

ST. PETER'S CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of August 9, 2026

115 St. Peter's – Salisbury, MD – 410.742.5118 – www.stpeterschurch.net

Parish Prayer List

Please, remember the following in prayer:

Frank A.
Linda Abbott
Deborah Boender
Douglas Causey
Jonathon & Richard Culver
Patricia DeVed
Gene Donalds
Barry & Dawn Harbaugh
Jackie Harbaugh
Tim & Shirley Harbaugh
Carolyn Jenkins
Christi Conoway Jones
Odette Lineweaver
Barbara Murray
Shelli Potter
Kenny Richardson
Kathleen Shannon
Mike Steczak
Fr. David Tontonoz
Bob Warfel
Jordan Willey
Steve & Kathy Willey
Timmy Willey
Mary Willis

Sunday – 8/2

Attendance: 57 Giving – \$4,061

Weekly Budget: \$7,485

2026 Giving through June

\$208,163

2026 Budget through June: \$208,700

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

FEASIBILITY STUDY UNDERWAY AT ST. PETER'S Thank you to all who participated in the Feasibility Study by completing the questionnaire. **However, there was a problem if you completed a paper survey and mailed it in—we had an old address to send your responses to.** If you filled out a paper survey, we will send you a link to the on-line survey to complete. If you prefer paper, we can send one with a correctly addressed envelope for you to return it. **Either way, it would need to be completed ASAP so we can move forward.** Please contact Karen Papke-Shields via text or phone at 443-783-4715 and we will get things straightened out.

CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST It has been St. Peter's custom over the years to collect school supplies and clothing for the students of our faith-based partner school, WiMiddle School, during the month of August. This year the Outreach Committee has recommended the purchase of clear plastic or PVC backpacks to meet the new policy of WiMiddle School. A Christmas tree is set up in the parlor for you to place your gifts.

DEACON LAURA TO OFFER LAY LICENSED TRAINING THIS SATURDAY Deacon Laura is offering training for Eucharist Ministers this Saturday, August 15th from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm in the library. This licensed ministry is open to those lay people who would like to assist during Sunday Eucharist services. Current licensed Eucharist Ministers are also invited if they would like a refresher. Eucharist Ministers may lead the psalm, read the New Testament lesson, and lead the Prayers of the People. They also serve the wine during Eucharist. Please note that additional/refresher training is not necessary for the renewal of your license.

Please contact Deacon Laura at 443-523-8669 or laura@dioceseofeaston.org and let her know if you would like to be trained as a Eucharist Minister.

HYMN SING NEXT SUNDAY BETWEEN SERVICES There will be a Hymn Sing on Sunday, August 16th between the two services, from 9:45 to 10:15 am. Join us for a joyful Hymn Sing featuring many beloved congregational favorites! Come and sing some of the great hymns of our faith, including *How Firm a Foundation*, *Holy, Holy, Holy!*, *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*, *Amazing Grace*, *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*, and many more.

Our beloved flutist **Lisa Adams** will join us for this special gathering, adding beautiful flute music to several hymns and musical reflections, including a special performance of *"Mary Did You Know?"* **Zoe Michelle Bradshaw**, a Salisbury University music graduate, will join us as soprano soloist, and **Lauma Akmene** will accompany on organ and piano.

10 MONDAY	11 TUESDAY	12 WEDNESDAY	13 THURSDAY	14 FRIDAY	15 SATURDAY	16 SUNDAY
9:30AM Morning Prayer <i>In Person & Livestream</i> 10AM Comforter's Group <i>via Zoom</i>	7:45AM Finance Committee Meeting <i>via Zoom</i> 5:30PM Evening Prayer <i>In Person & Livestream</i>	8AM Men's Bible Study <i>Parish Library</i> NOON Holy Eucharist w/Healing Service <i>In Person & Livestream</i> 3PM Wicomico One Meeting <i>Parish Library</i>	5:30PM Evening Prayer <i>In Person & Livestream</i>	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED 9AM Church Cleaning <i>Parish House & Church</i> 1PM Bulletin Folders <i>Parish Library</i> 5:30PM Evening Prayer <i>In Person & Livestream</i>	8:30AM Morning Prayer <i>In Person & Livestream</i> 9:45AM Hymn Sing <i>In Person & Livestream</i> 10:30AM Holy Eucharist II <i>In Person & Livestream</i>	8:30AM Holy Eucharist II <i>In Person & Livestream</i> 9:45AM Hymn Sing <i>In Person & Livestream</i> 10:30AM Holy Eucharist II <i>In Person & Livestream</i>

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

ANNUAL GREEN HILL SUNDAY SERVICE ON AUGUST 23RD St. Peter's will once again join its sister parishes—St. Alban's, St. Mary's, and St. Philip's—for the annual "Old Green Hill Church Sunday" on Sunday, August 23rd at 10:00 am. A picnic featuring Red Roost chicken, will follow on the church grounds. Fr. David will preside at the service and the Rev. Sheila McJilton, Interim Priest at St. Alban's, will be the preacher. Millie Kimmy Morgan, granddaughter of Hope and Ron Morgan, will be baptized on that day. St. Peter's Senior Acolyte, Ella Fenoglietto, will serve as Acolyte/Crucifer.

