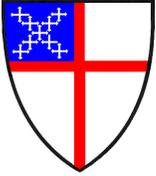


Glad Tidings

October 2018



ST. ANTONY OF EGYPT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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The Rev. Bill Fulton, Vicar

The Rev. Bill Thaete, Deacon



Vicar's Voice

As the completion of our new building approaches, we're eagerly anticipating what it will be like in our new facility. What will the parking be like? What will it feel like when we enter the front door? How will the chairs be arranged in the nave? It's exciting to think about.

The Bishop's Committee is also pondering other unknowns, such as the cost of utilities in the new building. Undoubtedly there will be some efficiencies in using the latest technology, but the fact is that a larger facility will probably cost more to heat, clean and protect than our current facility. And most likely there will be costs for things we hadn't anticipated. In addition, we will be carrying a mortgage that will add to our overall budget.

So our pledge campaign this fall takes on some urgency as we strive to plan our budget for next year. I have no doubt that we will rise to the occasion, but this year especially we need to focus on our projected income and expenses.

In order to get started on our pledge campaign, we're having a Kickoff Celebration on Wednesday, October 17. We'll start at 6:00 pm with some relaxed social time with beverages and light snacks, followed by one of Jim Foley's crisp, informative presentations on the proposed budget. As always, Jim crunches a complex budget into bite-size pieces that we can all take in.

I hope you'll consider coming to this event and I hope you'll think about making a pledge to St. Antony's for 2018. By prayerfully filling out a pledge card with your best estimate on your giving for next year, you will help us make our budget as realistic as possible.

The standard of giving in the Episcopal Church, as defined by General Convention, is the tithe, ten percent of one's income. For many people that's not possible, but it's healthy to work towards it. I had to work up to a tithe over many years, but this year I am giving \$512 a month for my pledge and \$120 a month to the building fund, which adds up to ten per cent of my monthly income. I will increase my pledge for next year for any additional amount I receive.

May God bless our work together as a church family and provide us with the means to carry out our mission: "Gather, Grow, and Go!"

*The mission of St. Antony's is to be a loving and welcoming people
who worship God, grow in Christ, and serve others.
Gather, Grow, and Go!*

New facilities

Every time I visit the new church building I am impressed with the work completed and at the same time frustrated with the delays that have occurred. At a recent meeting with the contractor I received an updated construction schedule. In the next few weeks many activities will happen that will show real progress. All the utilities are facilitated and or installed. The doors are finally going to arrive and that will allow the siding to be completed. The electrical work has begun. The entry sidewalks have been poured. Work to finish the parking areas will begin soon. And very exciting is the completion of the Event Shelter. Wow it is fantastic! The roofing should be completed by the time you are reading this note. There are so many opportunities for using the Event Shelter. Please share your ideas for using the shelter. I am happy the Peter Stockwell is sharing the photos of the church in weekly Happenings. It allows everyone to see the new building even if you can't actually visit the site.

I will try to keep you updated and the work progresses.

John Stockwell

Outreach

The Outreach Committee provided Back packs to Woodland And Armin Jay Schools

The committee voted to provide \$200.00 to Kitsap Community Resources Energy Assistance Program. The Kitsap Community Resources Energy Assistance Program assists income-eligible renters and homeowners by providing financial assistance to pay their electric, natural gas, and heating bills.

The congregation provided 753 Lbs. of food to the CK Food Bank in September next food drive is October 7th.

This is the time of year to reduce some of your unneeded clothes for adults and children. The Outreach committee would like to suggest you donate the items to Stand-up for Kids (children and teens who are homeless) and "Priscilla's pants" (not just pants), now run by Chelsea. In need for the cooler temps arriving would be coats, boots, sweaters, sweatshirts, pants, hats, gloves, etc. Containers for both charities can be found in the Narthex.

Blaine Morgan
Outreach Commissioner

Making the Fiscal Dream a Reality

The autumnal equinox is one of my favorite times of the year. It brings a change in seasons that is spectacular to watch, with all the varied colors of the leaves. It's when farmers harvest their crops and ready their fields for the next year.

