

January 23, 2020

St. Mary's MESSENGER

This Week: Jan 20-25

<u>Tues</u> 7:00 PM AA

Wednesday
12:00 Noon
Holy Eucharist II

Thursday 7:00 PM AA

> Next Week: Jan 27-Feb 1

Tuesday
11:00 Morning
Prayer

7:00 AA

Wednesday
12:00 Noon
Holy Eucharist II

Thursday 7:00 PM AA

This Sunday Jan. 26, 2020

Isaiah 9:1-4 Psalm 27:1, 5-13 1 Cor. 1:10-18

From Your Priest:



"The Power of a Call"

Matthew 4:12-23

We've all gotten an important call from time to time. Before cell phones, even before telephones, a spoken call or message was much less frequent and, perhaps, had more impact. Still, we remember those

calls: that which changed our lives. We hear about the archetypal call from Jesus to the first disciples—an unlikely pair of brothers to put it mildly. They were certainly lacking in any experience for the life that lay ahead of them, and not exactly temperamentally suited either. Who would have though it? Jesus simply called them, saying "Follow me." Their decision to follow him is inexplicable outside of the power of God to change lives. Each of us has a call from God to follow him. Following that call will take us all sorts of interesting places.

Mid-Week Holy Eucharist

Rev. Bill has resumed Wednesdays at NOON. At the mid-week Eucharist, he preaches on the "Holy Women, Holy Men" calendar. Hope to see you there!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us for Morning Prayer on Tuesdays at



Matthew 4:12-23

Celebrants:

Rev. William Fowler

Lay Reader:

Bill Adams

Acolyte

Tulisha Wendele

Altar Guild:

Judy L/Jo W

Ushers:

Judy L/Jo W.

Vestry person:

Bill Adams

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The Lectionary



11:00 AM in Hirst House.

ANNUAL MEETING

We will not have breakfast this Sunday, Jan. 26th between services, but please join us for lunch and our annual meeting following the 10:00 AM Service.

Ladies Bible Study

"All Things New: A Study of 2 Corinthians"
led by D'Anne Willis
Tuesdays, January 14 – March 3
OR
Thursdays, January 16 – March 5
10:00 AM
504. S. Arnold St.
Workbooks: \$16.00
Contact Martha Casbeer for more info:
tomandmarthacasbeer@gmail.com or (512) 556-8388

Openings for Altar flowers are available for 2020!

Come check the schedule in the office.

THINK ON THIS:



"You may not be in an <u>ideal</u> situation but you have an <u>ideal</u> God." -Dr. Tony Evans

"For He will conceal me in His shelter in the day of adversity; He will hide me under the cover of His

tent; He will set me high upon a rock." Psalm 27:5



Bow the Knee

"Trust the heart of your Father when the answer goes beyond what you can see...in the presence of your King, bow the knee." -Chris Machen

Prayer List:

Larry & Becky Hart, Roz & J.M. Finley, Wilder Brown, Anne Brown, Jim Richardson, Jim & Pat Anderson, Jerry Richardson, Katherine Mezger, The Family of Jean Sargent, Buck, Alex, Randy, Debbie, Jack, John, Buddy & Rebecca.

All bishops and ministers and those in authority in government as we start a new year.

"The God of angel armies is always by my side."

- Chris Tomlin, "Whom Shall I Fear."
- "May the Lord answer you in a day of trouble; may the name of Jacob's God protect you."
 - Psalm 20:1

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