

# THE ROCK Weekly

## This Sunday at St. Richard's

January 12, 2024

- 8:00 am Holy Communion, Rite I, Nave  
(Nursery/Toddler Atrium available starting at 7:45 am)
- 9:15 am Christian Formation, all ages
- 10:30 am Holy Communion, Rite II, Nave (also livestreamed on YouTube)
- 5:00 pm Youth Group, all ages (Parish Hall)
- A Musical Feast Concert Series (Nave): **Not Past 11 big band jazz**

## Annual Stewardship



### Stewardship is Discipleship 2025 Annual Stewardship Campaign

Stewardship isn't just about how much money we give to the church; it's about how we follow Jesus in all that we do. Being faithful stewards of our resources means being faithful disciples of Jesus. Consider how to follow Jesus more fully in 2025 as you pray about your commitment to St. Richard's in the year ahead.

## Upcoming Parish-wide Events

January 19<sup>th</sup> – Sunday Brunch & Annual Meeting (after 10:30 service)

## Sundays at St. Richard's



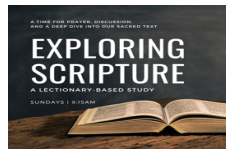
### Deacon's Bible Study 9:15 in Parish Hall with Rev. Jerry

Join us as we continue our exploration of the minor prophets each week.

### Exploring Scripture Class Sundays

#### 9:15 in Parish Hall with Karen Burnup

Join adults of all ages as we gather to hear, mark, learn, and inwardly digest the great big over-arching story of the Bible delivered weekly through our lectionary-based study.



## Adult Education

### Brotherhood of St. Andrew

#### Saturdays at 9 in Ridley Room

For more information, contact Curt Young, [1948.young.1@gmail.com](mailto:1948.young.1@gmail.com).

### Daughters of the King

#### January 12<sup>th</sup> in Parish Hall Meeting Room after 10:30 service

For more information, contact Helen Paulsen, [paulsenh779@gmail.com](mailto:paulsenh779@gmail.com)

### Women's Group

#### Mondays at 7pm on Zoom

For more information, contact Alice McDow 512-689-8547 or [alice.mcdow@gmail.com](mailto:alice.mcdow@gmail.com)

### Women's Morning Bible Study

#### Wednesdays at 10 am in Parish Hall

For more information, please contact Alice McDow.

## Youth Group

Sunday school meets for all ages at 9:15 in the Youth Room, and high school youth meet on Sunday evening from 5-7pm. Middle school youth meet on Wednesday evening from 6-7:30pm. Go online to <https://saintrichards.org/youth-ministry/> for more information about the happenings in our youth group! \*\*To stay on top of ALL Saint Richard's Youth Ministry, text just the word 'Join' to 512.812.7442.

## Children's Formation



### St Richard's Kids

Please prayerfully consider donating some time to our Children's Christian Education. Help our Children's classes by volunteering as the assistant once a month or twice from January to May. We need 2 adults for each class – the leader and an assistant. Role of the assistant needs no preparation at all. **Thanks to those that signed up so far! We still have some spots left to fill for the 9:15 class. Classes resume today**

**Upper Level, grades 2-5**, will meet 9:15 to 10:15.

**Beginning Level, ages 3 ½ through 6**, will meet 10:15 to around 11 (Children will join their parents at the Peace.) Please contact Diane DuTeil to sign up to help or if you have any questions. [Dianeduteil77@gmail.com](mailto:Dianeduteil77@gmail.com) or 512-791-3017

## Music Ministry



### Come make music with Us!

As the music ministry prepares for the new year, we'd love to get more folks involved in this integral aspect of worship! We practice Wednesday evenings -- **bell choir** in the music room from 6-7:15 pm (we have room for as many as 7 new ringers, and you don't have to know how to read music!), and the **choir** in the Nave from 7:30-9 pm (we welcome all voiceparts!). Contact Sara Burden-McClure for more information at [sara@saintrichards.org](mailto:sara@saintrichards.org)!

