



THE CRUCIFER

Monthly Newsletter

A Crazy Horse Named Sensation

I grew up with Arabian horses – beautiful, majestic, *crazy as can be* Arabian horses. I still have a scar on my leg where one bit me, pulling me off of the horse I was riding at a gallop! I am saying *crazy*, and I mean it. But, of all our crazy horses, there was one who was by far the craziest, and his name was Sensation.

Sensation was not mean. Actually, there was not a mean bone in his body. But he was extremely high-spirited and could become frightened to death by nearly *anything*. One of the things you could count on him being deathly afraid of was the dreaded *dark spot of dirt on the road ahead!* Oooohh! Terrifying, I know! However, to him, a dark patch of dirt was a horrific monster there to devour him. And, no matter how hard we would try, no one could get him to go through them...period. We tried pulling, pushing, and (sorry) hitting him with frustration, but all of that just confirmed to him that we were on the monster's side. Eventually, he would inevitably take off, twisting his body, bucking, side-stepping, and leaving his rider in the dirt or, worse, in the doctor's office. For a long time there was nothing anyone could do with this *thing* we called Sensation. Until Hallie – my sister.

Hallie, too, was a bit of a handful. Like Sensation, she was strong, beautiful, brilliant and, when she got something in her head, it was nearly impossible to change. Fortunately for Hallie, she got it into her head that he was going to be her horse, whether it killed her or not. It took a long while, and several doctors' visits, but, eventually, something special happened. That *crazy*, dangerous horse, that no one could do anything with, became the hardest working, fastest running, bravest, most loyal horse that the Dixon family had ever owned.

I do not claim to understand exactly what happened between this horse and my sister, but, whatever it was, it was obvious that the foundation for the change in Sensation was his complete *trust* in Hallie. And the foundation for that trust was her honest understanding and love of him. With Hallie, when he would come to another dreaded dark *monster* (dirt) in the road, instead of pulling or pushing or beating him, she would come down, walk ahead of him into his dark spots, defeat his



monsters, and guide him forward to the other side of the darkness.

It is not uncommon for someone to ask me how they should observe Lent to make it special. While I have found that I cannot really answer that for you, this year I want to point you toward two things. First, I recommend starting each Lent by reviewing the wonderful words from the *Invitation to a Holy Lent*, included below (BCP).

These sentences will remind you of what Lent is really about.

Second, I want to point you to this story of my sister and her crazy horse - Sensation. My prayer is that you will remember that the one you are seeking after this Lent is not frustrated with you for your failing to get past your "dark spots". He does not think you silly or crazy for being insecure, or doubtful, or fearful. Lent is not about God forcing you, by threat of stick (or hell), through the dark spots of your life. No. God is the one who understands and loves you, and he has set his mind on having you as his child. If you will let him, he will come down into your life, go before you into your fears, and cast his light into the darkness. If you will trust him, he will show you that there is nothing to be afraid of down the path that he calls you. And you will be able to stop running for your life and, instead, start living it, freely. I hope you will find these things helpful in some way. Here is the *Invitation to a Holy Lent* that I mentioned. Blessings, peace, and love.

Dear People of God: The first Christians observed with great devotion the days of our Lord's passion and resurrection, and it became the custom of the Church to prepare for them by a season of penitence and fasting. This season of Lent provided a time in which converts to the faith were prepared for Holy Baptism. It was also a time when those who, because of notorious sins, had been separated from the body of the faithful were reconciled by penitence and forgiveness, and restored to the fellowship of the Church. Thereby, the whole congregation was put in mind of the message of pardon and absolution set forth in the Gospel of our Savior, and of the need which all Christians continually have to renew their repentance and faith. I invite you, therefore, in the name of the Church, to the observance of a holy Lent, by self-examination and repentance; by prayer, fasting, and self-denial; and by reading and meditating on God's holy Word. And, to make a right beginning of repentance, and as a mark of our mortal nature, let us now kneel before the Lord, our maker and redeemer. (BCP, pp. 264-265)

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MINISTRY BYTES



MUSIC MINISTRY

Congratulations to Holy Cross Academy of Music Students Isaac Railing and Israel Railing who won second and third places in the 2019 Pensacola Finger Style Acoustic Guitar Competition. Isaac and Israel are students of our youth minister Ryan Etheredge. We are so proud of Isaac and Israel and their talented instructor.

