



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

MAY 8, 2016

Welcome to St. Martin's! Please take a moment to fill out the blue attendance cards in your pew. If you're a guest today- we thank God for your presence and hope you are blessed by joy through your time in worship here.

Dedications: The flower arrangement is given today to the Glory of God and with thanks for mothers and all those who nurture and provide care for others.

WORSHIP will be held in the Fellowship Wing this weekend and perhaps next. The slate is being laid this week but we are unsure how long it will take for sound/video installation. Notice about our worship location will be sent next week. The progress to date is very exciting!

Adult Forum will be held in the Library Lounge today from 9-9:45 am. Class members requested more time discussing some of Luther's works and so this week we will focus on 'The Freedom of the Christian.'

Monday Bible Study on Mark will be led by Pastor Dave tomorrow at 7 pm in the fellowship wing. This is the last class before our summer hiatus. The class will resume in August.

Flying Quilters will meet again tomorrow, **May 9 and 23** in the Fellowship foyer from 10 am – 2 pm. New quilters are always welcome – no experience required. Questions? Contact Judy Houston at djhouston1@comcast.net or 410-263-3888.

"Outie" Lunch Group will meet next **Tuesday, May 10** at "Eggcellence" at **12:30 pm**. Address: 2625 Housley Road & Rt. 450 (Shopping Center w/Best Buy). Hope you can join us. Contact: Carole Komenda 410-266-7132.

Prayer Shawl Ministry: will meet on **Thursday, May 12, 1 - 4 pm** at Tracey Maxwell's home. Her address is 1749 St. Margarets Rd, Annapolis. Questions? - call Tracey at 410-757-8039. For those unable to meet with us, please keep knitting and crocheting; Pastor Dave continues to find loving homes for our efforts. If you have a loved-one who would like a prayer shawl or lap throw, please contact Pastor Dave or Dottie Hall (301-262-6213). We also mail these "tangible hugs from God" out of town.

Car Wash Fundraiser: The youth plan to have a car wash on **Sunday, May 15th** from **8 - 11 am**. The youth and their adult helpers will be at church extra early so that when YOU arrive at church--- you can have them wash your car. Money raised will help fund their trip to the ELCA National Gathering in Savannah this summer.

Garden Club: Our next workday is **May 19 - join us anytime between 5 - 7 pm**

STMLC Golf Fellowship: Our 2nd annual golf fellowship will kick off on **Monday, May 16** with the first group teeing off at 5:30 pm. We'll meet each Monday through September. Following golf, we will continue our fellowship with appetizers or dinner at the Ramshead Roadhouse which is just a few minutes away from the golf course. Friends, relatives, neighbors are all welcome. All skill levels are welcome - this is all about fellowship and fun. Cost is \$25. Please RSVP to Alan Bitonti ASAP. Alan's cell number is 781-608-8508 or ajbitonti@verizon.net.

Endless Summer Event: Sunday, May 22 from 11:30 am - 2:30 pm. Please join us as we kick off summer at this fun-filled event for the families of St. Martin's School and Church. The festival will take place immediately following a special 10:00 am church service celebrating the ministry of education at St. Martin's. Bring a beach umbrella, beach chair and picnic blanket. And don't forget bathing suits and towels for the water slide!! **NEEDED:** Pop-up Tents. If you have a pop-up tent that you are willing to lend for the afternoon, please contact Heather Tuckfield, either by email at htuckfield@gmail.com or 410-562-5561. OR just let me know when you see me at church!! Fun for everyone!

It's not too late...to sponsor our youth for their Summer Mission Trip! All donations go towards trip expenses. Please put your donations of any amount in the offering plate and designate it "Youth Trip". See Marta if you have any questions. Thanks for your continued love and support!

Vacation Bible School for 2016 will be **August 1-5**. Our theme is "Surf Shack - Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love". The children will put their faith into action as they learn how God "Creates", "Helps", "Loves", "Calms", and "Sends". As before we will be presenting 5 Bible stories (2 from the Old Testament; 3 from the New Testament) **To register:** <http://stmartinsannapolis.org/outreach/vacation-bible-school/>.

We will recognize the ministry of Kerry Heyes following worship on **May 29**. We hope everyone will be able to come as we thank Kerry and celebrate the many musical and spiritual gifts she has poured out upon us during the last 2+ years! Kerry's last Sunday is June 5th, however, this is also the rite of Confirmation so we've scheduled the 29th as a special day to thank her.

