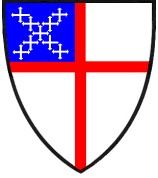


Glad Tidings

January 2019



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Vicar's Voice

At our annual meeting on Saturday, January 19, we'll have elections for members of the Bishop's Committee and delegates to Diocesan Convention.

Diocesan Convention will be held at the Lynnwood Convention Center on November 8 and 9. Our delegates (one male, one female) will take part in the workshops, worship, and business sessions of the convention. I think of diocesan convention as the annual family reunion of the diocese where we see the wider circle of Episcopal churches with all their diversity and creativity. You really get a sense of what's happening in the diocese.

Those elected to the Bishop's Committee will begin the year with us at our Bishop's Committee Retreat on February 2 at St. Nicholas Episcopal Church in Tahuya. On that day we'll work on team building and planning for the year ahead. We strive to create a dynamic, forward-thinking, proactive team that is productive and fun to be part of. The retreat is also time for some joking around, getting to know each other, and a good leisurely lunch.

Each person on our Bishop's Committee is assigned a commission. Actually we negotiate among ourselves so that each person gets the commission that best suits them. Sometimes we change the commissions to reflect the gifts and abilities of the members of the BC. We're flexible!

Each commission has a job description to clearly outline the duties and responsibilities of the BC member who leads it. This means the members of the Bishop's Committee form the leadership core of our church. The energy, focus, and vision in our church come from the members of the Bishop's Committee. It's an exciting group to work with.

Currently our commissions include: Stewardship and Finance, Outreach, Welcoming, Communications, Faith Formation, Parish Life, Environment, and New Facilities. If we have a youth member, that person leads the Youth Commission.

The Vicar appoints one person to be the Bishop's Warden and the members of the BC elect one of their members to be the People's Warden. In addition, we prefer to have a non-BC member to serve as our Clerk (it's difficult to participate in a conversation and take minutes at the same time).

I think we've had a very successful and enjoyable Bishop's Committee in 2018, and I'm looking forward to the next year and the opportunities we have to thrive and grow as God's people in this place and time.

*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!*

Hospitality Commission

This is the time of year at St. Antony's when some Bishop's Committee (BC) members who have completed their 3-year term and are leaving. The BC team and new nominees are being voted in to replace them. Our annual all-church meeting will be on Saturday, January 19, 2019 at 10:00 am. This the time when nominees are voted on during the meeting. If some of you would like to be considered as nominee for this enjoyable committee, please contact Jim Foley, Sarah Rogers or Beth Rohlfing soon.

Bishop Visitation - A change of time is set for our Sunday worship service on January 13th. Please mark your calendars for the all-church special service starting at 8:30 am. That means no 7:30 early service/and no 9:00 am service. Our Diocesan Bishop Rickel will be with us then at 8:30 am. We need to start on time so please arrive a little early and be seated by 8:25 or earlier.



Happy New Year!
Tovi Andrews

From the Altar/Flower Guild:

Although it is not yet Christmas I would like to thank you now for the wonderful response to the request of signing up for Christmas poinsettias/flowers. We are most grateful and thank you!

As many of you know, if there is money left over from Christmas the Altar Guild uses it for supplies and for Altar flowers and Sanctuary Lamps on Sundays when no one has signed up. Thank you all!

Caroline Hoag



Christmas Shopping

The outreach committee went Christmas Shopping on Saturday, December 8 to provide presents to Kitsap Community Resources Christmas Angel program the program provides gifts for Kitsap county children that otherwise might not have anything under the tree.



And All the Angels ~ From an Old Scottish Carol



And all the angels in heaven shall sing,
On Christmas Day, on Christmas Day,
And all the angels in heaven shall sing,
On Christmas Day in the morning.

Who Are the Witty Knitters?

Nineteen years ago, a group of ladies of St. Antony's decided it would be fun to gather and knit for others. This little group of happy knitters started with Barbara Berglind, Jean Mackimmie, Ruth Lindstrum, Norma Tipton, Jean Miller, Judy Bryant, Jane Stockwell, Eleanor Brook and Janet Steller.

