

From the Rector's Desk

Dear Friends,

Since the day that Curtis told me that he would be leaving us at St. James's to take on his new role as Rector of St. Paul's Fairfield, I have been actively involved in a multitude of interviews and conversations in the hopes of finding the next Assistant Rector of our parish. In the 15 plus years that I have served you as rector, I have had the privilege of working with a number of gifted young (and not-so-young) assistants and associates—so finding our newest assistant was a challenge in that it was my hope they would follow in this long line of faithful priests.

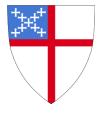
I am pleased to announce that I was able to find such a person in the Rev. Charlotte LaForest. With the blessing of the executive committee and the Bishops of the Diocese, I offered Charlotte the position and she graciously and faithfully accepted the offer. Charlotte will begin working with us on Pentecost Sunday, May 20. I am quite sure that you will show her the hospitality, care, and generosity of spirit that you are so well known for. What follows is an introduction to Charlotte in her own words.

Dear Members of St. James's Episcopal Church,

I am honored and excited to have been called to serve as your next Assistant Rector. I look forward to working alongside Bob, your talented staff, and all of you to participate in the good work that you already do in West Hartford. I was so grateful to have had the opportunity to meet so many of you when I visited in March, and I look forward to getting to know all of you in the course of our ministry together. My letter today is written in the hope of starting that process, by way of introducing myself and giving you a sense of who I am and where I come from.

I grew up in Jacksonville, Florida, where I was actively involved in our Episcopal church, and in our diocesan youth retreat program called Happening (which has recently started here in Connecticut!). I spent twelve summers as a camper and as a counselor at the camp for the Diocese of Florida, a beloved place called Camp Weed. Like Priscilla and Bob, my husband Eric and I met as camp counselors, during our first week of camp staff training when we were nineteen.

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To Learn, Live and Teach the Values of the Gospel of Jesus Christ

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- Sundays, May 6 & 13 Introduction to the Gnostic Gospels of Thomas & Mary, 11:30am
- Friday & Saturday, May 11 & 12
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- Pentecost Sunday, May 20
 Pentecost Brunch, 11:30am (one service at 10am) UTO Ingathering
- Pentecost Sunday, May 20 Solisti Orchestra, 3pm (see inside for details)
- Fridays, May 25 & June 22 Fourth Fridays Family Night, 5:30pm
- Trinity Sunday, May 27
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- Monday, May 28 Memorial Day Strawberry Festival, 9:30am
- Sunday, June 3 Parish Picnic & Eucharist, 10am (Auerbach Farm)
- Sunday, June 10 Summer
 Schedule begins, 9am followed by
 Lemonade on the Lawn
- Thursdays, June 21 & 28 Kids Movie Nights, 5:30pm

I went to college at Georgetown, studied abroad for a year in Würzburg, Germany, and moved to Massachusetts after college to begin graduate school in social work and pastoral ministry at Boston College. Following graduate school, I worked for three years as

a hospice chaplain, during which time I began to discern a call to the priesthood. I was sponsored for ordination by St. Anne's in the Fields in Lincoln, Massachusetts, and graduated in 2015 with my Masters in Divinity and Diploma in Anglican Studies from Yale Divinity School and the Berkeley Divinity School at Yale. During my years of study, I had the opportunity to participate in a wide range of internships at sites including the Trinity Boston Counseling Center, Massachusetts General Hospital, Holy Cross Monastery, and St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Manchester, CT.

For the last three years, I have joyfully served as the Assistant Rector at St. John's Episcopal Church in Essex, CT, and in that role I have shared in the preaching and liturgical life of the parish, and have focused on pastoral care, spiritual formation, and intergenerational ministry. I have offered a wide range of educational opportunities including a forum on Images of the Holy Spirit, an intergenerational "Meet the Saints" program, a Prayer Fair, a conversation on Spirituality and Aging at Essex Meadows retirement community, and a Lenten series on Faith and Stories. I collaborated with my colleague at First Baptist in Essex to host a series of Young Adult Dinners, and created a series of ecumenical Advent programs at sites around Essex. I helped develop an intergenerational series of Summer Sundays with opportunities for fellowship, service, and alternative worship experiences, and started a contemplative prayer group, which meets weekly at the church.



