

**THOSE WHO MAKE ST. MATTHIAS' ROCK ON SUNDAYS!**

Ministry		March 24	March 31
<b>Celebrant</b>		The Rev. Dennet Slemp	The Rev. Brenda Overfield
<b>Crucifer</b>	Early	Kendall Ramkey	Alex Deas
	Late	Kahner Kirsh	Jack Milstead
<b>Server</b>	Early	Carter Ramkey	Dylan Lowe
	Late	Mackenzie Kirsh	Chris Greatwood
<b>First Lesson</b>	Early	Chip Thompson	Pete Plourd
	Late	Jill Griffith	Ed Mendenhall
<b>Second Lesson</b>	Early	Chip Thompson	Pete Plourd
	Late	Jill Griffith	Ed Mendenhall
<b>Psalm</b>	Early	Joe Hegner	Debbie Vance
	Late	Herbert Norman	Zita Barree
<b>Prayers of the People</b>	Early	Brenda Hentges	Jonathan Page
	Late	Kevin Sweeney	Clive Burnett
<b>Healing Minister</b>		Marriane Clark	Marilynn Swenson
<b>Tellers</b>		Marcia Oglesby Charlie Gardner	Mark Swenson Rosanna Smith
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Early	Michelle Ramkey	
	Late	Tammy Reinhardt	Ruby McCowan
<b>Altar Guild</b>		Mary Ann Reid	Mary Evelyn Parker
		Audrey McElhinney	Margaret Kolster
<b>Greeters</b>	Early	Suzie and Chip Thompson	Renay Hardy Dona Case
	Late	Zita and Michael Barree	Caroline Sweeney Merriann Clark
<b>Ushers</b>	Early	John Goodreau Betsy Goodreau	Stuart Handling Frank Warren
	Late	John Watkins Tom Napier	Rob Ketron Marshall Ketron
<b>Flower Guild</b>		Nicole Page	Renay Hardy
<b>Sound Board</b>	Early	Debbie Thompson	Mike Larkin
	Late	Richard Perkins	Tom Napier
<b>Vestry Rep.</b>		Michelle Henry	Hap Reisch

**PRAYER LIST**

*Our Prayer Lists: Understanding that a lot can happen between Tuesday at Noon (deadline for bulletin information) and Sunday morning regarding requests for intercessions, there will now be a notebook on the podium outside the entrance of the Commons for people to add names for a given Sunday. That list will be given to Brenda. Names added will remain for six weeks, please contact office to renew if you wish.*

**Our Congregation is asked to keep in their prayers the following:**

**Dick** Harman  
**Liz** Brengel  
**Rodger** Hardy  
**Rita** Panten  
**Malcolm** Turnbull  
**Bob** Morrison  
**Pamela** Bandy  
**Mary** Slemp  
**Mary** Bock  
**Julia** McLaughlin  
**Dianne**  
**George** Snavely  
**Michael** Henry  
**/Richard** Benson  
**Marcia** Oglesby  
**Charles**  
**Ed** Griffith  
**Dot** Worsham  
**/People of Venezuela**  
**Ranny** Mast  
**Patty** M.  
**Lisa** Stanko  
**C.J.**

**Jessica**  
**Dexter**  
**Edie**  
**Penney**  
**/Linda**  
**Joe**  
**Amelia**  
**Steve**  
**Stephanie**  
**Amber**  
**Paige**  
**Samantha**  
**George** Bower  
**/Michelle**  
**Gretchen**  
**Adam**  
**William**  
**Vern** Snipes

**We also pray for those in the military, especially:**  
**Corey**  
**Todd** Batteau  
**Sooky** Brooks  
**Christopher** Garland  
**Michael** Handlan  
**Jake** Hentges  
**Rebecca** Jenkins  
**Donta** Mason  
**Tom** Montgomery  
**Jacob** Murdock  
**Phillip** Plourd  
**Andrew** Rodgers  
**Heather** Smith  
**Hank** Truillo  
**Nat** Williams  
**Zach**

For the repose of the soul of **Peggy** Richardson

**MEMBERS CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS**

Clive Burnett	25	Betsy Goodreau	29
Marshall Ketron	25	Caitlyn Kirkland	29
Marcia Oglesby	25	Wesley Kirkland	29
Betty Shepard	25	Carolyn Baum	30
Rex Slack	26		
Bill Van Arnam	26		
Clarence Norman	28		
Imy Caulker-Burnett	29		

**St. Matthias Episcopal Church**

**The Rev. Brenda S. Overfield, Rector**

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**Announcements for March 24, 2019**

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Holy Eucharist at 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM ~ Christian Formation 10:00 AM

Nursery provided during services and Christian Formation

For after-hour emergencies and pastoral care, please contact the Rector or Parish Administrator: (804) 272-8588. For baptisms, marriages, or funerals, please contact the Rector. For use of the facilities, membership, giving and pledges, please contact the Parish Administrator.

Church sponsored, Sunday bulletin announcements are due in the office by 12:00 PM, Tuesdays and should be submitted here:

[www.stmatmidlo.com/news-announcements](http://www.stmatmidlo.com/news-announcements)

Please see our community bulletin board in Morrison Hall for personal announcements.