## St. Richard's Episcopal School

**Mark your calendars for the following events for the preschool... and don't forget to bring your friends and family!!**

**4/25/2025- Annual School Auction and Dinner:** Delicious Dinner, Drink Tickets, Silent Auction items by Local Vendors, Custom student-made live auction items! Tickets go on sale March 2025!

Please join us at these events where you can make fun memories with your nearest and dearest, knowing all proceeds will help support our program. For more information, contact our Preschool office at 512-248-1789 or [preschool@saintrichards.org](mailto:preschool@saintrichards.org) or check out our website at: [www.strichardspreschool.org](http://www.strichardspreschool.org)

## Event Information

### A Musical Feast Concert Series - TODAY!

**Not Past 11** swings into town today at 5 pm, and this show is fun for all ages! This 18-piece big band offers contemporary jazz, funk, rock and more, guaranteed to get you dancing in the aisles! It's free, though donations for the band will be gratefully accepted at the door (\$10 suggested). Be sure to bring friends and neighbors! And as you make your New Year's resolutions, be sure to reserve second Sundays at 5 pm for some great concert experiences!



### Monthly Men's BBQ Fellowship

On **January 30<sup>th</sup>** come enjoy delicious food and get to know other men in our community! Bring a steak or something for the grill and we'll take care of the rest. At **6pm** in the Geraci home: 3604 Penwood Cv., Round Rock, Texas 78664. To receive event updates or questions, text BBQ to 512.812.7442.

For more information about our classes, ministries, and upcoming events, please visit [www.saintrichards.org](http://www.saintrichards.org).

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## **St. Richard's Night at the Texas Stars Hockey in Cedar Park**

**Saturday, Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>**

All families, friends and youth are invited! More information and the registration link is located in our Friday Church eblast. You can also email Spencer at [sstocker@saintrichards.org](mailto:sstocker@saintrichards.org) for more information.

## **Trinity Yoga Small Group**

Join Robin Mueller and friends every week for yoga and guided meditation. Practices will focus on lengthening, toning and strengthening muscles for better health and mobility. Meditations are grounded in our relationship with Jesus and will help us live our best lives in the here and now.

**Practices are held weekly in the Parish Hall meeting rooms:**

**Wednesdays 1:00-2:00** - chair yoga for all ages. Chairs are provided

**Thursdays 5:30-6:30** - Yoga flow for yogis with some experience. Bring a mat and blocks if you use them.

If you have questions, contact Robin at 512-497-7220 or [robinr.mueller@hotmail.com](mailto:robinr.mueller@hotmail.com)

## **Confirmation**

**Interested in Confirmation or want to be Confirmed?**

Our Bishop's visit is Feb. 23rd during the 10:30AM Eucharist Service.

- Adult Classes with our Interim Rev. Merrill Wade be held in the Ridley Room (next to the Choir Room) on February 2, 9 & 16 at 9:15AM

- Youth Classes for 8-12th Graders will be held on January 12 & 26 and February 2 & 16 in the Parish Hall Classroom.

Email Spencer at [sstocker@saintrichards.org](mailto:sstocker@saintrichards.org) for more information

## **Nursery workers needed!**

We are in need of additional hired staff for our nursery. Hours are 7:45am to 12:15pm on Sundays, with other hours available seasonally. For more information, please contact Jen via email at [jennifer.winborn@saintrichards.org](mailto:jennifer.winborn@saintrichards.org).

## **Outreach Opportunities**

### **Quilts of Valor**

The next St. Richard's Chapter of Quilts of Valor meeting is **January 20th**. The Quilts of Valor Ministry is looking for veterans who have served in the US Armed Forces to honor with quilts. If you or someone you know would like to receive one, please reach out. There is no cost. Nominating a veteran is easy. All you need is their name, branch of service, rank, years served and any kind of commendations or medals received. Additionally, we would need their contact number/email so that we can reach out to them directly. *It is essential that we speak with them.* Our group typically meets the first and third Monday of the month from 9:30 to 1:30 in the Parish Hall. If you would like to come sew with us, we'd love to have you. You will need a sewing machine in working order and any supplies that you like. We have plenty of fabric, some quilt kits and patterns. For more information, please contact Roberta at [hastingsroberta@aol.com](mailto:hastingsroberta@aol.com).

