

**St. Antony of Egypt Episcopal Church
Silverdale, WA 98383**

**BC Monthly Reports
June 2021**

VICAR'S REPORT – Bill Fulton

June 10, 2021

Reopening

We're successfully following our re-opening plan for worship with masks and social distancing inside the building. We've been much more lax when we're outside for coffee hour.

Attendance chart:

Date	Service	In-person	Virtual	Total
May 23	8:00	22	8	30
	10:15	37	13	50
May 30	8:00	19	12	31
	10:15	33	9	42
June 6	8:00	19	7	26
	10:15	30	10	40

Livestream technology

We've connected the overhead speakers so that we have amplification in the nave as well as audio for the livestream.

In-person meetings

We're beginning to have meetings in person including the Bishop's Committee, Flower Guild, Vicar's Bible Study, and the Breakfast Group.

Septic System Repair

In addition to the repair estimate from Whitworth Excavating for \$1,177.20, I contacted Aquarius Septic for an estimate. They don't want to bid because it involves too much excavation to get to the repair. I called Kitsap Septic and they said the same thing but referred me to Duke's Construction.

Estimates for cleaning contracts

I contacted four cleaning companies and I've received two bids. I will contact the others to turn in their bids.

Land Acknowledgement statement

Please see the attached statement about our land acknowledgment discussions

Concerts

We have two concerts coming up for members of St. Antony's. John Hoover & the Mighty Quinns will perform on Sunday, June 27th, at 2:30 PM; and friends of Chris Eisenberg will present a concert on Sunday, July 11, after church.

Wedding

Kristen Robuck and Thomas Alessio will be married at St. Antony's on Saturday, August 28.

Memorial Services

On Saturday, July 17, we'll have Mac Mackimmie's memorial service. On Saturday, August 7, we have Nick Nickerson's memorial service tentatively scheduled.

Bible presentation for High School Graduates

On Sunday, June 20, we'll present Bibles to our 2021 graduates, Christina Wentworth and Kate Zabinski.

Background checks

I re-activated our Intellicorp account so we can do background checks.

Community Garden

No one has stepped forward to be the lead for a garden, so it looks like we won't have a garden this year.

Mardi Dawson, rest in peace

Mardi died at the hospital when she had a heart attack and couldn't be revived. She was a longtime member of the 8:00 Eucharist and the Altar Guild. I've been in touch with her husband, Peter, to see about a memorial service for her.

Covenant to Root Out Racism

Bishop Rickel asked all clergy in the diocese to address the covenant on May 23, the anniversary of George Floyd's death. This covenant was endorsed by Diocesan Convention last October. I chose to preach about the covenant in my sermon.

Vacation

I'd like to take three days vacation June 28-30 to go car camping with Katy; five days July 22-26 to travel to Colorado to see my mother and my family; and four days August 12-15 to attend my 50th High School Reunion.

PEOPLE'S WARDEN AND PASTORAL CARE – Penny Whitney

I've been a part of Peter's group to revise the Building Use Policy which David Wilkinson prepared 2 years ago. And I'm on Emily's Committee to update the printed materials which describe St. Antony's worship and ways-to-serve.

I try to check in on Peter Dawson's welfare following Mardi's unexpected death and I keep in touch with others who have lost a loved one.

Although the telephone tree has been deactivated with the advent of in-person worship, I still receive requests for names to be added to Sunday's Prayers of the People, and I pass those names on to Bill Fulton.

Penny Whitney

BISHOP'S WARDEN – Peter Stockwell

Since our meeting last month, we have enjoyed two dinner events under the pavilion and gathered for church services. The momentum for a resurgence to normalcy enlivens us to continue.

Penny Whitney, Dee Perreira, and I met to address the concerns brought to the BC about the Building Use Policy. The revision was sent out for BC members to review.

The transition to our next vicar is continuing. I hope each of the members of the BC had an opportunity to view the video from the Diocese of Olympia entitled, 'So You're in Transition'. I had conversations with Arienne Davison, The Canon to the Ordinary, and Craig Vocolka regarding his interest in acting as interim vicar at St. Antony's. He agreed to meet with Arienne as per the requirements for the position. A follow-up report will be forthcoming.

I will be contacting Arienne for a meeting including Penny Whitney and Jim Foley to review the financial needs of the search process and development of the Letter of Separation. A timeline for creating the Profile committee and Search Committee will be discussed.

As part of the future search for our vicar, I discussed with David Sorrell the prospect of the house becoming a vicarage which may be attractive to anyone seeking to be our next vicar. At a proper future date, he will contact the renters about their interest in remaining residents and an understanding of the change that could occur.

Thank you to all you members of the BC for the excellent work you do. The year has been and will continue to be a challenge to accomplish our mission statement. We are blessed with talent, time, and treasure at St. Antony of Egypt Episcopal Church.

Peter Stockwell

FINANCE – Jim Foley

May's income was below expectations, so the month shows a loss of (\$7,168.74). We are still in the positive on the year by \$2,948.68, when we were budgeted to be over (\$7,500) in the red.

Thanks,
Jim

OUTREACH – Loretta McGinley & Dee Perreira

Donations from the Outreach budget were made to Coffee Oasis (\$500) and to the Kitsap Community Service Kinship Program (\$100).

There was a meeting 6/6/21 to discuss a proposed addendum to clarify use of the Brandenburg Fund. The draft addendum is being considered for approval at today's BC meeting.

There is a tentative Zoom meeting to be scheduled with Cristi Chapman from Mission to Seafarers on 14 or 21 June to inform the congregation about this agency.

ENVIRONMENT – Dave Peterson

No report.

COMMUNICATIONS – Chelsea Reeder

I have been getting the word out to St. Antony's parish about the monthly events.

WELCOMING – Emily Nickerson

No report.

FAITH FORMATION – Julie Sherwin & Esther Osborne

No report.

PARISH LIFE - Dave Peterson & Chelsea Reeder

Our first events have gone wonderfully! The parish seems to love these events and themes so far. I have sent the next three events to Linda for the Church Happening. The next event is Friday, June 18th at 6pm. The theme for this one is Secret Garden. Parish Life will supply the teas, but we are asking the parish to bring their favorite cakes and sweets to share. I am in contact with Heather C. to see if we can pay her floral business for her flowers and her help decorating.

I am currently looking for us to purchase new name tags. I hope to have all the information and image designs to present via email in the next couple of weeks. I am looking into getting magnet ones with a simple cross and names of the congregation. When we present this idea to them, we can ask for donations, the memo line be "name tags". These magnet ones will have us create a new home for the name tags—a white board on the wall probably in the gathering room.