



This week at St. Andrew's

Thursday, January 9, 2025

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

January 12, 2025

1 Epiphany

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman

Organist: Sean Fleming

Altar Guild: Laura Blanchard

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Ann Kash

Lector: Laura Blanchard

Usher: Kelley Kash

Vestry Announcer: Kelley Kash

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

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman

Organist: Sean Fleming

Choir Director: Linda Blanchard

Altar Guild: Judy Weislogel

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Lili Pugh

Lectors: Martha Elliott & Judy Weislogel

Livestream Operator: Bill Judd

Ushers: Martha Dodge & Ed Ross

Vestry Announcer: Alex Pugh

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

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Brett Donham lecture series: Caravaggio: Preacher with Paint

In January and February parishioner Brett Donham will be giving 4 lectures under the auspices of Coastal Senior College at St. Andrew's Church. These are slide lectures and they will take place from 10:00 to 11:00 AM Wednesday mornings on 22 and 29 January and 5 and 12 February.

The title of the series is **Caravaggio: Preacher with Paint**. The subject matter is Caravaggio's Biblical paintings. He was the finest painter of the late Italian Renaissance and had a revolutionary "take" on the Bible stories we all know. Members of the Parish are welcome to attend.



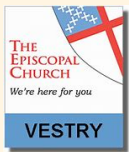
Sunday Altar Flowers

If you are interested in giving flowers for the altar on a particular Sunday during the year, in memory or thanksgiving for loved ones or friends, please contact Sally Pearce or the church office (stasnew@tidewater.net)

Holy Women, Holy Men Hilary of Poitiers, Bishop

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.

This week we remember Hilary of Poitiers. Please click [here](#) to learn more about him.



Vestry Meeting Minutes

If you would like to read the vestry meeting minutes from the November 26 vestry meeting, please click [here](#). They are also posted on the bulletin board just inside the ramp door.

First Sunday Plate Outreach Recipient for January: Haiti

Thanks to your generous donations last Sunday, St. Andrew's was able to give \$339 to the Haiti Fund to help support the Haitian villages of Gros Morne and Figaro.



St. Andrew's Church Calendar

St. Andrew's Church calendar is available online. If you would like to access it, please click [here](#)

Snowy Weather

In case of snowy weather, please check your email or the church phone message (563-3533) for any service changes due to the weather.



Weekday Worship

Compline: Monday-Friday 8:30 PM
Zoom Meeting

Wednesday Healing Service: Wednesdays at 11:30am

Meetings

Benedictine Group: 10:00 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.

St. Andrew's Choir Rehearsal: Thursdays at 7:00pm. Please contact the choir director, Linda Blanchard

or the organist, Sean Fleming if you are interested in more information about the choir.

**On the Threshold of the New Tomorrow:
A retreat on lessons from 5 years in the Covid era**

February 7-9, 2025
The Carpenter's Boatshop Pemaquid, ME

For more information, please click [here](#) to view the poster or visit the website:
journeytowardlight.com/threshold

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, Val Gorrill, Tom Belanger, Dick, Tyler & Christine, Bruce & Julie, Cynthia Troxel, Nathan Hargreaves, Janice Roman, Beth, Dennis C., Drew Havens, Emily Goodspeed, Anne Ogden, Tony Sousa, Joanne Sousa, Ian J., Emily Goodchild, Jean Donaldson, Lee & Mike.

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Senior Warden: Sara Sandberg - Junior Warden: Kelley Kash
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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