



ST. DAVID'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Illumination



7:45 a.m – Holy Communion
Traditional Language.

8:00 – 9:30 a.m.– Parish Breakfast in Jeffords Hall.
(Team 1) suggested donation \$5

9:00 a.m.–Family Service with Holy Communion
Childcare is available.
Children's Chapel and contemporary music is provided by the St. David's
Basement Band.

10:15–11:00 a.m.–Sunday School hour for all ages
Childcare is available

11:15 a.m.– Holy Communion
Full choir and childcare is available.
Online and in person.

1:15 p.m. – Santa Misa en Español

[Livestream Link Here](#)

Rescheduled for this Sunday!

THE PARENTS AND CHILDREN OF
ST. DAVID'S ARE INVITED TO A

Fall Festival Celebration

FACE
PAINTING

HAY
RIDE

SMORES



APPLE
BOBBING

FOOD

GAMES

NOVEMBER 13, 2022
2:30 - 5:30

HOSTED BY KEN AND RENE HARRIS
280 HOUZE WAY
ROSWELL, GA

**St. David's is still experiencing issues
with updating the website!**

We are currently experiencing some technical issues with our website. All of the forms (prayers requests, space requests, etc) and calendar are working which is the good news!

However, it is not allowing us to update content. So please note that the office will not be able to update the Livestream link, prayer list, and bulletins on the website for this Sunday. Please use the links above for this Sunday's Online Worship.

Thank you for your grace and patience as we work with Weebly to resolve this issue.

GROW

Rector's Forum

10: 15 – 11:00 a.m.
Sundays, Grace Hall.

Join The Rev. Remington Slone for a lively group conversation on Scripture and the practice of faith and love in our lives. 10:15 - 11:00 a.m. in Grace Hall. All are welcome to join the conversation!

The Village Small Group

10:15 - 11:00 a.m.
Sundays, St. Gabriel Room
Childcare is available.

The Village is a co-ed small group for parents where we gather together to support each other and grow through fellowship, camaraderie, and study. We hope you will join us!

Fall Book Study

"Inspired by Rachel Held Evans
10:15 - 11:00 a.m.
Sundays, Jeffords Hall

To learn more about this offering, [please click here](#). Everyone is welcome to join the discussion, even if they have not read the book!

If you would like to join via Zoom, [click here](#).

Conversations in Christ

10:15 - 11:00 a.m.
Sundays, Bethany

All are welcome. This offering is open to all and there is no required reading. We hope you will join us!

Shining A Brighter Light



Annual Giving Update

As of Wednesday, Oct. 9, pledges totaling **\$609,516 have been received which is 41% of our goal of \$1,500,000**. Our Annual Giving Campaign is off to an excellent start with 106 households having pledged their support for 2023. For those that have completed their pledge, your clergy, vestry, and stewardship committee thank you for your financial support.

For those who have not yet made their pledge, we ask you to prayerfully consider making a financial commitment. Everything we do as a St. David's faith community is funded by your pledges. With your support, we will shine a brighter light inside our parish and out in the communities we serve.

[Pledge Online Here](#)

Announcements

Vestry Elections

Sunday, November 20 and
Sunday, November 27

The Junior Class of the vestry has been working hard to gather nominations for the upcoming vestry elections. We will announce the candidates in next week's Illumination. We are thankful for those nominees who have prayerfully considered this call to service and answered yes.

Elections will be held in person and online. In-person voting will be held during all services, Sunday, November 20, and Sunday, November 27, in the church hallway. The link to the online voting form will be included in next's week's Illumination.

Those eligible to vote in the Parish (hereinafter also referred to the Eligible Voting Members) shall be all confirmed communicants in good standing of the Parish, not less than sixteen (16) years of age, who have been faithful in corporate worship, unless for good cause prevented and who have within the past twelve (12) months regularly contributed to the financial support of the Parish, whether personally or as a family member.

If you would like to see if you are eligible, click on the button below.

[Eligible Voting Members List](#)



Annual Meeting

Sunday, December 4
12:15 p.m., Jeffords Hall

[To join via Zoom, click here.](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. David's Outdoor Ministry

Blood Mountain Hike
Saturday, November 12



This hike is a moderate hike that will start at the Lake Winfield Scott camping area. We will hike the Slaughter Creek Trail to the Blood Mountain historic AT (Appalachian Trail) shelter where we will enjoy our snack/lunch. This hike is approximately 6 miles. Carpool available. Please email mdelucciaveal@comcast.net if you are interested or have questions.

Advent Wreath Making

Sunday, November 27
10:15 - 11:00 a.m.
Jeffords Hall

St. David's Family Ministry invites you to an intergenerational, parish-wide Advent wreath making!