In my work in the wider church, I am a founding member of the Women's Ministry Network in the Episcopal Church in Connecticut, and have participated in the Christian Formation and Pray First ministry networks. I have led the Discernment Group for the Southeast Region of ECCT, and recently led discernment workshops at ECCT Spring Training. I have presented on Spirituality and Dying in courses on death and dying at the Loomis Chaffee School, and hosted an "Ask a Priest" event for students last spring. I have traveled on pilgrimage to England and Scotland, and this summer I will begin a two-year term as a Writer in Residence for Young Clergy Women International.

I live on campus at the Loomis Chaffee School, where my husband, Eric, teaches history and directs one of the school's three endowed centers, the Norton Family Center for the Common Good. We share our home with our three children—August (three-and-a-half) and twins Rowan and Evelyn (seven months)—and our dog, Whitman, an eight-year-old Spinone Italiano. I love knitting and reading, though my ability to do these things is limited at times by the busy household I just described. But one interest remains undeterred, and has perhaps only been strengthened by the arrival of our twins, and that is a passion for seriously snooty, overly fancy coffee. Like third-wave, craft-roasted, single-origin, pour-overs, preferably from Papua New Guinea or Ethiopia.

Even stronger than my passion for coffee, my passion for ministry in sharing the good news of how deeply and wildly each one of us is loved by God—just as we are—and for learning how to love like that ourselves. I enjoy looking to the stories of scripture and saints who have gone before us to see how they have learned to love despite their imperfections and the messiness of their humanity. I love to teach about practices of prayer and contemplation that help develop our awareness of God's presence and love, an awareness that has the power to make holy even the most ordinary of everyday tasks.

I am so excited to join you at St. James's on Pentecost, May 20th. Over the course of my first few months, I hope to have many opportunities to get to know you as we participate in the ministries of the parish together, and as we meet for coffee (snooty or unsnooty) and conversation. I look forward to hearing what it is you love about St. James's, and to discerning together what God is calling us to do next.

See you in a few weeks!

The Rev. Charlotte LaForest

From the Organist & Choirmaster

ear Parishioners,

As of this writing, our organ project is about 90% completed. While we await installation of several stops including the Great Trumpet and Pedal Trombone, the results of the progress thus far has been excellent. The organ has taken on a new sound, one that is richer, fuller, and more flexible.

While repairs and modifications have occurred on an ongoing basis since 1962, the organ underwent a full renovation beginning in August 2017 with the removal of all pipework for modifications, cleaning, and regulation. The remaining chests and winding systems were cleaned and releathered on-site. The console was removed and rebuilt with a Solid State control system, refinished and modified for planned tonal changes. These tonal changes include a rescaled and revoiced Great principal chorus, revoiced reeds throughout, the addition of a Clarinet and Mounted Cornet in the Choir division, a full length Pedal Trombone, and a new Harmonic Flute and Trumpet on the Great division.

Beyond the successful tonal improvements, mechanical refurbishment is completed. We are in the process of adjusting and tuning many of the moving parts. The need for these adjustments is sometimes made obvious when notes become 'stuck' during a choir rehearsal or a service. All organ installations or reinstallations require weeks of troubleshooting and repairs since each instrument is unique.

I have drawn up two pages describing the current resources of the organ, including a detailed indication of alterations and additions. On the left side of each page is a list of numbers, such as "16', 8', 4'". These numbers indicated that the lowest 'C' pipe of that particular stop is 16 feet long, 8 feet long, or smaller.

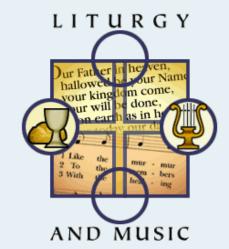
Key terms:

Revoiced – The tonal quality of the pipes have been changed.
Rescaled – The pipes of a stop are made larger. This affects the tonal quality.
Digital – Sound is produced by a high-end speaker array where economy of space doesn't allow for the addition of large pipes.

Copies of the 2018 disposition and modifications can be found in the narthex, the cloister, and on the St. James's website.

