSES Attrep	SUZI Hagen	JULIAN Rymar
MARTY Buchsbaum	TIMOTHY Jamerson	MARGARET Rymar
DICK Cooper	ANNE Jones	MARY Smith
MARY ANN Crenshaw	MOLLY Lott	LINDA Turner
HALEY Curtin	ED Mazria	ELISABETH Wagner
HUGH Curtin	MARJORIE Muth	DUDDY Wilder
BILL Daily	JULIE ANNE Overton	CHRISTINE Williams
BETTY Davis	BILL Parker	DAVE Williams
KAREN Duran	DEBORAH Parker	JAMES
JERE Green		

OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

JAYNE Adame	JACK Hilwig	VICKIE Rommel
CRIS Alton	STEPHANIE Hilwig	JUDY Russell
MICHAEL Armistead	XANDRA Hilwig	KATHLEEN Sanderson
KATY Blackburn	MAXINE Childers Howell	JOAN Saunders
JACKSON ROSE Blankenship	JOHN Huettner	CHRISTIE Childers Singleton
WINSLOW Blankenship	VICKIE Jackson	STEVE Stevens
BARBARA Brown	PAT Johnson	CLAIR Stone
JINNY Browning	ROBERT Kerr	GEORGE Stone
ELIZABETH Brownlee	ANNE Leach	LYSBETH Stone
Reverend SUSAN Davies Buell	JIM Louck	MARTIN Taggart
PETER Castine	MARGE Louck	AMY Matthews Taylor
AARON Childers	JOHN Luchetta	KARYN Wilder
KATHLEEN Doherty	FRETTA MAE Luchetta	LAURIE Wilhite
KATIE Feuille	KATHRYN Lumpkin	MAYSIE Williams
CHARLOTTE Finlay	DEMETRA Mazria	PHIL Wolf
FERNANDO Flores	MICHELLE McConnell	TOM Wood
JASON Flores	TORY McKenzie	BILL
NANCY Adams Gillon	BILL McSweeney	DOUG
CHELSEA Gonzales	DICK Mincheff	DREW
JACKIE Hoag	MONICA Mincheff	HORACIO
PETER Hoag	HEATHER Nielsen	JUDY

BEN Hadad
WILLIAM Heltman
D.A. Hendrix
CHARLOTTE Hilwig

MARY K. O'Keefe
PAIGE Pinnell
SHANNON West Redwine
EVELYN Romero

MARY
PETIE
ROLAND
TIM

FOR THOSE IMPACTED BY THE TRAGEDY AT SANDY HOOK ELEMENTARY IN NEWTOWN, CONNECTICUT:

O God of peace, who hast taught us that in returning and rest we shall be saved, in quietness and in confidence shall be our strength: By the might of thy spirit lift us, we pray thee, to thy presence, where we may be still and know that thou art God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

BCP p. 832

OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN THE MILITARY, AND FOR THEIR FAMILIES:

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. (BCP p. 823)

Capt. RYAN Bernard
Lt. BEAU Hilland, U.S. Army
LCPL Leigh Hubbard, U.S.
Marine

Lt. Lance McLaughlin, U.S. Army
Lt. Col. STEWART Statton II

Capt. HENRY Wales, British Army

The Parish Prayer List is cleared periodically. Please contact the office
or an individual clergy person to place people on the list.

PARISH CALENDAR
JANUARY – FEBRUARY 2013
(as of January 1, 2013)

<u>DATE(S)</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
JANUARY –			
1.....	New Year’s Day – Parish Office closed		
10, 17, 24, 31	Women’s Bible Study Group.....	10:00 am.....	Campbell Room
3.....	Bereavement Group.....	3:00 pm.....	Dean Peggy’s Office
3, 10, 17, 24, 31	School of Healing Prayer – Level II.....	3:30 pm.....	Campbell/Youth Room
6.....	Men’s Hospitality Breakfast.....	9:45 am.....	Palen Hall
6.....	The Feast of the Epiphany (<i>Solemn High Eucharist with incense</i>) ...	11:00 am.....	Church
6, 13, 20, 27.....	Youth Group Meeting.....	12:30 pm.....	Youth Room
7.....	Un-greening of the Church		
8, 15, 22, 29.....	Spiritual Classics Study Group.....	10:00 am.....	Campbell Room
8.....	Ministries Council Meeting.....	3:30 pm.....	Kinsolving Room
9, 16, 23, 30.....	Guild Meeting.....	10:00 am.....	Guild Room
9.....	Next Step Session.....	4:15 pm.....	Kinsolving Room
9.....	Library Committee Meeting.....	1:30 pm.....	Library
9, 16, 23, 30.....	Men’s Bible Study Group.....	3:00 pm.....	Youth Room
13, 20, 27.....	Adult Forum.....	9:50 am.....	Palen Hall
13.....	Second Sunday Mid-Singles Brunch.....	12:30 pm.....	Gather in Palen Hall
15, 22, 29.....	Writing Your Way Home Workshop.....	1:30 pm.....	Campbell Room
16, 23, 30.....	Final Affairs Series	6:00 pm.....	Palen Hall
17.....	Finance Committee Meeting.....	4:00 pm.....	Campbell Room
17.....	Vestry Meeting.....	5:00 pm.....	Campbell Room
21.....	Martin Luther King Day – Parish Office closed		
22.....	Daughters of the King.....	3:00 pm.....	Kinsolving Room
23.....	Not Your Mother’s Book Club.....	12:00 pm.....	Campbell Room
24.....	Bereavement Group.....	2:00 pm.....	Dean Peggy’s Office
27.....	Feed the Hungry.....	9:00 am.....	Palen Hall Kitchen
27.....	Annual Meeting and Parish Potluck.....	4:00 pm.....	Palen Hall
31.....	St. Elizabeth’s Cooks	12:00 pm.....	Palen Hall Kitchen

