



The Labyrinth Walk Thursday, February 16, 2017

Welcome to St. Peter's Episcopal Church!

The Altar Flowers are given by Andrea Savage in loving honor of Janet Zarate.

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

Morning Prayer

Join us every Tuesday and Thursday for Morning Prayer at 7 am in the Side Chapel, led by The Brotherhood of Saint Andrew.

Bible Study

Bible Quest a Journey through the Christian Scriptures is a discussion of the books of the New Testament. Join the group each Monday at 12:15 in the Church Library OR Thursday at 7 pm at the Morgan House. The study is design so participants may join the discussion at any time. Contact Joe Arn at 501-796-0121 for additional information.

Servant Leadership School of Conway presents "Saturdays for Centering"

When: From 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on April 8 and May 13, 2017

Where: Morgan House,

Who: Led by Catherine Crews, a retreat leader from Russellville who is commissioned by Contemplative Outreach

What: During the first Saturday, Catherine will lead us in a reflection on which contemplative practices speak the most to us. As we revisit the study of the enneagram, we realize we are different in the ways we experience God's presence. What are those differences? What do we have in common? We will have time for individual reflection, as well as group discussions. Please join us as we listen for the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and possibly choose to make changes in our daily practices.

Cost: There is no registration fee; however, we ask that you speak to or email Caroline Scott, Judy Helm or Rita Mackintosh if you plan to attend. There will be an opportunity to contribute non-perishable items or cash to St. Peter's Food Pantry. Snacks and drinks will be provided; registrants are encouraged to bring a sack lunch if they so wish.

Please put these dates on your calendar and prayerfully consider joining us at one, two, or all three Saturdays.

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The Grounds of Being: Exploring the World's Religions

When: Mondays, 5:30 to 6:30 pm, beginning January 9th

Where: Downtown Blue Sail in Conway

Who: Sponsored by Conway Interfaith Network, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, & Fat Soul International

Why: Because there's wisdom all around, and we're all in it together.

Led by Dr. Jay McDaniel, Hendrix College

Enjoy an opportunity to learn about the World's Religions over a cup of coffee. In each session Dr. McDaniel introduces a few key ideas from a religious tradition and facilitates open discussion. The spirit is relaxed and exploratory. The discussions are open to the public, and everyone is welcome.

February 20: Islam

February 27: Native American Religions

March 6: Baha'i

March 13: Unitarian Universalism

March 27: Humanism and Atheism

Blue Sail Coffee is located at 1028 Front Street in Downtown Conway.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper!

Come help us celebrate Mardi Gras with a Pancake Supper hosted by the EYC! We will gather for dinner at 5:30 PM, dance to the tunes of the Fat Soul Band, and end the night with the burning of the palms and prayers. All ages are invited to this time of celebration!

Dinner is free, but donations are welcome to help support our youth ministries! Contact Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com for more info or to help!



Walking the Mourner's Path

Walking the Mourner's Path is an eight-week grief group that will be held on Sunday afternoons at 3 pm at St. Peter's; the first meeting will take place on March 12 and the final meeting will be May 7 (with April 16 off for Easter). This is a non-denominational, Christ-centered bereavement program, complete with workbook. Through it, mourners learn ways to honor their loved ones, seek spiritual direction, and discover God's promise of comfort in community. The fee is \$80 for the class; scholarships are available. Facilitators are Tanya Buchanan, Sam Buchanan, Linda Brown, and Teri Daily. For more information, contact Teri at teri.daily@stpetersconway.com or 501-329-8174.



Women's Retreat

March 4-5, 2017

Canterbury Lodge, Camp Mitchell

Join us for a relaxing 36 hours of creative restoration on the Mountain! We will rest, connect with God, and with each other as we celebrate how we are

uniquely created! Cost is \$75 and includes meals. The retreat will run from 12pm on Friday, March 4, through 4pm on March 5. Friday, Noon-6 will be a quiet day filled with a lot of free time and rest. You can register online [HERE](#) or email Jerusalem.

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Enhancing Your Worship

Understanding the Stained Glass Windows of St. Peter's Episcopal Church

**Sunday, February 19, 2017
3:00pm**

The Brothers of St. Andrews will facilitate a walking tour featuring the stained glass windows of the Church explaining the symbols and reading scripture that coincides with the windows.

A reception will follow in the Church lobby after the tour.

PARISH LIFE AND COMMUNITY



Newcomers Brunch

New or New-ish to St. Peter's? Bring your questions and your appetite and join us for a light brunch. Meet other St. Peter newcomers as well as long-time members and learn a little bit more about our mission and ministries!

Sunday February 19, 10 AM at The Morgan House
Childcare Provided in Main Building

Questions? Contact Jerusalem Greer
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Online Church Directory on your Computer

Want to be able to look at the online church directory on your computer, not just on your phone?

Click on the link below and follow the steps on getting your password. Your email must be the same email that the church has on file for you to gain access to the directory. If you have any questions, please contact John Churchwell at the Parish Office.

<https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/>

Can you drive a car? Then you can help out!

