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OPPORTUNITIES AT ST. ANDREW'S

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CHRISTIAN FORMATION & DISCIPLESHIP

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

We work to encourage, implement, support, and oversee the elements of Christian formation and discipleship in our parish. New and ongoing programs are offered on Sunday mornings for all ages. We also plan other offerings, such as Lenten programs & weekday offerings. There are always opportunities for people willing to teach and to learn:

- ▣ **CHRISTIAN FORMATION TEACHERS & CLASSES – CHILDREN** (Summer Sunday School as well as during the school year)
- ▣ **CHRISTIAN FORMATION TEACHERS & CLASSES – YOUTH**
- ▣ **CHRISTIAN FORMATION TEACHERS & CLASSES – ADULTS**

CONFIRMATION / INQUIRERS' CLASSES

The Rector periodically offers Confirmation / Inquirer's classes for those interested in learning more about our church, or for those who are preparing to be confirmed or received into the Episcopal Church. There are generally separate classes for adults and for youth.

CURSILLO

A "Short Course" in Christianity, this three-day weekend of learning, worship, and formation for adults is offered in our diocese several times per year. The Cursillo weekend is a wonderful tool for helping lay folks identify and claim their ministries.

FORWARD DAY BY DAY AND OTHER DEVOTIONAL AND STUDY RESOURCES

The quarterly Forward Day by Day daily devotional booklet follows the readings in the Daily Office. It is available to anyone who wants one; a large-print version is also available. The Parish Administrator also maintains current catalogs and web links from spiritual & devotional publishers such as Cowley, Church Publishing, Forward Movement, Morehouse, and others, if you wish to review their offerings.

LENTEN PROGRAMS

Brief programs (usually with a continued theme) following the soup & bread suppers (or lunches) usually on Wednesdays during Lent. Often outside speakers will be the presenters. The clergy and Christian Formation teachers plan and coordinate the programs.