



This week at St. Andrew's

Thursday, October 19, 2023

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

21 Pentecost

October 22, 2023

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman

Organist: Sean Fleming

Choir Director: Linda Blanchard

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

Altar Guild: Ann Kash

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Ann Kash

Lector: Jim Swan

Usher: Kelley Kash

Vestry Announcer: Jim Swan

The worship booklet for the 8am Sunday service is available by clicking [here](#).

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II

Altar Guild: Sarah Houghton

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Sherrie Holbrook

Lectors: Martha Elliott & Brent Douglass

Ushers: Cindy Freese & Jennifer Meade

Livestream Operator: Bill Judd

Vestry Announcer: Kirk Holbrook

The worship booklet for the 10am Sunday service is available by clicking [here](#).

The 10am service will also be livestreamed to St. Andrew's Facebook page where it can be viewed live or from a recording.

You can get to our Facebook page by clicking [here](#)

You can get to our Website by clicking [here](#)

Memorial Service for Richard Miller

There will be a memorial service for Richard at St. Andrew's Church this Friday, October 20 at 2:00pm. There will be a reception immediately following the service.

A message of thanks from Byron Stuhlman

Dear friends,

I would like to extend my thanks and that of my family to everyone at St. Andrew's who has reached out to help during Hester's illness and at the time of her death and service.

First of all, my thanks to everyone who has provided me with food over the past year and for the reception after Hester's service. Liza Hall has not only provided food but cleaned the flower beds with her children and insisted on cleaning the house!

Then I would like to thank all those who visited Hester at the cottage: Suzannah, Karen Johnson and many parishioners. Your visits meant a lot to her and to me.

Finally, I would like to thank all who came to the service and who helped prepare it. Suzannah, Ann Kash and Sean put together the service and many people helped by proof-reading it. Thanks to the Bishop, Suzannah, Ben Cooke, Sean Fleming, Linda Blanchard, the choir, Lili Pugh, Laura Blanchard, Anne Jackson and Cynthia Freese, who had parts in the service, and to Ann and Kelley Kash who ushered and to Bill Judd who provided livestream support. Thanks to Brent Douglass who was ready to play for the service if necessary. Thanks also to Ruth Piper who organized the reception.

We have been coming to St. Andrew's since 1969 and it has been a wonderfully supportive community over the years.

*With gratitude,
Byron Stuhlman for the family*

Music Note for Sunday

Guilmant's first organ sonata was one of two sonatas that Guilmant later arranged for orchestra. I will play the second movement at the 10:00 service this Sunday, October 22. This movement is based around a melody that begins with an ascending scale in the right hand and is then echoed in the left hand. The melody recurs at various points throughout the movement, played on various manuals, with varying tonal colors. - Sean Fleming



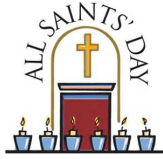
Contemplative Knitting Workshop at St. Andrew's Church Saturday, October 28, 9:00am - 3:00pm

Together with Julie Cicora, author of the book *Contemplative Knitting*, please join us at St. Andrew's for a day-long retreat to explore the connection between knitting and crocheting with prayer/meditation. Julie Cicora is a retired Episcopal Priest who loves to knit! You can learn more about her by going to her YouTube channel "Contemplative Knitting"

The cost for the day is \$25 with all proceeds going to St. Andrew's Outreach Partners. Please bring your lunch. Water, coffee and tea will be provided. To sign up or for more information, please email Laurie Gray. To view the poster, please click [here](#)

Holy Women, Holy Men Teresa of Avila Mystic and Monastic Reformer

On almost every day of the year, the Episcopal Church honors faithful followers of Jesus who went before us. Every Wednesday at St. Andrew's during our Healing Eucharist, we remember one of more of these Holy Men and Women. We take time to remember these people for three important reasons. First, they deserve to be remembered. The people chosen for our calendar are remembered because they were particularly remarkable followers of Jesus. The second reason we remember them is because in remembering we are connected to Christians throughout time. And last but not least, we remember them because in remembering we can learn how to be better followers of Jesus in our day and time.