Please see the thank you card and retirement program (posted in the school hallway) from SSG Brendan Fossum who is one of Wounded Warriors and Bev Fossum's grandson. We thank God for his dedicated service to our nation and pray that his next chapter is blessed!

TODAY IN WORSHIP

8:00 am: Assisting Minister: Matt Lanham

10:00 am:

Celebrant: Pastor Dave Oravec

Organist: Kerry Heyes

Assisting Minister: Mel Tuckfield

Communion Assistants: Donnaleen Trump-Starkey,
Kim Rosekrans, Bob Drumm,
Linda Wetz

Lector: Donnaleen Trump-Starkey

Ushers: Carole Komenda,
Anna Marie and Gene Humphrey,
Sara Wetz

Children's Message: Heather Tuckfield

Communion Bread: Altar Guild

Communion Clean Up: Gene and Anna Marie Humphrey

We include the following in our prayers: Carolyn Abel, Elinor Amundsen, Kaye Bailey, Wendy Barnhill, Carly Bastiansen, Donna Binder, Betty Blanset, Dennis Dennis, Linda Duffus, Joe Duncan, Jina Eckhardt, Dave Edsall, Doug Edsall, Barbara Fink, Donna French, Jeff Gunhus, Joe Henson, Missy Hile, Tom Hoffman, Donna Hole, Mike Huhn, Missy Jeffries, Bill Jerman, Joshua Jones, Michael Kelly, Michelle Kinal, Shari Kristiansen, Sue Lanham, Sam Loeffler, Harry Michener, Julia McClenahan, Maureen, Zoltan Modly, Cherie Monarch, Evangeline Nurmi, Elinore Pribble, Craig Powell, Deborah Ridel, Lauren Riordan, Linda Ruhf, Bill Sarver, Charles Shott, Kristi Sjolholm-Sierchio, Terri Sparks, Andrea Viera, Mildred Voytko, Betty Walters, Kerri Wassum, Lily Ann Weeks, Mark Whirley, SSG Brendan Fossum, Muriel Eser, Ethel LaRue, and Betty Strohl. We also pray for the Boynton family at the death of Lee (who painted our lovely St. Martin of Tours in the narthex), the Fast family at the death of Matthew, the Knoche family at the death of our Bishop Emeritus, The Rev. H. Gerard (Jerry) Knoche.

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OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 8 – Mother's Day -

- 8:00 am Worship with Communion (Fellowship Rooms)
- 8:30 am Scholastic Book Fair (Music Rm)
- 9:00 am MSY Confirmation Class (YR & 5th grade room)
Sunday School (Art Rm)
Adult Forum (Library)
- 9:15 am Choir Rehearsal (Fellowship Rooms)
- 10:00 am Worship with Communion (Fellowship Rooms)
- 11:15 am Children's Choir Rehearsal (Fellowship Rooms)

Monday, May 9

- 8:30 am School Book Fair (Music Room)
- 10:00 am Flying Quilters (Fellowship Foyer)
- 6:30 pm Evening of the Arts (Gym)
- 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study (Fellowship)

Tuesday, May 10

- 8:30 am School Book Fair (Music Room)
- 12:30 pm Outie Lunch Group (Eggcellence)
- 12:45 pm Art Appreciation Class (B)

Wednesday, May 11

- 7:00 am Men's Bible Study (Double T Diner, Annapolis)
- 8:30 am School Book Fair (Music Room)
- 8:40 am School Chapel (Fellowship Rooms)
- 10:00 am Staff Meeting (Conference Room)
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Fellowship Rooms)

Thursday, May 12

- 1:00 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry (The Maxwells)

Friday, May 13

- 9:00 am School Open House
- 7:00 pm Middle School Dance (Gym)

Sunday, May 15

- 8:00 am Worship with Communion (Fellowship Rooms)
Youth Car Wash Fundraiser (Circle Dr.)
- 9:00 am Sunday School (Art Rm)
Adult Forum (Library)
- 9:15 am Choir Rehearsal (Fellowship Rooms)
- 10:00 am Worship with Communion (Fellowship Rooms)
- 11:15 am Children's Choir Rehearsal (Fellowship Rooms)
- 2:00 pm YAG BBQ (Hwangs)