St. Peter's has several people who need a ride to church for Sunday services, Wednesday Services, and other church related events. If you are interested in helping out and making a friend in the process, please contact Leigh Ann Warriner at oasismassage7@gmail.com.



College Dinners

Tuesdays at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall!

February 21st

February 28th (Shrove Tuesday)

March 7th

March 14th

March 28th

April 4th

April 18th

April 25th (Congregation will provide food)



Altar Flowers 2017

The calendar to reserve your special date for altar flowers in 2017 is available on the lobby bulletin board. Sign up early to get your first choices! Thanks to everyone who donated altar flowers this year. They were beautiful and made our worship services even more special.



Hookers and Knitters Needed!

Do you possess a moderate to keen talent with crochet hooks or knitting needles? Then we need you!

Our Prayer Shawl Ministry is looking for new members, patterns and help is provided. If you are interested please contact Pam Holt at tlholt@conwaycorp.net or call the church office.



CALENDAR

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
February 16	February 17	February 18	February 19	February 20
7:00am Morning Prayer 10:00am Tai Chi (TBA) 2:00pm SLS Planning (Lib) 6:30pm Girl Scouts 6342 (PH) 6:30pm Finance Meeting (Classroom 2) 7:00pm Bible Study (MH) 7:00pm Circle of Trust 7:00pm Enneagram (Lib)	4:00pm Conway Locally Grown (PH) 6:00pm Girl Scouts 6057 (MH)	9:00am Food Pantry	7:30am Rite I Holy Eucharist 9:00am Enriching our Worship Holy Eucharist 10:00am Adult Forum Family Formation Choir Practice NewComer's Brunch (MH) 11:00am Rite II Holy Eucharist 3:00pm Stained Glass Windows Tour 6:00pm New Community 7:00pm Quaker Meditation Fellowship (Classroom 4)	10:00am Chi Kung (PH) 11:30am Centering Prayer 12:15pm After-noon Bible Study (Lib) 2:00pm EfM (Classroom 2) 5:00pm The Grounds of Being 6:00pm Narcotics Anonymous (MH)
Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
February 21	February 22	February 23	February 24	February 25
7:00am Morning Prayer 6:00pm Circle of Trust (MH) 6:00pm EfM (Classroom 2) 7:00pm College Dinners (MH)	12:00pm Wednesday Book Club (Lib) 5:00pm EYC (PH) 5:30pm The Fledglings Writing Group (Lib) 6:00pm Narcotics Anonymous (MH) 7:00pm Holy Eucharist and Service of Healing	7:00am Morning Prayer 10:00am Tai Chi (TBA) 1:00pm Parish Hall Reserved 2:00pm Enneagram (Lib) 7:00pm Bible Study (MH) 7:00pm Circle of Trust (TBA) 7:00pm Enneagram (Lib)	4:00pm Conway Locally Grown (PH)	9:00am Food Pantry 10:00am Morgan House Reserved

FOOD PANTRY

Help Out the Food Pantry

Don't forget your items to bring this Sunday! You may also drop off items in the church lobby anytime during the week. With your help we are able to provide food to those in need.

**2 cans whole kernel corn; 1 box of cereal; 2 pkgs ramen
diapers, feminine hygiene products.**

****If you are bringing fresh produce to donate, please contact someone with a key and see that it is placed in the Food Pantry refrigerators.**

Pantry Musings

My favorite childhood storybooks were *Winnie the Pooh* and *House at Pooh Corner* by A. A. Milne. I am too old for the Disney version. Poor ol' Pooh, if he'd been born today he'd have been diagnosed with an eating disorder. He was always hungry and the only food he was interested in was honey, spelled *HUNNY*. If memory serves me correctly, one night he woke up with a powerful hunger. He went to the larder and pulled out every single honey pot, smelled, took a sample lick. Sadly, all were empty! Every last pot! Empty clear to the bottom! The larder was bare! Pooh went back to bed trying to remember where that last pot of honey went. Then, he remembered that he and Piglet had dug a trap for a HEFFALUMP, whatever that was. He went to the trap, found his pot. Savoring the remains, he got his head stuck in the pot. He was banging his head against a tree root when Piglet found him. Running to Christopher Robin, Piglet yelled "Help! Help! A Horrible Heffalump! Horrible Hoffalump! Hoff, Hoff a Hellible Horralump!" On and on Piglet went until he found CR who got there in time to see Pooh break his jar on a root. CR started laughing at how ridiculous they had all been about Heffalumps without knowing what they were, at fabricating knowledge about them, and even building a trap as they lathered up their fear. -Ann Drake

CHURCH FINANCIALS

Discretionary Fund

All dollar bills will go to the Camp Mitchell Scholarship Fund.

SUNDAY SERVICE AND LITURGICAL INFORMATION

Scripture Readings for Sunday, February 19, 2017 9:00am Service will read Leviticus and lead the Psalm.

Leviticus 19:1-2,9-18

The LORD spoke to Moses, saying:

Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the LORD your God am holy. When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap to the very edges of your field, or gather the gleanings of your harvest. You shall not strip your vineyard bare, or gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard; you shall leave them for the poor and the alien: I am the LORD your God.