Congratulations to all of you!

Holy Cross Musician: Katie Diamond. Katie blesses our morning worship service with her beautiful playing on her flute. This gentle and ethereal music contributes to the worship at our 10:30 service. Thank you Katie! You are blessing lives and enriching Holy Cross and are so appreciated and loved!



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Holy Cross Children's Ministry is so thrilled by our new Lenten offerings!

We are incredibly blessed to have a whole team of dedicated, experienced, and talented volunteers who have been working with Ms Leanne to create a meaningful and fun children's program. We welcome Terry Hurd, artist, who will be joining the Wednesday night Kids Klub offering art lessons to our little ones. Ms Leanne is a strong advocate of literacy and is pleased to announce that the Holy Cross Library volunteers have graciously accepted the offer to partner with the Children's Ministry to create "field trips" to our library as a means of exploring literature. Our very own Lynn Backes, who works at the Pensacola Mess Hall, will be on our team teaching science to our children.

Ms Leanne will teach music and prepare the children with poems and songs to bless us in our services. Our Sunday morning Sunday School teams are brilliant and excited to share the gospel with our little ones. Many thanks to Ede and her team who will continue to provide the Chapel for our children during the church service. VBS planning is underway! And our nursery staff is loving and welcoming to the wee ones. We are all thrilled with the leading of the Lord as we begin this exciting time of children's ministry this season!



YOUTH MINISTRY

As the season of Lent begins I will be starting a new series for the youth called "Lent for the Lazy"! We will discuss what the Lenten season is about and what it means to us as young people today. Most importantly, I will present how we are supposed to use the season of Lent to draw closer in our personal relationship with God, often by starting very small, easy daily practices.

This month is packed with some really great events so make sure you stay plugged in and connected!

March 6 – Ash Wednesday: There is no Wednesday Night Supper but youth will meet at the regular 5:30 time and Pizza will be provided before heading over to the Ash Wednesday service together at 6:00

March 8-9: Pre-Spring Break Campout at the Jerrem's: We will be having an overnight campout by the water at the Jerrem's residence just to have a great time. There will of course be great food, games and awesome fellowship! Drop-off and Pick-up will be at the Jerrem's: **1407 Soundview Trail**. Bring something to swim in and a regular change of clothes along with toothbrush and paste, etc. Drop off is at 5:30pm after school on the 8th, Pick-up will be around 2:00pm on Saturday the 9th.

March 21st - Bowling at Oops Alley: We will leave the church at 2:00 to ride over to Oops Alley Bowling and Arcade and be back at the church around 5:00. Bring money if you wish to play in the arcade, bowling will be free.

March 23rd - JUMP at SkyZone: Bring your friends to come jump with us! We will meet at SkyZone located on 5007 N. Davis Hwy. If you have SkyZone socks please bring them and any extras to share!

LENTEN SEASON GUEST SPEAKERS

Lenten Season Wednesday Evening Guest Speakers

March 20, 6:30pm



The Rev. Dr. Dick Schmidt is a retired Episcopal priest who also served as the Managing Editor of *The Episcopalian*, the Editor and Director of Forward Movement Publications, and a popular lecturer and retreat leader. Schmidt has spoken at all eleven accredited seminaries of the Episcopal Church and led retreats throughout the U.S. He has also taught theology and church history in England and served as a missionary in Nigeria.

The Subject of His Lecture: *Forgiveness*.

April 3, 6:30pm



Fr. Marshall Craver has recently retired from full time parish ministry and is currently serving as spiritual director to the clergy of our diocese. He is an adjunct faculty member of the Shalem Institute of Spiritual Formation in Washington, D.C., an adjunct faculty member of the Selah Institute of Spiritual Formation in Nashville, Tn., and has a certificate in Spiritual Direction from the Jesuits of Spring Hill College, in Mobile, Al. Fr. Craver has led many retreats in our Diocese and beyond during his thirty-two years of ordained ministry.

