

This week at St. Andrew's

Thursday, July 14, 2022

Welcome to St. Andrew's Weekly E-mail Newsletter. In an effort to keep the congregation better informed we will be sending out this newsletter on Thursdays to cover events happening at the church through the following Wednesday. We hope you find it useful.



The Mission of St. Andrew's Parish is to worship God, grow in discipleship, and share Christ's love.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 2018

July 17, 2022

6 Pentecost

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman

Organist: Sean Fleming Choir Director: Linda Blanchard

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I (inside with masks)

Altar Guild: Ruth Piper

Intercessor/Eucharistic Minister: Terry Marsh

Lector: Brett Donham

<u>Ushers</u>: Laura Blanchard & Jim Swan <u>Vestry Announcer</u>: Terry Marsh

The worship booklet for the 8am Sunday service is available by clickinghere

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II (inside with masks)

Altar Guild: Judy Weislogel

Intercessor/Eucharistic Minister: Christine Benken

Lectors: Judy Weislogel & Steve Ward

Livestream Operator: Bill Judd

<u>Ushers</u>: Martha Dodge & Steve Ward <u>Vestry Announcer</u>: Christine Benken

The worship booklet for the 10am Sunday service is available by clickinghere

You can get to our Facebook page by clickinghere
You can get to our YouTube channel by clickinghere

You can get to our Website by clickinghere

Suzannah on vacation

Suzannah will return from vacation for this Sunday's services. Many thanks to John Van Siclen for filling in for her while she was away. For any pastoral needs, please contact the church office (207-563-3533). Please leave your message on line 0 or 1.

Readings for Sunday, July 17 can be found on the Lectionary Page website.

If you would like to access the website, please click here

Once you are at lectionarypage.net, you may choose NEW Resource: RCL Daily Readings. If you scroll to the bottom you can sign up to receive daily readings via your email.



Update on Marc Zoorob Scholarship Fund

Here are some words of gratitude from Marc and Ralph's father, Imad Zoorob, upon hearing the news about the magnitude of donations to Marc's scholarship fund.

"Now, you're telling me about the tuition campaign initiated by the wonderful people of Maine, mainly at St Andrew's church. What can I say? What should we say! We're really speechless, overwhelmed — again and again speechless. All that I can do at this point is to

thank God for his kindness and love, where it all started with the Shott's and then reached the church and the graceful parish of St Andrews... Thank you all so much for your generosity, enormous love and kindness towards my kids — most importantly on the social and spiritual level, where you all left me and Hind at ease that our kids have other families looking after them as their own."

The response from St. Andrew's parishioners in just three weeks has been very strong. With the total of parishioner donations reaching \$11,385 and a match from the Outreach Account of \$7,500, we already have met the immediate goal of covering Marc's first semester tuition and fees of \$15,000. Now we are making progress in covering the longer-term goal of raising \$30,000 for the full academic year. We will be assisted in this effort by support from sources outside St. Andrew's, such as the Diocese's "Lebanon to Lincoln Fund," a possible Lebanese benefit dinner later this summer and appeals to local people with ties to Lebanon.

But the generous response from St. Andrew's has been critical in creating momentum for this ongoing effort. Thanks to everyone who has already contributed and for those additional parishioners who are motivated to now do so. The Lord works in mysterious ways, indeed!

Frances Perkins play at Lincoln Theater this weekend

The play is called "The Only Woman in the Room", written and directed by Teralyn Reiter of Damariscotta, founder of StoryTale Theater. It depicts short scenes from Frances's life from childhood at the Brick House through her final speech to the assembled Department of Labor. The play was funded by a state grant and is endorsed and supported by the Frances Perkins Center.

