

# SPRING 2018 CALENDAR OF SPECIAL EVENTS

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● Registration recommended ▲ Registration required ✕ Registration closed ★ Childcare available (3 mo. to 10 yrs.) 🧑👤 Bring a friend!

## JANUARY

**JANUARY 5** FRI

**Bad Gift Bingo** 🧑👤  
6–8:30 p.m., Reynolds Hall. Soup, Salad, treats, and Bingo. Bring a wrapped white elephant gift.

**Translating Observance of the Feast of the Epiphany**  
12:05 p.m., Cathedral. Celebrating the adoration of God in Christ by the Magi.

**JANUARY 7** SUN

**Ardell Ray Day**  
10 a.m., Reynolds Hall. A celebration of senior sexton Ardell Ray, who has worked for the Cathedral for 40 years.

**Epiphany Organ Recital & Evensong** 🧑👤  
4:15 and 5 p.m. Featuring organist Jeremy Bruns and the Cathedral Choir.

**JANUARY 12–14** FRI–SUN

**YES and Happening**  
Temple, TX. Diocesan-wide youth retreats.

**JANUARY 14** SUN

**Marathon Sunday**  
Plan your route to church.

**Vocation Stories**  
10 a.m., Reynolds Hall. Dean Thompson will chat with the Rev. John Logan about his time at the Cathedral.

**The Well + Dinner + Compline** 🧑👤  
5 p.m., Cathedral. Quarterly dinner following The Well service, finishing with Compline.

**JANUARY 15** MON

**Martin Luther King Day Holiday**  
Cathedral offices are closed.

**JANUARY 21** SUN

**Lord of the Streets Service Day** ▲  
6:15 a.m., Trinity Episcopal Church. Help cook eggs, meat, and grits during a two-hour breakfast shift.



**JANUARY 21** SUN  
**Annual Parish Meeting**  
10 a.m., Reynolds Hall. Meeting to discuss the business of the Cathedral and to elect new members of the vestry.

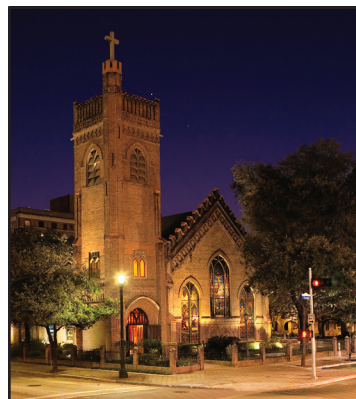
**JANUARY 27** SAT

**YogaMass**®  
4 p.m., Hines Center. A unique worship experience that engages and integrates the physical, psychological, and spiritual dimensions. (\$)

**Plaid and Axe-Throwing Night** 🧑👤 ▲  
8p.m., Houston Axe Throwing. An outing of fun with the 20s & 30s group. (\$)

**JANUARY 28** SUN

**Costa Rica Mission Trip Info Session**  
12:15–1 p.m., Treehouse. Information for all those interested in this trip.



**JANUARY 28** SUN  
**Sowing the Seed Kickoff Event** ▲  
6:30–8 p.m., Reynolds Hall. Find out how you can help “sow the seeds” for future generations.

## FEBRUARY

**FEBRUARY 3** SAT

**Funeral Planning Workshop**  
10 a.m., McGehee Conference Room. Join us as we walk through the process of funeral planning.

**Brigid’s Place 20th Anniversary Celebration Luncheon**  
11 a.m., Briar Club. Featuring keynote speaker the Very Rev. Cynthia Kittredge and honoring founder the Rev. Betty Adam. (\$)

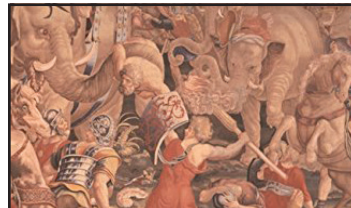
**FEBRUARY 4** SUN

**Cathedral Godly Play (3 years – 1st grade) Parent Meet-Up**  
10 a.m., Huffington Playground. Meet other parents and Sunday School teachers.

