



As we move into the Holy Season of Lent we begin our journey to the cross at our Lord’s Table. Please join us at 9:30 or 11:00am.

Pastor’s sermon is titled “Jesus’ Transfiguration, Peter’s Transfiguration, And Ours” from [Matthew 17:1-9](#).

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We’re looking forward to a great time tomorrow at our “Guess Who’s Coming To Dinner” event at 5:30! If you’ve been in church the past few weeks you’ve seen a preview of a few of our friends who will be there. And there will be lots more photos to see! How many can you name?

The slideshow before services on March 9 will identify **who is who** in the childhood photos submitted for the dinner.

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Pennies For Pins
 Sunday, March 2nd
 12 PM – 2 PM
 at The Strike Zone
 on Rt 30
 in Egg Harbor City
 Don’t forget to wear your team color
 See you there!!!

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The March Good News has been submitted to Ken Marshall to upload to our website. It should be available for viewing soon. As always there are a few copies in the sanctuary for those without internet access.

The calendar is always kept up to date as information is received in the church office. Use the “Agenda” tab for easier viewing. And click on events for more information and a link to Google maps for off-site locations!

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The Unity Dinner is next Wednesday, March 12, at 6:30pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Please sign up Sunday in the lobby area. Cost is \$6.00. See Joan Nale for information.

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Confirmation for teenagers 14 and up begins next Sunday at 2:00 in the lounge. Parents, you need to be here for this first meeting.

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Correction to March Good News

The Lord of the Rings Series Continues



A₂J and the Sunday School continue sponsoring a fellowship event exploring the christian themes in The Lord of the Rings series. Come join us as we view the 2 remaining films in the series. Bob Gillis is leading us in a discussion about the author and the christian inspirations that can be found in each of these movies. Each movie will be viewed in **Sabos Home from 4 p.m. until approximately 9 p.m.** for viewing and discussion as follows:

- Saturday, March 8 for *The Two Towers*
- Saturday, **March 29** for *The Return of the King*

Dinner will be provided and the cost split by attendees. All are invited and encouraged to attend; however, it is strongly recommended that this is not appropriate for children under the age of 10. Please contact Linda Gillis if you have any questions.

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The total for the Winter Fundraiser is now \$6,220. This is a good start, but far short of our \$20,000 goal. Please be generous. Next Sunday is the last Sunday the thermometer chart will be in the sanctuary.

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Lunch Bunch is Wednesday at the Windjammer Diner in Somers Point. Meet at the church at 11:30 or at the restaurant at noon.

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We need additional info for the church picture directory.

* We are accepting up to 3 phone numbers, indicate if cell, work or home phone.

* We also need the name associated with each phone.

There will be a table set up before and between services for you to add that data so that it will be included in the directory.

Also, Louise will be taking family photos before and between services for those that missed photo day.

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Beginning Sunday, March 9, we will give out Lenten tokens. Please carry yours with you during this Holy Season. Read it every day.

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The praise band has been working hard and will lead the congregation in choruses Sunday, March 9, during the first service only. They will sing four selections that many of you know, and the words will be on the screen. Yes, we do expect you to sing along. That's what makes it praise music and not a performance. There will be no call to worship, children's sermon, or responsive reading.

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There will be at least two trips this month to see the Lenten film "Son Of God". We'll keep you posted on dates and times.

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Easter skit rehearsals begin Sunday March 2, 8:30-9. This is an all male cast. We still need one more cast member. Waiting to hear back from some who have been called. Please contact Anna Mae or Priscilla if interested.

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Many thanks to Gia Esposito, Sam and Bud Burgess for a beautiful Call to Worship last Sunday. It was such a blessing to hear Amazing Grace performed with a saxophone, tuba and key board! We look forward to hearing from you again!

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New Membership Classes for adults will begin March 9 at 4:00pm. Join us!

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Worship Committee is looking for people to work the PowerPoint and sound system. Please see Karen Muldoon if you are interested.

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We thank Ginny Davenport for her years of service scheduling communion servers. Barbara Hughes has agreed to take on the responsibility. Thank you, Barbara.

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Sunday Servants

Lay Assistants

9:30 Scott Sabo
11:00

Deacons Guest Book

9:30 Naida Burgess
11:00

Head Ushers

9:30 Vic & Rita Abelson
11:00 Jean Delesantro, Tina Brown

Acolyte

9:30 Maddie Lewis

Collection

9:30 Joan Nale, Franklin Nale

Nursery

9:30 Alice Malfi

Refreshments

Carol Kleiner, Leslie Harvey

Van Driver

John Channell

Breakfast Club Kitchen Crew

Set-up – Libby Little

Cook – Ed Little

Clean-up – Richard & Doris Wood

Please Remember in Prayer

Betty Townsend

Neil Plum

Ginny Davenport

Tom Brown

Olive Brown

This Week in Our Church . . .

Sunday

Communion

8:30 Easter Play Rehearsal

8:45 Breakfast

9:30 Sunday School & Worship

10:30 Refreshments

11:00 Worship & A₂J

12:00 Pennies For Pins

Monday

1:30 Bible Study

6:00 Senior Youth

Tuesday

7:00 Session

Wednesday *Ash Wednesday*

11:30 Lunch Bunch to Windjammer

6:30 Sarah Circle

Thursday

6:30 Handbell Choir Rehearsal

7:45 Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Friday *World Day Of Prayer*

1:00 Ruth Circle at Betsy Cunius'

Saturday ***Daylight Savings Time Begins Tonight!***

4-9 LOTR Movie/Discussion at Sabo's