

ST. PETER'S CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of May 17, 2026

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Parish Prayer List

Please, remember the following in prayer:

Frank A.
Linda Abbott
Deborah Boender
Douglas Causey
Jonathon Culver
Patricia DeVed
Gene Donalds
Jerry Eller
Jackie Harbaugh
Tim Harbaugh
John Holland
Carolyn Jenkins
Odette Lineweaver
Barbara Murray
Jerry N.
Kenny Richardson
Mike Steczak
Fr. David Tontonoz
Timmy Willey
Mary Willis

SPRING MUSIC MINISTRY CONCERT THIS AFTERNOON Join us for an engaging afternoon of music featuring the St. Peter's Adult Choir, Handbell Choir, guest soloists, and student musicians from Salisbury University. The program includes a mix of sacred and secular works spanning centuries, with music by Johann Sebastian Bach, Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy, Ralph Vaughan Williams, Ola Gjeilo, and others.

Featured soloists include tenor Lance Fisher, a Peabody Conservatory graduate praised for his "beautiful and powerful tenor with exceptional high notes" (Opera Today), and soprano Stanz Dolan, an experienced international performer and former U.S. Air Force "Singing Sergeant." Organist Lauma Akmene will also be featured as soloist, bringing her expressive artistry and international concert experience to the program.

The concert will also showcase student section leaders from Salisbury University, who will join the ensemble and present solo performances, highlighting emerging musical talent alongside the parish's adult choirs and handbells. This program offers a varied and uplifting musical experience celebrating artistry, collaboration, and community. Admission is free and all are welcome. Show your support for St. Peter's excellent music ministry and enjoy an afternoon of superb live music at the church. Invite friends and family to join you.

ADULT FORUM SERIES ON ST. PETER'S FIRST LETTER Pastor Greg Harbaugh is taking an intriguing look at our Patron Saint Peter's First Letter in the New Testament, which is being read in its entirety during Sundays in Eastertide. What might Peter be saying to us in the modern era? Join Pastor Greg Sundays in May at 9:40am in the Parish Library.

NEXT SUNDAY IS PENTECOST: Next Sunday we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost when the Holy Spirit came upon the disciples as tongues of fire. The color of the day is red so don't forget to wear red if you'd like as we celebrate the birthday of the church!

SAVE THE DATE: PARISH PICNIC MAY 31 The Annual Parish Picnic will be held Sunday, May 31 at Pirate's Wharf Park on Whitehaven Road and all are invited to attend. There will be an outdoor 10:30am worship service followed by the picnic. Hamburgers and Hotdogs and drinks will be provided. Attendees are asked to bring a salad, side dish or dessert. Mark your calendars.

MEMORIAL DAY EUCHARIST MAY 25 St. Peter's will have our annual Memorial Day Eucharist on Monday, May 25 (Memorial Day) at 9am to remember those who have given their lives in service to our country. If you have a service member that would like to be remembered at the service, fill out a In Memorial form in your bulletin or send the name to Cathy in the Parish Office: cathyp@stpeterschurch.net. Start your Memorial Day observance by coming to St. Peter's for the Memorial Day Eucharist which will include prayers and patriotic hymns.

Sunday - 5/10
Attendance: 83 Giving - \$3,288

Weekly Budget: \$7,485

2026 Giving through February
\$126,313

2026 Budget through February:
\$104,350

Note: Giving higher than budget means
less income needed from endowment.

18 MONDAY	19 TUESDAY	20 WEDNESDAY	21 THURSDAY	22 FRIDAY	23 SATURDAY	24 SUNDAY
<p>8AM Green Hill Worship Meeting Parish Library</p> <p>9:30AM Morning Prayer In Person & Livestream</p> <p>10AM Comforter's Group via Zoom</p>	<p>8AM Green Hill Fundraising Sub-Committee Meeting Parish Library</p> <p>5:30PM Evening Prayer In Person & Livestream</p> <p>Worship Committee Meeting via Zoom</p> <p>6:30PM Choir Rehearsal Choir Room</p>	<p>8AM Men's Bible Study Parish Library</p> <p>NOON Holy Eucharist w/Healing Service In Person & Livestream</p> <p>2:30PM Staff Meeting Parish Library</p> <p>5:30PM New Vestry Member Orientation via Zoom</p> <p>7PM Vestry Meeting via Zoom</p>	<p>5:30PM Evening Prayer In Person & Livestream</p>	<p>9AM Church Cleaning Parish House & Church</p> <p>1PM Bulletin Folders Parish Library</p> <p>5:30PM Evening Prayer In Person & Livestream</p>	<p>8:30AM Morning Prayer In Person & Livestream</p>	<p>DAY OF PENTECOST</p> <p>8:30AM Holy Eucharist II In Person & Livestream</p> <p>9:40AM Adult Forum Study Parish Library</p> <p>10:30AM Holy Eucharist II In Person & Livestream</p>

