



The Labyrinth Walk

Thursday, June 16, 2016

Welcome to St. Peter's Episcopal Church

The Altar Flowers are given for the greater glory of God, given by Fereshteh Maynard.

Directory Update

Our church directory is now available to view on your mobile device! Instant Church Directory - the program we use to build our church directory - has a free app for church members to download on their Apple, Android and Kindle Fire devices.

To use, please follow these directions:

Sync Our Church Directory to Your Mobile Device

Now you can sync our church directory directly to your Apple, Android or Kindle Fire device with a FREE app!

Search for other members, and then email, call or text – right from the directory app.

It's Easy!

1. Go to your device's App Store.
2. Search for Instant Church Directory.
3. Enter your email as it's listed in our church directory.
4. Enter the assigned password into the app to begin syncing.



NOTES: In order to use this app you will be required to enter your email address as it's listed in our directory. If your email address isn't listed in the directory (or is listed incorrectly) please let John Churchwell (john.churchwell@stpeters.com) know so it can be added or changed.

St. Peter's Website

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Join Our Mailing List!

Calendar

Thursday 6/16

- 7 am Morning Prayer
- 12 pm SLS Planning
- 7 pm Finance Meeting

Friday 6/17

- 4:00-6pm Conway Locally Grown (Parish Hall)

Saturday 6/18

- 7:15 am Breakfast Volunteers start cooking
- 8 am Church work day!
- 8:30 am 3rd Saturday Breakfast begins
- 9 am-12 pm Food Pantry

Sunday 6/19

- 7:30 am Rite I Holy Eucharist
- 8:45 am Adult Christian Ed
- 9 am Enriching our Worship Holy Eucharist
- 11 am Rite II Holy Eucharist
- 6 pm Contemplative Fellowship

Monday 6/20

- 11:15 am Centering Prayer
- 12 pm Book Club
- 7pm Brotherhood of St. Andrews

Once you enter your email address, you will receive a password. You will receive one password per device. (For example, you will need to register both your iPhone and your iPad.)

The directory will only download to your device after you have entered the password. Once the download is complete, you will be able to search for families and members as well as call, email and text right straight from the app.

Please let John Churchwell (john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com) know of any information that needs to be updated.

You may also email a family picture to John to enter into the directory! If you have a favorite picture or facebook profile picture that you like, please email it to him so that he may add it to the directory. This will be a great tool to use to get to know everyone! More information can be found at www.InstantChurchDirectory.com/app.

It's fun-work day!

Tired of the same old relaxing Saturday mornings with a newspaper and coffee? Beginning to feel like "sleeping in" is over-rated? Here's a way to shake up your weekend routine and make a difference at the same time. We're looking for a group of enthusiastic volunteers who would like to participate in a work day at St. Peters. How much fun would it be to work and laugh with a group of your friends while at the same time making a big show in our flower beds and grounds? No experience? No problem! We provide on the job training in a supportive and fun work environment. Only have an hour or two? Perfect! We offer flexible scheduling options.

Doesn't this sound like the perfect opportunity to make a difference?

Where: St. Peter's Flower Beds / Morgan House Yard

When: Saturday, June 17, 8:00 - 11:00 ish

What will you need? Gloves, yard tools, wheelbarrow, trash bags, weed eater, pruning tools, round up, etc., a sense of humor, a thirst for fun, and a desire to make a difference.

Need more info? Email Karen McNutt at Karen.mcnutt@acxiom.com

Thank you! Look forward to seeing you soon!

New Ministry

We Get by With a Little Help from Each Other... St. Peter's Partners - Volunteers Needed

Looking for a way to connect and serve here at St. Peter's? Consider signing up for our Partners Ministry! From time to time there are needs within our congregation - due to illness, season of life, or other circumstances - that could be easily met by other members of our church, if we only knew who was available to help.