### **Prayer Shawl Group**

The Prayer Shawl group is taking a break for the holidays. The next meeting will be held on **January 16<sup>th</sup>** in the youth room. Any knitters or crocheters interested in joining can contact Bea DeMarquis for more information.

[beatricedemarquis@yahoo.com](mailto:beatricedemarquis@yahoo.com)

## **Community of Care**

Community of Care's mission is to minister to those that are unable to leave their homes. To add a loved one to their visitation list, please contact Aline Murphy ([alimurphy@suddenlink.net](mailto:alimurphy@suddenlink.net)) or Rev. Jerry Lyle ([jlyle25468@gmail.com](mailto:jlyle25468@gmail.com)).

## **Volunteer Opportunities at Round Rock Serving Center**



All adults and youth are encouraged to participate in this very meaningful volunteer effort. No need to sign up to participate, just show up at 9:30 am in the lobby of the Serving Center. Volunteers, please park next door in the Head Start parking lot and not at the Serving Center or Nursing Facility. For questions, please contact Kate Monteiro, [katharine.lukas@gmail.com](mailto:katharine.lukas@gmail.com),

## **2025 RRASC Parish Workdays.**

Dates to be announced soon!

## **RRASC Food Donation Bins**

The RRASC Food Shelf is always looking for more pantry staples, canned goods, and baby supplies. You don't even have to drive there, just drop them off in our collection bin in the entryway. Thank you for giving back to our wonderful community!

Questions? Email Kate Monteiro ([katharine.lukas@gmail.com](mailto:katharine.lukas@gmail.com))



Do you have anything you'd love to give a family in need? Consider the Round Rock Area Serving Center for your gently used furniture, clothing and home goods. For large volumes, they can schedule a pick-up!

## **Connect With Us!**

Website: [www.saintrichards.org](http://www.saintrichards.org)  
Instagram: @saintrichardschurch  
Facebook: [saintrichardsepisopalchurch](https://www.facebook.com/saintrichardsepisopalchurch)  
YouTube: St. Richard's Live  
Podcast: Day by Day with St. Richard's, available on all major platforms

## **Upcoming Office Closures**

January 20<sup>th</sup>

### **Please keep these parishioners, family members and friends in your prayers:**

Curtis Young, Alice Jones, Kent Brennehan, Margaret Holloway, Eva Chambles, Avis Reid, Henry Burden, Andy Meyer, Marjorie Meyer, Sue Likon, Nichalus Mourer, Hans Mueller, Ellie Whitson, Kate Beebe, Bob & Christina Griffin, Joyce Quitter, Gibby Dean, LaNan Saxon, Mary Powell, Marta Arana, Roger Hayes, Jesse Corona, Robert Hoehn, Dolores Thurman, the Sefarik family, Earma Underwood, Lynne Cooper, Pat Lyle, Shana Cheirse, Dani, Sue McLean, Anthony, Darlene Farris, Amy Burt, James Petty, Nancy Locklear, Evey & family, Ashley, Emily Cole, Sophie Ivey, Aubrie Wade, Scott Windham, Devin Windham, Kara Kastamo, Christie & Nick, and those impacted by violence in the Holy Land and conflict around the world.

**We pray for those who celebrate their birthdays this week:** Renae Jenkins, Kelley Riggs, Ridgely Chapman, Kathryn Shumate, Erin Barrett, Devin Magill, Erma Aleong, Mary Wright, Brooklyn Mercado, Charlotte Grandstaff, Gina Gunn

**Please contact the church office, (512) 255-5436, if you or a loved one needs to be added to or removed from our prayer list.** You may also email Jen Winborn

([jennifer.winborn@saintrichards.org](mailto:jennifer.winborn@saintrichards.org)) or fill out an online prayer request through our website.

*\*Please note that we will be removing names from the prayer list after 4 weeks, unless otherwise notified*