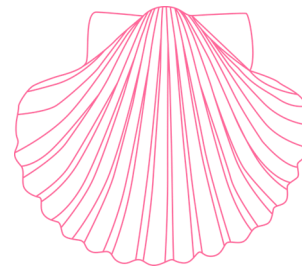


THE WOMEN OF ST. JAMES'S

2025-2026 PROGRAM



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A little faith will bring your soul
to heaven; a great faith will bring
heaven to your soul.

Charles H. Spurgeon

*Always pray to have
Eyes that see the best in people,
a Heart that forgives the worst
a Mind that forgets the worst
and a Soul that Never
loses faith in God.*


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Welcome to Our 2025-2026 Program

The Women of St. James's welcome ALL to our fellowship where we explore spiritual, cultural, intellectual and community topics. Join us on any Tuesday in the schedule. 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.

Cindy Welch and Rachael Desmond
Co-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 EPISCOPAL CHURCH

12:00 p.m. Luncheon in the Dining Room
(Coffee, tea, water and dessert
will be provided at all bagged lunch days.)

1:00 p.m. Meeting

1:15 p.m. Program (if scheduled)

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 time.

April 2026

14 **Program** TBD

Luncheon Soup—Chef TBD



28 **Program** Annual Meeting

Luncheon Spring Buffet

May 2026

12 **Program** Mystery Tour—Save the Date!

Officers

Presidents	Cindy Welch and Rachael Desmond
Honorary Vice President	Priscilla Hooper
First Vice President/Program	Eleanor Brazell
Second Vice President	Priscilla Thomas
Secretary	Eileen Jackson
Treasurer	Lynne Lumsden
Assistant Treasurer	Judy Hock
Nominating Committee	Rachael Desmond, Cindy Welch, Co-Chairs, Sue Nelson, Member-at-Large

Episcopal Church Women

Birthdays & Correspondence	Bette Kelly
Luncheons	Cindy Welch & Rachael Desmond
Luncheon Treasurer	Lynne Lumsden
Membership	Rachael Desmond

March 2026

3 **Program** TBD



Luncheon Soup—Cindy Welch

17 **Program** Baby Picture Contest
Please bring a baby picture in a protective sleeve with your name on the back.

Luncheon Soup—Chef TBD



31 **Program** Sarah Taylor, Botanist
Flowers

Luncheon Soup—Chef TBD



THE WOMEN OF ST. JAMES'S 2025-2026

October 2025

7 **Program** Linda Gilley and "Gabe"
Puppy Raiser & Volunteer
Fidelco Guide Dog Foundation, Inc.
Sabbatical Update

Luncheon Salad Buffet



21 **Program** Cindy & Mark Welch
Cruising the Mediterranean: Italy & More

Luncheon Bag lunch



November 2025

4 **Program** Marty Podskoch
Author and Historian
*The Connecticut
169 Club*

Luncheon Harvest Buffet



November 2025 (Continued)

- 18 Program** The Rev. Robert C. Hooper III
Rector, St. James's Episcopal Church
Mission Trip to Ecuador

Luncheon Hot Luncheon
by Cindy Welch



December 2025

- 2 Program** Holiday Cards for the Elderly

Luncheon Pizza Party

- 16 Program** Michelle Horsley,
Organist & Choirmaster
St. James's Episcopal Church

Luncheon Holiday Buffet



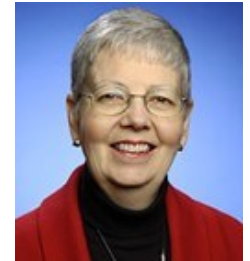
**No meeting December 23rd or December 30th.
Holiday hiatus.**



January 2026

- 6 Program** Dr. Ruth Mitman, Ph. D
*Understanding Generational
Differences or How to Talk to Your
Grandchildren"*

Luncheon Winter Picnic



- 20 Program** Kimberly Gulino
Animal Control Officer, Supervisor
Town of West Hartford
Working with Animals and Safety

Luncheon Bag Lunch

February 2026

- 3 Program** Silent Auction with Eleanor Brazell
*Please bring a suitable item(s) for
auction*

Luncheon Valentine Buffet

- 17 Program** The Rev. Robert C. Hooper III
Rector, St. James's Episcopal Church
Parish Update

Luncheon Shrove
Tuesday
Feast

