

The Herald

April 18, 2010 Third Sunday of Easter

From the Rector Of a Life without Shame

The more I read the Gospels the more I am convinced of their social, political and economic edges. Social, because these pieces of rhetoric address the way society is constructed, how we live together. The vertical social order is challenged by a new radical mutuality. Economic, because these gospels speak of wealth being shared and not hoarded. Political, because they challenge the power structure of their day favoring a new order that empowers all with agency. The Gospels speak of lives lived in dignity. The raised Jesus is a consummate metaphor for lives raised into the light of dignity, escaping the shame of life on the margins... Jesus tortured and shamed, and then raised into this new life.

Psychologists teach us that to bear shame is debilitating and often life threatening. Resurrection life is that which sets us free from shame, and that is what salvation is about... the ability to live life with dignity... and that is why our faith is not for us only but for the world... that we are to bring saving dignity into the shame filled lost corners of the world... that we are to raise others as Christ was raised until shame is no more... shame because one is poor... shame because one is hungry or thirsty... shame because one is imprisoned... shamed because one has no place to live... shame because one is an addict... shame because one is abused... shamed because one is unhealthy... social, political, economic. Resurrection requires us... we the raised body of the Christ given to the shamed of our world.

Resurrection is to stand with dignity, and not a distant singular event in history...but the life force that wakes us up to bear it each moment to the world so desperate for it... a world debilitated and life-threatening. Alleluia, Christ is risen, and we as well, and others yet to be, until all is utterly without shame, and all stand together as one raised body and live a common life of unceasing praise.



The Episcopal Church welcomes you

On the Calendar:

Wednesday, April 14

12N Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
4pm Girls' Choir rehearsal
6pm 15 Place Board Meeting
7:30pm Parish Choir rehearsal

Thursday, April 15

12N Al-Anon (Smith Rm)
5:30pm AA (Smith Rm)
7pm AA (Smith Rm)

Saturday, April 17

10am Recovery 2day (Smith Rm)
10:30am Eagle Scout project work day

Sunday, April 18

8am Holy Eucharist
9am Breakfast
9:20am Christian Education
10:30 am Holy Eucharist
Reception following

Monday, April 19

6pm Vestry meeting

Tuesday, April 20

3:30pm NO Training Choir today
4:30pm Murray House Board Mtg

Wednesday, April 21

7:30am Race Relations Committee of
Mobile United
12N Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
4pm Girls' Choir rehearsal
7:30pm Parish Choir rehearsal

Thursday, April 22

12N Al-Anon (Smith Rm)
5pm Earth Day Eucharist (Chapel)
5:30pm AA (Smith Rm)
6:30pm Newcomers' Supper
7pm AA (Smith Rm)

Friday, April 23

5:30pm Food Share packing

Saturday, April 24

8am Food Share distribution
10am Recovery 2day (Smith Rm)

An appeal for help

For my Eagle Scout project, I am building movable partition walls to replace the blue tarps that create the sleeping areas for the families of IHN. I will also be cleaning out and organizing the closets in Stirling Hall to make room for them. Finally, I will be repairing or replacing the games in the EYC room for our IHN guests.

I am required to raise donations for the materials to build the partitions. Please make donations to me; you can send them to my home, 2556 S. Delwood Dr., Mobile, AL 36606 or leave them at the church for me to pick up. Once I have enough money I can start building. Any money left over will go to the church.

I have scheduled my first work day for April 17 at 10:30 at Stirling Hall, and would like to have help. Please come if you can.

Thank you,

Forrest Brewster

Food Share Weekend coming soon

The April Food Share event will take place next weekend. On Friday, 4/23, food bags will be packed at 5:30pm in Stirling Hall, and food distribution will be on Saturday, 4/24. We need able bodies to arrive by 7:15am on Saturday to help take the frozen items out and bag them; the distribution will start at 8am and you'll be finished before 9. Please mark your calendars and come join this vital ministry.



From 15 Place: an easy way to help

We have something new and exciting we'd like to share with you! It's the new 15 Place toolbar – once added to IE or Firefox, each time you search the Internet, about a penny is donated to 15 Place. This may not sound like a lot, but it certainly adds up, especially if everyone in your family and/or office uses it for their search engine! And if you initiate your online shopping through our toolbar, a percentage of your purchase from more than 1,300 stores (from Amazon to Zazzle!) will automatically be donated to 15 Place – at no cost to you (and you may even save money as the toolbar provides coupons and deals as well!).

Please pass this along to all of your friends. The two minutes it takes to add this toolbar to your browser can make a lifetime of difference! Get the toolbar NOW! <http://www.goodsearch.com/toolbar/15-place>.



