

ST. EDMUND THE MARTYR EPISCOPAL CHURCH

CONGREGATION NEWS & NOTICES

MARCH 2025

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SCHEDULE: **Sunday Eucharist 9:00 am** (followed by fellowship time)

Lenten Bible Study: "Scripture & Soup/Jesus In The Gospels"

Wednesdays (March 12, 19, 26) 5:00 pm



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Don Reichert, Sandy Stanz  
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Altar Guild: Wendy Carter

Daughters of the King: Ruth Adams

Episcopal Church Women

Carolyn Robins

Music Coordinator: Pearl Kiellman

Property Manager: Hal Lewis

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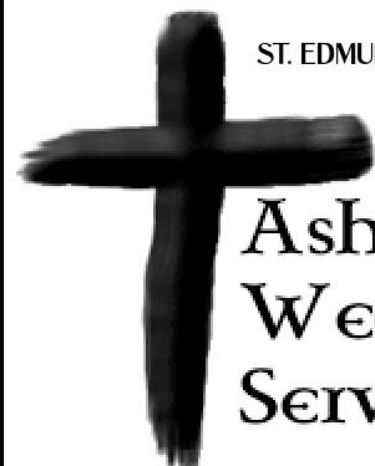
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**SHROVE TUESDAY  
PANCAKE SUPPER**



Tuesday, March 4, 2025  
5:00 pm - 7:00pm  
\$7.00  
(tickets may be purchased in advance or at the door)

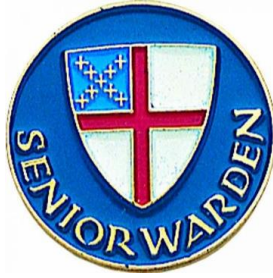
Meal is served at Pfrangle Hall, First Presbyterian Church, 209 W. Hickory Street



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Arcadia FL

March 5, 2025  
5:30 pm

Ash  
Wednesday  
Service



Lent is fast approaching and we have several great events planned starting with our very popular Shrove Tuesday Pancake dinner, we are thankful to our brethren at First Presbyterian for once again hosting this event for us as we complete our renovations on the Parish Hall. Tickets are still just \$7.00 and can be purchased in advance from Don Reichert on Sunday or at the door this Tuesday between 5 and 7 pm. Help is welcome in the kitchen or with serving or clean up afterward. I thank Shawn and Helen Bryan for overseeing the kitchen detail again this year and for all those who volunteer to make this a success. Deacon Robert will be hosting a Lenten “Scripture & Soup” bible study on “Jesus in the Gospels” on Wednesday evenings in the Parish Hall during Lent and Fr. Jim will be having services at 5:30 pm in the church for Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday and Good Friday. We hope you will plan on attending all that you can during this special liturgical time.

Renovations are almost complete in our Parish Hall, kitchen counters and flooring will be completed before the first of March and final touches will be done shortly after. GCS has done a great job in a short time and I think we will all be very happy with the final results. We have had several requests from people who wish to contribute towards the new kitchen wares and office decorations. We will be coming up with a “wish list” of new items needed to replace some of our old and worn out pieces and anyone who would like to contribute towards some of these is welcome to. We are trying to discourage donations of used kitchen equipment that people may have, this is our chance to start fresh with exactly what we need in our new kitchen. Help will be needed to sort through our old stuff and find a good home for it where someone in need may get good use of it.

See you in church or on line!

Bob Baumann  
Senior Warden



We will be putting together the Easter Baskets after the Church Service on March 23rd. Please stop on your way to your car and fill a basket. We are still collecting undies for the school children in DESOTO County. I want to thank everyone in advance for all your support of the ECW outreach programs. God Bless You All.

Carolyn Robins, ECW President

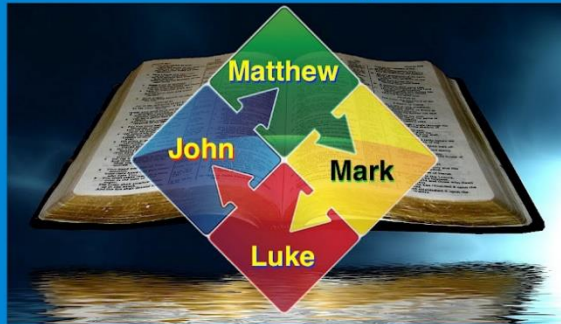
TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 6:00 PM



DINNER AT AZUL TEQUILA RESTAURANT

## LENTEN BIBLE STUDY "Scripture & Soup"

Wednesdays of Lent at 5:00 pm



## JESUS IN THE GOSPELS

- March 12 - Background of the Four Gospels - Soup: Beef Vegetable
  - March 19 - What do we know about the life of Jesus and his interactions with others? - Soup: Irish Stew
  - March 26 - Jesus' core teaching in the Sermon on the Mount and the Beatitudes - Soup: Chicken Noodle
  - April 02 - Jesus' use of parables to reveal God's kingdom. - Soup: Pasta Fagioli
  - April 09 - Jesus defining himself with "I am" statements. - Soup: Split Pea
  - April 16 - Jesus' Passion, Death, & Resurrection. - Soup: Matzah Ball
- NOTE: Soup, bread & beverages provided. Participants may bring their own sandwich or side salad.

Study Facilitator & Chef: Deacon Robert Vaughn

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