The Subject of His Lecture: *Temptation and Sin: What's there to smile about?*

March 13, 6:30pm



The Rev. Roger Hungerford is a Navy veteran, a retired police officer, and is now our own beloved Associate Rector at Holy Cross Episcopal Church. He attended seminary with our Rector at the Seminary of the Southwest in Austin, TX, loves our Lord Jesus Christ, and has a passion for helping those in need.

The Subject of His Lecture: *Repentance*.

March 27, 6:30pm



The Rev. Dr. Joy Blaylock is the Priest in Charge at Episcopal Church of the Redeemer in Mobile, AL and Dean of the Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast's School for Ministry. Joy has a Ph.D. in Theology from the Catholic University of America and enjoys ecumenical activities and continuing studies.

The Subject of Her Lecture: *Grace*.

April 10, 6:30pm



The Very Rev. George Young is the retired bishop of the Diocese of East Tennessee. George earned his master of divinity degree in 1990 from Seabury-Western Theological Seminary in Evanston, Ill. Ordained as a priest in 1990, he served has served as a Rector at churches in the Diocese of Florida prior to being elected as Bishop of the Diocese of East Tennessee in 2011. After retiring, George and his wife the Rev. Kammy Young moved to Pensacola to be closer to their son, George and daughter and son-in-law, Lucy and Rob Brabham.

The Subject of His Lecture: *Abundance*.

Sunday Schedule

March 2019

8:00am – Worship (no music)
 9:00am – Breakfast
 9:30am – 12:00pm Childcare

10:30am – Worship
 10:30am – Children’s Chapel (starts in main service)
 11: 45am – Coffee Hour (right after second service)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
				
	1 - Pat Fadal, 1 - Liam ZandiKariimi, 4 - Pat Tillery, 8 - Phyllis Sjodin, 9 - Laura Gaines, 11 - Sally Roberts, 13 - Linda Biles, 14 - Bria Igo, 20 - Nancy Gibbons, 20 - Linda Tillery, 21 - Bill Vancaster, 21 - Carl White, Jr., 22 - Jordan Snell, 23 - Steven Ramirez, 25 - Siegrid McAskill, 29 - Stephanie Backes, 29 - Russell Hill, 29 - Sherry Tilman, 31 - Barbara Edward, 31 - Liz Hungerford			
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Sunday Worship & Classes **Schedule is Above** Transfiguration Sunday Outreach – Feed My Sheep 12:00pm Inquirer’s Class 9:15am - 12:30pm Library Hours 3:00pm – Ultimate Frisbee at UWF	4:00pm – Ladies Cursillo Reunion Group 6:30pm – Theology on Tap – Beef O’Brady’s	5:30pm - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner - Youth Fundraiser	Ash Wednesday 7:00am – Imposition of Ashes 9:00am – Food Pantry 10:00am - 6:00pm - Library Hours 12:00pm – Imposition of Ashes 4:30pm – Handbell Practice - Cancelled 5:30pm – Church Dinner - Cancelled 5:30pm – Youth Group – Cancelled 6:00pm – Imposition of Ashes (full service) 6:10pm – Christian Formation Classes -- Cancelled	
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First Sunday of Lent Bishop Russell Kendrick Visitation 10:30am Worhsip Only Sunday Worship & Classes **Schedule is Above** 9:15am - 12:30pm Library Hours 3:00pm – Volleyball & Board Games at Holy Cross	4:00pm – Ladies Cursillo Reunion Group 6:30pm – Theology on Tap – Beef O’Brady’s		9:00am – Food Pantry 9:00am – Cursillo Reunion Faith Group 10:00am – Worship 10:00am - 6:00pm - Library Hours 11:00am – LAG Lunch - Calvert’s 4:30pm – Handbell Practice 5:30pm – Church Dinner 5:30pm – Youth Group 6:10pm – Christian Formation Classes 6:30pm – Choir Practice 6:30pm - Lenten Speaker - The Rev. Roger Hungerford	
17	18	19	20	21
Second Sunday of Lent Sunday Worship & Classes **Schedule is Above* Outreach – Ronald McDonald House 9:15am - 12:30pm Library Hours 3:00pm – Ultimate Frisbee at UWF	4:00pm – Ladies Cursillo Reunion Group 6:30pm – Theology on Tap – Beef O’Brady’s	6:00pm – Game Night (formerly Bunco) at the Clark Home	9:00am – Food Pantry 9:00am – Cursillo Reunion Faith Group 10:00am – Worship 10:00am - 6:00pm - Library Hours 4:30pm – Handbell Practice 5:30pm – Church Dinner 5:30pm – Youth Group 6:10pm – Christian Formation Classes 6:30pm – Choir Practice 6:30pm - Lenten Speaker - The Rev. Dr. Dick Schmidt	6:00pm - Ladies Night Out - Franco’s
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OUR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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10:00am – Coffee, Chat & Coloring	7:30am - Running Club 8:30am - Yoga/ Pilates 10:00am - GriefShare 10:00am - Noon Library Hours 10:30am - Prayer Shawl Ministry 2:00pm - Dinner Club 6:00pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
8	9
10:00am – Coffee, Chat & Coloring	7:30am – BSA 9:00am – Running Club - Meet at McGuire’s - 42nd Annual St. Patrick’s Day 8:30am –Yoga/ Pilates 9:00am – 11:30am Quiet Day 10:00am – GriefShare 10:00am - Noon - Library Hours 6:00pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
15	16
10:00am – Coffee, Chat & Coloring	7:30am - Running Club 8:30am - Yoga/ Pilates 9:00am - DOK 10:00am - GriefShare 10:00am - Noon - Library Hours 6:00pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
22	23
10:00am – Coffee, Chat & Coloring	7:30am - Running Club 8:30am - Yoga/ Pilates 10:00am - GriefShare 10:00am - Noon - Library Hours 6:00pm - Alcoholics Anonymous
29	30
10:00am – Coffee, Chat & Coloring	7:30am - Running Club 8:30am - Yoga/ Pilates 10:00am - GriefShare 10:00am - Noon - Library Hours 6:00pm - Alcoholics Anonymous

