

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

**BC Monthly Reports  
August 2022**

**INTERIM VICAR'S REPORT - Craig Vocelka**

Dear ones,

As we come to the end of summer and look forward to getting some things going in the fall, I just want to fill you in on couple of things.

First, as you probably already know, we have hired Christina Morris as our nursery person. It's so exciting to see her in this role.

Next, I want to let you know about the fall. I'll be restarting the Wednesday PotLuck dinners and discussions. My focus for the fall will be "Looking Back – Looking Forward"; Sharing Our Memories and Our Hopes. My hope is that we will, at the end of this discussion time, be able to compile a history of St. Antony's and perhaps make into a printable form. I realize that some of this has been done in developing the profile, but it is my hope that this will be a more in depth look at the history of St. Antony's. I will begin to announce this next Sunday.

I'm looking forward to the coming months and the work that will be done by the profile and transition committees.

With prayers and blessings,

**craig**

**BISHOP'S WARDEN – David Wilkinson**

No report.

**PEOPLE'S WARDEN– Dave Peterson**

Mark Westin was interested in repairing the flaking on the wood columns / posts outside the building. He said if I would help that he would do the work. He gave me an input for the material

**COMMUNICATIONS – Dee Perreira**

No report.

**FACILITIES – Dave Peterson**

Rev Craig and David Sorrel found the water leak by the barn and stopped it.

Thank you to all who did lawn work the past couple of months.

The St Antony sign that was by the intersection Old Frontier and Anderson Hill was removed for work being done there. We plan to reinstall it when work is done.

Dave Peterson

### **FAITH FORMATION – Julie Sherwin (Youth)**

We had a successful but small gathering for our movie night. There is another scheduled for the 27th if people sign up. There are still no interested parties for godly play or helping with our younger kids, but there are 2 people who have stepped forward as adult mentors for our older youth. Closer to the end of this month, 1-2 meetings will be scheduled for our older youth in September. These meetings will be set based on availability of youth and may be during the week.

Sherwin

### **FAITH FORMATION – Esther Osborne (Adult)**

No report.

### **FINANCE – Jim Foley**

We continue to be below budget with giving not meeting our goals. Last year through July donations were at \$113,803.25. This year through July, giving is at \$87,429.16, over \$26,000 less, which explains the (\$20,720) YTD budget deficit.

Wish I had better news. I support Chris's suggestion of adding stewardship verbiage to announcements and bulletins. I'll see everyone Sunday to answer questions.

Thanks,  
Jim

### **OUTREACH – Loretta McGinley**

Planning continues for the St A's Talent Show/ potluck fundraiser for the Refugee Resettlement Office on 10 September; Sarah Rogers will be our mistress of ceremonies.

There needs to be BC clarification regarding who funds coffee for coffee hour and other church events.

It's been suggested to host a back to school collection of school supplies for a local school in September. This will be planned at our next Outreach meeting.

Kitsap Community Resources continues to receive a \$100 Walmart gift card each month for a Kinship family. KCR informed us last month how this donation helped a specific family.

### **PARISH LIFE – Bishop's Committee**

No report.

### **STEWARDSHIP – David Wilkinson**

No report.

### **WELCOMING – Emily Nickerson**

Peter Stockwell and I met Tuesday and checked out our "missing members" Peter knows more of the congregation than I do so we each took some names to contact. The pictures look really great and Peter will format a directory as soon as we feel everyone has had a chance to be

included. The directory will include the names and addresses of the congregation as well as birthdays, anniversaries, and other info. Looks like it will be a great "getting to know you" tool.

The other item is just to let you know something I am looking into and need your input and permission.

**Deacon Bill Thaete**

No report.

**Profile Committee Report – Marty Whitaker**

We have met with our representative and are well on our way. We will let you know when we have something new to share.

We are waiting on the formal name for the Event, Pavilion or Gathering Shelter.

Marty.