

## HEAVENLY REST ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are glad you have joined us this morning. If you are new or visiting with us, we invite you to receive a visitors gift bag during announcements and complete the attached card, or sign the guest register at the entrance to the church.

Completed cards may be placed in the alms basin during the Offertory or given to a member of the clergy after the service.

### COMMUNITY LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Response to Coronavirus Concern-** In response to concerns about the spread of COVID-19 (Coronavirus) and the flu, we want to alleviate any fears or anxieties you may have and encourage you to continue participating in the life of this community as much as possible. If you are not feeling well, please stay home and let the church office know, so we can hold you in prayer. If you are concerned about participating in the Eucharist, you may feel free to receive Communion “in one kind” (host only). Use of the common cup with proper purificator procedure presents relatively low risk, but intinction should be avoided, if possible. When passing the Peace, waving, bowing, or “elbow bumping” are perfectly acceptable ways to greet one another if you prefer to avoid shaking hands or hugging. Finally, please pray for those who are sick or otherwise affected by these illnesses. Visit [heavenlyrestabilene.org](http://heavenlyrestabilene.org) to read a statement from the Diocese of Northwest Texas about the Coronavirus. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact David Romanik.

**New Book Study-** Starting this week, Dr. Doug Thomas will lead a book study during the Sunday school hour on James K. A. Smith’s book, *You Are What You Love: The Spiritual Power of Habit*. The class will discuss Dr. Smith’s challenging suggestions about ways we can cultivate our love for God, His Church, and His work. The class will meet each Sunday, beginning March 8 at 9:15 a.m. in the library. Books are available for purchase in the church office for \$14 each.

**BOBS Volunteers Needed-** Breakfast on Beach Street (BOBS) is recruiting volunteers. Four area churches host an early morning meal for working men and women, families and senior citizens, as well as homeless and disabled individuals. Volunteers are assigned to a team to work 10 times a year. BOBS meets from 5:30am- 7:30am at the First Christian Church. If you would like to volunteer please contact Jody DePriest at (325)-669-3312, [jody.depriest@gmail.com](mailto:jody.depriest@gmail.com).

**Lenten Season-** As you consider the ways that you will observe this season of penitence and renewal, we hope you will take advantage of these weekly opportunities at Heavenly Rest: **Morning Prayer in the Chapel** - Weekday mornings at 8:30 a.m., **Sacrament of Reconciliation** - Thursdays from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. or by appointment, **“The Way of Love”: Spiritual Practices for a Jesus-Centered Life** - Wednesdays evenings at 6:30 p.m. You might also bring home one of the blue United Thank Offering “mite boxes.” Place whatever money you are saving from your Lenten discipline in the box, and that money will go to supporting God’s mission in the world. **The United Thank Offering Ingathering will take place on Sunday, April 26.**

**The Way of Love-** Join us this Wednesday night as we continue our series on The Way of Love. Sarah Dannemiller will be speaking to us on the next practice, LEARN. Join us for supper at 6:00 p.m. with the presentation to follow. There will be no children’s programming.

**Life Line Screening Event-** Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at Church of the Heavenly Rest on March 28. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149. All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle) or text the word circle to 797979.

## PRAYERS

### THANKSGIVINGS

**For those celebrating birthdays:** Katlyn Denee’ Moore, Jeff Terrell, Susan Williams, Letha Morris, Eleanor Rockett, Harry Hurt, Robert McDaniel, Dian Stai, Janet Casey, Cash Cockerell, Lisa Goolsby, Charles Hurlbut, Linda Pinkston, Fikiri Wiba

### INTERCESSIONS

Amy, Traci Noah Abbe, Joann Adcock, Jay Alba, Iris Andrews, JB & Robbie Ashley, Jean Bell, Connie Boyd, Tom Boyd, Dennis Brewster, Ed Brink, Carissa Boggess, Idoma Bush, Casey Family, Sam Cutbirth, Robert Curtis, Debra, Margaret Delay, Jim Dusckas, Debbie Dunn, Jamie Dunn, Elliott Dyer, Nancy Estes, Michelle Fernung, Karen French, Glen Funkey, Pat Garren, Joe Garvey, Wes Gomer, Jack Green, Stacy Hammack, Tommy Don Hash, Caryn Hayes, Glen Heard, Anna Henderson, Tim Henson, John Henry, Jennifer Hulsey, Sam Hulsey, Gay Humber, Joseph, Gail Kaiser, Ed Kinser, Merlene Mansell Lash, Barbara Lingle, Gabriella LoPresti, BJ Madrid, Kenneth Majkut, Connie McGuire, Sheila Mophew, Linda Neill, Wallis Ohl, Michelle Olmsted, Paula Palmer, Linda Pinkston, Lloyd Presswood, Mary Pritchett, Lorelei Lantz-Profit, Sharon Rathbun, Allen & Judy Reed, Trent Sandiford, Charles Scarborough, Lisa Reynolds Sharp, Mike Simpson, Susan Sonntag, Kristen Staples, Debbie Stewart, Steve Strain, Chas. Lynn Taylor, Gayle Taylor, Bette Thompson, Kathryn Townsend, Jan Ulrich, Linda Vine, Peter Vranderic, Gery Walters, Leslie Williams, Buffy Wilson, Claudine Wilson, Virginia Wright