MONDAYS:

- *Theology on Tap* - 6:30pm - NEW LOCATION!! Beef O’Brady’s (4275 Woodbine Road, Pace). Join us for a cold beverage, excellent company, and a meaningful discussion. Please contact Dean Craig at 850-384-6780 for more information.

WEDNESDAYS:

- *Food Pantry & Resource Center of Holy Cross* - 9:00am - 11:00am
- *Worship* - 10:00am
- *Library Hours* - 10:00am - 6:00pm
- *Hand Bell Practice* - 4:30pm
- *Church Dinner* - 5:30pm - Join us for dinner each week in the Parish Hall.
- *Youth Group* - 5:30pm - Join us in the Youth Room for a time of great fellowship and fun! All 6th – 12th Grade youth are welcome. Come ready to hear the Word, experience the love of Christ, and learn about all that God has in store for our lives! Contact Ryan for more information at: youth@holycrosspensacola.org
- *The League of “Unextraordinary” Parents!* - 6:10pm - Parents turn to each other, to outside “experts,” and to faith to help each other be more prepared, competent, and faithful in their parenting journey!
- *Kid’s Klub!* - 6:10pm - Pre-K to 5th Grade - Kids will have a great time while growing in their faith using monthly Biblical themes, games, crafts, and songs. Nursery care for wee ones!
- *The Bible for “Dummies” with Fr. Rob* - 6:10pm - Life-long scholar or life-long scallywag, you’ll feel comfortable gleaning something from the Bible with this group.
- *Choir Practice* - 6:30pm

FRIDAYS:

- *Coffee, Chat & Coloring* - 10:00am - 12:00pm - This group gets together every Friday morning. They have coffee together, chat and work on crafts. Bring whatever you are working on and join them for coffee and conversation. Please contact Nancy Gibbons at (850) 475-5706 for more information.