The ladies gathered once a month. They brought a bag lunch and knitting supplies so they could spend the afternoon chatting, laughing, and creating. Soon there grew quite a collection of lovely hand-made items. What to do with them? Each member chose an organization to donate to.

Those who did not knit created blankets made from fleece to warm the laps of residents of Retsil Veterans Hospital. Knitted prayer shawls and hats also went to Retsil.

Kitted scarfs, hats and mittens went to Stand up for Kids, which is for youth living on their own on the streets of Kitsap County.

Baby blankets, hats, and scarfs went to Alive Shelter for women and children who had to leave home with only the clothes on their backs because of abuse in their home.

Hats were sent to Oncology for patients undergoing chemo and losing their hair.

Today we continue to meet on the third Monday of every month at 10:30 AM with our bag lunches and projects. Each month our hostess provides beverages and dessert. We all provide laughter and share while we knit away.

This year we offered 116 items for blessing before being sent to the organizations of our choosing. We each gain a feeling of productivity as we give back to the community we love.

If you are interested in joining us, watch the bulletin and newsletter for the location of our monthly gathering. All are welcome.

Marty Whitaker



Parish Life

A Blessing for You this New Year

May the God of Presence be with you this New Year.

May you find beauty in moments of joy, and grace in times of heartache.

May you find compassion and courage in times of challenge and injustice.

May the light and truth of God be in you and with you, blessing your interactions with each person you encounter every day.

May the God of Presence be with you this New Year.

Dominican Sisters - Grand Rapids

Pastoral Care.

Lay Eucharist Visitors are available to provide the Eucharist to parishioners unable to attend services. Please contact the church office to request a visit.

Pastoral Care Team:

Contact the church office if you would like, or know of someone who may benefit from a care call, a visit, meals and/or transportation assistance.

Please contact Father Bill or Beth Rohlfing if you would like to join either the Lay Eucharist Visitor Ministry or be a part of the Pastoral Care Team.

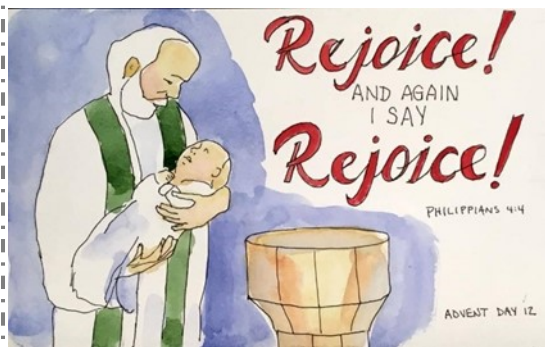
Beth Rohlfing

A Bishop's Warden Fancy

For the past few months I find myself having the same conversation with different parishioners each Sunday during coffee hour: Look at how many kids we have in our growing congregation! Whenever I speak about St. Antony's to friends, family and acquaintances I always find my self so happy to relay that we are a traditional liturgical church that is growing! I don't think many congregations can make that happy statement. With this expansion comes new opportunities to grow as a congregation. Our Godly Play program is a huge success (I have heard it first hand from my two little attendees)! Very soon the Godly Play program will be forced to expand to adapt to the growing number of participants. This will be a change for St. Antony's that we are still devising how to best accommodate. While we work out these logistical constraints we must take time to give thanks.

I can't help but think to the future and give thanks at Christmas time. Give thanks that we are a growing church. Give thanks that we have young Episcopalians that are excited to be a part of God's Word. Give thanks that these children want to participate in liturgy by becoming acolytes, readers, greeters and sometimes even dancers. Give thanks to all the parents that are promoting this community, knowledge and love of God within our children. Give thanks that these smiling, dancing, laughing children are here and will ensure that St. Antony's and the works of our Lord will be here for generations to come. Alleluia!

Sarah Rogers
Bishop's Warden



Fr. Bill Fulton original



Aria Grubb Baptism Dec 16, 2018



Laurel (8) and Luke (6) Rogers

St. *Antony's Outreach*

The December Food Drive provided 89 pounds of food to the Central Kitsap Food Bank.

St Antony's Christmas Angel program provided over \$400.00 in toys to Kitsap Community Resources (KCR).