Similarly, it is time for our church to begin it's stewardship drive and prepare for the coming fiscal year. This year brings exciting change as we prepare to move into our new church building and property. But, it will not be without a different set of financial and participation challenges.

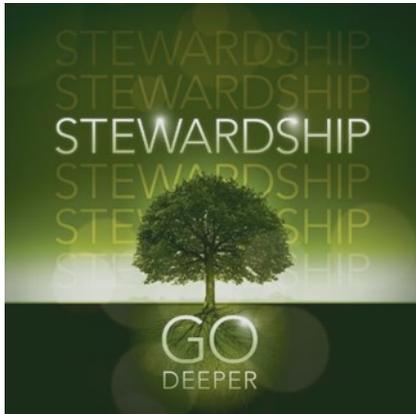
To better assist with our stewardship drive, and to update everyone on our financial position and future, the Bishop's Committee and I feel it best to give the annual Treasurer's Report now, rather than wait for the annual meeting. Please join us Wednesday, October 17 at 7pm for a presentation and discussion about our fiscal future, stewardship, and time & talent opportunities in the new church. There will be a social hour in the parish hall prior to the meeting starting at 6pm.

I look forward to seeing you there!

Jim Foley
St Antony's Treasurer

Making the Fiscal Dream a Reality!

2019 Stewardship Campaign



Kickoff Celebration
Wednesday, October 17th
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
St. Antony's Parish Hall

**** fabulous hors d'oeuvres ** wine & assorted
beverages ** door prizes ** fun people ****

**** 2019 preliminary budget preview ****



**Kairos Prison Ministry
International**

Thank you to everyone who has signed up to support Kairos through the prayer vigil.

If you have not signed up yet, there is still time. Here is a little more information. Each Kairos weekend runs on prayer. We have a prayer support team that prays over each speaker before and again after their talk or meditation. This team also prays over every prayer request they receive (regardless of whether it comes from a team member or a participant) throughout the weekend. There is also a prayer vigil. These are people outside the prison who select a time to pray for the program, the participants, the institution, and the team. These prayers are offered from wherever they happen to be at the time they selected. Our goal is to cover the entire 4 days in prayer. I hope you will help. The prayer vigil sign-up will be available in the Narthex from Labor Day until Sunday October 14.

Charles Smith

From the Altar/Flower Guild:

You have always been generous in providing us with the money we need for Altar Flowers and Sanctuary lamps. I would like, however, to draw your attention to the fact that we have no sign-ups for Altar flowers for October and few thereafter. We thought that may be it would be helpful for those who are not familiar with our sign-up procedure to explain how we handle this.

As you enter the Narthex, you will find to your left a lectern with not only the Prayer request sheet but also an attractive three ring binder. Inside you will see the Altar flower monthly calendar, put your name and occasion down for the date you would like to reserve and follow the simple instructions in the inside cover of this binder. The envelopes you will use to put your check are in there too. Finally, please place the envelope in the offering plate. The second half of the binder has the calendar for Sanctuary Lamps. The cost for the Sanctuary lamps is \$10.00. The suggested amount for Altar flowers is \$40.00. Our flower ministry means a lot!

Thank you very much.
Caroline Hoag



HOSPITALITY COMMISSION

On Wednesday, October 17th the Bishop's Committee will be presenting an informative and interesting time of our financial overview and details for our church. Everyone is invited (and encouraged) to attend if at all possible. The social hour will begin at 6:00 pm in the parish hall followed by the meeting at 7:00 pm. Our Bishop's Committee is looking forward to offering you a well structured and timely presentation.

Hope to see you all there. Wednesday, October 17, 2018/ 6:00 pm
Social Hour, 7:00 meeting.

Tovi Andrews
Hospitality Commissioner

Come
experience God's
unconditional love

See
how God's healing
power and love
transform you

The Cursillo Ministry
in the Diocese
of Olympia



Go
live out
your baptismal vows

Tell
the story
of your faith

Come and See... Go and Tell/Cursillo offers an experience of spiritual renewal. Guests will experience God's unconditional love while deepening their understanding of Jesus' teachings. Stories of faith presented on the weekend encourage living out our baptismal covenant in the world. Guest cost of \$100 includes all retreat materials, all meals and snacks and 2 night's lodging. The dates are October 19-21, 2018 at Dumas Bay Centre, Federal Way. For additional weekend information and an application, visit www.olycursillo.org.