With our new St. Peter's Partners database we hope to be able to connect these needs with helpers. If you can help with one of the following areas please consider signing up as a St. Peter's Partner.

Our current partner needs are:

- Technology Support basic computer, internet, and smartphone help assistance
- Transportation (rides to appointments, church events, doctors, nighttime rides, etc.)
- Shopping Assistance (occasional grocery or pharmacy help)
- Light Handyperson/Yardwork Help

You can sign-up in the church lobby (there will be a form on the Bulletin board) or you can email John.Churchwell@stpetersconway.com.

Tuesday 6/21
7 am Morning Prayer
7 pm Circle of Trust (MH)

Wednesday 6/22
7 pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 6/23
7 am Morning Prayer
12:00 pm SLS PLanning
2 pm Enneagram

Friday 6/24
4:00-6 pm Conway Locally
Grown Pick-up (Parish Hall)

Saturday 6/25
9 am-12 pm Food Pantry

Plate Offering

All \$1 bills in the offering plate this Sunday will go to the Discretionary Fund.

Morning Prayer

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

Out of the Office

Our priest, Teri, will be out of the office from June 6th through the 24th, studying at Sewanee. If you have any pastoral needs during this time, please contact the office or our Family Minister, Jerusalem Greer.

3rd Saturday Breakfast

June 18, 8:30-10:30 AM - Parish Hall

The EYC is teaming up with the Food Pantry to serve breakfast to Food Pantry Clients for free and to any St. Peter's members for a small donation (to help cover food cost) on the 3rd Saturday of each month.

The mission of this project is to help foster deeper community connections with our Food Pantry friends and to help meet the increased need of the Food Pantry clients in the summer months (often due to the lack of free lunch and breakfast for our clients children). Want to help? Here are all the ways:

- 1) Join us for breakfast
- 2) Volunteer to help the EYC (Shifts are 7:15-9:00, and 9:00-11:00)
- 3) Donate fresh fruit, milk, or juice

For more information contact Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew

How great it would be if YOU were part of a group of men at St. Peter's which meets the third Monday of each month to pray together, discuss the meaning of scriptures in our daily lives, and reach out to serve others through service in His name. For more information, check the table in the Church lobby.

Office Volunteers

If you would like to volunteer in the Parish Office, in any capacity, please email John Churchwell at john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com or call him at the church office.

Centering Prayer Retreat

July 27-30 OR October 26-29, Wed 5 pm to Saturday Noon

Facilitated by Catherine Crews - Commissioned by Contemplative Outreach.

House of Blessings, 171 Hummingbird Lane, Eureka Springs, AR 72632. Phone: 479-253-7379/479-253-7379.

Course is FREE. Seats limited to 14. You are welcome to make a donation for the three-night, single occupancy stay, ten meals and snacks, and educational sessions. The cost to run the program is \$75 per day per person, without the director's fee. Your donation helps sustain spiritual programs free of charge for more people.

Altar Flowers

The following dates are available for donating Altar flowers: July 24 and November 20. If you would like to donate flowers on any of these dates, please use the signup list in the lobby.

Brown Bag Book Club

Mondays, Noon, Church Library, June 13-July 18

The second half of life, which we can enter at any age, is a time when we begin the process essential to a mature faith: discovering who we are, exploring our relationship with God, and beginning to let go. This part of life has a depth and spirituality all its own: a need for structure and rule, a tolerance of ambiguity, an exploration of limitation

and mortality, and the deep work of discipline and detachment. Join us for a book club that will look at these very issues, beginning with a discussion around the book *Toward Holy Ground, Spiritual Directions for the Second Half of Life* by Margaret Guenther. This book can be purchased online or you can contact the church office for help ordering. Join the conversation on Mondays and feel free to bring a brown bag lunch!

