### Welcome...

We don't have all the answers and don't expect you to either. We do know that God loves us and calls us to love one another. Join us as we walk the pilgrim's path of life together.

St. Mary's is a welcoming and caring community of people from all walks of life. We seek to weave a unique pattern of worship, joyful and inspiring music, pastoral care, fellowship, Christian education, social action, and youth programs. The resulting tapestry of our common life reflects the textures of the past as well as a newfound energy that helps us to continue to grow in our life in Christ.

Learn how to get involved at www.stmarysepisc.org.



Scan this QR code with your smart phone to add St. Mary's to your contacts.

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# WORSHIP

We believe that our primary work as the people of God is to offer God our thanks and praise for who God is and what God has done and is doing in the world.

## The Holy Eucharist (Communion or Mass)

Sundays

8:00 a.m. - Church. Quiet and without music. 9:00 a.m. - Great Hall of the Community Life Center. Informal with a variety of instruments and musical styles.

11:00 a.m. - Church. Rich with choirs, organ, and orchestral instruments on occasion.

Wednesday and Major Feast Days 12:00 p.m. - Chapel of the Community Life Center.

## The Daily Office (Daily Prayers)

Monday-Friday at  $8\!:\!00$  a.m. Morning Prayer -  $\,$  Chapel in the Community Life Center.

Monday-Friday at 5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer - Chapel in the Community Life Center.

### **Contemplative Worship**

Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. Centering Prayer - Chapel of the Community Life Center. A guided form of Christian meditation.

The First Thursday in the Month at 8:00 p.m. Taize - Chapel of the Community Life Center . Candles, incense, music, and mystery.

# **CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

We believe that growing into the full stature of Christ is a lifelong endeavor. Christian formation helps us grow in the knowledge of God's movement in history and today.

#### Sundays

10:00 a.m. The Forum - Parish Hall. Short courses for adults and high schoolers. The Play Place is available for children ages 0-4ish.

5:00 p.m. Episcopal Youth Community (*Youth Group*) - Community Life Center. For young people in grades 6-12.

5:30 p.m. Seasonal Offerings for Adults and Children are offered during Lent and Advent.

#### Mondays

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Community Room 3B in the Community Life Center.

9:30 a.m. Mothers of Young Children Bible Study - Media Center. The Play Place is available.

7:00 p.m. Serious Scholars (2nd and 4th Mondays) - Media Center. Combination book group, Bible study, and theology class.

### Tuesdays

3:30 p.m. Godly Play - The Godly Play Rooms. Montessori based Christian formation for children aged 3ish to 5th grade. Children attend either Tuesday or Wednesday.

7:00 p.m. Evening Bible Study - Miller Common Room

#### Wednesdays

7:00 a.m. Youth Bible Study - Carter Brother's Barbeque on North Main Street. For young people in grades 6-12.

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study - Miller Common Room.

4:30 p.m. Godly Play - The Godly Play rooms. Montessori based Christian formation for children aged 3ish to 5th grade. Children attend either Tuesday or Wednesday.

#### Thursdays

7:00 p.m. Centering Prayer - Chapel in the Community Life Center.

## **OUTREACH AND MISSION**

We believe that the mission of the Church is tell the world about the good things that God is doing and to be the hands and feet of Christ in the world today.

Some current and past mission and outreach partners:

Feeding Lisa's Kids

**Open Door Ministries** 

The Father's Table

**High Point Jail Ministry** 

Forsyth County Prison Ministry

Hospice of the Piedmont

The Community Clinic

The Piedmont School

**Backpack Beginnings** 

**Racial Reconciliation Ministries** 

Uptowne High Point Redevelopment

English as a Second Language Classes

The Latino Family Center

The Boy Scouts of America

**Caring Services** 

Leslie's House

West End Ministries

**High Point University** 

**Environmental Ministries** 

**Helping Hands** 

**Episcopal Relief and Development** 

The Diocese of North Carolina

St. Mary's Sudanese Congregation

Northwood Elementary School

**Emerywood Court Condominiums** 

See the Mission section of our website for information on how to get involved.