Music will be coordinated by Veronica Tomanek from St. Alban's. Veronica has shared, "This year we will have part of the Still Waters Ensemble (Ashley Watkins on flute and Denise Nathanson on cello) along with guitarist Brian Raygor to provide instrumental and support music! If you would like to participate in the joint choir for the Green Hill Church service, please let Lauma know at laumaa@stpeterschurch.net.

A special addition this year will be a silver cruet, silver chalice and paten that survived the fire in 2014 that destroyed Spring Hill Parish in Hebron. The cruets were able to be polished to a beautiful shine but the chalice and paten needed to be re-silver plated. The chalice and paten were gifted to St. Paul's on Easter 1883 by the sisters of Sydney Hitch. We are thankful those historic pieces were able to be saved and refurbished.

GUEST SOPRANO LEAH YACKANECH TO JOIN US FOR WORSHIP ON AUGUST 30TH

On Sunday, August 30, we welcome guest soprano **Leah Yackanech**, who will serve as cantor at both our **8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services**. Leah is a graduate of the **Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)** and is now continuing her studies at the **Peabody Conservatory**. She has previously sung and worked with major Episcopal churches in Ohio and has participated in numerous distinguished vocal and opera programs.

During both services, Leah will sing two wonderful arias by Johann Sebastian Bach: "**Ich folge dir gleichfalls**" ("**I will follow you likewise**") and "**Bist du bei mir**" ("**If you are with me**"). These works beautifully connect with the themes of the day's Scripture readings, expressing faith, devotion, and trust in God's presence.

Leah will be accompanied by our Director of Music, **Lauma Akmene**. Please join us for worship, congregational singing, and this special opportunity to experience the beauty of Bach's music. Bring your friends and share this joyful morning with us!

OUTREACH COMMITTEE SEEKING ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO SUPPORT JOSEPH HOUSE

St. Peter's has provided monthly lunches to Joseph House since 1984! Most recently, we have been providing bagged lunches which contain a turkey and cheese sandwich, chips, cookies, banana, Nutri-grain bar, and bottled water. The Committee would like to add additional nutritious items to the bagged lunch and your help is needed! Please consider donating one-time or more to help supplement the budget. You may put a check in the alms basin or in the box next to the Parish Secretary's office. Be sure to include "Joseph House Lunch" on the memo line of your check. You may also donate online www.stpeterschurch.net/give Enter your username and password (or set up an account if you don't already have one); select "Outreach Fund 8403" then follow the prompts. Be sure to add a note "Joseph House lunches" in the "Gift Note" box before finishing your donation. Thank you for your support!

MINISTRY FAIR AND BLESSING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR SEPTEMBER 13TH St. Peter's annual ministry fair will be held on Sunday, September 13th in the parish hall downstairs. This is an opportunity for you to see the ministries taking place at St. Peter's. We will also have the annual blessing of the school year and backpacks at both services.

IT'S MY BIRTHDAY WEEK

YES I GET THE WHOLE WEEK

8/10 Jean Richmond
8/11 Selby Duncan
8/14 John Butler
8/15 Chip Potterton

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

YOU ARE INVITED to participate in the annual
GREEN HILL SUNDAY
AT
OLD GREEN HILL CHURCH
the mother church of Wicomico County's Episcopal Churches,
on **SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2026.**

The worship service -- Holy Eucharist Rite II with Baptism -- begins at 10am with a community picnic for all worshippers to follow on the church grounds.

The Very Rev. David Michaud, Rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Salisbury will preside and the Rev. Sheila McJilton, Interim Rector at St. Alban's Episcopal Church, also in Salisbury, will be the preacher.

Food and drinks are provided, including a generous donation of fried chicken from the Red Roost.

Make plans to attend and experience worship and fellowship in Wicomico County's oldest church structure.

This is a rain or shine event and all are welcome!

WORSHIP FELLOWSHIP COMMUNITY

4035 Green Hill Church Road, Quantico, MD - 21856

St. Peter's
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Start the School Year with God's Blessing!

BLESSING of the BACKPACKS

Bring Your Backpack and Receive a Special Blessing for the School Year!

Students, teachers, administrators, school staff, homeschool families, and college students are invited to bring their backpacks, book bags, laptop bags, or school supplies for a special blessing as we begin a new school year.

Let's pray for a year filled with learning, growth, friendship, wisdom, and God's guidance!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
During the 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Services

"And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor." - Luke 2:52

Whether you are entering kindergarten, beginning a new grade, starting college, teaching in a classroom, or supporting students in any way, come receive a blessing and begin the school year surrounded by prayer and community.

All Are Welcome!

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