ST. PETER'S CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of November 1, 2026

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Parish Prayer List

Please, remember the following in prayer:

Debra Boender
Alden Bounds
Betsy Hanulak
John Holland
Carolyn Jenkins
Art & Iris Johnstone
Fr. Ron Knapp
Odette Lineweaver
Barbara Murrary
Kenny Richardson
Fr. David Tontonoz
Timmy Willey
Mary Willis

Sunday – 10/25
Attendance: 55 Giving – $9,231
Weekly Budget: $7,485

2026 Giving through Sept: $277,404
2026 Budget through Sept: $307,125

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

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY Today we celebrate the principal feast of All Saints' Day, Father David will read the names of loved ones who have gone before us at the altar at both services.

At the 10:30am service Arbor Clagg will receive the Sacrament of Baptism as the newest saint in the church. Plus, the service will feature the beautiful music of our handbell choir, and St. Peter's Choir will be singing Gordon Young's uplifting anthem *From All That Dwell Below the Skies*, and a vocal duet performing Antonio Vivaldi's *Laudamus te* from his celebrated *Gloria*. We will also sing beloved hymns of the season, including *For All the Saints* and *Ye Holy Angels Bright.*

With the joy of a baptism, inspiring choral music, ringing bells, and some of our favorite hymns, it promises to be a wonderful celebration of the saints and the liturgy and music that brings our community together.

QUESTIONS AND CONVERSATION WITH FATHER DAVID Following up on Father David's announcement last Sunday that he is resigning as Rector of St. Peter's, Father David will be available today after both services in the Meeting Room of the Parish House to chat with anyone who has questions or would like more information about his resigning and the next steps the parish will undertake in calling the next Rector.

SUNDAY ADULT FORUM IN NOVEMBER Logistical and scheduling issues have called forth some rearrangements for our Adult Forum. When Advent begins, we begin a new lectionary year and will be hearing this next year from the Gospel of Mark. Beginning next Sunday, November 8th, Pastor Greg will lead a study and discussion of: **The Gospel of Mark: Good News in a Hurry!** 9:40-10:20 AM in the Parish House Meeting Room

Pease join us as we journey to the 1st Century world of Jesus and the community of Mark and encounter possibly the first effort to embody the Good News of Jesus as story. We will consider differing aspects of Mark's presentation of the story of Jesus as we enter the Lectionary Year of Mark, the who, what, when and why of the second and shortest of the four canonical Gospels. All are invited.

SAVE THE DATE: ADVENT HYMN SING Lauma will lead an Advent Hymn Sing on Sunday November 29 at 9:45am in the church between the two services and all are invited. The summer hymn sing was a hit with parishioners so Lauma is doing it again. The Episcopal Church has many Advent Hymns – check out the 1982 Hymnal #54-#76.

02 MONDAY	03 TUESDAY	04 WEDNESDAY	05 THURSDAY	06 FRIDAY	07 SATURDAY	08 SUNDAY
9:30AM Morning Prayer *In Person & Livestream* **10AM** Comforters Group *via Zoom*	**5:30PM** Evening Prayer *In Person & Livestream* 	***8AM*** *Men's Bible Study* *Meeting Room* **9:15AM** Property Committee Meeting *Meeting Room* ***NOON*** *Holy Eucharist* *w/Healing Service* *In Person & Livestream* **2:30PM** Staff Meeting *Meeting Room*	**5:30PM** Evening Prayer *In Person & Livestream* **8PM** Outreach Committee Meeting *Zoom*	**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED** **9AM** Church Cleaning *Parish House & Church* **1PM** Bulletin Folders *Meeting Room* **5:30PM** Evening Prayer *In Person & Livestream*	**8:30AM** Morning Prayer *In Person & Livestream*	**8:30AM** Holy Eucharist II *In Person & Livestream* **9:15AM** Children's Sunday School *Sunday School Room* Youth Group *Youth Group Room* Adult Forum- *Meeting Room* **10:30AM** Holy Eucharist II *In Person & Livestream* **NOON** Confirmation Class *Youth Room*

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

VOLUNTEER SIGN UPS NOW AVAILABLE FOR NOV. BAZAAR St. Peter's annual Holiday Bazaar is scheduled for Friday, November 20 from 5pm to 8pm and Saturday, November 21 from 9am to 1pm. Volunteers are needed to set up and price items the week before, volunteer on Friday evening and Saturday morning, contribute to the baked goods table and contribute a basket for the silent auction. Volunteer by signing up at coffee hour this Sunday or contact Bazaar Committee Chair Mary Lou Coffin at mlcoffin92@gmail.com.

Once again, we will have **Pete's Café** serving King Boys' oyster fritter sandwiches along with soups, chicken salad and more; **Pete's Pantry and Bake Shop** where you can buy baked goods and various pantry items; **Pete's Attic Treasurers** and a **silent auction of gift baskets**; and more.

PLEDGE CARDS Please prayerfully consider making a pledge of support to your church for next year. Deadline for turning in pledge cards is November 22 – Stewardship Thanksgiving Sunday. You can bring your Pledge Card to church on Sunday and deposit it in the pledge boxes located inside the tower doors and on the hall table at coffee hour. Or mail your Pledge Card to St. Peter's Church, ATTN: Stewardship Chair, 115 St. Peter's St., Salisbury, MD 21801. Or go online and pledge now: https://stpeterschurch.net/pledging/ Thank you!

ST. PHILIP'S TO HOLD FALL OYSTER FRITTER FRY NEXT SATURDAY St. Philip's, Quantico Parish, will hold its annual Fall Oyster Fritter Fry on Saturday, November 7th from 10:00 am until sold out. In addition to delicious oyster fritters by The King Boys, there will be baked goods and chili for sale. The Church Mouse will also be open so you can get some Christmas shopping done early. Come on down for great food and fellowship!

PREPARATIONS UNDERWAY FOR MESSIAH CONCERT DEC. 20 – SPONSORS NEEDED
Preparations are underway for our Messiah All-Sing Concert on December 20, 2026 at St. Peter's! This cherished holiday event brings together professional singers, a live chamber orchestra, and the audience as the chorus for a joyful evening of Handel's *Messiah*.

We are currently seeking business, organization and individual sponsors to help make this event possible. Sponsorships not only support St. Peter's music ministry but also give businesses and organizations visibility in the concert program and on our livestream.

Sponsor forms are available during coffee hour. Help us secure sponsors for the event: – as an Angel, Key, General, or Patron sponsor. Thank you for helping make this beloved Christmas tradition possible!

GARDEN GUARDIAN WORKDAY #3 HELD ON OCTOBER 27th Thank you to St. Peter's Church Green Team members Linda Abbott and Deacon Laura Harbaugh, along with Dr. Debra Sauder (Asbury UMC) and Dr. Ebony Jenkins (Interfaith Partners for the Chesapeake), St. Peter's completed the third of four workdays on October 27th. The four workdays are required by the Garden Guardians grant for which St. Peter's is one of the recipients. Participants cleaned up the pollinator garden next to the elevator entrance, planted some native plants from Deacon Laura's yard, and trimmed shrubbery. The fourth workday will be held in November when mulch will be spread on all the gardens on the church campus. The cost of the mulch will be covered by the Garden Guardians grant.



11/3 Robyn Fielding-Jones
11/6 Lynette Cooper
11/7 David Kerrigan

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

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