

Epiphany Light

Ministry Highlights for October 26, 2025

That all might thrive and serve in the light of God's grace.







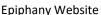
What's your Epiphany story? Over the next few weeks we will hear what Epiphany means to some in our community. As we look ahead to 2026 we look for ways to grow in generosity so that others can be transformed by this place and have their own Epiphany story. Today we celebrate Reformation, and the beauty of our Lutheran story, a story the world desperately needs, and we conclude our emphasis on generosity on Christ the King Sunday. May our giving and commitment to generosity reflect that Christ is King in our lives.

Welcome Visitors!

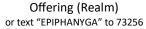
If you are visiting with us, please complete the visitor information on the welcome card in the seat back and place in the offering plate. At Epiphany, we practice open communion, which means ALL are welcome to the table. If you are here, you are invited to take communion with us. Our unstaffed nursery is available for children up to age 5 and is located just outside the doors to the left of the worship center. Check out our website, *epiphanysuwanee.org*, for more information about Epiphany. And don't hesitate to contact us if we can be of service, text or call 770-831-1966. Epiphany is a church that welcomes **ALL!**

Prayer Request QR code or Pew Card











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Today at Epiphany

Worship services are at 9 am and 11 am.

Faith Formation Today (Sunday School) Join us downstairs at 10:10 am!

Prayer Circle Join us at 10:45 am in the Nursery for a time of community prayer. All are welcome!

Epiphany Trunk-or-Treat Get ready for some fun and community! We will have Trunk-or-Treat at 5:00 pm. Trunk set-up at 4:00 pm.

Got Your Name Tag On? Let the office know if you need one. Visitors let one of the Ushers know if you would like a name tag!

Connecting and Growing

Bible Studies This Week Wednesday morning at 10:00 am in the upstairs youth classroom, Thursday morning at 10:00 am on Google Meet, and Friday morning at 6:30 am at Suwanee IHOP.

Wednesday Community Dinner Join us for dinner this Wednesday, October 29th at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Menu this week is sheppard's pie, green salad, rolls, pumpkin spice Texas cake, and snickerdoodles

Book Club Our next book, "The Secret Keeper of Jaipur," a novel by Alka Joshi.

All Saints Sunday In holy baptism God makes saints out of sinners. In holy communion God forgives the sins of all the saints. Next Sunday we give thanks for all the saints "who from their labors rest." Join us at 9:00 am and 11:00 am for this special worship service.

Coping In Crisis Discussion Group Knowing we each have coping skills and tools that we use to navigate, survive, be resilient, and have hope for better, future times. Our faith can be a strong anchor to lean on in these times. Join us as we have open discussion about coping with crisis in turbulent times. The first discussion with be at 12:30 pm next Sunday in the Café.

Men's Group meets Monday, November 3rd, 6:30 pm. Please join us for our monthly men's group gathering. This is always a great event to invite folks to. We will meet at Don Jose's Mexican Grill in Buford.

Pub Theology meets Thursday, November 3rd at 7:00 pm in the church café to discuss a current topic of the day. Hope to see you there!

Church Potluck and Crafting The Bloom and Worship Women's Group invites everyone to a potluck and wooden house crafting class on Sunday, November 16th, immediately following the late service in the Fellowship Hall. Children 10 and up may join the craft class; cost is \$30 per person. Sign up via SignUp Genius and include your dish and number of attendees in the comments. For questions about the event, contact Jolene Reeves .

Serving and Giving

Wednesday Dinners Help!!!!! We are looking for volunteers

to help with Wednesday Community Dinner. This is a service commitment and not a financial commitment as meal supplies are self-funded via free will offerings. If you are willing to help out, please sign-up via this Sign-Up Genius Link QR code.



Once we have enough sign-ups, we will host a kitchen orientation for the volunteers.

Duluth Care Closet Check out the announcements scrolls on the monitors for a list of items needed for the Care Closet at Duluth HS. We thank you for your support of this ministry First Fruits partner!

Music Ministry If you would like to be a part of our musical arts ministry here at Epiphany, we would love to have you share your talents. Please stop by and chat with Steve Belfield or Pastor Chris if you are interested. We are preparing for Advent and Christmas now!

Guatemala 2026 Trip We already have reserved the last 2 weeks of August for our 2026 trip! We will finalize the exact dates soon, but if you are interested in going next August please contact Steve Belfield.

Tell the Epiphany Story Invite others to experience what makes Epiphany a special place for all. Share the story with others and INVITE them!

Stay Informed Use the Realm Connect app or visit our updated church website calendar. If you have questions on using Realm or getting around the website, let the church office know, and we will have someone assist you.

Epiphany This Week

Monday, October 27

9:00 am Staff Meeting (Café)

6:00 pm Book Club (The Diner at Sugar Hill) 7:30 pm Personnel Team Meeting (Google Meet)

Wednesday, October 29

10:00 am Bible Study (Upstairs Classroom)

6:00 pm Community Night Dinner

7:00 pm **Confirmation Wednesday Session**

Café Church

7:00 pm Worship Rehearsal (Worship Center)

7:45 pm **Holy Communion**

Thursday, October 30

10:00 am Bible Study (Google Meet)

Friday, October 31

6:30 am Breakfast Bible Study (IHOP in Suwanee)

Sunday, November 2 (All Saints Sunday)

9:00 am Worship

10:00 am All Ages Group Formation (Downstairs)

10:45 am Weekly Prayer Circle (Nursery)

11:00 am Worship

12:30 pm Coping in Crisis Discussion Group

Church Office hours 9 am to 4 pm Monday—Friday

You can now text to our church phone line 770-831-1966

Weekly Prayers

Please pray for the following Epiphany community families this week:

Linda and George Liskey Karen Liskey

Anita, Lee and Kaitlyn London Liz, Eddie and Catcher Mangan

Upcoming Events:

Nov 3: Men's Group

Nov 4: **ELECTION DAY (Epiphany is a precinct)**

Nov 6: **Pub Theology**

Nov 9: **Epiphany Leadership Team Meeting**

Nov 12: **Just So Seniors Group** Nov 13:

CONNECT Team Meeting

Nov 16: Women's Group Potluck & Crafting Nov 17: **Epiphany Personnel Team Meeting**

Nov 19: **Guatemala Team Meeting**

Nov 20: **GROW Team Meeting**

Thanksgiving Day (Church Office Closed) Nov 27:

First Sunday of Advent Nov 30:

Dec 1: Men's Group

Dec 2: ELECTION RUN-OFF DAY (if necessary)

Dec 4: **Pub Theology**

Dec 10: **Epiphany Christmas Dinner**

Epiphany's Official Affirmation of Welcome: Our unity is in Christ. We welcome all because God welcomes all, regardless of any human divisions: race or culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or relationship status. We welcome all without regard to addictions, physical or mental conditions, imprisonment, socio-economic circumstances, or anything that often divides us.

