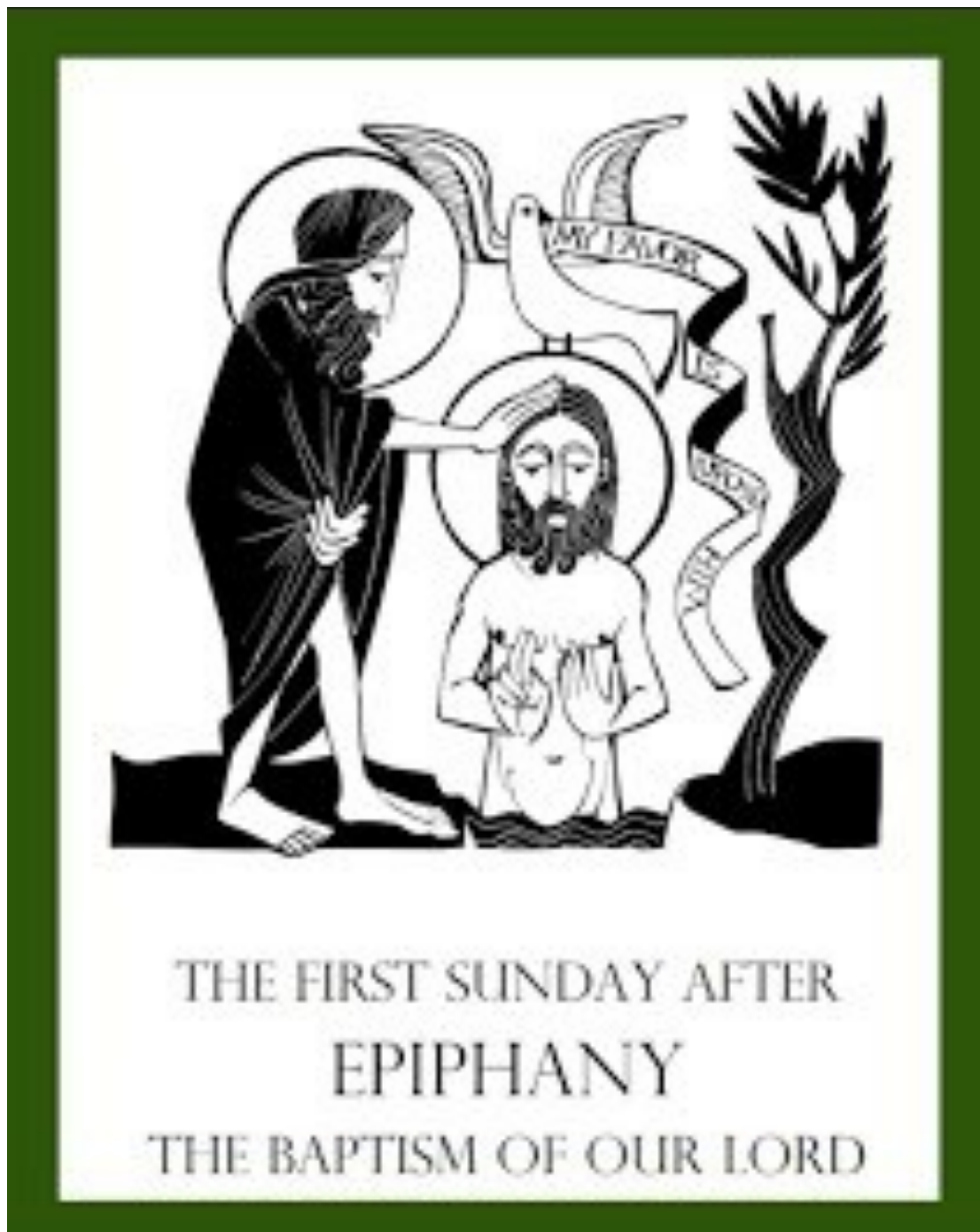




Good Shepherd Episcopal Church

Weekly Highlights

January 9, 2026



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Christian Education

Wednesday- Lectionary Bible Study

We will resume meeting on Wednesdays at 1:00pm in the Library on December 31, 2025.
This group works through the appointed readings for the following Sunday. Please contact Fr. Bill for more info.

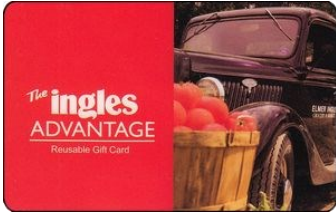


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Parish Life and Church Community

End of Year Ministry Reports- Attention all Ministry Heads!!!

Please, submit your **End-Of-Year Report** to the church office by **Monday, January 12, 2026**. We need your report for inclusion of the annual parish report. Thank you for your timely submission!



Ingles Cards— We sell Ingles Cards as a fundraiser. Church Outreach receives \$5.00 for every \$100 purchase. Our goal is to return to the impact the program achieved prior to the virus. Ingles cards are nice gifts for those who faithfully serve you through the year. Cards are available in \$100 & \$50 increments.

Vestry News

Voting for new vestry members will take place after each service **January 11th & 18th**. Please see details in today's bulletin for voter eligibility as well as the Absentee Voting process. If you are unsure of your membership status or have other questions, please talk with Fr. Bill or Senior Warden, David Gribble.

