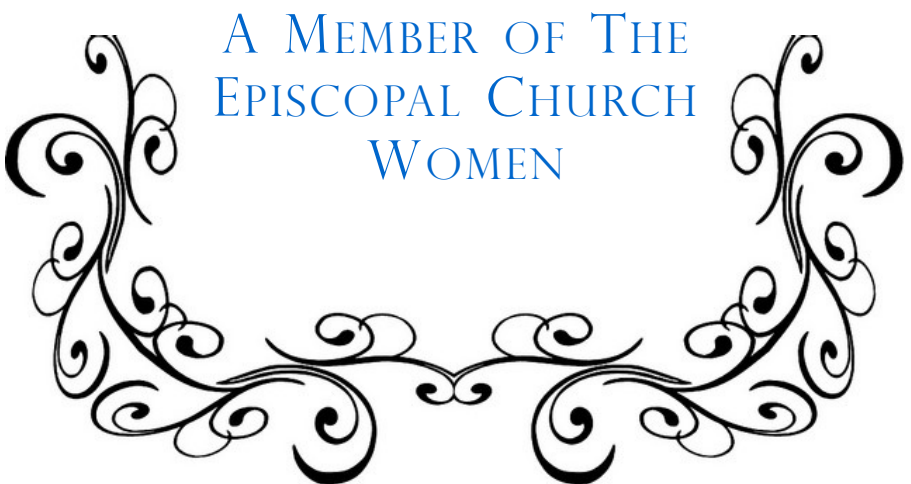


THE WOMEN  
OF ST. JAMES'S

2018-2019 EVENTS

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A CARING COMMUNITY



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Welcome to Our 2018-2019 Events

The Women of St. James's welcome ALL to our fellowship where we explore spiritual, cultural, intellectual, and community topics. Join us on any or all Tuesdays. We warmly encourage you to come, bring a friend and share a meaningful time together!

*We offer to feed your body and nurture your soul as we grow into God's future.*

Elizabeth Cloud, Rachael Desmond  
and Donna Mattison  
Presidents of The Women of St. James's





Tuesday Options with  
The Women of St. James's

All women, men and their guests are invited to participate in any or all parts of the Women of St. James's Tuesday schedule!

A TYPICAL TUESDAY WITH THE WOMEN  
OF ST. JAMES'S CHURCH

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist/Healing Service in  
Kennedy Chapel (Advent & Lent only)

12:15 p.m. Luncheon - \$5.00 - Dining Room

1:00 p.m. Program

2:00 p.m. Adjournment

SELECT THE OPTIONS YOU WANT TO  
JOIN...ANY OR ALL!

Rides arranged when booked one week in  
advance.

**PLEASE NOTE** - The meeting is cancelled if  
West Hartford Public Schools are closed due to  
inclement weather or if there is a 90 minute  
delay or more in starting.

**May 2019**

2 (Thursday) Episcopal Church Women  
*Diocese of Connecticut, Annual Meeting - Aqua Turf*

7 Annual Meeting and Salad Buffet  
Luncheon Buffet - Edie Booth

17 (Friday) RUMMAGE SALE - SORT and PRE-SALE

18 (Saturday) RUMMAGE SALE - BAG SALE

14 or 21 Mystery Tour

**Officers**

Presidents	Elizabeth Cloud, Rachael Desmond & Donna Mattison
Honorary Vice President	Priscilla Hooper
First Vice President	Judy Lawes
Second Vice President	Priscilla Thomas
Secretary	Cindy Welch
Treasurer	Lynne Lumsden
Assistant Treasurer	Gerry Van Schaack
Past Presidents	Edwina Bosco, Cindy Welch
Nominating Committee	Rachael Desmond, Elizabeth Cloud, Co-Chairs, Marion Hanson, Member at Large

**Committees Chairpersons**

Seaman's Church Institute	Fran Cobb
United Thank Offering	Rachael Desmond
White Envelope	Marion Hanson

**Episcopal Church Women**

Birthdays & Correspondence	Bette Kelly
Luncheons	Elizabeth Cloud
Luncheon Treasurers	Fran Cobb, Marion Hanson, Martha Clarke
Membership	Rachael Desmond
Program	Judy Lawes

**Special Events**

Rummage Sale	Friday & Saturday, October 19 & 20, 2018 Friday & Saturday, May 10 & 11, 2019
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## THE WOMEN OF ST. JAMES'S 2018-2019