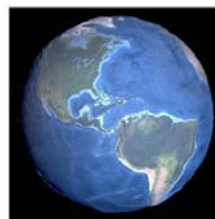
Prison Ministry to Begin

If anyone is interested in participating in a Transition from Prison to Society Ministry or organizing committee for the same, please contact Danny Moreau at dmoreau@mobileccc.org or at 272-0041.

Friday Supper Club will be held this Friday night, April 16, at the home of Beth Har-daway, 6438B Cedar Bend Ct, phone 343-7765. Bring a dish and bring a friend. All are welcome!

Earth Day Liturgy

Our annual Earth Day eucharist will be held this year in the chapel on Thursday, April 22, at 5pm. Come join us for this time to give thanks for the world God created and to make ourselves aware of the responsibilities given to us by God to be good stewards of it.



Newcomers' Supper, April 22

A newcomers' supper will be held at the home of Jim and Katharine Flowers on Thursday, April 22, at 6:30 pm. Their address is 922 Conti St. Who is a newcomer? If you haven't been to a newcomers' supper before, you are new; if you have been to one, but still 'feel new,' you are new! Come join the Vestry and others and get to know them on an informal basis. Please call the church office to let us know if you are planning to come.

Directions: Go east on Government Street past All Saints to the traffic light at Common Street. Turn left. Turn right at the first street, which is Conti. The house is on the left. Parking is available in a small lot across the street.



Many thanks to the great IHN volunteers who make my job easy and our guests' stay worthwhile: Danielle Juzan, Penny Coleman, Amy Hamilton, Catherine Mackey, Forrest Brewster, Matt McDonald, Albert Lilly, Pete Mackey, Don Mosley, Woody Hannum, Lee Van Dyke, Jean Tucker, Michael Morrison, Curt Doyle, Clark Kelly, Martha Harris, Suzanne Cleveland, Beth Hardaway, Rosemary & Sarah Williams, and Martha Henessy. Further cudos: IHN told our recent guests that All Saints is their best church! Next visit is the July 11th week. Henry Brewster

All Saints Online Directory

Did you know that you can update your own information and pictures in the All Saints Online Directory? If you've been able to access the directory, you know that most of the pictures are several years old. If you and your family have recently had family portraits made or you have a favorite picture of your family, you can change the picture. Simply go to the website <http://www.membersonline.us/ase> and click on the "My Profile" button. Then click on "Edit". On the next screen you will see a place for Photo. Simply "Browse" through the photos on your computer until you find the picture you want. Click on that photo, and when it appears in your photo window, click "Keep Photo". You have now successfully changed your photo. If you have problems or need other information, email Andi Barrett at office@allsaintsmobile.org or aphill4314@comcast.net and she will be happy to assist you with it.

Have you noticed the blue tape on the floor of the chapel? The tape marks the staging area of a new play being rehearsed in the chapel. Here's an overview:

When a struggling contemporary art gallery can't pay the rent, owner Marian, aided by the ghost of her dead business partner, Mark, concocts a scheme to pass a local soccer mom's sculptures off as the work of an illiterate outsider artist from Dead Mule, Mississippi. The local art critic is taken in...but how long can the deception last?

The Centre for the Living Arts will present the premier of local playwright (and All Saints parishioner) Danielle Juzan's new comedy, *Artbruted*, in the Alabama Power Foundation Auditorium at Space 301. Performances will be May 7 and 8 at 8:00 p.m. and May 9 at 2:00 p.m. Admission is \$15. Ivan Davidson is the director. Contact information: Cindy Phillips, 208-5677, cla.phillips@cityofmobile.org.

Many thanks also to ALL those who helped make Holy Week and Easter a wonderful journey: those who made palm crosses, acolytes, ushers, altar guild, flower guild, layweebers, Parish Life, cooks, decorators, confetti-throwers, bell-ringers, musicians, singers, egg-hiders, egg-finders and cleaner-uppers! Everything was glorious. Alleluia! Christ is risen!



Aid to Inmate Mothers (AIM)

works to sustain the relationship between mothers at Tutwiler Prison and their children. AIM arranges for visitation and provides schools supplies, uniforms, and birthday and holiday gifts. AIM also hosts a monthly Story-book Program at Tutwiler Prison. Volunteers record mothers reading a children's book and then send the tape and the book to the child, giving children the sound of their mothers' voices to listen to when they are lonely. Over the course of a year, about 400 women participate in the program. For some of the children, hearing their mother's recorded voice is the only contact they have. As one mother recently wrote to AIM, "My children do not get to come see me because they are at relatives who don't care to bring them to this correctional facility. To actually be able to send them a part of me, my voice reading them a story, as well as the gift of a book and personal message is such a blessing. I thank you all for this from the bottom of my heart."

