

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 18, 2017 ST. MARTHA'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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HYMNS FOR TODAY		
Processional	376	Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
Gradual	391	Before the Lord's Eternal Throne
Choir Anthem	"Come, Christians, Join to Sing" – Lantz	
Communion	321	My God, Thy Table Now is Spread
Closing	539	O Zion, Haste

THE COMMUNITY OF ST. MARTHA'S PRAYER LIST

Diane Gay, Joe Reardon, Bill Martens, Pauline Wise, Charlotte Sears, Jim Moore, Anne Parler, Richard Jesnick, Bob Davis, Laura Britnall, Sherri Bell, Michael Wilkinson, Wes Geer, Kevin Ruane, Will Brintnall, Sara Suerose, Ken McDivitt, Fraser Prescott, Fred Custance, Brenda T, Kathy Mahar, Quinn Barber, Nolan Prescott, Don Crist, Hubert Riland, Frank Menditto, Michael Davis, Crystal Murray, Art Johnson, James Hoyt, Brenda Tunis, Daniel Tanner, Ela Radojevic, Ginny King, Roy Schrupf, Carol Kester, Jane Ruane, Shawn, Shelly Rosen, Katherine Morris, The Harkin Family, Karen Thunberg, Hugh Long, Joann Long, Katherine Hobbs, Amy & Kevin, Terri Twardesky, Larry Ringer, Bethany Sandone, Bob Bauer, John McCloud, Kristin, Lois Allen, Jack Carney, Charlotte Cornell, JoAnn Cooper

THE DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE: Pray for Episcopal Churchwomen of Delaware, Elizabeth FitzPatrick, President

THE ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER: Pray for Northern Territory, Queensland, Australia The Rt Revd Greg Anderson

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH OF MEXICO: Pray Calvary Church, Los Reyes Acozac The Rev. Jorge Ramirez

COFFEE HOUR: hosting for after the 8am service is Wincy Jackson

HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT ST. MARTHA'S

Sunday June 18

8am Holy Eucharist

915am Choir Rehearsal

10am Holy Eucharist with Music

Monday June 19

8am AA

7pm GA

7pm Vestry Mtg.

Tuesday June 20

8am AA

Wednesday June 21

8am AA and Noon

1pm Bell Choir

7pm Choir

Thursday June 22

8am AA

5-8pm Int'l

Students' Picnic

Friday June 23

8am AA

Saturday June 24

8am AA

THE 12TH ANNUAL ST MARTHA'S INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS WELCOME PICNIC IS ON 22 JUNE FROM 5 PM TO 8 PM ... INVITE EVERY STUDENT YOU MEET ... BRING YOUR FAVORITE HOMEMADE DISH FOR THEM TO TRY! Enjoy the energy and hopes for the future radiated by these students! All are in college or grad school. To get here they passed language and security tests and paid their own way. Annually over 50 parishioners volunteer to put on this picnic, which we expect will draw over 100 students this year. All are welcome to drop by to greet students but we do ask parishioners not eat until it is clear we have enough food for the students. **PLEASE DROP YOUR HOMEMADE DISH IN THE PARISH HALL BETWEEN 3 – 4:45 PM ON 22 JUNE, AND NO WORRIES IF YOU DELIVER A LITTLE LATER BECAUSE OF YOUR WORK SCHEDULE!** All your appetizers, hearty salads, fruit platters and deserts are welcome and urgently needed. St Martha's provides hot dogs and hamburgers. This year local employers of students are also donating American style main dish items. Contact Bill Gay, Jere Wise, Martha Fields, or Al Thomas for more info.

INDEPENDENCE DAY INDOOR PICNIC and WATCH FIREWORKS: Come join friends of St Martha's to celebrate the 4th of July at an indoor picnic. We will provide grilled burgers and hot dogs. Sign up to bring a cover dish. Dessert will also be provided. Bring the family and if you have family or friends visiting bring them along. After supper gather on the deck to watch the fireworks. Sign-up sheet is in the social Hall. Hope you can join in celebrating the 4th. Any questions call Pat Long 539-3021.

THE REV. MARY LOUISE ALLEN will resume teaching a class known as “So You Want to Know About the Episcopal Church” after the Int’l Students’ Picnic and the Bishop Candidates Walkabout. Class starts again July 6th and continue Thursdays beginning at 7pm and follow on a weekly schedule.

LAYREADERS, SERVERS, ACOLYTES, POPS, GREETERS, USHERS, ALTAR GUILD, TELLERS:									
June 18	READER 1	READER 2/EM2	SERVER/EM 1	ACOLYTE	POP	GREETERS	USHERS	ALTAR GUILD	TELLERS
8am	John Robbert	Harry Adams	Dave Moore	Dave Moore	Jane Robbert	Lucy Michaels	R & T Steen	B Palmer Lanny Moore	
10am	J Shubert	Tom Mieszala	Eric West	Eric West	J Shubert	Carl & Sue Mantegna	H & N Rojewski	Dottie Barber Bev Shubert	H Rojewski Bill Freund

The Bishop Search site is now a part of the diocesan website and can be found at this

URL: <https://dioceseofdelaware.net/bishopsearch/>. Be sure to follow the link and check out each of the five candidates for Bishop of Delaware.

PRAYER FOR THE DIOCESE OF DELAWARE DURING OUR SEARCH FOR THE 11TH BISHOP: *In your Name, Lord Jesus, the community that is the Diocese of Delaware has been raised up and has flourished. We pray that in our day we as a Diocese may continue to be a sign of your presence in this State, a people devoted to You, and willing agents of your peace. In this time of transition as we seek a new bishop, help us to discern your will for us, to receive with joy and grace those who offer themselves to the election process, and to celebrate the episcopal ministry we have been given and that which is yet to come. Give us open and gracious hearts, patience with one another, and joy in anticipation. Lord Jesus Christ be with us in these days, as you are with us always, for You, with the Creator and the Holy Spirit, are one, Our God, now and forever. Amen*