**Treble Choir Luncheon Fundraiser**  
Noon, Reynolds Hall. The Treble Choir will hold a spaghetti luncheon as a fundraiser for its upcoming trip to Canada. (\$)

**FEBRUARY 6** TUE

**COMPASS Fundraiser** 🧑👤  
7–9 p.m., Music Box Theater. An annual evening of fun and music to support the ministry of COMPASS. (\$)



**FEBRUARY 9** FRI  
**Religion and the Punic War**  
7–8:30 p.m., Sanders Hall. The Adult Formation Council and the American Institute for Archaeology partner to bring Dr. Patrick Hunt to Houston for an evening exploration of the religious aspects of Rome’s greatest war.

**FEBRUARY 8** THU

**Hearing the Gospel of Mark** 🧑👤  
6:30–9:30 p.m., Hines Center. Professional storyteller Kathy Culmer shares the Gospel of Mark in its entirety. (\$).

**FEBRUARY 10** SAT

**Winter Quiet Day – Wandering** 🧑👤  
9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Cathedral campus. Join cathedral members, clergy, and special guests for a day of quiet reflection.

**Most Venerable Order of St. John Evensong** 🧑👤  
5 p.m., Cathedral. Evensong followed by a reception.

**FEBRUARY 11** SUN

**Spring Rotation (2nd–5th grade) Parent Meet-Up**  
10 a.m., Huffington Playground. Meet other parents and Sunday School teachers.



**FEBRUARY 14** WED  
**Ash Wednesday**  
Mark the start of Lent with the imposition of ashes at services at 7 a.m., 12:05 p.m., and 6 p.m. in English and at 7:30 p.m. in Spanish.

**FEBRUARY 13** TUE

**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper** ● 🧑👤  
6–8 p.m., Reynolds Hall. Feast and make merry on the night before Lent. Wear your Mardi Gras best and dance to live music.

**FEBRUARY 18** SUN

**Youth Parent Meeting**  
10 a.m., McGehee Conference Room. For parents of 6–12th graders, to discuss the youth ministry.

**Lenten Evensong** 🧑👤  
5 p.m. Featuring the Cathedral Choir.

**FEBRUARY 19** MON

**President’s Day Holiday**  
Cathedral offices are closed.

**FEBRUARY 23** FRI

**20s & 30s Outing to the Rockets** 🧑👤 ▲  
7 p.m., Toyota Center. Join the group for a great basketball night out. (\$)

## MARCH



**MARCH 2** FRI  
**Cathedral Game Night** 🧑👤  
6:30–9:30 p.m., Reynolds Hall. Board games, puzzles, card games, all are welcome to gather in fellowship and friendly competition for a night of casual fun! Bring a dish to share with the group.

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**MARCH 2–4** FRI–SUN

**20s & 30s Retreat** ▲ 🧑👤  
Gathering of young adults from the Cathedral and other area churches. (\$)

**Intermediate and Junior High Retreats** ▲ 🧑👤  
Camp Allen. Join other 4th–6th and 6th–8th graders from the Diocese at Camp Allen for a weekend of fun and fellowship. (\$)

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MARCH 3 SAT

Touch-a-Truck

10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Trinity Episcopal Church. A chance for kids to get close to and touch cool cars, trucks, and motorcycles...

MARCH 4 SUN

Blessing of the Shawls

11 a.m., Cathedral. The shawls made by the Shawl Ministry will be blessed.

MARCH 10 SAT

The Painting Table

2 p.m., Hines Center. Roger Hutchison leads a Painting Table.



MARCH 25 SUN

Palm Sunday

Observances at all services commemorating Jesus' entry into Jerusalem.

Children's Road to Easter

10 a.m., Bishop's Courtyard. The Stations of the Cross in language and pictures for children.

Peeps Diorama Contest

10 a.m., Reynolds Hall. Enter your Peeps-inspired miniature scene. Prizes awarded. Refreshments served.

Palm Sunday Evensong

5 p.m., Cathedral Choir.

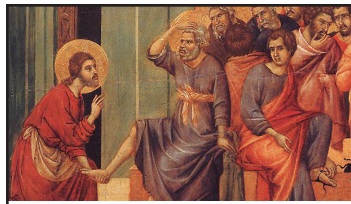
MARCH 24 SAT

Things I Learn in Eucharist

9-11 a.m., Cathedral. A shorter version of Instruction in Eucharist for children.

