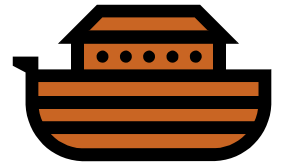




# The Ark



## January 2008 Calendar

<b>6</b>	Children's Church	The Wise Ones Visit	Dining Room	9:00 – 9:30 am
	Holy Eucharist Family Service	Matthew 2:1 – 12	Nave	9:00 – 10:00 am
	Sunday school & Rite 13	Nursery Available	Classrooms	10:15 – 11:00 am
<b>13</b>	Children's Church	John the Baptist	Dining Room	9:00 – 9:30 am
	Holy Eucharist Family	Matthew 3:13 – 17	Nave	9:00 – 10:00 am
	Sunday school & Rite 13	Nursery Available	Classrooms	10:15 – 11:00 am
<b>20</b>	Children's Church	The Lamb of God	Dining Room	9:00 – 9:30 am
	Holy Eucharist Family Service	John 1:29, 35 – 39	Nave	9:00 – 10:00 am
	Sunday school & Rite 13	Nursery Available	Classrooms	10:15 – 11:00 am
	Communion Instruction Meeting	Intro for Parents	Old CES Library	10:30 – 11:00 am
<b>27</b>	Children's Church	The Kingdom of God	Dining Room	9:00 – 9:30 am
	Holy Eucharist Family Service	Matthew 4:17 – 23	Nave	9:00 – 10:00 am
	Sunday school & Rite 13	Nursery Available	Classrooms	10:15 – 11:00 am

### Sunday School & CES Outreach Project - Mitten and Glove Collection

The children in Sunday school along with the CES Second grade class invite you to contribute to their Epiphany Outreach project – a Mitten and Hat Collection. All donations will be given to the St. Anne's Children's Home in DC and Stepping Stones Family Shelter in Rockville. The project is held annually during the season of Epiphany – this year, January 6 through February 3. Please bring your donations to the Mitten Tree in the CES Dining Room. Remember God's message that it is in GIVING that we receive! Thanks.

### Children's Church

The service begins at 9:00 am in the CEC Dining Room and concludes with the children joining their parents upstairs at the Peace.

Jan. 6 – Magi come to visit the infant Jesus.

Jan. 13 – Jesus tells the disciples to prepare for the day!

Jan. 20 – John the Baptist talks of the Lamb of God.

Jan. 27 – Jesus tells us to spread the Good News of God's Kingdom.

### **Children's Lending Library**

Stop by the Oratory, and see our new books on Holy Communion and Snow. There are books available for children of all ages. Celebrate a birthday, baptism or other special occasion by donating a book. What a wonderful gift .... sharing the Good News with children! Please make your tax-deductible checks payable to CEC Children's Library. If you send the name of an individual who should receive acknowledgment of your gift, their address and the occasion a gift card will be sent informing them of your thoughtfulness.

### **Holy Communion Class for 2<sup>nd</sup> Graders (& older)**

There will be a meeting held on January 20 from 10:30 –11:00 am in the OLD CES Library to discuss the Holy Communion Class of 2008. We will go over class schedules, what will be expected of the students and parents as they prepare for the Instructed Eucharist Celebration (March 22), and our outreach project (March 9) to the Rockville Nursing Home. It is requested that representatives of each child registering for the class attend this meeting or notify Mrs. Craig at 762-2191 before it the meeting to register your child.

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