**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM, Friday: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Phone: 804-272-8588 ~ Fax: 804-272-1718

Weather/Emergency Text Updates: Text UBUNTU to 84483

Web Site: [www.stmatmidlo.com](http://www.stmatmidlo.com) ~ Email: [st.matthias@stmatmidlo.com](mailto:st.matthias@stmatmidlo.com)



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Necessary Conversations: On Sunday, March 31st at 10 AM,** come meet with Elder Law attorney Lisa Tuck to learn more about Living Wills and Trusts; medical and general power of attorney– when and under what circumstances they might be needed; questions regarding Estate Taxes; wills; and other essential topics for planning as we arrive at new stages in our lives. We meet in Morrison Hall. Please pass this on to any friends or family you think may be interested in these topics.

**Centering Prayer:** Now that Lent is upon us, please consider adding Centering Prayer to your weekly spiritual practice. You are invited to join with others in this opportunity to quiet the mind and listen to how the spirit may speak to you, each Wednesday morning at 7:30 in the Chapel. Contact Nancy Matthews for more information.

**Lenten Suppers:** Please sign-up to bring soup, salad or bread for our Lenten series suppers. Sign-up sheet and instructions are in the Commons.

**Cookies for Kairos:** : Kairos Prison Ministry has always started with cookies! Baked and prayed over, they come with the volunteers into prison as a form of agape love. Teams will be going into Central Virginia Correctional, Sussex II Correctional, and Nottoway Correctional Units, for the weekends of April 4-7th, April 25-28th and May 2-5th, respectively. We will need 420 DOZEN cookies between us. Please help us and be part of this life changing ministry.

Cookies baked with love are always welcomed! Bring as many dozen Chocolate Chip, Oatmeal, Ginger, Sugar or Peanut Butter Cookies as you'd like. Cookies must be bagged in Quart-sized Ziploc bags, one dozen cookies per bag. Bags should be labeled as to the type of cookie inside. Do NOT use icing, candies, sprinkled sugar, or any other type of coating on the outside of the cookie. Do not add fruit to the cookies. (This also means No raisins) A plastic tub will be in the Commons area, in which to place your cookies, from March 17 until April 28

Not everyone can go into prison with us, but everyone can be part of the ministry! Thank you so much for your support in advance!

Debbie and John Vance, Scott Volmer, Paul Begin and Chip Jones

**Lemonade on the Lawn:** The Fellowship Commission is looking for a coordinator(s) for Lemonade on the Lawn which is scheduled to begin in the summer, May 26, and subsequent Sundays. The coordinator would be responsible for scheduling hosts for this annual program.

See or call Barbara Stout for more information. (804-937-8705)

**Save the Date!** The Progressive Dinner is coming! Put Saturday, August 17th on the calendar today. This is our very popular annual adult only event at St Matthias. This year we will begin at the church for appetizers and then go to individual houses for dinner. We all join back together at church for dessert and some fun activities. It is a wonderful way to meet new friends.

The theme is still a secret but you will get some clues in April and May before the theme is announced on May 19th! Please let Jill Griffith know if you are interested in hosting the dinner portion of the event ([jillg@severncos.com](mailto:jillg@severncos.com) or 410-353-9150).



**March 27 & April 3 & 10 (Wednesdays)**

**12:15 PM** - Holy Eucharist

**6:30 PM** - Soup & Salad Supper (sign-up in the Commons)

**7:00 PM** - Intergenerational Programs (Nursery care available)

- ◆ 3/27 - **Growing: Living Our Ministries**
- ◆ 4/03 - **Loving: Living Love, Being Loved**
- ◆ 4/10 - **Community: Being Together, Being With God**

**8:00 PM** - Holy Eucharist

**March 26 & April 2 & 9 (Tuesdays)**

**12:00 noon** - Bon Air Lenten Community Services; Lunch

- ◆ 3/26 - Huguenot Road Baptist Church
- ◆ 4/02 - St. Matthias' Episcopal Church
- ◆ 4/09 - Bon Air Presbyterian Church

**Every Tuesday: 4:15 & 5:00 PM** - Yoga Class with corresponding theme of the week (Morrison Hall)

**CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

**Adult Forum:**

**3/24:** Bible Study - Based on today Lectionary

**3/31:** Necessary Conversations: come meet with Elder Law attorney Lisa Tuck to learn more about Living Wills and Trusts; medical and general power of attorney— when and under what circumstances they might be needed; questions regarding Estate Taxes; wills; and other essential topics for planning as we arrive at new stages in our lives.

**Nursery (newborn through Pre-K) – Room 111**

The nursery is available during both services. Children are welcome at all services. Feel free to make use of the nursery for all or part of our services.

**Children's Liturgy; during both services (Kindergarten through 5th) –**

Children's Liturgy follows the Sunday gospels, introducing children to God's word and encouraging them to learn about Jesus in a way that is both suited to their age and sensitive to their level of understanding. Children begin the service with their parents, are invited to join with others for Children's Liturgy, and return during the Peace.

**March 24th** – God gives us another chance

Luke 13:1-9

**March 31st** – The Son Who Came Back

Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

**Sunday School – 10:00-10:50 am**

**March 24th:**

**Pre-K/K** – Jesus Rescues the Lost

**1st- 3rd Grade** – Holy Ground

**4th/5th Grade** – The Transfiguration

**6th- 8th Grade** – Holy Ground

**9th- 10th Grade** – The New Covenant - Part 2

**11th/12th Grade** – Stages of Faith

**March 31st:**

**Pre-K/K** – Come into God's Kingdom

**1st- 3rd Grade** – Safety in God's Arms

**4th/5th Grade** – The Greatest Commandment

**6th- 8th Grade** – Safety in God's Arms

**9th- 10th Grade** – The Holy Spirit - Part 1

**11th/12th Grade** – Passion Stories - Part 1

**9th- 10th Grade** – The Holy Spirit - Part 1



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