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Important Dates

Pentecost Sunday, May 20 Jazz Eucharist

The Choir of St. James's will sing a Jazz Eucharist along with special guests beginning at 10am (one service only—no 8am Eucharist)

Solisti Orchestra, May 20

Orchestral masterworks and Albinoni Adagio for organ and orchestra, 3pm Emmitt Drake, conductor Vaughn Mauren, organist

Recognition Sunday, May 27
Recognitions at the 9:30 service

Jubilate Deo!

O be joyful in the Lord all ye lands; serve the Lord with gladness and come before his presence with a song.

Psalm 100:1

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St. James's Center for Family Ministries



Nurturing your children's spiritual life from birth through high school

KFC (Kids for Christ) Sundays at 9:30

Young children age 3 through elementary school are welcome to gather in the narthex (main foyer) for Sunday School. They return during the Peace.

Kids Movie Night

Kids will enjoy dinner and a movie on selected Thursday evenings during the summer, and parents get a well-deserved break! See flyer on following page for details.



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LOVE working at St. James's because we aren't afraid to try new things. We realize that the demographics of our community change over time and we need to change with those demographics or we become irrelevant. As the Director of Family Ministries, that makes my job challenging and fun. I try to understand the needs of our families and figure out the best way to meet those needs.

One thing that we are doing this summer that is new, is I am going to offer four movie nights for children in kindergarten through fifth grade. We will offer movies and dinner on Thursday, June 21 & 28 and August 2 & 9 from 5:30 to 7:30. Cost is \$10 per child with a \$25 family maximum. This is a change from past years when I have done a four-night summer program for kids. Here are some of the reasons for changing what we offer:

- More children are at day camps during the summer than in the past. That means that children are pretty worn out by 5:30 in the evening. Last summer, by the last night of the four-night program, all of us were too tired to enjoy ourselves. By spreading out the evenings over the summer, this should ensure that everyone enjoys themselves every time they are at church.
- We are looking at the summer movie (and did I mention we will feed the kids!) as a tool to introduce new families to the St. James's community. Like the old Mom's Morning Out Program, parents who are not members of St. James's can bring their children to the movie nights. We are hoping that young families in the parish will invite friends to join them for dinner and bring their children to the movie nights.

- Many families go on vacations during the summer. By spreading out the evenings throughout the summer, we are hoping that more children will be able to come to the movie nights.
- By spreading out the nights throughout the summer, it is easier for me to get high school and middle school helpers. They don't need to commit to every Movie Night.

So that is the idea behind our Summer Kids Movie Nights. If you are a grandparent who will have family visiting this summer, sign up your grandchildren. If you know neighbors who might be interested in bringing their children to a Movie Night, hand them a flyer. I think it will be a fun time for all involved.

For more information about the Kids Movie Nights or any other Family Ministry questions, contact me at prishooper@aol.com.

Have a great summer!

Your Sister in Christ,

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Children k-5th are invited to Kids Movie Nights this summer!

Join us for dinner and a movie on the following Thursday nights from 5:30 to 7:30. The cost is \$10 per child with a \$25 family maximum. Please sign up in advance so we know how many children to expect.

Here's what we'll be showing:

June 21 – Ferdinand

June 28 – The Lion King

August 2 – Coco

August 9 – The Lorax

For more information or to sign up, contact Priscilla Hooper@prishooper@aol.com

JAZZ EUCHARIST AT 10:00

SUNDAY MAY 20



BRUNCH AT 11:30

IN THE PARISH HALL / ALL WELCOME

Mission

Walk Against Hunger 2018 Saturday, May 5—Dunkin Donuts Park

HE 35th Annual Walk Against Hunger will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2018 and step off at Hartford's Dunkin Donuts Park, home of the Hartford Yard Goats! Registration begins at 8:30am with walk at 10:00am. The route is less than 2 miles and will begin and end at DD Park. In 2017, \$529,717 was raised to help those who struggle with food insecurity in Greater Hartford. Funds raised from the walk support Foodshare and partner programs who serve the 127,000 people in Hartford and Tolland counties. Last year Foodshare was able to provide enough food for nearly 12 million meals to help feed the hungry in Greater Hartford. By supporting the Walk Against Hunger, you help continue this important work.