Like many non-profits, AIM is struggling in this time of economic devastation. AIM is in need of new and gently used books for infants to 12 year olds, especially those with multi-cultural illustrations or stories. Books may be left in the church office for Kate Bonnici, who will pick them up and send to AIM. Donations are tax deductible. Checks should be made out to AIM and sent to the following address: Aid to Inmate Mothers, PO Box 986, Montgomery, AL 36101-0986. Thank you for helping AIM make a difference in the lives of mothers and children.

All Saints Parish Weekend at Beckwith is coming soon!

May 1 and 2 are the dates for our annual fun, relaxing, chilling out, fun, game-playing, pool-swimming, boat-paddling, fun, food-eating, talent-showing, (did we say fun?) time together. Join us on Saturday afternoon, spend the night, or come on Sunday for the 10:30 service and picnic and playtime afterwards!

Details: (Prices remain the same as last year!)

Prices include the accommodations, dinner Saturday night, great in-house entertainment, pool, canoe, and kayak privileges, games for the children, breakfast on Sunday morning, a wonderful worship service with a view of Weeks Bay, and lunch served by our master grillers.

Adult – single occupancy in Lodge	\$115 per person
Adult – double occupancy in Lodge	\$85 per person
Child under 3 in room with parents	free
Child 3 – 5 in room with parents	\$25
Child 6 – 8 in room with parents	\$35
Child 9 – 12 in room with parents	\$45
6 th – 12 th grader in dorm	\$65



Notes:

Check-in at 1pm on Saturday, May 1st.

The Lodge rooms each have one double bed and one single bed. Sheets, pillows, and towels are provided.

For those staying in the dorms - bring a towel, sheets or sleeping bag, and a pillow.

If you are only able to come for Saturday (including supper), the prices are:

Ages 9 – Adult: \$18

Ages 3 – 8: \$14

If you plan to come for church and lunch only, you may also take advantage of the kayaks, canoes, and pool on Sunday. The prices for lunch on Sunday only are as follows:

6th grade – Adult: \$12.00

Ages 6 – 12: \$8.00

Under 6: Free

Questions? Call the church office at 438-2492 or email asstrector@allsaintsmobile.org

(See registration form on next page)

**Please return this Beckwith Registration form along with your check
made payable to All Saints, by Wednesday, April 28th.**

List the names of each person attending the whole weekend:

Adult(s) _____ single occupancy @\$115/person \$ _____

_____ double occupancy @\$85/person \$ _____

Children younger than 3 _____ \$ free

Children 3 – 5 _____ @\$25/person \$ _____

Children 6 – 8 _____ @\$35/person \$ _____

Children 9 – 12 _____ @\$45/person \$ _____

EYCers in dorm _____ @\$65/person \$ _____

If you are planning to come for Saturday only, please list names here:

Adult(s) _____ @\$18/person \$ _____

Children 9 - 18 _____ @\$18/person \$ _____

Children 3 – 8 _____ @\$14/person \$ _____

Children under 3 _____ @\$☺/person \$ free

If you are planning to come for church and lunch only, please list names here:

Adult(s) _____ @\$12/person \$ _____

Children younger than 3 _____ \$ free

Children 3 – 5 _____ \$ free

Children 6 – 12 _____ @\$8/person \$ _____

Youth 13 – 18 _____ @\$12/person \$ _____

EYC NEWS

I hope everyone enjoyed their spring break! I know the next month will be busy for everyone as we approach summer, but I hope to see as many of you as possible!

April 18. Scavenger Hunt

Meet at the church at 5 to break into teams.

We will have dinner and devotion and will finish up at about 6:45pm.

Tuesday April 20. Pre Earth Day Party

Earth Day is Thursday the 22nd. Get creative and think of some catchy Earth Day phrases. There will be several exciting crafts and dinner is provided! 6:30-8pm

April 25.

TBA....Still waiting to hear back from Taylor Park, but we will have something planned no matter what!

May 1-2. Youth Sunday @ Beckwith

Interested in being an acolyte, reader or an usher?

Get excited because it's going to be a blast!

Also, begin preparing for the TALENT SHOW!

May 7-8. Girls Overnight Retreat

We will be heading down for a night at Dauphin Island.

See Catherine for more details!

Interested in **KANUGA??** Youth Week 2010 is June 20-25.
For more information go to www.kanuga.org or see Catherine!