Celebrate the beginning of a new church year, learn a little more about Advent, and join in fellowship! We will have wreaths,

greenery, and candle supplies.

Questions? Please [email Judy Hine](#),
Director of Children's Ministries.



Senior Santa Luncheon

Tuesday, December 6
11:30 a.m., Jeffords Hall



All Seniors are invited by Fr. Remington to an Advent luncheon! To RSVP, email [Jere Stokely](#) here, or call the church office at 770-993-1094, ext. 125.

We look forward to having you join us!



Honoring loss and embracing hope.

Wednesday, December 6
6:30 p.m., Nave

Christmas isn't always the "most wonderful time of the year. For those who have experienced loss, this time of year can be especially hard. Please join us for a service that honors the loss and grief that many of us feel during the holidays. We will pray together, sing together, and gather to share the Eucharist with the saints who have gone before us. This service will be followed by a light reception in Grace Hall. If someone you know is struggling with loss this season, please feel free to invite them. All are welcome.

If you have questions, please [email Michelle](#).

St. David's Divorce Support Group

January 22, 2023
4:30 p.m., St. Gabriel Room

St. David's Divorce Support Group
By Marilyn Hedrick

Last January, St. David's organized and formed a Divorce Support Group. The idea for this group sprang into my mind at the Women's Retreat. After talking to Remington, I started planning while he found me the resource I needed: The Rebuilding Workbook. The first session was held on Sunday, February 20th at the church and continued through May 22nd. Over refreshments, we discussed such topics as loneliness, grief, anger, self-worth, forgiveness, \ and intimacy. The six members' situations were all different, but each wanted to rise above the trauma to a new life where relationships to others and God were healthier.

Here are some testimonies from members of the group.

"The new divorce group at St. David's was a lifeline in a dark and difficult time in my life. To be with other church members going through similar experiences helped me feel less alone and to have it led by Marilyn, who was already on the other side, gave me hope and assurance. This group made the church an actual help in a hard time."

"The divorce group was something I looked forward to each week. Even more than a year post-divorce, I found this community of women such a beautiful, welcoming, uplifting, and safe space in which to confront old hurts, share common experiences, and build connections. These women helped me take the next steps in healing and reminded me of the love and laughter God surrounds us with exactly when we need it."

Once the course itself concluded, this group decided to stay together, forming a "Covenant Group" We ask that you pray for their continued growth and happiness. Having been divorced for 35 years myself, I learned so much, grew, and experienced forgiveness of myself and my former husband not even realizing that I was still hanging on to some old hurts.

Thankfully, Marilyn Hedrick

If you are interested in being a part of a divorce group in 2023, please contact marilynhedrick@gmail.com. Our first informational meeting will be Sunday, January 22, 4:30 p.m., in the St. Gabriel Room.

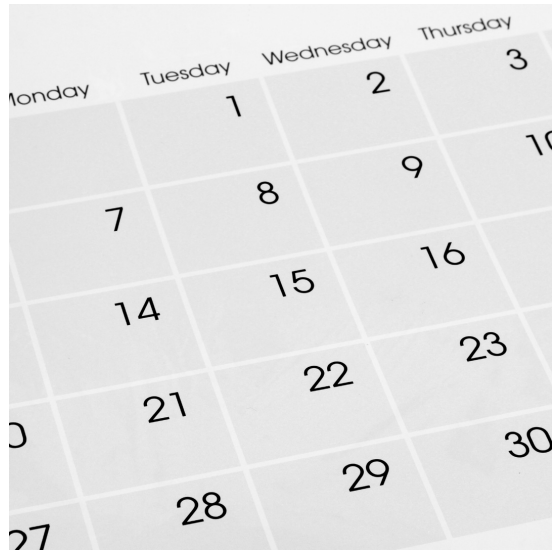


St. David's Vogel State Park
Parish Picnic
Saturday, April 22, 2023
and
Weekend Adventure
April 21-23, 2023

St. David's Outdoors Ministry is planning a Church-wide Parish Picnic at Vogel State Park! We have reserved a picnic shelter and are busy planning a day of fun activities including lawn games, hiking, and a cookout. Other activities will include swimming,

fishing, paddling, walking, hiking, waterfall viewing, visiting Civilian Conservation Corps Museum, or just being outdoors with fellow parishioners. Please mark your calendars now! We will update the parish with the exact schedule of events as we get closer to the date.

If you would like to join in those who are planning to make this a weekend adventure, camping or cabin rentals are available. Please visit the Vogel State Park website to make your camping or cabin reservations and to become familiar with the park. We suggest making overnight reservations sooner than later! Please email Mary Veal at mdelucciaveal@comcast.net if you are interested or have questions!



[Click here for St. David's Full Calendar!](#)



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