**For deployed military and first responders:** Sam Choate, Michael Paisley

**For the recently departed:** Michelle Rowley, Elvira Sims

# CALENDAR

## Sunday, March 8 (NO SUNDAY SCHOOL)

8:00 AM\* Holy Eucharist - Rite I  
 9:15 AM\* Book Study - Library  
 10:30 AM\* Holy Eucharist - Rite II  
 1:00 PM\* Morning Prayer in Swahili

## Monday, March 9

5:30 AM Breakfast On Beech Street  
 8:30 AM Morning Prayer  
 6:00 PM EFM Meeting  
 6:30 PM Cub Scouts

## Tuesday, March 10

8:30 AM Morning Prayer  
 9:30 AM Hands On Outreach  
 10:00 AM Staff Meeting  
 2:00 PM Deacon's Book Study  
 4:00 PM Contemplative Prayer  
 4:30 PM Finance Meeting  
 5:15 PM Vestry Meeting  
 7:00 PM Boy Scouts  
 8:00 PM Unity Group AA

## Wednesday, March 11

8:10 AM Chapel at St. John's Episcopal School  
 8:30 AM Morning Prayer  
 9:30 AM Hands On Outreach  
 1:00 PM Vivienne Hurt Memorial Service  
 5:30 PM Holy Eucharist Healing Service  
 6:00 PM Wednesday Night Supper  
 6:30 PM Wednesday Programming - The Way of Love  
 7:30 PM Parish Choir Rehearsal

## Thursday, March 12

8:30 AM Morning Prayer  
 9:30 AM Hands On Outreach  
 9:30 AM Thursday Morning Bible Study  
 12:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation  
 1:00 PM NMF Leadership Meeting  
 6:30 PM Bagpipes  
 8:00 PM Unity Group AA

## Friday, March 13

8:30 AM Morning Prayer

## Sunday, March 15

8:00 AM\* Holy Eucharist - Rite I  
 9:00 AM\* New Member Formation - Gerhart Hall  
 9:15 AM\* Rediscovering the Liturgy - Bishop Garrett  
 9:15 AM\* Book Study - Library  
 9:15 AM\* Rediscovering the Old Testament - Gen Von Ende  
 9:15 AM\* Children's Sunday School  
 10:30 AM\* Holy Eucharist - Rite II  
 1:00 PM\* Morning Prayer in Swahili  
 2:15 PM\* Swahili Sunday School  
 5:00 PM Vespers

\* Nursery care is provided for 5-years-old and under.

# MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

*8:00 in the morning*

*Preacher* The Rev. Amanda Watson, *Assisting Priest*  
*Celebrant* The Rev. David F. Romanik, *Rector*  
*Lay Ministers* Dora Weathers, Don Bridges  
*Oblations* Steve & Rosemary Suttle  
*Sound* Annabel House  
*Harpist* Barbradon Brooks  
*Ushers* Donald McDonald, Bud Ramsey  
*Greeters* Suzie Ramsey

*10:30 in the morning*

*Preacher* The Rev. Amanda Watson, *Assisting Priest*  
*Celebrant* The Rev. Dr. Doug Thomas, *Assisting Priest*  
*Assistant* The Rev. David F. Romanik, *Rector*  
*Deacon* The Rev. Karen Boyd, *Deacon*  
*Lay Ministers* Zacha Young, Tom Choate, Russell Dickerson  
*Oblations* John & Lori Walton  
*Sound* Charles Scarborough  
*Pianist* Mark Puckett  
*Verger* Nolan Kelley  
*Acolytes* Rachel Anderson, Michael Scarborough,  
 Emily Procopio, Naomi Cecilio,  
 Katheryn Anderson, Kolby Anderson,  
 Brody Anderson  
*Ushers* Scott Bishop, Rick Willis, Jim Fitzhugh,  
 Chuck Hurlbut  
*Greeters* Linda Goolsbee, Diane Hunt  
*Altar Guild* Kathy Balch, Dixie Bassett, Cindy McCarty,  
 Suzie Ramsey, Susan Williams, Jeannie Young



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