You don't have to walk to be a part of the Walk Against Hunger. Here are some of the ways you can help:

Volunteer to be on the St. James's team - Contact person is Barbara Schiller.

Encourage others to walk.

Please remember to check Loaves and Fishes Ministries, Inc. (Hartford) as the agency you would like to support.

Sponsor the walk by being a **Virtual Walker!** Make a contribution of any amount. Checks should be payable to Walk Against Hunger with Loaves and Fishes in the memo line.

Look for the registration forms on the table in the cloister. Questions? Call Barbara Schiller at 860-651-7332. More information is also available at: www.site.foodshare.org.

Toilet Paper and Towel Collection

ESPONDING to requests from those in need and the agencies that serve them, the outreach focus again this year for June will be the ever-popular toilet paper and paper towel collection.

Your contribution of rolls of toilet paper and paper towels will be distributed to individuals who come to the soup kitchens, food pantries, and to Hartford area shelters. Please place your donations at the entrances to the church. Remember, the emphasis is on <u>quantity</u>, not quality. Thank you!

Food Pantry Ongoing Needs

HE WH Food Pantry is in most need of the following items: Canned fruit/applesauce, canned meats, jelly, vegetable oil, canned tuna, canned baked beans, canned pasta ('spaghettios"), peanut butter, and rice. Please bring your donations to the church and place them at any of the entrances to the building. Remember to check expiration dates!

Around the Parish

The Other Side of the Story

An Introduction to the Gnostic Gospels of Thomas and Mary Magdalene—Sundays, May 6 and 13

OIN Tom Rouse and the Rev. Dr. Molly Louden on **Sundays, May 6** and **May 13** following coffee hour (from 11:30am 1:00pm) to discover the lost texts of Thomas and Mary and discuss their relevance to our spiritual lives today. Materials will be provided in advance so please email Tom Rouse at thomasarouse@yahoo.com or call him at 860.351.5560 if you plan to attend.

Fourth Fridays Family Night May 25 and June 22 at 5:30pm

E'RE re-launching an old St. James's tradition: Fourth Fridays pizza for families with young children. We'll meet on May 25 and June 22 in the dining room from 5:30-7:30 for pizza. Adults can BYOB and we'll have a kid-friendly movie set up in the teen room after the kids eat. Just an opportunity to get together with church friends and let our kids get to know each other better, too. We ask for a donation of approximately \$5-10 per family to cover the pizza costs. If you'd like to attend, please email Abby.Williamson@gmail.com and we can put you on our Evite list to RSVP.

Annual Parish Picnic & Eucharist Sunday, June 3 at 10am

ON'T miss this St. James's annual tradition! This year we will hold the parish picnic and Eucharist at Auerbach Farm in Bloomfield on **Sunday, June 3 at 10am**. If you are able, please bring a salad or dessert to share with the group. Grill foods and beverage will be provided. In the event of rain, Holy Eucharist and picnic will be held in the dining room. There will be an 8am service in the chapel, but no regular 9:30 service.

As always, volunteers are needed to help with this event. Please email the parish office, info@stjameswh.org, if you would like to help. Invite someone to join you!

Summer Services, Office Hours & Lemonade on the Lawn

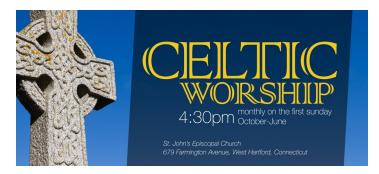
BEGINNING Sunday, June 10 we will have one service in the church at 9am followed by cool lemonade and other refreshments on the front lawn. There is no 8am service in the chapel during the summer. The parish office will be closed on Fridays during the summer beginning on June 15. Office summer hours will be Monday—Thursday from 9am to 4pm.

We resume regular office hours after Labor Day, and return to two services on Sunday, September 9.

15th Annual Strawberry Festival Memorial Day, May 28 at 9:30am

E KICK OFF the unofficial start to summer with lots of strawberries during the Memorial Day Parade in the town of West Hartford on Monday, May 28 beginning at 9:30AM. The Festival will be held on the front lawn of St. James's Church, and everyone is invited to stop by and enjoy delicious strawberries piled high on tasty shortcake bread. Cost is \$5.50. Lemonade and bottled water will be available for \$1. Hotdogs and chips will also be sold. All proceeds will benefit the St. James's Feeding Programs.