The deadline to sign up is October 5!

God's Garden ...

An Update on the Journey

Over August and September, three meetings were held to discuss God's Garden. This is only a temporary name but allowed the groups to broaden their creative thoughts beyond 'memorial garden.' Although many concerns and issues were discussed and captured for future planning, the main drive of the meetings was to explore how the garden could be used by Saint Antony's church family and surrounding community. This is the list of usage ideas developed:

Quiet Meditation	Communing with God
Seeking Peace & Tranquility	Remembrance of People
Remembrance of Church Journey	Feel God's Love in Nature
To Smile & Feel Gratitude	Interment of Ashes
Weddings & Marriage Renewals	Funerals
Baptisms	Stations of the Cross
Blessing of the Animals	Wednesday Eucharist
Lighting of Pascal File & Candle	Contemplative Prayer Service
Palm Sunday Procession	Growing Altar Flowers
Committee Meetings	Church Socials
Support Seeds of Grace Program	Maundy Thursday service – after altar is cleared, process to garden, symbolic of Jesus' journey to the Garden of Gethsemane

These ideas are exciting and would make God's Garden an integral part of our worship, fellowship, and growth in Christ. While exciting, a garden of this purposeful flexibility would require support from the church family. No matter how carefully it is designed, it would necessitate the sweat equity of our people to maintain.

The next step in God's Garden journey is to quantify the support that could be expected in the maintenance of the garden. This understanding will allow us to scale the size and use of the garden, and, I believe, discern God's will in this endeavor. To accomplish gaining this understanding, a questionnaire will be distributed to the congregation in October. The questionnaire will ask you to examine your feelings, provide feedback, and, if possible commit time to the garden.



In every walk with nature one receives far more than he seeks.

John Muir, Environmentalist



As the emphasis on lay ministry has grown, lay people often face the difficult task of figuring out how their spiritual gifts can be of use in their faith community. Education for Ministry (EfM) provides an opportunity to explore theology and church history as well as closely study the Old and New Testaments in a small seminar environment. We also focus on the art of theological reflection, a discernment tool which draws from our life experiences as well as our culture and our faith to lead us toward new insights, implications, and actions for ministry.

I would like to begin an EfM class in January 2019, once we're in our new church. The class meets once a week for 36 weeks—time and day to be decided by participants—for about 2 ½ hours. The entire EfM program is a four-year journey, but participants need only commit for a year at a time. If you think you might be interested in learning more about EfM or joining our seminar, please talk to me during coffee hour or give me a call. My contact information is in the current directory.

Cris McCarty



Kairos Prison Ministry International, Inc.
Special Guest Speaker



Please join us **Saturday, October 20th from 9:30 - 11:30 am** at Mukilteo Presbyterian Church 4514 8th St SW Mukilteo, WA (425-355-2802)

All Kairos volunteers are invited as well as the entire community at large. The event will be an overview of Kairos, an invitation to join us as a volunteer, and a free will offering. Breakfast beverages and food items provided. Please invite everyone and anyone you know that would be interested in learning more about Kairos Prison Ministry.

Evelyn Lemly is the CEO of Kairos Prison Ministry International, where she has been a catalyst for positive change since January 2013. Evelyn embraces a vision and makes it reality through her sound decision making. She is an inspirational leader respected for her incredible work ethic and integrity. Evelyn earns a seat at the table wherever she serves.

Under her leadership the ministry currently serves in nearly 500 institutions and communities throughout the world sharing God's love and forgiveness to those affected by incarceration.

Evelyn's experience spans the corporate and nonprofit ministry sectors in areas of executive leadership, strategic planning, program and business development, fundraising, marketing and communications including brand innovation, creative development and media relations. Her passion for the ministry is demonstrated by her tireless work on behalf of men, women, youth and their families affected by incarceration. She serves on the advisory board and is Treasurer of the Correctional Ministries and Chaplain Association. She also serves in the Lausanne Correctional Ministries Leaders Group and on the advisory board of The Institute for Prison Ministries, a department of the Billy Graham Center for Evangelism at Wheaton College. She participates and hosts the Fourth Day Ministries annual forum and also serves as Secretary on the Executive committee of COPE, the Coalition of Prison Evangelist. She is a supportive and active leader in her church.