WEEKLY SERVICE SCHEDULE

Daily Prayer: In-Person & Livestream

Mondays @ 9:30am, Tuesdays @ 5:30pm, Thursday @ 5:30pm, Fridays @ 5:30pm & Saturdays @ 8:30am

Wednesdays: Holy Eucharist w/Healing Service @ Noon In-Person & Livestream

Sundays: Holy Eucharist I @ 8:30am & Holy Eucharist II @ 10:30am In Person & Livestream

SUNDAYS AVAILABLE TO DONATE ALTAR FLOWERS It is customary to have fresh flower arrangements on the altar every Sunday and there are many Sundays available in May for you to consider donating flowers in memory of loved ones, or in honor of persons or of ministries in the church. May 31, June 7, 14, 28 are available. For information on how to donate, go to the Altar Flowers page on our parish website: <https://stpeterschurch.net/altar-flowers/>.

RECTOR TO GO ON SABBATICAL THIS SUMMER Father David Michaud will be on sabbatical this summer from June 15 through August 20. The Vestry has set up a Sabbatical Fund to help raise the funds necessary to fund the sabbatical, both for Father David and the parish. Father David has pledged to provide more than \$6,000 toward the sabbatical and has secured a \$6,000 grant for the diocese. The parish needs to raise the remaining funds. Members can make a contribution to the Sabbatical Fund by writing a check to St. Peter's with "Sabbatical Fund" on the memo line, or by going on-line to make a contribution. For more information about Fr. David's sabbatical go to: <https://stpeterschurch.net/sabbatical/>.

GREEN HILL DAY AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH MOUSE STORE MAY 23 Wicomico County Episcopal parishioners and friends are invited to donate their gently used treasures or baked goods to The Church Mouse at St. Philip's, Quantico for "Green Hill Church Day," Saturday, May 23, 2026, from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm. (Items may be dropped off on Thursdays May 14th and/or May 21st from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm).

Suggested treasures: (Please, no clothing!) Jewelry, Purses, Small Household Items, Collectibles, Artwork, Small end tables, Serving Pieces, Small Chairs, Primitives, Local Memorabilia, Vintage Items, Flowerpots, Small Statuary, Gardening Items, Metal Works.

Baked Goods include cookies, brownies, small loaves of bread, cornbread, or anything that can be divided for individual sale.

All proceeds from sales on May 23rd will benefit Green Hill Church Restoration Project. Volunteers are also needed to help collect donated goods and/or be available on Saturday, May 23rd. Please contact Nancy Hall at 410-713-9650 to volunteer.

PARISH HOUSE & CHAPEL RENOVATIONS Drawings and pictures of possible renovations in the Parish House and the installation of a chapel in the church are on display in the parlor at coffee hour. Take a look at what the renovations might look like. A feasibility study is being prepared to survey the parish on what they think of these and other possible capital projects.



St. Peter's BLESSING BOX

Our Blessing Box has been established to fulfill a need for the hungry in our downtown area. Your donations help stock our Blessing Box and meet those needs.

SUGGESTED ITEMS:

can food with pop top, pasta, cereal, shelf kept meal items, bottled water, snack items, broth, plastic forks/spoons, clothing, backpacks/bags, hygiene items, feminine hygiene items, toilet paper, towels/washcloths



5/17	Cooper Parsons
5/19	Ricki Bradshaw
5/21	John Phillips
5/22	Jennifer Marble Kevin Moore Rhyan Parsons
5/23	Tyler Matthews

If you would like to be on our Parish Birthday List, please contact Cathy Parsons, Parish Secretary