As always, the Fundraising Committee is seeking volunteers to help with this event. Contact Sam Paul at 860-232-2357 if you would like to volunteer. Come hungry and tell your friends and neighbors!



Celtic Worship at St. John's Sundays, May 6 and June 3

XPERIENCE worship in the Celtic Tradition on Sundays, May 6 and June 3 at 4:30pm at St. John's Church in West Hartford. Chant, silence, prayer, and music from around the world are incorporated into the service. These are the final two dates for this series on Celtic Worship. We hope that you will join us. All are welcome!

Monthly Group Meetings Women's Evening & Men's Discussion Groups

OIN the women of the parish and guests for a potluck supper on Thursdays, May 10 and June 14 beginning at 6pm in the parish room. If you are able, (this is not required) bring an appetizer, vegetable, main dish, or a dessert to share with the group. Enjoy food and fellowship with other ladies from the parish. All are welcome!

ALL men of the parish and guests are invited to a discussion group on Saturdays, May 12 and 26; June 9 and 23 beginning at 8am in the parish room. Various religious topics are presented and refreshments are provided. All are welcome!



Registry and Readings

Baptisms

Abigail Joan Collin—April 15

Daughter of Peter and Susana Collin

Emily Marie Jacovino—April 15

Daughter of Eddie Jacovino and Liz Porter

Emory Lynn Regan—April 15

Daughter of James and Carly Regan

Elin Elizabeth Bergsbaken and

Odin David Bergsbaken—April 22

Daughter and son of Emma Gallegos

Parish Birthdays Children and Youth

MAY

Trevor Garrow-Cooke, 3 Ryan Kirsch, 3 Evie Messinger, 3 Alex Vietzke, 3 Amelia Neal, 4 Addison Leonard, 5 Cole Gallagher, 6 Bridget Marceau, 6 Jane Waterman, 6 Faith Messinger, 7 Owen Wills, 7 Frances O'Sullivan, 11 Anya Fisher, 13 Lyla Fisher, 13 Wesson Bowman, 14 Madison Montgomery, 14 Audrey Forcello, 21 Connor Montgomery, 22 Callum Wills, 22

Charlie Tapley, 26 Addison Stafford, 28 Cornelia Mozingo, 29

JUNE

Ben Carrier, 1 Nolan Leonard, 1 Joseph Shuey, 1 Abigail Waterman, 4 Olivia Lapointe, 5 Sophia Sadler, 6 Camden Barber, 9 Ingrid Dynowski, 9 Grant Lange, 11 Clare Tapley, 11 Nik Thomalla, 12 Sophia Lankin, 13 Jennifer Brown, 16 Bowden Swales, 17 Ada Rusconi, 18 Wesley Otto, 19 Nicholas Tagliarini, 20 Colby Lytle, 22 David Dynowski, 28

Weddings

Andrea Pisani to

Jesse Milliun March 24, 2018

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Sunday Lectionary

Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 6

Acts 10:44-48; 1 John 5:1-6; John 15:9-17; Psalm 98

Ascension Day, May 10

Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:15-23; Luke 24:44-53; Psalm 47

Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 13

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26; 1 John 5:9-13; John 17:6-19; Psalm 1

Day of Pentecost, May 20

Acts 2:1-21; Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15 Psalm 104:25-35, 37

Trinity Sunday, May 27

Isaiah 6:1-8; Romans 8:12-17; John 3:1-17; Psalm 29

Second Sunday after Pentecost, June 3

1 Samuel 3:1-20; Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17

2 Corinthians 4:5-12; Mark 2:23-3:6

Third Sunday after Pentecost, June 10

1 Samuel 8:4-11, (12-15), 16-20, (11:14-15); Psalm 138

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost, June 17

1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Psalm 20

2 Corinthians 5:6-10,[11-13],14-17; Mark 4:26-34

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost, June 24

1 Samuel 17: (1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49; Psalm 9:9-20

2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41

Parish Prayer List

Those in our parish family

Jeffrey, Greg, Elsa, Michael, Michelle, Audrey, Margaret & Richard, Ruth, Anne, Natalie & Harry, Stuart, Walter, Frank, Liz, Elly, Tom, Betsy, Jenine, Melina & Family, Chuck, David, Sue, Will, Meg, Ed, and Ken.