All Saints' Day Remembrances

St. Andrew's will be celebrating All Saints' Day on Sunday, November 5. If you would like to have a loved one remembered in the prayers on that Sunday, please contact the church office with the name(s) by Tuesday, October 31. Please contact the office with any questions (207-563-3533 or stasnew@tidewater.net)



Altar Flowers

If you are interested in giving Sunday flowers in memory or thanksgiving for a loved one, please contact Sally Pearce to arrange the date you would prefer. You may choose type and/or color of the flowers and the flower guild will arrange for them. The cost is \$60/Sunday.

Coffee Hour

There are opportunities this fall to host coffee hours after the 8am and 10am Sunday services. The sign-up sheet is by the kitchen in the undercroft. If you are interested and have never hosted before, or would like to sign up via email, please contact Jim Swan or Sara Sandberg

Weekday Worship

Compline: Monday-Friday 9 PM
Zoom Meeting

Wednesday Healing Service: Wednesdays at 10:00am

Meetings

Benedictine Group: 11:15 AM Wednesday
Zoom Meeting

Knitting Group: 2-4pm Fridays
All welcome: knitters, non-knitters and everything in between.
Meeting in the Undercroft unless otherwise announced.

Maine Friends of Music performance Saturday, October 21 at 3:00pm at the Farnsworth Museum in Rockland



Back by popular demand, Maine Friends of Music, a professional chamber ensemble composed of renowned soprano Mary Sullivan, flutist Linda Brunner, bassoonist David DeBolt, and keyboardist Sean Fleming, will perform at the Farnsworth Museum in Rockland on Saturday, Oct. 21 at 3:00 PM. The program will feature music by Donizetti, Handel, Rossini, Mozart, Cherubini, Puccini, Floyd, and more. As a special treat, the humorous "Stay With Me" will be performed from P.D.Q. Bach's opera parody "The Abduction of Figaro." Admission is free to museum visitors. For more information, please call David DeBolt at 207-644-0066, or 304-989-2526, or visit www.mainefriendsofmusic.com or www.facebook.com/mainefriendsofmusic.

Maine Friends of Music specializes in quick-paced programs that create interesting listening experiences, with a variety of tone, colors, and styles. Much of the ensemble's repertoire features a mixture of classic eighteenth-century Baroque selections, including works by Bach, Mozart, and Beethoven, as well as twentieth century composers such as Debussy, Hindemith, Vaughan-Williams, and Koechlin. New music written for the Maine Friends of Music concerts by crossover classical/jazz composer Bill Douglas, as well as material composed by Bernard Garfield, David DeBolt, and Sean Fleming expands the ensemble's

repertoire further. "Imagination and adaptation are twin themes that inspire the annual concerts by the Maine Friends of Music, one of the state's most unusual performing ensembles. I've attended for the past two years, and I've been thoroughly delighted by the repertoire that's presented with enthusiasm and flair." (Scott Andrews, Times Record, Brunswick, ME).

Living in Unprecedented Times: Perspectives on Climate Change

Sunday, October 29 at 3:00pm at the Inn Along the Way
741 Main Street, Damariscotta

Inn Along the Way presents part two of its challenging conversation series with a panel discussion on community resiliency, moderated by Steve Ward. For more information, please visit their website at www.innalongtheway.org. You may also click [here](#) to view the event poster.

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, Nathan Hargreaves, Phil Bartley, Stephen Gorrill, Val Gorrill, Ellen B., Allie, Anne Rossideas, Bruce Rinker, Felicia McAllister, Tom Sullivan, Todd, Donald Johnson Olderson, Tom Belanger, Dick, Catherine Fleming, Tyler & Christine, Bruce & Julie, Cynthia Troxel, Jane Ferris, Janice & Paul Roman, Bob Gault, Beth, Shelby Owen, Peter Blanchard

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