



St. Thomas 101: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices

Sundays, April 23 – June 4, 2023 after the 10:30 AM Service

An ideal class for anyone new to St. Thomas or the Episcopal Church. All are welcome – First time visitors, longtime members and everyone in-between!

Spring 2023 Schedule:

Sundays, 11:30am (following the 10:30am Service) - in the Library

- 4/23 – Intro to The Episcopal Church – *What is the “Middle Way?”*
- 4/30 – Worship & Liturgy – *Why do we do that?*
- 5/7 – The Body of Christ – *What is my vocation?*
- 5/21 – Faithful Questions – *Episcopal answers to questions of faith*
- 6/4 – Baptismal Covenant and Q&A with Rev. Mark+

Confirmation/Baptism/Reception Weekend

- 6/10 – Saturday evening dinner & vigil (family welcome)
- 6/11 – Bishop Susan will baptize, confirm and receive at 10:30 AM

A perfect way to prepare for Adult Confirmation, Reception or Re-affirmation

- **Confirmation** – Adult acceptance and affirmation of the baptismal vows
- **Reception** – For those confirmed in another tradition (Catholic, Lutheran, etc.)
- **Re-Affirmation** – For someone already confirmed who has been away from the church and desires to renew their vows.
- **Baptism** – For adults not baptized, when any Bishop baptizes you, you will be baptized and confirmed (come to class to learn why!)
- **Baptism** – For children and youth (we offer confirmation class for high school youth every other year)

Register or for questions:

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For further reading:

Walk in Love – Episcopal Beliefs & Practices by Scott Dunn and Melody Wilson Shobe