Those in our extended parish family

Maria, Kevin, Mary Ann, Jenifer, Nancy, Jeff, Carol, Christina, Jean, Jeff, Jennifer, Karen, Robert, Sarah, David, Patricia, Ryan, John, Quinn, Arroll, Joanie, Teresa, Alvin, Karen, Audra, Parker & Cynthia, Ann, Kara, Patricia, Kate, Carrie, John & Rita, John, Bret & Ginny, Barbara & Family, Tavern, Mohan, Larry, Marilyn, Barbara, Kristin Elizabeth, Dave, Charlene, Pierre, Scott, Melanie, Drew, Lydia, Jeanne, Guy, Stephen, Eric, and Clark.

Those Serving in the Military:

Andrew Clark, Wensley Barker IV, Julian C. Barker, Andrew Huntsman, and Ed Vera.



Women Of St. James's

Tuesday, May 1

May Programs

Annual Meeting and Salad Buffet

Thursday, May 3

Episcopal Church Women

Diocese of Connecticut, Annual Meeting, Aqua Turf

Tuesday, May 8

Mystery Tour 2018

This year's tour takes us to Camp Washington. Meet at St. James's at 9:30am to carpool. Tour begins at 11am followed by lunch. Cost: \$15/includes lunch. Sign up with Judy Lawes at luncheons or phone her at 860-521-3853.

Friday and Saturday, May 11 and 12

Spring Rummage Sale (Rummage may be brought to the church beginning Saturday, May 5.

Friday: 6:30 to 8:30pm / Saturday: 9am to noon Volunteer signup sheets will be available on Sundays and at the Tuesday luncheons.

Seamen's Church Institute

HANK you for the many Christmas cards that you contributed for SCI! They have been cut up, had yarn strung through them, had greetings written on them and are off to Port Newark for inclusion in the packages that will go to mariners starting next fall. For their Christmas-at-Sea program, over 20,000 knitted items were collected last year, and that means a lot of boxes, each with a card enclosed. To quote from one thank you message: "The ship Columbine Maersk is a Danish-flagged container vessel with crew from Denmark, India, Thailand, the Philippines, Ukraine, England, and China. Thank you so much for the Christmas gifts the crew of our good vessel received." From your old cards to an international group on the high seas. From West Hartford to the world.

Fran Cobb

The United Thank Offering—May 20 What is the United Thank Offering?

HE United Thank Offering is a ministry of the Episcopal Church. Every coin from every Blue Box and Blue Envelope is given away in grants. Every cent you give, representing your thankful prayers today, is the dream for tomorrow's life and gives hope to people all over the world. Look for the blue boxes and envelopes around the church and chapel and use these to make your donations. We'll join together on **Pentecost Sunday, May 20** for our Ingathering service at 10:00 in the church to offer up our prayers of thanksgiving and our monetary gifts for those in need.

SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

Friday, May 11 and Saturday, May 12, 2018 Spring Cleaning Time

Spring is here and we have begun planning for the rummage sale in May. As always, here are some guidelines as you begin gathering items for the sale:

- ♦ Items may be brought to the church basement beginning SATURDAY, MAY 5. Please do not bring anything in before that date.
- ♦ Shoes need to be new or nearly brand new.
- ◆TV's (made after 2004), computers and any other electronic equipment must be in working condition.
- Separate your rummage by category and label your boxes/bags accordingly; i. e. women's, men's, boys, girls, infants, books, shoes, etc. Many of you did this for the sales last year and it really made a difference.
- ♦ Bring hanging clothes (dresses, suits, blouses, shirts, coats) on hangers to be hung on available racks.
- ◆ <u>Please be selective when sorting your rummage</u>. We ask that everything be clean and in good repair.
- ◆ We can not sell cribs. Because of limited space, <u>Please</u>, <u>no stuffed toys OR large exercise equipment OR ski</u> equipment OR large furniture!.
- ♦ Finer items will be sold in the "Boutique".