It will be shown at Lincoln Theater as follows:
Friday July 15 at 7:30 PM
Saturday July 16 at 2 PM and 7:30 PM
Sunday July 17 at 2 PM
Tickets can be reserved by calling 563-3424 and are \$5 for youth; \$13 for LT members, and \$15 for adults

The cast of ten includes:
Octavia Aurora as Young Frances
TJ Aurora as Florence Kelley
Carole Florman as Miss Perkins (pre-Washington)
Ruth Monsell as Madam Secretary
Tom Handel as Mr. Graham, Justice Stone and Jack
and Ron Capps, Robyn Tarantino, Rachael Schuster, Honora Perkins, and Roma Hoyt who all play
multiple small roles

The play is performed without intermission and lasts about 1 1/2 hours. Tomlin Coggeshall, Chloe Maxim, and possibly some other notables will attend a performance. If you would like to read the press release, please click <u>here</u>

We're so pleased to have this opportunity to bring your Saint and our local superstar to the attention of more people.

Weekday Worship

Compline: Monday-Friday 9 PM

Zoom Meeting ID:

Wednesday Healing Service: Wednesdays at 10:00am

Meetings

Poetry Reading: 4PM Monday

Zoom Meeting ID:

Benedictine Group: 11:15 AM Wednesday

Zoom Meeting ID:

Knitting Group: 2-4pm Fridays AND 2-4pm Sundays on Zoom

All welcome: not necessary to be a knitter!

Zoom Meeting ID:



The Midcoast Area Church's Get-together!

The Midcoast Area churches (Area D) will be getting together for fun, fellowship and eating, on Sunday, July 24 from 3-7pm at Damariscotta Lake. Families of all sorts, please bring your games, food for your party- and some to share. The cost to get into the park is \$5 per Maine resident, but free if you are age 65 or older. For age 11 or younger the cost is \$1, and age 5 or younger is free.

Parking is limited later in the day so carpooling is a good idea. Entrance is free if you already have a State Park Pass!

Bring your musical instruments, your voices, and your hands so we can be the most raucous caucus in the Diocese of Maine. Come for the fellowship, stay for the fun! Rain Date will be July $31^{\text{St}}_!$

Questions? Please email Steve Ward: goldflake@icloud.com.

STURDY VOLUNTEER NEEDED AT THE EFP

A volunteer is needed to assist in getting the Ecumenical Food Pantry ready for opening on Tuesday mornings. The volunteer is needed from about 6:45 or 7:00 a.m. until about 8:30 or 9:00 a.m., and must be able to lift heavy boxes (30+ pounds).

If interested and willing, please contact co-manager Ellen Dickens at: eedickens@gmail.com or 207 563-1311.

Mask Update

The vestry met last week and discussed mask wearing at St. Andrew's. Because we are singing in church, the vestry decided to continue the mask wearing policy during worship. For all other meetings in the church building, masks will be optional unless the CDC deems our county to be in RED in which case masks will be required for all in the building. It was recommended that all meetings be held in the undercroft.

Coffee hours will now be able to return (in the undercroft) as we can now eat and drink in the building. If you are interested in hosting a coffee hour after the 8am or 10am service during the summer, please contact the church office at stasnew@tidewater.net.

2022 St. Giles' Country Fair

Saturday, July 30, 2022 10:00am - 2:00pm St. Giles Church, 72 Gardiner Rd, Jefferson

Attention crafters and those with items to sell or information to share!

Vendor tables are available for \$25. Please call 207-549-7872 by July 23 to reserve a table. Please leave your name and number for a call back.

Please send payment to St. Giles, PO Box 34, Jefferson, ME 04348

Intercessory Prayer List

"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words." (Romans 8:26)

We pray for those who are ill or with special needs:

Rob & Irma Hargreaves, Alan Hargreaves, Phil Bartley, Robert Hodge, Amanda Smith, Stephen Gorrill, Val Gorrill, Bob Gorrill, Ellen B., Allie, Anne Rossideas, Bruce Rinker, Virginia White, Felicia McAllister, Tom Sullivan, Todd, Donald Johnson Olderson, Tom Belanger, Dick, Catherine Fleming, Alex Place, Mark Place, Donna Badgley, Tyler, Bruce & Julie, Cynthia Troxel, Jane Ferris, Maureen McNiff, Geoff & Rachel Titherington, Sam Young, Brad & Tina Reynolds, Victoria, Robin Schneider, Matthew Schneider, Lorrie Buchanan, Jane Gear, Donna Fitch, Janice & Paul Roman, Bob Gault, David Harris, Katrina Wozich, Peter Blanchard

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