Please if you have any unneeded warm clothes you can donate to "Priscilla's pants" (not just pants), now run by Chelsea. coats, boots, sweaters, sweatshirts, pants, hats, gloves, etc are needed. Containers for both charities can be found in the Narthex.

This month the outreach committee provided funds to support the following Organizations:

- Armin Jahr school Children's Nutrition Program \$250.00
This program provides breakfast and lunch for all qualified children. Our assistance helps fill the gap between allocated funds and what is required to feed the children.
- Kitsap Rescue Mission \$250.00
The Kitsap Rescue Mission exists to assist the homeless and poor of Kitsap County as they work toward restoration of body, mind and spirit through Christ centered programs. Provides shelter and food, Resolves issues of family, health and legal, Helps find needed education to expand possibilities, Restores individuals to the community
- Kitsap Community Resources Energy Program \$250.00
The Energy Assistance program assists income-eligible renters and homeowners by providing financial assistance to pay their electric, natural gas, and heating bills.
- YWCA Alive Program \$250.00
YWCA of Kitsap County provides services for domestic violence victims and their children.

If you know of any organizations that need support please contact the outreach committee.

The Next Outreach Committee Meeting is February 4th at 3:30

Blaine Morgan

Outreach Committee Chair

Congratulations Sarah and Max!

On 17 November, 2018, the first 'event' happened in our new Event Shelter. Sarah Stephens, daughter of Ken Stephens and Loretta McGinley, and Max Thomas were married in an intimate and joyful wedding ceremony officiated by Father Bill. The Event Shelter and new church property were the perfect setting for this blessed occasion, and will hopefully pave the way for more memorable events to come!

Loretta McGinley





January Birthdays

1	Chelsea Reeder
5	Tristan Scalf
7	Norma Tipton
9	Heather Carnocki
10	Elizabeth Flagg
	Drew Wagner
11	Mary Collier
13	Stan Marks
	Guy Fulton
	Christina Wentworth
15	John Teller
16	Darrow Lindstrum
18	Patrick Foley
24	Aaron Scalf
27	Judy Van Hook
	Daniel Westin
18	Dave Peterson
	Holly Foley



January Anniversaries

18	Jonathan & Lea Gray
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Annual Report Deadline

Friday, January 4 at 10:00 am
Please send all submissions to:
stantonysilverdale@gmail.com. Thank you.

Deadline for the February Glad Tidings is
Tuesday, January 23 at 10 am.
Please send all submissions to:
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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 November			Account Balances	
		Year-to-date		
Operating Income	\$15,757.21	\$187,259.73	Local Checking	\$298,237.79
Operating Expenses	\$19,564.29	\$186,607.64	Local Savings	\$26,140.86
Net in July	\$3,807.08	\$652.09	Diocesan Investment Funds	\$174,027.24
			Total	\$498,405.89

January 2019 Schedule				
JOBS	January 6 Epiphany Sunday	January 13 The Baptism of our Lord 8:30 am	January 20	January 27
EM 7:30 am	Charles Smith		John Teller	Donna Hilton
LC/OT & NT 7:30 am	John Teller		Norma Tipton	Ruth Lindstrum
GREETER 7:30 am	Jim Smith		Pam Morton	John & Jane Teller
		8:30 am		
EM 9 am	Peter Stockwell	Shane Carlson	Chelsea Reeder	Peter Stockwell
LC/OT 9 am	Stu Smith	Michael Wentworth	Matt Grubb	Jim Foley
LC/NT 9 am	Gail Campbell-Ferguson	Sarah Rogers	Karen Grubb	Chris McCarty
ACOLYTES 9 am	Charles S. Laurel R. Caiden C.	Aina Z. Chelsea R. Cris M.	Kate Z. Christina M. Declan J.	Jason W. Christina W. Benjamin W.
GREETER 9 am	Nancy Ladenberger	Suzanne Brock	Tovi Andrews	Carole Nau
USHER 9 am	Mark Westin	Chris Crowson	David & Carolyn Sorrell	Dave & Jan Peterson
COUNTERS	Heidi F-W Norma Tipton	Jim Foley Jacque Walker	Bill Cleveland Norma Tipton	David Wilkinson Chris Crowson
COFFEE HOUR	Amanda Stout	Christina Wentworth	Lea Gray	Beth Rohlfling
Eucharistic Visitors	Loretta / Beth	Olivia / Penny	Beth / Declan	None scheduled
1st LESSON	Isaiah 60:1-6	Isaiah 43:1-7	Isaiah 62:1-5	Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10
PSALM	Psalms 72:1-7, 10-14	Psalms 29	Psalms 36:5-10	Psalms 19
2nd LESSON	Ephesians 3:1-12	Acts 8:14-17	1 Corinthians 12:1-11	1 Corinthians 12:12-31a
GOSPEL	Matthew 2:1-12	Luke 3:15-17, 21-22	John 2:1-11	Luke 4:14-21

