



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUNE 7, 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 flowers are given today to the Glory of God and to the members of the choir who provide beautiful music from Betty and John Knupp.

Our 8 am worship moves outside today. We'll worship in the courtyard through the summer. Folks who attend are invited to bring lawn chairs.

Today during worship we celebrate our wonderful Music Ministry here at St. Martin's by enjoying beautiful music from our adult, children's and bell choirs. We also welcome two special guests, Denise Gulley and Tim Augustin (a member of Pastor Dave's family) who both are regulars on the Kennedy Center stage during opera season. Thanks to Tim and Denise and to all of our singers and ringers for such a wonderful season of music! We hope you'll think about joining a choir when they start up again.

Youth CAR WASH TODAY! Our youth gathered extra early for worship today—so that they can wash your car during worship ☺ If you'd like your car to be washed during worship, the youth and their adult helpers will be ready to assist during both services. Your generous response will help as they raise funds for the ELCA National Youth Gathering in July.

Kid's Time Help Needed: With the implementation of the Child Protection Policy there is now a requirement for 2 adults at Kid's Time. The ushers have been asked to assist during this 15-20 minute period if needed, but we need more volunteers to help. **All volunteers need to be trained to the Child Protection Policy (more training opportunities to come). Please speak with Pastor Dave if you can help.** Kid's Time is recommended for ages 3 through 3rd grade.

SMLC Summer Golf League News: Thursday's competition was rained out. We will gather again this Thursday for tee times beginning at 5PM. \$25 per person per round includes greens fees, range balls, cart and golf with new friends. Contact Lenny Bosley 443-354-2947 for details.

The St. Martin's softball team summer season has begun! The next game will be played on **June 8** at Annapolis Middle School. If interested in playing, **please arrive at 6:15 pm.** Questions? Contact Ches at 410-268-4756 sueches4@comcast.net.

Blood Drive: St. Martin's will be holding a blood drive on **Friday, June 12** from **12:30 – 6:00 pm.** To sign up, please contact Ches at 410-268-4756/sueches4@comcast.net.

Garden Club News: Our next Garden work day will be on **Tuesday, June 16** from **5:00 - 7:30 pm.** Please join church members to help us beautify the gardens at St. Martin's. We need volunteers. Come for 45 minutes! **Adopt a Rain Garden at St. Martin's this summer.** We hope 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 to help. **Thanks to the following people who helped weed on May 13:** Mary Ann Elliott, Martha Hollenbeck, Betty and John Knupp, Susan McCahan, and Dan and Brynn Laird, who also adopted a rain garden.

The June Meeting of the **Prayer Shawl Ministry** will be held on **June 18** from **1 - 4 pm** at the home of Dottie Hall, 3105 Belair Drive, Bowie, MD. 20715. Do you love to crochet or knit? Would you like to learn? Please consider joining the Prayer Shawl Ministry. Attendance at the monthly meetings is not required. For more information, please call Dottie Hall at 301-262-6213.

Registration is open for **Vacation Bible School** which will be held **July 6 - 10** from **9 am to 12 pm.** Register at <http://stmartinsannapolis.org/outreach/vacation-bible-school>. Our theme is "G-Force – God's love in action". The children will learn how to put their faith into action as they "Move!", "Act!", "Care!", "Follow!", and "Share!" Your help is needed to make this a great week for the children. If you can't volunteer during the week of VBS, there are opportunities for helping with crafts or decorations that can be done evenings or after church on some Sundays. Questions- contact judyhouston2@gmail.com or 410-263-3888.

Men's Breakfast/Bible Study, Wednesdays at Double T Diner (corner of W. St. and Rt. 2), 7–8 am. The MON Bible study will reconvene in August.

Light House Shelter Dinner: We have openings to serve dinner at the Light House on July 8, Aug 10 and Oct 12. Sign-up in the hallway just off the narthex. Questions, please contact Barb Freeman, 410-798-6612, tombarb.freeman@verizon.net.

Last Sunday's Endless Summer Festival was a huge success as church and school folks gathered to celebrate our ministry of education and have fun! Thanks to all who helped and to the Shatners (who were fantastic!). Also, a word of thanks to everyone who supported the school book drive for new text books—approximately 12,000 was raised!

On Flag Day (next Sunday) a group of St. Martin's men will be singing patriotic songs in the narthex following the 10AM worship service!

TODAY IN WORSHIP

8:00 am: Assisting Minister: Greg Maxwell
Ushers: Faye Wetherhold

10:00 am: (Sanctuary)

Preacher & Celebrant: Pastor Dave Oravec
Organist: Kerry Heyes
Assisting Minister: Doug Hole
Communion Assistants: Jane Doyle, John Knupp,
Judy Houston, Glenn Hollenbeck
Lector: John Knupp
Children's Message: Pastor Dave
Kids Time: Marianne Drumm, Laura Albanese
Ushers: Bob Bartel, Myrtie Bartel,
Lissi Umlandt, Martha Hollenbeck
Communion Bread: Altar Guild
Communion Clean Up: Jean Gates,Carolynn Goldberg

We include the following in our prayers: Carolyn Abel, Alana, Elinor Amundsen, Kaye Bailey, Donna Binder, Charlene Brogan, Jimmy Brown, Marilyn Burke, Jamshed Chaudy, Alan Creager, Linda Duffus, Joe Duncan, Jina Eckhardt, Barbara Fink, Joe Henson, 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 Sjoholm-Sierchio, Terri Sparks, Ike Starkey, Alan Vomhof, Mildred Voytko, Lily Ann Weeks, Mark Whirley, Jonathan and Nicki Aseltine, SSG Tony Cecil, Tim Junak, CAPT Robert Parsley, OS1 John Shutt, and our homebound members—Muriel Eser, Louse Gebelein, Louise Herklotz, June Peddicord and Betty Strohl.

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OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 7

7:15 am Carwash (SHY)
8:00 am Worship with Communion (Courtyard)
9:15 am Choir Rehearsal (S)
10:00 am Worship with Communion (S)

Monday, June 8

6:15 pm SMLC Softball League (Annapolis Middle School)

Tuesday, June 9

Last Day of SMLC Day School

6:00 pm Christian Ed Meeting
7:00 pm Finance Meeting (CF)

Wednesday, June 10

7:00 am Men's Bible Study (Double T Diner, Annapolis)
10:45 am Staff Mtg (CF)
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (S)

Thursday, June 11

5:00 pm SMLC Golf League

Friday, June 12

12:30 pm Blood Drive (A,B,C)

Sunday, June 14

8:00 am Worship with Communion (Courtyard)
10:00 am Worship with Communion (S)

**Note- a congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, June 28th. Watch for more information.

Building Lock-Up this week: Darrell Dempster (410-263-4460). If you could devote an occasional week to help keep our facility secure, please call Tim Doyle (410-974-9033).