Verse for the Week:

“We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him; who have been called according to His purpose.” Romans 8:28

Contact Information:

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Sunday Lectionary: Third Sunday in Easter

[Acts 9:1-20](#)

[Psalm 30](#)

[Revelation 5:11-14](#)

[John 21:1-19](#)

Lay Ministers for Sunday

Altar Guild: Jeff Clearman, Martha Harris, Julie Praytor, Ellen Wingard

Flower Guild: Clayton Ryan, Diana Nichols

Breakfast: Jeff Clearman, Martha Harris, Suzanne Cleveland

Reception: Diana, Bess & Kate Nichols

8:00

Lector: Jeff Clearman

Intercessor: Melanie Petithory

Chalice bearer: Keith Winkler

Ushers: Bill & Barbara Evatt

Greeter: Renee Dillard

10:30

Lectors: 1) Rob Gray 2) Melissa Nissen

Intercessor: Hank Caddell

Chalice bearers: Michael Morrison, Foy Hannum

Acolytes: Darrel Williams, Boone Reeves, Avery Kelly, Brewer Ayres,

Liam Ayres, Rebecca Brewster

Ushers: Don Mosley, Curt Doyle, Henry Callaway, Cart Blackwell

Music for Sunday, April 18

Voluntary Johann Sebastian Bach *Christ ist Erstanden* BWV 627

Processional Hymn 182 *Truro*

Craig Phillips, *Festival Eucharist, Gloria in Excelsis Deo*

Peter Hallock *Psalm 30*

Sequence Hymn 374 *Nun danket all und bringet Ehr*

Offertory Anthem Samuel Sebastian Wesley *Blessed Be The God and Father*

Presentation Hymn 417 *Festival Canticle*

Craig Phillips *Festival Eucharist, Sanctus and Benedictus qui venit*

Craig Phillips *Festival Eucharist, Christ Our Passover*

Communion Hymn 305 *Rosedale*

Motet Healey Willan *Rise Up, My Love, My Fair One*

Post Communion Hymn 492 *Finnian*

Processional Calvin Hampton *Music For A Festival*

Pantry Items

Many thanks to those who have donated items to the Refugee Pantry.

Here are some of the items we still need: **shampoo, paper towels, laundry soap, toilet paper, hand & body lotion.** Please bring them to the church office or put them in the basket in the Ann Street narthex.

Thanks!

Please keep in your prayers:

Edgar Morrison

Gordon Jernigan

Janie Tyler

Eugene Fuquay

Carol Turner

Becky Moore

Ernestine Rogers

Shirley Roberds

Jo Dunaway

Karly Dodson

Jane Blake

Dorothy Evatt

Martha Welborn

Judy McKee

Louie Skipper

Brynn Woods

Mitch Price

Joel Danley

Celeste Taylor

Cintra Pemberton

Larry Hall

Tim Holston

Bill & Lida Bowman

Linda Irby

Laura

Serving in the military:

Spencer Abbot

Matt Abbot

Sean Paul Naylor

Joseph Willcox

Steven DeWeese

William Wesley Pollard

Daniel Robert

The policy of this church is to keep people on the prayer list for one month. After a month, they will be removed. If you want someone to be on the list longer, please call the office; the request will be updated and s/he will be kept on for another month.

Our prayers and sympathies are offered to the family of Ted Kelley, father-in-law of Tate Hall Kelley, who died last week.

Let light perpetual shine upon him.



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Return Service Requested

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All Saints 2010 Vestry

Jim Ayres
Chris Conte
Harold Dodge
Rob Gray
Renea Greene
Charlotte Hall
Martha Harris
Clark Kelly, Treasurer
Pete Mackey, Senior Warden
Matt McDonald
Susan Meztista
Michael Morrison, Junior Warden
Diana Nichols, Clerk
Jean Tucker
Darrel Williams

All Saints Committee Chairs

Acolytes: The Rev. Mary Robert
Addiction & Recovery: Becky Wilson
Adult Christian Education: The Rev. Jim Flowers
Altar Guild: Melanie Petithory
Choirs: Jeff Clearman
Communications: The Rev. Mary Robert
Community Ministries: Matt McDonald
Constitution & By Laws: Pete Mackey
Episcopal Youth (EYC): Chris & Emily Conte
Finance Committee: Clark Kelly, treasurer
Flower Guild: Katharine Flowers
Food Share: Susan Meztista, Mark Taylor, Burl Ratcliffe
Golden Circle: Laura Rutherford, Wylly Stirling
Hospitality & Events: TBA
IHN/Family Promise: Henry Brewster
Lectors & Chalice Ministers: The Rev. Mary C. Robert
Long-Range Planning: Curt Doyle
Nursery: Elizabeth Doyle, Amy Hunter, Jim Ayres
Parish Development: Clark Kelly
Property: Curt Doyle
Refugees: Martha Harris
Ushers: Bill Evatt, Louie Wood
Stewardship: Joe Basenberg, All Saints Vestry
Youth Christian Education: Renea Greene

All Saints Episcopal Church

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Service Schedule

Sundays	8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 9:00 am Breakfast 9:20 a.m. Christian Education Classes (during school year) 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
Wednesdays	12 Noon Holy Eucharist (Chapel)