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	Declan J.
Ruth Lindstrum	Ruth Lindstrum	Darrow Lindstrum	Jim Foley A	Ray Flagg	Carleton M.
Elizabeth Moorhead	Elizabeth Moorhead	Pam Morton	Norma Tipton B	Pete Morris	Cris McCarty
John Teller	Bill Reeder	Jim Smith	Jacque Walker B	Dave & Jan Peterson	Christina M.
Norma Tipton	Charles Smith	John & Jane Teller	David Wilkinson A	Ed Segrist	Chelsea R.
Mardi Dawson (sub)	John Teller	Jacque Walker	Heidi Feenstra-Wilson A	Dave & Carolyn Sorrell	Laurel R.
	Bill Thaele			Mark Westin	Mackenzie W.
9 AM	9 AM	9 AM	A - computer	Barb Hart - Substitute	Benjamin W.
Shane Carlson	Shane Carlson	Tovi Andrews	B - non computer		Christina W.
Gail C- Ferguson	Declan Jarry	Suzanne Brock			Jason W.
Elizabeth Flagg	Chelsea Reeder	Allison Carlson			Aina Z.
Jim Foley	Charles Smith	Ray & Elizabeth Flagg			Kate Z.
Matt & Karen Grubb	Peter Stockwell	Liz Haney			
Declan Jarry	Bill Thaele	Nancy Ladenberger			
Cris McCarty		Carole Nau			
Sarah Rogers		Malcolm & Sylvia (substitute)			
Ed & Carolyn Segrist					
Stu Smith					
David Wilkinson					
Michael Wentworth					

January 2019

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
		1 New Years Day 6pm Scouts	2 9 am Morning Prayer	3 Noon Vicar's Bible Study 7:00 pm Building Committee Mtg.	4 Vicar's Day Off Annual Reports Due	5 1-6 pm Writing Group
6 Epiphany Sunday 7:30 am Holy Eucharist 9 am Holy Eucharist Nursery 4 pm Rite 13	7 3:30 pm Outreach Mtg.	8 7 am Sonshine Fellowship	9 9 am Morning Prayer 5:30 pm Holy Eucharist 6:15 pm Potluck 7:00 pm Program	10 Noon Vicar's Bible Study 6:30 pm Bishop's Committee Meeting	11 Vicar's Day Off	12 10 am The Lord's Diner 1-6 pm Writing Group
13 8:30 am Holy Eucharist No Godly Play Nursery Bishop Visitation & 3 Confirmations 5 pm Contemplative	14	15 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 1 pm Worship Planning Meeting	16 9 am Morning Prayer 5:30 pm Holy Eucharist 6:15 pm Potluck 7:00 pm Program	17 Noon Vicar's Bible Study	18 Vicar's Day Off	19 1-6 pm Writing Group 10 am Annual Meeting
20 7:30 am Holy Eucharist 9 am Holy Eucharist Godly Play Nursery 4 pm Rite 13	21 Martin Luther King 11 am Witty Knitters	22 7 am Sonshine Fellowship 10 am Newsletter Deadline	23 9 am Morning Prayer 5:30 pm Holy Eucharist 6:15 pm Potluck 7:00 pm Program	24 Noon Vicar's Bible Study	25 Vicar's Day Off	26 1-6 pm Writing Group
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