SATURDAYS:

- *Holy Cross Running Club!* - 9:00am -March 9th - Meet at McGuire’s Irish Pub for the 42nd Annual St. Patrick’s Day Run! - All are welcome to run and/or walk in this family ministry which meets every Saturday morning at the church. For more information, please contact Dean Craig at (850) 384-6780.
- *Yoga/Pilates - 8:30am* - All are welcome! Donations are appreciated to support our instructors. Classes are held in the Holy Cross Chapel and will alternate weeks according to each instructor’s schedule. For more information please call or text Amanda Hart for Yoga (607-206-3208 or Wendy Boyer for Pilates (850) 572-2170
- *GriefShare* - 10:00am - 12:00pm - GriefShare is a grief recovery support group where you can find help and healing for the hurt of losing a loved one. We meet weekly in the Parish Hall, and you can join at any time. For more information, please contact the Parish office at 850-477-8596. Starting on January 12.
- *Library Hours - 10:00am - 12:00pm*

SUNDAYS:

- *Sports Ministry* - Please note: starting on 9/9 Sports Ministry will begin at 3:00pm. - On the 1st, 3rd, (and when applicable 5th) Sunday of the month, join us on the UWF Campus (park by tennis courts) for Ultimate Frisbee. On the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month join us at Holy Cross for volleyball in the courtyard and board games inside the



3 - Tim & Chelsea Zakriski, 6 - Tony & Carmen Kimmons,
12- Dallas & Heather Thomas, 13 - Jim & Marty Silverwood,
16- Amir & Angel ZandiKarimi, 17 - Melodie Rowland & Jim Williams,
18 - Thomas & Julie Ruengert, 22 - Ralph & Sally Roberts

CALENDAR DETAILS BY DATE

Mar 2 - Holy Cross Prayer Shawl Ministry - 10:30am - 12:00pm - This ministry is a "hands on" ministry. Bring what you're working on or come to learn how these shawls are made. For more information, please contact Sally Roberts at 850-477-3918.

Mar 3 - Transfiguration Sunday

Mar 3 - Ronald McDonald Lunch Ministry (Outreach Focus) - This ministry provides lunch to families staying at the RMD House. The team prepares and serves lunch by 11:00am on the 3rd Sunday of each month. For more information or to help, please contact Sylvia Clark at 850-476-1895

Mar 3 - Inquirer's Class - 12:00pm This is the final class in the 4 week series.

Mar 5 - Shrove Tuesday - Pancake Dinner - 5:30pm - Youth Fundraiser

Mar 6 - Ash Wednesday - 7:00am Imposition of Ashes
12:00pm Imposition of Ashes
6:00pm Communion Service

Mar 6 - Wednesday Night Dinner - Cancelled; All Evening Classes and Choir Practice - Cancelled

Mar 9 - Brotherhood of Saint Andrew (BSA) Monthly Breakfast and Bible Study - 7:30am -9:30am. Meeting in the Parish Hall. For more information contact Craig Iversen at 850-206-2116

Mar 9 - Running Club - 9:00am - Meet at McGuire's for the 42nd Annual St. Patrick's Day Run

Mar 9 - Quiet Day - 9:00am to 11:30am Sponsored by DOK - Opening Reflection (Music) - Ending with Communion

Mar 10 - First Sunday of Lent

Bishop Russell Kendrick Visitation & Confirmation -10:30am Worshp Only

Mar 13 - Ladies and Gents (LAG) Luncheon - 11:00am at Calvert's. Please sign up in the Narthex. For more information please contact Brenda Brown at 850-450-4310

Mar 13 - Lenten Guest Speaker - The Rev. Roger Hungerford - 6:30pm

Mar 13 - Wednesday Night Dinner - 5:30pm: Corn beef and cabbage, boiled potatoes, Irish soda bread, Bread pudding with lemon sauce.

Children's Menu: Corn dogs, chips, and green beans

Mar 16 - Daughters of the King Monthly Meeting

Mar 17 - Second Sunday of Lent

Mar 17 - St. Patrick's Day

Mar 17 - Ronald McDonald Lunch Ministry (Outreach Focus) - This ministry provides lunch to families staying at the RMD House. The team prepares and serves lunch by 11:00am on the 3rd Sunday of each month. For more information or to help, please contact Sylvia Clark at 850-476-1895

Mar 19 - Game Night (formerly Bunco) at the Clark House - 6:00pm. If you like to play games, then this is your night! For more information please contact Sylvia Clark at 850-476-1895.