Evelyn earned her Bachelor of Science degree from North Carolina State University and her MBA from Columbia Business School at Columbia University in New York. **Evelyn Lemly, Chief Executive Officer, evelyn@kpmi.org** For more information please contact Jerry Wilson, State Chapter Chair Kairos of Washington State jjcwilson@frontier.com or 425-879-4422.



October Birthdays

1	Linda Robuck
2	Ed Segrist
3	Chris Crowson
	Blaine Morgan
10	Jim Smith
	Gary Hicks
	Don Taylor
12	Laurie Wagner
14	Pam Morton
15	Matt Grubb
22	Dallas Feenstra
24	Laurel Rogers
26	Marty Whitaker
	Pat Reese
28	Nick Rivers
31	Helen Gray



October Anniversaries

7	Nick & Carrie Rivers
11	Nick & Emily Nickerson
24	David & Gail Ferguson

Deadline for the November Glad Tidings is **Tuesday, October 23** at 10 am.
Please send all submissions to:
stantonysilverdale@gmail.com. Thank you.



Larry & Kathy Little
711 Governor Stevens Avenue, SE
Olympia WA 98501

(Please make a note in your directory.)

Want to become a new member?

If you would like to become a new member, please see Fr. Bill or the secretary, Linda Robuck.

If you would like to receive St. Antony's announcements and newsletters by email, let us know that also, or you can sign up on our website: www.saintantonys.org

Financial Report			Account Balances	
August *Preliminary *		Year-to-date		
Operating Income	\$15,387.00	\$144,031.75	Local Checking	\$373,876.97
Operating Expenses	\$17,252.23	\$137,268.93	Local Savings	\$24,139.90
Net in July	\$(1,865.23)	\$6,762.82	Diocesan Investment Funds	\$225,534.83
			Total	\$623,551.70

October 2018 Schedule

JOBS	October 7 St. Francis of Assisi Blessing of the Animals	October 14 21st Sunday after Pentecost/ Proper 23	October 21 22nd Sunday after Pentecost / Proper 24	October 28 23rd Sunday after Pentecost/ Proper 25
EM 7:30 am	John Teller	Ruth Lindstrum	Bill Thaete	Donna Hilton
LC/OT & NT 7:30 am	Norma Tipton	Donna Hilton	John Teller	Norma Tipton
GREETER 7:30 am	Jim Smith	Darrow L.	Jacque Walker	John & Jane Teller
EM 9 am	Shane Carlson	Peter Stockwell	Chelsea Reeder	Declan Jarry
LC/OT 9 am	Jim Foley	Declan Jarry	Gail Campbell-Ferguson	Cris McCarty
LC/NT 9 am	Karen Grubb	Stu Smith	Matt Grubb	David Wilkinson
ACOLYTES 9 am	Kate Z. Charles S.	Declan J. Chelsea R. Cris McCarty	Jason W. Christina W. Benjamin W.	Charles S. Caiden C. Christina M.
GREETER 9 am	Suzanne Brock	Nancy Landenberger	Tovi Andrews	Carole Nau
USHER 9 am	Mark Westin	David & Carolyn Sorrell	David & Carolyn Sorrell	Dave & Jan Peterson
COUNTERS	Jim Foley Chris Crowson	Bill Cleveland Jacque Walker	Heidi Feenstra-Wilson Norma Tipton	David Wilkinson Bill Cleveland
COFFEE HOUR	Lea Gray	Sandy Stockwell	Amy Wentworth	Carmen Morris
Eucharistic Visitors	Beth R. / Carolyn Seg.	Carolyn Seg. / Declan J.	Loretta M. / Barbara H.	None scheduled
1st LESSON	Job 1:1; 2:1-10	Job 23:1-9, 16-17	Job 38:1-7, 34-41	Job 42:1-6, 10-17
PSALM	Psalm 26	Psalm 22:1-15	Psalm 104:1-9, 25, 37b	Psalm 34:1-8, 19-22
2nd LESSON	Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12	Hebrews 4:12-16	Hebrews 5:1-10	Hebrews 7:23-28
GOSPEL	Mark 10:2-16	Mark 10:17-31	Mark 10:35-45	Mark 10:46-52

Roster of Volunteers for Services

If you cannot serve on your assigned Sunday, please call someone from this list.
(A strike through a name means they are not available now but will be back.)

LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	GREETERS	COUNTERS	USHERS	ACOLYTES
7:30 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	Bill Cleveland A	Shane and Allison C.	Caiden C.
Donna Hilton	Donna Hilton	Donna Hilton	Chris Crowson B	Chris Crowson	Carleton M.
Ruth Lindstrum	Ruth Lindstrum	Darrow Lindstrum	Jim Foley A	Ray Flagg	Declan Jarry
Elizabeth Moorhead	Elizabeth Moorhead	Jim Smith	Norma Tipton B	Pete Morris	Cris McCarty
John Teller	Bill Reeder	John & Jane Teller	Jacque Walker B	Dave & Jan Peterson	Christina M.
Norma Tipton	Charles Smith	Jacque Walker	David Wilkinson A	Ed Segrist	Chelsea R.
Mardi Dawson (sub)	John Teller		Heidi Feenstra-Wilson A	Dave & Carolyn Sorrell	Mackenzie W.
	Bill Thaete			Mark Westin	Benjamin W.
9 AM	9 AM	9 AM	A - computer		Christina W.
Shane Carlson	Shane Carlson	Tovi Andrews	B - non computer		Jason W.
Gail C- Ferguson	Declan Jarry	Suzanne Brock			Aina Z.
Elizabeth Flagg	Chelsea Reeder	Allison Carlson			Kate Z.
Jim Foley	Charles Smith	Ray & Elizabeth Flagg			
Matt & Karen Grubb	Peter Stockwell	Liz Haney			
Declan Jarry	Bill Thaete	Nancy Ladenberger			
Cris McCarty		Carole Nau			
Ed & Carolyn Segrist		Malcolm & Sylvia (substitute)			
Stu Smith					
David Wilkinson					
Michael Wentworth					

October 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 3:30 pm Outreach Mtg.	2 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 6pm Scouts	3 9 am Morning Prayer _Bishop's Leadership	4 7:00 pm Building Committee Mtg. Conference _____	5 Vicar's Day Off	6 1-6 pm Writing Group
7 In-gathering Food Bank 7:30 am Holy Eucharist 9 am Holy Eucharist Nursery	8	9 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 6pm Scouts	10 9 am Morning Prayer _VICAR IN CO_	11 Noon Vicar's Bible Study	12 Vicar's Day Off	13 11 am Pastoral Care Meeting 1-6 pm Writing Group
14 7:30 am Holy Eucharist 9 am Holy Eucharist Godly Play Nursery 5 pm Contemplative Prayer Service	15 11 am Witty Knitters	16 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 6pm Scouts	17 9 am Morning Prayer 6 pm Making the Fiscal Dream a Reality Presentation	18 Noon Vicar's Bible Study 6:30 pm Bishop's Committee Meeting	19 Vicar's Day Off	20 Noon - 4 pm Safeguarding God's People Class at St. Bede's 1-6 pm Writing Group
21 7:30 am Holy Eucharist 9 am Holy Eucharist Godly Play Nursery	22	23 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 10 am Newsletter Deadline 1 pm Worship Planning Meeting	24 9 am Morning Prayer 5:30 pm Holy Eucharist 6:15 pm Potluck 7:00 pm Program	25 Noon Vicar's Bible Study	26 Vicar's Day Off Diocesan Convention	27 1-6 pm Writing Group Diocesan Convention
28 7:30 am Holy Eucharist 9 am Holy Eucharist Godly Play Nursery Special Coffee Hour for Kathy & Larry 5 pm Contemplative Prayer Service	29	30 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 6pm Scouts	31 9 am Morning Prayer 5:30 pm Holy Eucharist 6:15 pm Potluck 7:00 pm Program			

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