

CUTHBERT CONNECTIONS

Building the Kingdom of God—Together!

Come experience the transforming power and accepting love of Jesus Christ.

WELCOME

Welcome to St. Cuthbert! We are glad you are here to worship today. If this is your first time to join us, be sure to stop by the Welcome Desk to take home a fresh baked treat!

During the service, children ages four through second grade are invited to participate in **Children's Church** by following the Children's cross. They will return during the exchange of the peace. Children through age five are welcome in the nursery.

We welcome all baptized Christians to join in receiving **Communion**. Those not baptized are invited to receive a blessing by crossing their arms over their chest. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

Prayer Teams are available during Communion and after the service for those who have specific prayer needs or desire anointing with oil and prayers for healing. You will find the Prayer Team in the room in the back corner of the Sanctuary on the choir side.

TAKE NOTE:

Wednesday, May 1

1:00 Communications Meeting

Please visit stcuthbert.org for a complete calendar of events.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for our fifty-third wedding anniversary by Mary & Terry St. John.



Sunday Morning Services:

8:00 & 10:30 Holy Communion & Children's Church

9:10 Christian Formation for everyone

Nursery available 7:50 - 12:30

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JOHN 20:19-31

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.



CUTHBERT CARES

I'M IN TO SERVE

Today, after the service, everyone is heading out into the mission field to serve our neighbors in the name of Christ. If you haven't yet signed up for a place to serve, meet at the I'm IN to Serve table in the Parish Hall and you will be directed where to go. For those who have already signed up, instructions will be given at the conclusion of the service.



We at St. Cuthbert will be intentional to: Captivate visitors with the love of Christ; Connect people to the love of Christ; experience the transforming power and accepting love of Jesus Christ through Community ministry groups; and Commission leaders to build the kingdom of God—together!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNING

You are invited to a Vacation Bible School (VBS) planning meeting on Sunday, May 5, at 12:00. Join in the planning as we roar into VBS this summer. Lunch and childcare will be provided. For questions or more information, contact Gail Jackins.

ADULT FORMATION

Next Sunday, an Adult Formation class will spend time praying in color. Later, the children will join the adults to sing favorite Bible songs. Christian Formation for adults, youth and children meet on Sundays at 9:10. For more information, contact Gail Jackins.

HAT SUNDAY

St. Cuthbert will celebrate the Eleventh Annual Hat Sunday on Mother's Day, May 12. All ladies are asked to don their best bonnets and wear them to church!

MARCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

	Month	YTD
Need	\$63,552	\$223,574
Giving	\$73,942	\$207,041
Net	\$10,390	(\$16,533)

EASTER LILIES

Everyone who made donations for Easter lilies may take them home today after the service.

FLOWER GUILD FUN

Everyone is invited to join the Flower Guild on Saturday, May 11, from 10:00-12:00 for a morning of flowers! You will create a lovely bouquet in a decorative container suitable for Mother's Day gifting. There is a \$30 materials fee. Children must be accompanied by an adult. There is limited seating, so sign up today by visiting stcuthbert.org. For questions or more information, contact Jan Doing at jdoing@swbell.net.

LEGO NIGHT

Lego lovers and their friends are invited to a light supper and Legos on Friday, May 10, at 5:30. Bring a snack to share and enjoy building fantastic creations using the church's supply of Legos. Children must be accompanied by an adult. For questions or for more information, contact Gail Jackins.



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