<u>DATE(S)</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
FEBRUARY –			
3.....	Men’s Hospitality Breakfast.....	9:45 am.....	Palen Hall
3.....	Evensong – <i>The Presentation of Our Lord</i>	6:00 pm.....	Church
3, 10, 17, 24.....	Youth Group Meeting.....	12:30 pm.....	Youth Room
5, 12, 19, 26.....	Spiritual Classics Study Group.....	10:00 am.....	Campbell Room
5, 12.....	Writing Your Way Home Workshop.....	1:30 pm.....	Campbell Room
6, 13, 20, 27.....	Guild Meeting.....	10:00 am.....	Guild Room
6, 13, 20, 27	Men’s Bible Study Group.....	3:00 pm.....	Youth Room
7, 14, 21, 28.....	Women’s Bible Study Group.....	10:00 am.....	Campbell Room
7, 14, 21, 28.....	School of Healing Prayer – Level II.....	3:30 pm.....	Campbell/Youth Room
9.....	Women’s Spirituality Retreat.....	9:00 am.....	Campbell Room
10, 17, 24.....	Adult Forum.....	9:50 am.....	Palen Hall
10.....	Second Sunday Mid-Singles Brunch.....	12:30 pm.....	Gather in Palen Hall
12.....	Ministries Council Meeting.....	3:30 pm.....	Kinsolving Room
13.....	Ash Wednesday.....	7:00 am, 12:00 noon, 6:00 pm.....	Church
18.....	President’s Day – Parish Office closed		
20, 27.....	Stations of the Cross.....	5:00 pm.....	Church
20, 27.....	Lenten Soup Supper.....	5:45 pm.....	Palen Hall
21.....	Bereavement Group.....	3:00 pm.....	Dean Peggy’s Office
21.....	Finance Committee Meeting.....	4:00 pm.....	Campbell Room
21.....	Vestry Meeting.....	5:00 pm.....	Campbell Room
24.....	Feed the Hungry.....	9:00 am.....	Palen Hall Kitchen
26.....	Daughters of the King.....	3:00 pm.....	Kinsolving Room
27.....	Not Your Mother’s Book Club.....	12:00 pm.....	Campbell Room
28.....	St. Elizabeth’s Cooks.....	12:00 pm.....	Palen Hall Kitchen
TBD.....	Library Committee Meeting.....	1:30 pm.....	Library

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

7:30 am Spoken Eucharist – Chapel
8:30 am Eucharist with Hymns & Anthems – Church (*Family service*)
9:50 am Adult Forum – Palen Hall
11:00 am Choral Eucharist – Church
(Solemn High Eucharist with Incense when noted)

WEEKDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Mon: 9:30 am Rosary – Chapel
Tues: 6:00 pm Taizé Eucharist – Church (*with prayers for healing*)
Wed: 12:10 pm Holy Eucharist – Chapel
Thurs: 12:10 pm Holy Eucharist – Chapel
Mon-Fri: 4:30 pm Evening Prayer – Chapel

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Guy Gronquist – Sr. Warden
Frank Hart – Jr. Warden
Robert Jones – Treasurer
Alexandra Ward – Vestry Clerk
John Barton

Judy Lehman
Molly Lott
Eleanor Peters
Ray Wallace
Webb Wallace

**The Parish Office is open
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THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAITH

- Q. What is the mission of the Church?
A. The mission of the Church is to restore all people to unity with God and each other in Christ.

The Catechism p. 855

The Church of the Holy Faith welcomes all people into an ever-deepening relationship with Jesus Christ our Lord.

We believe in God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, the Sacraments, and the Authority of Scripture.

We honor our Anglican heritage and praise God with solemn liturgy, traditional Prayer Book worship, and music to exalt the spirit.

We strive to live as a community with compassion for one another and the world around us.

We worship together in peace
to praise and thank God,
to transcend division,
and to celebrate the mystery of faith.



The Episcopal Church is part of the worldwide Anglican Communion, an international association of national Anglican churches.

We are part of the One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ our Lord.