19 Abby Williamson  
*Welcoming New Americans: Safe Communities and  
Refugee Resettlement*  
Lenten Luncheon - Gerry Van Schaack



26 TBA  
*TBA*  
Lenten Luncheon - Cindy Welch

### April 2019

2 TBA  
*TBA*  
Lenten Luncheon - Judy Lawes



9 The Rev. Dr. Borden Painter  
*The Vestry Comes to America*  
Lenten Luncheon - Solange Rossignol

16 The Rev. Charlotte LaForest, Assistant Rector  
St. James's Episcopal Church  
*TBA*  
Lenten Luncheon - Gerry Smalley



21 EASTER SUNDAY

23 Eric LaForest, Educator  
Loomis Chaffee School  
*The American Civil War Revisited*  
Luncheon - Rachael Desmond



30 TBA  
*TBA*  
Luncheon - Eleanor Ertelt

### September 2018

25 WOSJ Executive Board Meeting  
10 a.m. Parish Room - Bag Lunch

### October 2018

2 Dennis House, CBS News Reporter  
*What's the News?*  
Luncheon - WOSJ Executive Board



9 The Rev. Charlotte LaForest, Assistant Rector  
St. James's Episcopal Church  
*Hildegard of Bingen: A Remarkably  
Modern Medieval Mystic*  
Luncheon - Priscilla Thomas



16 Cyndy Bittinger, Historian  
*From Martha to Eleanor:  
The Changing Roles of First Ladies*  
Luncheon - Donna Mattison

19 (Friday) RUMMAGE SALE - SORT and PRE-SALE  
20 (Saturday) RUMMAGE SALE - BAG SALE

23 Dr. Nita Mitra, Retired Professor  
*Religion and the Divine Beliefs  
and Practices in India*  
Luncheon - Susan Beeghly



30 Karen Israel, Artist  
*The Power of Pastel*  
Luncheon - Harvest Buffet - Gerry Van Schaack

**November 2018**

6 Mary-Jane Foster, President & CEO, Interval House  
*Domestic Violence: Why Should We Care?*  
Luncheon - Eleanor Ertelt (Business Meeting)

13 Shannon Miodzinski, Principal  
Aiken School  
*West Hartford Schools Today*  
Luncheon - Kathy Bolt



20 No Meeting - Happy Thanksgiving!

27 Erin Flinn, Regional Diocesan Missioner  
*Opportunities for Collaboration*  
Luncheon - TBA



**December 2018**

4 Mr. Sidney Williams, Author/Storyteller  
*The Art of Writing Essays and Memoirs*  
Luncheon - Judy Lawes



11 Chris Fisher, World Traveler/Photographer  
*Images from South Africa*  
Luncheon - Holiday Buffet, Gerry Smalley

**December 18, 25 & January 1** - No Meetings  
Christmas and New Year Hiatus

**January 2019**

8 Margaret Hann, Exec. Dir., The Bridge Family Center  
*The Bridge Family Center Celebrates Its 50th Anniversary*  
Luncheon - Winter Picnic - Rachael Desmond

15 Silent Auction with Eleanor Brazell  
*Bring Treasures to Raise Money for the Mystery Tour*  
Luncheon - Bring a Sandwich (Business Meeting)

22 Vernon Riddick Jr., West Hartford Police Chief  
*My Journey to Becoming Police Chief & Future Challenges*  
Luncheon - Cindy Welch

29 Pieter Roos, Exec. Dir., Mark Twain House  
*The Museum's Current Programs and Restoration Projects*  
Luncheon—Priscilla Thomas



**February 2019**

5 Vaughn Mauren, Organist & Choirmaster  
St. James's Episcopal Church  
*Mendelssohn Choral Music*  
Luncheon - Claire Burnett



12 Heather Swales, M.D., Cardiologist  
*Women and Heart Disease*  
Luncheon - Valentine Buffet - Liz Cloud & Judy Lawes

19 Jodie Liddy, Exec. Dir., Rebuilding Together Hartford  
*Repairing Homes, Revitalizing Communities, Rebuilding Lives*  
Luncheon - TBA



26 Debra Morton, Dev. Assoc., Journey Home  
*Pathways to End Homelessness*  
Luncheon - Martha Clarke

**March 2019**

5 The Rev. Robert Hooper, Rector., St. James's Church  
*Mardi Gras*  
Luncheon - Clergy and Staff

12 The Rev. Dr. Molly Loudon & The Rev. Susan Pinkerton  
*Pilgrims and the Holy Land*  
Lenten Luncheon - Sue Beeghly