



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUNE 28, 2015

Welcome to St. Martin's! Please take a moment to fill out the blue attendance cards and if you're a guest, please let us know your contact information so we can reach out with a warm welcome!

Dedications: The flower arrangement is given today to the glory of God and in celebration of our 50th wedding anniversary by Thomas and Barbara Hoffman.

Lectern Dedication TODAY- With thanksgiving to God we dedicate our new lectern during the late service. The lectern is given in memory of Jack Teel by Norma and has been designed by Rick Ruhf and crafted by the folks at Litewoods Joinery. We thank God for this beautiful addition that will bless our worship life so richly!

Also, **TODAY** we invite the ladies to wear their prettiest **HATS** to church.

New Carpeting- Through a very generous gift from Janet and Jim Clauson, our school/church hallways are being re-carpeted this week. We thank Janet and Jim—and thank God for this generous outpouring that is making everything look new!

Today after the 10 am service, there will be a congregational meeting. We will be electing council members, reviewing the school report and we will also be discussing plans for capital improvements.

SMLC Summer Golf League News: We will gather again this Thursday at Compass Pointe for tee times beginning at 5 pm. \$25 per person per- contact Lenny Bosley 443-354-2947 for if you'd like to join000.

Softball (for men and women over age 14) will take place through the end of July. Games are held Mondays and Wednesdays at Annapolis Middle School on Spa Road. **Our next game is Monday, June 29. Meet at 6:15 pm; game at 6:30 pm.** No experience necessary. Contact Ches Lanham at 410-268-4756 or sueches4@comcast.net.

Men's Breakfast/Bible Study, Wednesdays at Double T Diner (corner of W. St. and Rt. 2), 7–8 am.

Vacation Bible School: July 6 – 10, 9 am – 12 pm.

Thank you to everyone who signed up to provide snack items for VBS. **We would like to have all items delivered to the church by June 28.** If you can't bring them Sunday you can drop them off at the church office early next week. **We will be**

decorating the church on Friday, July 3 starting around 8:30 am. If you can volunteer some time that day to help us, we

would appreciate it. If you can tape a poster to the wall, we can use your help. Thanks to everyone who has volunteered. We are looking forward to a great week! If you think you can help in any way or have any questions, please email Judy Houston at judyhouston2@gmail.com or call me at 410-263-3888.

VBS Service Project - Blue Ribbon Project, Backpacks of Love: This program supports victims of child abuse and neglect the moment they are being removed from a dangerous environment. Oftentimes, the child is lacking the very basic essentials. The items needed for ages 4 - 9 are: Socks, Underwear, Body wash, Children's shampoo & conditioner, Comb, Lotion, Shirts, stretchy Pants, Pajamas, Toothbrush/toothpaste, Age appropriate book, Small blanket or quilt, Plush animal, Writing journal with pen or pencil, girl Hair brush, girl Barrettes/hair ties. All items need to be new; Travel size toiletries will work. We plan to fill several backpacks and donate the remaining items. You may donate as many items off the list as you want. We will have bins in the check-in area for the items. **We would like to have them by Wednesday, July 8 of VBS week.**

Cooks Needed: We are still in need of a family or church group to serve dinner at the Light House Shelter for **July 13** and **August 10**. If you are interested, there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway. Questions? Please call Barbara Freeman at tombarb.freeman@verizon.net/410-798-6612.

St. Martin's Garden News: Our next Garden Club work day will be on **Thursday, July 16 from 5:00-7:30pm**. Please come anytime during those hours to help us beautify the gardens at St. Martin's. Take time to enjoy our attractive gardens. We have observed birds, butterflies and honeybees.

Adopt a Rain Garden at St. Martin's this summer. We hope some families will adopt a rain garden over the summer, weeding and watering as needed. Go in together with another family and enjoy teaching your children to care for the earth. Contact the Knupps at 410-956-4881 or Knuppster@aol.com.

New Pictorial Directory Coming Soon!!! Beginning in July, we are scheduling appointments for photos with a professional photographer who is certain to wow you with her talent. Rachel Sales is a local photographer who has traveled the world, working with Photographers Without Borders, most recently shooting in the Amazon. **Please sign up for one of our photography sessions with Rachel.** There will be a sign-up sheet available at church for the three designated Sundays (**July 12, 19 and August 9**) between 8:30 am and 12 pm.



TODAY IN WORSHIP

8:00 am: Assisting Minister: Greg Maxwell
Ushers: The Blomendahls

10:00 am: (Sanctuary)
Preacher & Celebrant: Pastor Dave Oravec
Organist: Kerry Heyes
Assisting Minister: Jane Anne Houser
Communion Assistants: LeAnn Myhre, Bob Drumm, Judy Houston, Mel Tuckfield
Lector: LeAnn Myhre
Children's Message: Pastor Dave
Kids Time: Sandy Oravec
Ushers: Linda Wetz, Sara Wetz, Carole Komenda, Brian Kovalski
Communion Bread: The Drumms
Communion Clean Up: Myrtie Bartel

We include the following in our prayers: Carolyn Abel, Alana, Elinor Amundsen, Kaye Bailey, Donna Binder, Charlene Brogan, Marilyn Burke, Jamshed Chaudy, Alan Creager, Linda Duffus, Joe Duncan, Jina Eckhardt, Barbara Fink, Donna French, Joe Henson, Missy Hile, Tom Hoffman, Bill Jerman, Michael Kelly, Michelle Kinal, Susan Kuehnel, Sue Lanham, Ethel LaRue, Bobby Marsden, Bob Nicoll, Joseph Poncharik, Elinore Pribble, Midshipman 2/c Richard Ramos, Deborah Ridel, Lauren Riordan, Charles Shott, Kristi Sjolholm-Sierchio, Terri Sparks, Ike Starkey, Alan Vomhof, Mildred Voytko, Lily Ann Weeks, Mark Whirley, Jonathan and Nicki Aseltine, SSG Tony Cecil, SSG Brendan Fossum, Tim Junak, CAPT Robert Parsley, OS1 John Shutt, and our homebound members—Muriel Eser, Louse Gebelein, Louise Herklotz, June Peddicord and Betty Strohl. We also pray for the family of Vance Ishler (Brynn Laird's father) who entered the Church Triumphant last week and also for Francine Gill whose friend, Jimmy Brown, passed away last week.

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OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 28

8:00 am Worship with Communion (Courtyard)
10:00 am Worship with Communion (S)
11:15 am Congregational Meeting (S)
Children's Choir (M)
Super Summer Sunday (MSY/SHY – Quiet Waters)

Monday, June 29

6:15 pm Softball (Annapolis Middle on Spa Road)

Tuesday, June 30

7:00 pm VBS Training Meeting (C)

Wednesday, July 1

7:00 am Men's Bible Study (Double T Diner, Annapolis)
10:00 am Staff Meeting (CF)
7:00 pm Men's Choir Rehearsal (S)
YSC Meeting (Carin's House)

Friday, July 3

****Church Office Closed****

8:30 am VBS Decorating

Sunday, July 5

8:00 am Worship with Communion (Courtyard)
9:25 am Children's Choir (S)
10:00 am Worship with Communion (S)

Building Lock-Up this week: Ben Blomendahl (402-720-1663).