Absentee Ballots- Requests for absentee ballots for new vestry member voting must be made to the church office **by 5:00 PM Friday, December 19**. **Absentee ballots must be received at the church by 1:00 PM Sunday, January 18, 2026 to be counted.** You may send your ballot back via US Mail or hand deliver it. Either way, we must have your ballot **by 1:00 PM on Sunday, January 18, 2026** for your vote to be counted.





Parish Annual Meeting

Our Parish Annual Meeting is
Sunday, January 25, 2026.

We will have 1 service at 10:00 am.

Rite I Holy Eucharist with a brunch and the
Annual Meeting to follow.

All are invited to bring a brunch item to share.

The Vestry will provide ham & biscuits.

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Deadline for Sunday Bulletin Announcements and Weekly Highlights -

No later than Wednesday of each week at noon.

January Newsletter -

No later than Thursday, January 15th, at noon.

Service

Matt's Ministry – Contact Joe Rybicki

Meal Ministry – Contact Kathy Wright

Medical Loan Closet – Contact Helga Reaves

The Order of St. George – Contact Turner Guidry at 828-361-0497

Brotherhood of the Fire – Contact Turner Guidry at 828-361-0497

Meals For Friends – Contact Aline Conley at 504-214-1909

Drivers on **January 13, 2026** are:

Town: Linda Milt
City: Aline Conley
Tusquittee: David & Teresa Gribble



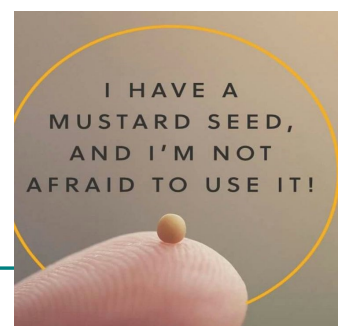
In Our Prayers

Those in Need of Comfort and Healing-

Pat and Joy Fox, Denise Fox, Pat Halloran, Chosh Dacey, Linda Wingo, Pat Hicks, BJ and Bob Schweikert, Bev Larson, Chris Mulholland, Patti and Chuck Underwood, Ed and Sue Kelley, Jeanne Harper, Nora and Richard Broszeit, Ann Wolf, Philip Bannister, Frank Burdo, Teresa and David Gribble, Cooper Godfrey, OV Lewis, Adelaide Fullilove, Shane Douylliez, Janice Lemaire, Anne Hourdequin, Mere Samsil, Jay Miller, Randy Emberg, Bob Wilkerson, Gail Rose, Jacob Halfon, Matt and Jennifer Cramer, Don Roman, Eileen Adams, Lynne and Mark Walter, Kenny and Stacy Waldroup, Sally Conaway, Kim Brabon, Jack Hungerford, Lynne Blanks, Steven Harper, Pat and Candi List, Carolyn Cline-Griffiths, Chris Stringer

Good Shepherd Ministries –

This week we pray for *The Meals for Friends Ministry* at Good Shepherd.



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Those Who Serve



Sunday, January 11, 2026

Those Who Serve

9:00am:

EMs: Kathy Wright, Deanna DuBose; **Lector:** Kathy Rarey;

Intercessor: Michael Wright; **Usher:** Kanute Rarey; **Altar Guild:** Beth Hitchcock;

VPOD: Pam Roman; **Ingles cards:** Dave Field

11:00 am:

EMs: Janet Beall, Jane Boritz; **Lector:** Jerry Taylor;

Intercessor: Rachel Baughn; **Usher:** David Gribble;

Altar Guild: Georgia Bethel, Carolyn Cline-Griffiths, Tawanna Dutton;

Altar Linens: Carolyn Cline-Griffiths; **Nursery:** Jean Gora, Kathy Marcel;

VPOD: Jeff King; **Ingles cards:** Jan Freeman; **Videographer:** Mike Gora;

Greeter: Harry Baughn

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

Leader: Carole Stringer

Prayer Minister: Mike Stringer

Wednesday, January 14, 2026

Altar Guild: Kathy Marcel



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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday

January 12

9:00 am	Exercise Class
10:00 am	Women Walking, Women Talking @ Chatuge Dam
10:00 am	Library Maintenance
10:45 am	Tai Chi (Parish Hall)
11:00 am	Private Group (Undercroft)

Tuesday

January 13

10:00 am	Chair Yoga (Parish Hall)
5:00 pm	Soaking Prayer
6:00 pm	BOTF

Wednesday

January 14

9:00 am	Exercise Class
11:00 am	Moving Meditation (Parish Hall)
11:30 am	Private Group (Undercroft)
12:00 pm	Holy Eucharist
1:00 pm	Lectionary Bible Study

Thursday

January 15

6:45 am	Order of St. George (Parish Hall)
10:00 am	Chair Yoga (Parish Hall)
6:30 pm	Choir Practice

Friday

January 16

9:00 am	<i>Parish Office Closed</i>
	Exercise Class

Saturday

January 17

No Scheduled Events

Sunday

January 18

***Second Sunday after the Epiphany
Vestry Voting!***

9:00 am	Holy Eucharist (I)
11:00 am	Holy Eucharist (II)
12:00 pm	Lunch & Cursillo (Parish Hall)
12:00 pm	EM & EV Meeting



Dear God:

Enlighten what's dark in me....

Strengthen what's weak in me....

Mend what's broken in me....

Bind what's bruised in me....

Heal what's sick in me....

and lastly,

Revive whatever peace and love
has died in me....



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