Mar 20 - Wednesday Night Dinner - 5:30pm: Tuna noodle casserole, broccoli, French bread, salad, red velvet cake

Children's Menu: Hot dogs, green beans, chips

Mar 20 - Lenten Guest Speaker - The Rev. Dr. Dick Schmidt - 6:30pm

Mar 21 - Ladies Night Out - 6:00pm at Franco's. When posted, please be sure to sign up in the Narthex. For more information, please contact Brenda Brown at 850-450-4310

Mar 24 - Third Sunday in Lent

Mar 26 - Holy Cross Vestry Dinner and Meeting

Mar 27 - Wednesday Night Dinner - 5:30pm: BBQ dinner by Warren Jerrems

Mar 27 - Lenten Guest Speaker - The Rev. Joy Blaylock - 6:30pm

Mar 31 - Fourth Sunday of Lent

LENTEN OFFERINGS

Lenten Season

HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Special OFFERINGS Sunday MORNINGS

THROUGHOUT LENT

Shrove Tuesday - March 5 at 5:30 PM

Join us for all you can eat pancakes! This is a Youth Group fund raiser!

Ash Wednesday - March 6

Services with Imposition of Ashes: 7:00-7:30 AM; 12:00-12:30 PM; 6:00 PM.

Weekly Guest Speakers

Every Wednesday night, Holy Cross is hosting special guest speakers, including our very own, Rev. Roger Hungerford; the retired Editor and Director of Forward Movement, Rev. Dr. Dick Schmidt; the Dean of our Local School for Ministry, Rev. Dr. Joy Blalock; our diocesan Clergy Spiritual Director, Rev. Marshall Craver; the retired bishop of East Tennessee, The Very Rev. George Young. (More info soon!)

A Time to Be Still - March 9 from 9:00 - 11:30 (Hosted by DOK)

Our Clergy invite you to begin Lent with a morning of quiet, prayer, and reflection.

Quiet Retreat! - April 6 from 8:30 - 3:00 (Childcare upon request)

Prepare to receive the miracle of Easter more deeply this year with the gifted spiritual leader, Rev. Marshall Craver. Open to all.

BREAKFAST: 9:00 AM / CLASSES: 9:30 AM

Adult Education Classes

Unpack and explore the themes, rich symbolism, and real-life power of the Lenten Season in one of these classes:

- As Seen in the Movies - with Rev. Rog
- Doubt: A Sign of Faith and Life - with Chris Dake
- Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World - with Melodie Rowland
- Choir: Blessed and Blessings - with Leanne Whalen Klauss

Sunday School

Our youth and children will be exploring the themes of Lent, preparing the Miracle of Easter!

- Little Big People (Nursery)
- Pre-K - 1st Grade (Room 1)
- 2nd - 5th Grade (Room 2)
- 6th - 12th Grade (Youth Room); EYC - "Lent for the Lazy" - with Ryan Etheredge

From THE LIBRARY...

A View from Our Holy Cross Library

by Linda Tillery--Library volunteer

If you have not visited our newly refurbished (updated) Holy Cross Library you are missing a treat.

Linda Bish (and volunteers) have done wonders making it a welcoming attractive place to visit and peruse the large selection of books for all ages---everything from deep theology texts to entertaining light reading. And the children are not left out; books appropriate for ages one through teens--all attractively arranged.

There are many new selections. Parishioners have been very generous donating new books, as well as books in like-new condition, from their personal libraries.

Up to three books can be checked out for 4 weeks and renewed upon request. It is requested, however, that you not have more than three books checked out at a time.

So...come and see! Your library is very "user friendly" and well worth your time.



Youth Corner... An advertisement by Greta Tillery--Linda's Granddaughter for the book:

The Picture Bible

You can borrow this book today. From "Adam and Eve" to "Soldier Victorious!", this book is filled with religious stories. The book has one exciting story after another. You can locate this book at the library at Holy Cross Church. .

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