Noye's Fludde (Noah's Flood)

3 and 7 p.m., Cathedral. The Music Department presents this musical by Benjamin Britten.



MARCH 29 THU

Maundy Thursday

12:05 p.m., Chancel. Eucharist and foot washing.

MARCH 29 THU

Stripping of the Altar

7 p.m., Cathedral. Eucharist and foot washing.

The Night Watch

8:30 p.m., Gilding Chapel.

MARCH 30 FRI

Good Friday

Liturgy for Good Friday at 12:05 p.m. and Way of the Cross at 6:30 p.m.

Stations of the Cross on a Bike

2:30-5 p.m., St. Luke the Evangelist at 3530 Wheeler Ave. Follow the stations of the cross on bicycle with UH Canterbury.

The Way of the Cross

6:30 p.m., Cathedral. This is the telling of the story of Jesus' trial, suffering, and crucifixion.

MARCH 31 SAT

Easter in Memory of Her

4 p.m., Cathedral. Remembering the women who followed Jesus.

Easter Vigil

8 p.m., Cathedral. The first Eucharist of Easter. With incense.

APRIL



APRIL 1 SUN

Easter Day

7 a.m. Eucharist, Rite I, with hymns.

9 a.m. Festival Eucharist, Rite II.

10 a.m., Bishop's Courtyard. Flowering of the Cross.

11 a.m. Festival Eucharist, Rite I, with incense.

1 p.m. Festival Eucharist, Rite II, in Spanish.

5 p.m. Eucharist, Rite II.

APRIL 2 MON

Easter Holiday

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APRIL 8 SUN

Lord of the Streets Service Day

6:15 a.m., Trinity Episcopal Church. Help cook eggs, meat, and grits during a two-hour breakfast shift.

The Well + Dinner + Compline

5 p.m., Cathedral. Quarterly dinner following The Well service, finishing with Compline.



APRIL 14 SAT

20s & 30s Outing to the Houston Chamber Choir

7:30-10 p.m., South Main Baptist Church. Choral concert led by Canon for Music Robert L. Simpson.

APRIL 21 SAT

Pub Trivia

6-9 p.m., Reynolds Hall. Enjoy a lively group trivia challenge and pub fare at this all-ages event.

APRIL 22 SUN

Fifth Grade Enlistment

The fifth grade class moves up to join youth group activities.

APRIL 29 SUN

Epic End of EYC

2:15-4:45 p.m., Treehouse. The last, superfun session of Episcopal Youth Community until it resumes in the fall.

MAY



MAY 6 SUN

May Fete

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Cathedral's oldest tradition offers springtime merriment for all. Service times are 10 a.m. (1892 BCP) and 2 p.m. (Spanish), with a host of celebrations in between them.

MAY 10 THU

Ascension Day

12:05 and 6 p.m., Cathedral. Holy Eucharist marking the final appearance of the Risen Lord to the apostles.



MAY 11-12 FRI-SAT

Destination Unknown

5 p.m. to 10:30 a.m., Treehouse. This whirlwind overnight for fifth graders is full of surprises.

MAY 13 SUN

Bishop's Visit to Confirm

Bishop Dena Harrison will confirm at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., and be with us throughout the day.

MAY 20 SUN

Last Day of Sunday School

Final sessions of Sunday classes for adults, children, and youth.

Water Wars

2:30-5 p.m. at the Deanery. Youth will play poolside for an afternoon of spiritual formation, food, and fun. Parents can meet with the dean at 4:30 p.m.

Cathedral Choir Concert

4-5:30 p.m., Cathedral. End-of-the-year concert by the Cathedral Choir with orchestra.

MAY 28 MON

Memorial Day Holiday

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JUNE

JUNE 1 FRI

Cathedral Game Night

6:30-9:30 p.m., Reynolds Hall. Board games, puzzles, card games, all are welcome to gather in fellowship and friendly competition for a night of casual fun.

JUNE 3 SUN

First Day of Summer Place

10 a.m., Reynolds Hall. Snacks and refreshments hosted each Sunday by ministries and councils of the Cathedral.

Pentecost Organ Recital and Evensong

4:15 and 5 p.m. Featuring organist Christopher Jennings and the Cathedral Choir.