

Parish News for the week of March 1  
Welcome to Grace Episcopal Church.  
We are glad you are worshipping with us today!

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**First Sunday Lunch today! A Celebration of Pie!**  
In the Parish Hall following the 10:30 a.m. service.  
Bring a friend!

**Christian Education, 9:15 Parish Hall**

March 1, 8 and 15 - Led by Marlys Craun LCSW  
Serious Mental Illness: What is it, How is it treated and possible Christian responses

**Children & Youth, 9:30 a.m., 3rd Floor, Parish House**

**Lenten Series begins Wednesday, March 4**  
**Dinner - 6 pm**

*Please register by calling or emailing the parish office by noon on Tuesday*

Soup, salad and bread  
Adults \$8 Children \$3 Family Max \$20

**Sessions for Adults from 6:45 - 8:00**

**wHoly Conversations**

*Discussions about our Life in Christ and the World Around Us*

**March 4 Pastoral Care**

*Discover Grace's different forms of pastoral care from visits from Fr. Tuck and Lay Eucharistic Visitors, the Prayer Chain and our ACTS teams.*

*What's working and what can we do better?*

**March 11 Becoming Beloved Community**

*A conversation with Martin and Sharron Jefferies*

*As we continue to work to dismantle racism and strive for reconciliation in Christ's name this conversation will consider next steps in the work.*

**The Bishop's Dollar Fund**

Donate to The Bishop's Dollar Fund This year during the season of Lent, Bishop Broulakis extends his annual invitation to reflect on our discipleship in Jesus' name. As you journey through the forty days of Lent, we encourage generous support of The Bishop's Dollar

Fund to continue to address a variety of initiatives and needs throughout the diocese not otherwise covered through our annual program budget. You may send donations to the Diocesan Office made payable to The Episcopal Diocese of Southwestern VA with "Bishop's Dollar" in the memo line. Mail to: Attn: Bishop's Dollar Fund, PO Box 2279, Roanoke, VA 24009. Or, donate online at [dioswva.org/online-giving.html](http://dioswva.org/online-giving.html).

**Grace Episcopal Church Day Camp for Kids**

**Monday, March 16 7:30 AM to 4 PM**

Monday, March 16 is a teacher workday for Lexington City and Rockbridge County Public Schools. Teacher workdays are often difficult for working parents to obtain day care arrangements for their children. Grace Episcopal will offer a Day Camp for kids from K to 8<sup>th</sup> grade. We will have a day of games, learning, crafts, and fun. To register please see the registration form on our website. If you are interested in helping please contact Sharon, [sharon@graceepiscopallexington.org](mailto:sharon@graceepiscopallexington.org)

**RARA Products of the Month for March: Pasta & Rice**

While all donations of food are appreciated throughout the year, RARA has designated specific products that they would love to receive each month. Please leave your donations in the basket next to the Welles Room (library) in the Parish House

**Mail Box**

If you or your committee has a mail box in the Resource Room, please check it on Sundays or during the week.

**How do I join Grace Church?**

Call the parish office, 540-463-4981 or email [firtuck@graceepiscopallexington.org](mailto:firtuck@graceepiscopallexington.org) or [lisa@graceepiscopallexington.org](mailto:lisa@graceepiscopallexington.org).

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