



Epiphany Light

Ministry Highlights for November 16, 2025

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



Thank you to our seniors group for this month's service project collecting donations for the Duluth High School Care Closet. Your commitment to serving others is amazing!

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



Epiphany Website



Offering (Realm)
or text "EPIPHANYGA" to 73256



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Today at Epiphany

Worship services are at 9:00 am and 11:00 am.

Christians of the Holy Land Today we welcome Elias Bannoura of Holy Land Christian Solidarity Cooperative (HLCSC) at both services. Please stop by the café on the way out to support their fundraising efforts through the sale of their handmade beautiful olive wood articles. (See back page.)

Formation Today Join us downstairs at 10:10 am for faith formation. Classes for pre-K through Middle School and Adults.

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

Church Potluck and Crafting potluck and wooden house crafting class on today, immediately following the late service in the Fellowship Hall.

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!

Calendar Check Please be sure to check out the church calendar on the website over Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas as many events are added and some are cancelled. Pray for all traveling and we would love to meet your family and friends if they are traveling to see you!

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, November 19th at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Menu this week is pulled pork, baked beans, chips, slaw and dessert.

Book Club Meets Monday, November 17th at 6:00 pm at The Diner in Sugar Hill. Our next book, "The Secret Keeper of Jaipur," a novel by Alka Joshi.

Holden Evening Prayer Mark your calendars for Wednesdays in Advent to attend our Holden Evening Prayer services. worship service. Services this year will be December 3rd, 10th and 17th.

Church Greening and Clean-up Day Many hands make light work! Help us prepare our worship space and the church for the season of Advent and Christmas. We will start at 12:30 and hopefully finish by 3:30. Thanks in advance for helping to make our space welcoming during this special time of year. You can sign-up via Realm to help.

Serving and Giving

Christians of the Holy Land On Nov. 16 and during both services, we will be hearing about the Christians of the Holy Land, and after each service we will be hosting at the church narthex a nice display of handmade olive wood religious articles from Bethlehem available for purchase. These carvings include olivewood Nativity sets, crosses, Christmas ornaments, candle holders, angels and many other religious crafts that could make a nice wedding, baptism, confirmation, Easter and Christmas gifts. The carvings are handmade by Christian families from Bethlehem who rely on it for their daily bread.

Duluth Care Closet Let's treat our Duluth High School students with a little something special during the holidays. Wear your ugliest sweater to the December 10th Epiphany Christmas dinner and bring some items for student winter swag bags. We are looking for beanies, gloves, socks, lip balm, hand creams, hot chocolate packs and individually wrapped purchased holiday treats. Join us for some good food, fun and support a great cause. Contact Holly Baskette or Julie Belfield for additional information.

Worship Assistants Worship is always more meaningful when we participate together. As we approach Advent and Christmas, we will have added worship opportunities. Please consider serving in role or a new role. Below is the link to our website with worship assistant role descriptions.

<https://www.epiphanysuwanee.org/serving-in-worship>

Contact Lisa Prescott, eapresc@msn.com or 623-824-6363 with any questions, to sign up, or schedule training.

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.

Weekly Prayers

Please pray for the following Epiphany community families this week:

John Murray
Jay Nayyar
Darlene Newberger
Jeri and Brian O'Kane

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.

Epiphany This Week

Monday, November 17

9:00 am Staff Meeting (Café)
6:00 pm Book Club (The Diner at Sugar Hill)

Wednesday, November 19

10:00 am Bible Study (Upstairs classroom)
6:00 pm Community Night Dinner
Guatemala Team Meeting (during dinner)
7:00 pm Confirmation Wednesday Session
Café Church
7:00 pm Worship Rehearsal (Worship Center)
7:45 pm Holy Communion

Thursday, November 20

10:00 am Bible Study (Google Meet)
7:30 pm GROW Team Meeting (Google Meet)

Friday, November 21

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

Sunday, November 23 (2026 Stewardship Pledge Sunday)

9:00 am Worship
10:00 am Formation for all age groups (Lower Level)
10:00 am Mosaic Field School Lease Q&A (Café)
10:45 am Weekly Prayer Circle (Nursery)
11:00 am Worship

Church Office hours 9 am to 4 pm Monday—Friday

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

Upcoming Events:

- ◆ Nov 27: Thanksgiving Day (Church Office Closed)
- ◆ Nov 30: First Sunday of Advent
- ◆ Dec 1: Men's Group
- ◆ Dec 2: ELECTION RUN-OFF DAY (if necessary)
- ◆ Dec 3: Holden Evening Prayer
- ◆ Dec 4: Pub Theology
- ◆ Dec 7: All ages Advent themed Faith Formation
Church Ornament Exchange Potluck
2026 Stewardship Pledges (if missed 11/23)
- ◆ Dec 8: Book Club
- ◆ Dec 10: Just So Seniors Group
Holden Evening Prayer
Epiphany Christmas Dinner
- ◆ Dec 14: Mosaic Field School Lease Q&A
- ◆ Dec 17: Holden Evening Prayer
- ◆ Dec 24: Christmas Eve Services (5pm, 7pm & 11pm)
- ◆ Dec 25: Hymns & Carols Service (10am)



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