

FORTNIGHT FORESIGHT

3/11/18 – 3/24/18

C. S. LEWIS STUDENT CENTER
ST. THEODORE'S ANGLICAN CHAPEL

Sunday, March 11—Saturday, March 17

~Spring Break—No Events All Week~

Sunday, March 18, *5th Sunday in Lent*

6:30 p.m. Evensong and Homily.

7:00 p.m. C. S. Lewis Bible Study (free supper): *I Samuel 15-16*. “To Obey is Better than Sacrifice”.

Tuesday, March 20

11:30 a.m. Holy Communion, *St. Cuthbert, B.C.*

4:15 p.m. High Tea (fellowship and refreshment).

6:00 p.m. Evening Prayer

Wednesday, March 21

12:00 noon. Chapters & Verse (free p.b.j. or b.y.o.): *The Rule of St. Benedict* (480-547).

Thursday, March 22

7:00 p.m. C. S. Lewis Book Club (dessert and coffee): *Reflections on the Psalms*, chapter 9: “A Word About Praising”.

Friday, March 23

6:30 p.m. **Potluck Supper**

7:00 p.m. **Sons of Adam, Daughters of Eve**, followed by optional game night

Saturday, March 24

12:00 noon. **Quiet Day begins.**

3:00 p.m. **Quiet Day ends.**

THE FLIES ABOUT THE CROSS

God, who needs nothing, loves into existence wholly superfluous creatures in order that He may love and perfect them. He creates the universe, already foreseeing—or should we say ‘seeing’? there are no tenses in God—the buzzing cloud of flies about the cross, the flayed back pressed against the uneven stake, the nails driven through the mesial nerves, the repeated incipient suffocation as the body droops, the repeated torture of back and arms as it is time after time, for breath’s sake, hitched up. If I may dare the biological image, God is a ‘host’ who deliberately creates His own parasites; causes us to be that we may exploit and ‘take advantage of’ Him. Herein is love. This is the diagram of Love Himself, the inventor of all loves.

C. S. Lewis, *The Four Loves*, chap. 6