

This week at St. Andrew's

Thursday, June 27, 2024

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

June 30, 2024

6th Sunday after Pentecost

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. John Van Siclen

Altar Guild: Ruth Piper

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Ann Kash

<u>Lector</u>: Brett Donham <u>Usher</u>: Kelley Kash

Vestry Announcer: Kelley Kash

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

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II with Music

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. John Van Siclen

Organist: Sean Fleming

Choir Director: Linda Blanchard

Guest Musician: David DeBolt, bassoon

Altar Guild: Judy Weislogel

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Christine Benken

<u>Lectors</u>: Martha Dodge & Judy Weislogel <u>Ushers</u>: Jennifer Meade & Martha Dodge

<u>Livestream Operator</u>: Bill Judd <u>Vestry Announcer</u>: Kirk Holbrook

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

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 clickinghere You can get to our Website by clickinghere

Suzannah on Vacation

Suzannah will be on vacation beginning Monday, June 17 and will return to work on Monday, July 15. While she is away, please call the church office (563-3533) with any pastoral care needs. The Rev. John Van Siclen and the Rev. Karen Johnson will be filling in for Suzannah on the Sundays she is away.

There will be no Wednesday services until July 17.

Parish Needs Discernment Committee

We want to hear from you!

The PNDC has conducted several focus group sessions, and while we have heard from many, we want to ensure everyone can be heard. The purpose of the project is to set the vision of St. Andrew's for the next 5-10 years to determine the need, scope, and size of a possible capital campaign in the future. Please help us identify the needs, desires, and priorities of the parish membership.

If you have not already participated in one of the focus group sessions, please attend one of the scheduled sessions below.

Sunday, June 30, after the 8 am service Sunday, July 7, after the 10 am service Sunday, July 21, after the 10 am service Sunday, July 28, after the 8 am service

We will meet in the library and start approximately 15 minutes after each service. Your voice is important! Please help us with this exciting step in forwarding St. Andrew's mission. -Kelley Kash

Musical Guests for Sundays this summer

Thank you to David DeBolt for his offerings of music for the Sunday, June 30 10:00 service.

Here is a list of the guests who will present music at the St. Andrew's 8:00 and 10:00 services between now and Sept. 1. Please mark these on your calendar so that you don't miss these special offerings of music! - Sean Fleming

June 30 - David DeBolt, bassoon (10:00)

July 7 - Tim Badgley, baritone (8:00), John David Adams, bass-baritone (10:00)

July 14 - Maine Friends of Music (10:00)

July 21 - Amanda-Joyce Abbott, soprano (10:00)

July 28 - Castlebay (10:00)

Aug. 4 - Tim Badgley (8:00 and 10:00)

Aug. 11, 18, 25 - Brent Douglass, organ (10:00)

Sept. 1 - Brent Douglass, organ (8:00 and 10:00)

Haiti Fund Message

For the next month, our Lincoln County group is trying to raise money to feed the children in the Gros Morne schools including the two Episcopal schools. Although the gangs in the capital have closed and ransacked many schools in the capital to the south, Gros Morne's schools have been kept running. Food, however, is short. Gang blockades of the main roads have made food transportation difficult and traditional suppliers like the World Food Program have suspended support. If you will make out a check to St. Andrew's Church with Haiti Fund on the memo line, we will send the funds to our friends in Gros Morne for distribution. Sister Pat Dillon has written a letter with more information. Please click here to read her letter.

Many thanks,

Frazier Meade

EarthKeepers Potluck and Book Discussion

The Earthkeepers are planning to kick off the Season of Creation on Sept. 8 with a (Second Annual!) meatless potluck after the 10am service. In addition to tasty salads, pastas, desserts, and veggie dishes, there will be some food for thought in a short discussion on the book *Not the End of the World* by Hannah Ritchie. There will be a copy of this in the church library, or you can order one for yourself. It is a hopeful look at the climate crisis. As the Season of Creation gets closer, we'll have more dates. For now, we hope you put Sept. 8th on your calendar. It was a very enjoyable event last year.

St. Andrew's Church Calendar



St. Andrew's Church calendar is available online. If you would like to access it, please click <u>here</u>

Weekday Worship

Compline: Monday-Friday 8:30 PM

Zoom Meeting

Wednesday Healing Service: Wednesdays at 10:00am

Please Note - The next Wednesday service will be held on July 17 when Suzannah is back from vacation.

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.

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 Roman, Bob Gault, Beth, Shelby Owen, Peter Blanchard, Dennis C., Allison Rose, Drew Haven, Emily Goodspeed, Anne Ogden.

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Clerk: Terry Marsh - Treasurer: Mark Freese
Organist: Sean Fleming - Choir Director: Linda Blanchard
Parish Administrator: Ann Kash
Ministers: All Members of the Parish

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