Sponsor a Dick Johnston Camper

Each camper at Dick Johnston Children's Camp, held one week each summer at Camp Mitchell, has a parent in prison. You and your church can become a camp partner to one of these children. Camp partners support a child with a camp scholarship (\$500) as well as prayers throughout the year, and are also invited to write to the child during camp (all campers love to get mail!). If you would like more information, or if you would be interested in having a DJCC speaker talk to your group about the camp, email Kristi Palmer at kristipalmer2016@gmail.com 2016 DJCC director, or call her at 501-940-1591.

Central Arkansas EYC Gathering Cook-Out and Slip-n-Slide Kickball Game

June 26 St. Mark's Little Rock

Join in for this fun convocation gathering! We will meet at St. Peter's at 2:15 pm, and return to St. Peter's at 5:40 pm.

Students will need to wear clothes they can get wet in (Swimsuits/Swimshirts/Cover-Ups and water proof shoes.)

Bring: Towels, Sunscreen. Contact Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com for more info.

Vestry Meeting

The next scheduled Vestry meeting is **Monday, June 27, 2016**, at 5:30pm, in the Library. Please note the new day and time.

Sunday Morning Spiritual Formation:

Adult Christian Education

8:45 am in the Library

After the New Testament: The Writings of the Apostolic Fathers (Library)

About 10 authors are traditionally included in the collection of the Apostolic Fathers. Some are well known 2nd century figures & others are anonymous. They represent the early writings on proto-orthodoxy & thus represent the views that came to represent the views that eventually came to influence & inform the shape of Christianity as it grew into a world religion that converted the Roman Empire and became the major religious, political, social, cultural and economic force of the Middle Ages. This will include twenty-four 30 min lectures by Bart Ehrman, Ph.D. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Adult Forum for June

June 19th and 26th

The Forum will discuss a series entitled "Saving Jesus," which is based upon videos of important Christian theologians and scholars who reflect upon the meaning of Jesus for the 21st century. We will view a segment of the series and discuss the issues, views, and ideas presented on that topic. June 19th is an introduction to the series and June 26th

focuses upon the question, "Who Is Jesus?"

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. Thank you!

Sunday, June 19, 2016

2 cans whole kernel corn, 1 box of cereal, 1 box, 2 pkg. ramen.

**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

Food Pantry Musings

In II Samuel Chapter 12, we have the wonderful story that Nathan told to David concerning David's sin when he had Uriah killed in order that he could satisfy his, David's lust. When David does not get that he is the point of the story, Nathan says: "You are the man!" David then confesses his sin, Nathan assures David that he will not suffer death, but he tells David that the sword will not leave his household. David's sin will not be forgotten, and he will not likely escape without a measure being taken from him. I am reminded of a serious counseling session in which I had stated something about my forgiveness of someone an egregious action. I had said that I had forgiven and forgotten. I was immediately corrected. You may forgive, but you never forget. Obviously, you do not forget if you remember the act enough to tell about it. On reflection, you frankly should remember in order to take care of yourself and to understand your journey. If you remember, you can move beyond the event. Failure to remember mires you down in the stuff of lost relationships and your anger. You probably live in fear of threats and retaliation. I wonder if God does not remember in order to help us mark our journeys in the same way? Nathan also held David responsible. 'You are the man!' Not only will we live with the residue of the sin, 'the sword in the house,' we must own it. In owning it, David escaped death. We have the opportunity of forgiveness if we confess. But our relationship will be altered because of it. Trust will never be the same. We do not need to live in fear of God's retaliation. Confession allows us to stand up in prayer, allows us to receive God's grace. We know what and who we are and because of that we are able to ask for forgiveness and receive salvation through God's grace. -Ann Drake

Prayers of the People

Prayers & Petitions:

Gloria (healing), Rusty and Christy (safe travels), Timothy, Fereshteh, Shirley, Joseph (safe travels), Rebecca and Aiden, Conner (healing), Brigi and Wilbur, Stephanie, Tori, Daniel, Tom, Tupper, Repp Family (safe travels), Kim, King Family (safe travels), Jenny, Doug, Odessa, Hannah, Jon and Julie, Micah, Nita, Linda, Bob.