You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; and you shall not lie to one another. And you shall not swear falsely by my name, profaning the name of your God: I am the LORD.

You shall not defraud your neighbor; you shall not steal; and you shall not keep for yourself the wages of a laborer until morning. You shall not revile the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind; you shall fear your God: I am the LORD.

You shall not render an unjust judgment; you shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great: with justice you shall judge your neighbor. You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not profit by the blood of your neighbor: I am the LORD.

You shall not hate in your heart anyone of your kin; you shall reprove your neighbor, or you will incur guilt yourself. You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.

Psalm 119:33-40

- 33 Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes, *
and I shall keep it to the end.
- 34 Give me understanding, and I shall keep your law; *
I shall keep it with all my heart.
- 35 Make me go in the path of your commandments, *
for that is my desire.
- 36 Incline my heart to your decrees *
and not to unjust gain.
- 37 Turn my eyes from watching what is worthless; *
give me life in your ways.
- 38 Fulfill your promise to your servant, *
which you make to those who fear you.
- 39 Turn away the reproach which I dread, *
because your judgments are good.
- 40 Behold, I long for your commandments; *
in your righteousness preserve my life.

1 Corinthians 3:10-11,16-23

According to the grace of God given to me, like a skilled master builder I laid a foundation, and someone else is building on it. Each builder must choose with care how to build on it. For no one can lay any foundation other than the one that has been laid; that foundation is Jesus Christ.

Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in you? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy that person. For God's temple is holy, and you are that temple.

Do not deceive yourselves. If you think that you are wise in this age, you should become fools so that you may become wise. For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with God. For it is written,

"He catches the wise in their craftiness,"

and again,

"The Lord knows the thoughts of the wise,

that they are futile."

So let no one boast about human leaders. For all things are yours, whether Paul or Apollos or Cephas or the world or life or death or the present or the future-- all belong to you, and you belong to Christ, and Christ belongs to God.

Matthew 5:38-48

Jesus said, "You have heard that it was said, 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.' But I say to you, Do not resist an evildoer. But if anyone strikes you on the right cheek, turn the other also; and if anyone wants to sue you and take your coat, give your cloak as well; and if anyone forces you to go one mile, go also the second mile. Give to everyone who begs from you, and do not refuse anyone who wants to borrow from you.

"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be children of your Father in heaven; for he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the righteous and on the unrighteous. For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do not even the tax collectors do the same? And if you greet only your brothers and sisters, what more are you doing than others? Do not even the Gentiles do the same? Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect."

Prayers of the People

Prayers and Petitions:

Shannon; Anisa; Nikki; Lynne; David; Mary Beth; Cole, Reed; B-Moore; Aspen; Samantha; Christi; Stewart; Ann; Robert, Christy, Rusty, Rachel, Lorie, Tim, Corbin, Kael; Freda; James; Brandon; Bethany; Beth; John; Dee; Chandler; Nicki; Kerry; Chastain Family; Kris; Gene; Matilda; Amanda and Tommy; Martha; May, Norah, Margaret and Charles; Liz and Peggy (safe travels); Bob; Timothy; Fred; Kay; Madison; Stephanie.

In Loving Support for:

Jenny, Doug, and Odessa; Hannah; Jon and Julie; Micah; Linda; Bob; Sam; Mouaz; Natalie.

Thanksgivings

We give thanks for the people of St. Peter's and visitors with us this week.

We give thanks for: Lisa, Carlin, Braelyn, Sara, and Hannah Buck; John, Kristina, Jay and Anna Burford; Lisa Burks; Jay and Sam Burnham; Tara and Sam Burnham; Jennings Burruss and Doug Stroud; Chad and Melissa Butler.

We give thanks for Faith Baptist Church.

We give thanks for The Baha'i Community in Conway.

We give thanks for our Contemplative Quaker Fellowship.

We give thanks for Rev. Tomas Calel and the Transfiguration in Chucalibal (choo-caly-ball).

We give thanks for The Rt Revd Jean Claude Andrianjafimanana, Mahajanga, India.

We give thanks for the 11:15am Choral Eucharist at St. Martin in the Fields, Philadelphia.

The Departed:

John Sanders

Liturgical Ministries Schedule

Team 3	7:30am Rite I	9:00am EOW	11:00am Rite II
Lector	Pam Holt	Susan Sobel	Dee Sanders Wolfe Oeste
Ushers		Dinah and Danny Reed	Wayne Stengel Kevin Mequet
Oblationers		Dinah and Danny Reed	Kathleen Van Lierop Henry Van Lierop
Greeters	Richard Boosey	Lisa Crowson	Madelyn Adams Sandy Simpson
Eucharistic Ministers (EM)	Stacey Coleman	Dee Sanders EM1 Bob Brown EM 2	Jim Fowler EM 1 Dan Allen EM2
Eucharistic Visitors (EV)		Deana Weindorf Cody Blackmon	
Vestry Counters			Christy Garrett-Jones Jane Harris
Acolytes		AM: Wylie Greer CB: Madolyn Ward	AM: Wylie Greer C: Christopher Walters T1: Amy Rice T2: Wade Simpson
Altar Guild			Team 3

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