Thanksgivings: We give thanks for the people of St. Peter's and the visitors with us this week. We give thanks for Jacquie Seroy, Milo and Ann Shult, Conrad Shumaker, John, Kate and John Shute, Scott, Tracy, Walker and Wade Simpson, Krystle Singh and Cassidy Knowles, Chris Smith, Wesley Smith.

We give thanks for First Baptist Church and the Congregation Agudath Achim.

We give thanks for our Daughters of the King Chapter.

We give thanks for The Church of North India (United), The Most Revd. Pradeep Samantaroy Moderator of CNI and Bishop of Amritsar.

We give thanks for Rev. Tomas Calel and The Transfiguration in Chumanzana (choo-man-zahna) and St. Bartholomew's in Chucalibal (choo-caly-ball). For good health at St. Martin in the Fields, Philadelphia.

Prayers for the Departed:

Stanley Almodovar III, Amanda Alvear, Oscar A Aracena-Montero, Rodolfo Ayala-Ayala, Antonio Davon Brown, Darryl Roman Burt II, Angel L. Candelario-Padro, Juan Chevez-Martinez, Luis Daniel Conde, Cory James Connell, Tevin Eugene Crosby, Deonka Deidra Drayton, Simon Adrian Carrillo Fernandez, Leroy Valentin Fernandez, Mercedes Marisol Flores, Peter O. Gonzalez-Cruz, Juan Ramon Guerrero, Paul Terrell Henry, Frank Hernandez, Miguel Angel Honorato, Javier Jorge-Reyes, Jason Benjamin Josaphat, Eddie Jamoldroy Justice, Anthony Luis Laureanodisla, Christopher Andrew Leinonen, Alejandro Barrios Martinez, Brenda Lee Marquez McCool, Gilberto Ramon Silva Menendez, Kimberly Morris, Akyra Monet Murray, Luis Omar Ocasio-Capo, Geraldo A. Ortiz-Jimenez, Eric Ivan Ortiz-Rivera, Joel Rayon Paniagua, Jean Carlos Mendez Perez, Enrique L. Rios, Jr., Jean C. Nives Rodriguez, Xavier Emmanuel Serrano Rosado, 35 years old

Christopher Joseph Sanfeliz, Yilmary Rodriguez Solivan, Edward Sotomayor Jr., Shane Evan Tomlinson, Martin Benitez Torres, Jonathan Antonio Camuy Vega, Juan P. Rivera Velazquez, Luis S. Vielma, Franky Jimmy Dejesus Velazquez, Luis Daniel Wilson-Leon, and Jerald Arthur Wright

Liturgical Ministers

| Sunday, June 19, 2016 | | | |
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| Ministry Team #3 | 7:30am Rite I | 9:00am Enriching w/ Music | 11:00am Rite II |
| Lectors | Pam Holt | Mary Etta Qualls | Wolfe Oeste Jayme Stone |
| Greeters | Richard Boosey | Lisa Crowson | Madelyn Adams Sandy Simpson |
| Ushers | Richard Boosey | Dinah and Danny Reed | John Vanderslice Wayne Stengel |
| Oblationers | *usher will be oblationer | *usher will be oblationer | Gloria Parker Amy Rice |
| Eucharistic Minister | | Kathryn Spinks EM 1 Steve Eddy EM 2 | Jim Fowler EM 1 Ellen Stengel EM 2 |
| Eucharistic Visitor | | | Erin Weindorf Rita Mackintosh |
| Nursery Volunteer | | | |
| Vestry Counters | | | Dan Allen John Phillips |
| Acolytes | | AM:Kate Shute CB: Madolyn Ward | AM:Kate Shute CB: Jack Wirtz |
| Altar Guild | Team #2 | Team #2 | Team #2 |
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