We also need your help before, during and after the sale. Volunteers are needed for:

Sorting: Friday, May 11 9 AM to 3PM Come for as long as you are able.

Pre-Sale: Friday, May 11 6:30 to 8:30 PM **\$5 Admission.** Public and parish are welcome.

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Sale: Saturday, May 12 9 AM to 12 Noon Free Admission - optional \$5 and \$10 bags.

Public and parish are welcomed.

12-12:30 PM - Cleanup immediately following the sale.

Please call Rachael Desmond at 860-232-1930 to volunteer or if you have questions. Sign-up sheets will be available in the weeks preceding the sale.

The Women of St. James's would like to thank all of you in advance for helping with the sale. So many of you contribute items and volunteer your time to make this sale a success every year. Without all of you, this would not be possible. Thank you very much!

May 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 12:15 PM WOSJ Luncheon—DR	2 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist/Breakfast 5:00 PM Treble Choir 7:00 PM Parish Choir	3 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR	4 7:00 AM Morning Prayer	5 10:00 AM Walk Against Hunger— Dunkin Donuts Park 8:00 PM AA-DR
6 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I - Chapel 8:30 AM 200 Identical Sandwiches 9:30 AM Holy Eucharist & Sacrament of Healing - Church 9:30 AM Kids for Christ (KFC) - PH 11:00 AM Coffee Hour - DR 11:30 AM Introduction to the Gnostic Gospels w/ Molly Louden & Tom Rouse. 4:30 PM Celtic Worship at St. John's, WH (also on June 3)	7 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR 4:40 PM Junior Choir 5:00 PM Treble Choir 6:30 PM EfM—PR	8 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 9:30 AM WOSJ Tour to Camp Washington 7:00 PM Samaritans Group - PR	9 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist/Breakfast 5:00 PM Treble Choir 7:00 PM Parish Choir	10 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR 6:00 PM Women's Evening Grp—PR	11 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 6:30 PM WOSJ Rummage Sale—DR	12 7:45 AM Men's Discussion Group - PR 9:00 AM WOSJ Rummage Sale—DR 8:00 PM AA Group - DR
13 Mother's Day 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II - Chapel 8:30 AM Prepare for Loaves and Fishes 9:30 AM Kids for Christ (KFC) - Parish Hall 9:30 AM HE & Sacrament of Healing —Church 11:00 AM 200 Identical Sandwiches 11:00 AM Coffee Hour—DR 11:30 AM Introduction to the Gnostic Gospels w/ Molly Louden & Tom Rouse	14 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR 11:30 AM Serve for Loaves and Fishes 4:40 PM Junior Choir 5:00 PM Treble Choir 6:30 PM EfM—PR	15 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 7:00 PM Vestry Meeting—PR	16 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist/Breakfast 11:15 AM Holy Eucharist—McAuley 5:00 PM Treble Choir 7:00 PM Parish Choir	17 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR 10:00 AM Foodshare	18 7:00 AM Morning Prayer	19 8:00 PM AA Group - DR
20 DAY OF PENTECOST (no 8am service) UTO Ingathering 8:45 AM Prepare for South Park Inn 10:00 AM Kids for Christ (KFC) - 3rd Floor 10:00 AM HE & Sacrament of Healing w/ Baptism—Church 11:30 AM 200 Identical Sandwiches 11:30 AM Pentecost Brunch—Parish Hall 3:00 PM Solisti Orchestra—Church	21 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR 4:40 PM Junior Choir 5:00 PM Treble Choir	22 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer	23 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist/Breakfast 5:00 PM Treble Choir 7:00 PM Parish Choir	24 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR	25 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 5:30 PM Fourth Fridays Family Night— DR (Also on June 22)	26 7:45 AM Men's Discussion Group - PR 8:00 PM AA Group - DR
27 Trinity Sunday Recognition Sunday 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II - Chapel 9:30 AM Kids for Christ (KFC) - Parish Hall 9:30 AM HE & Sacrament of Healing w/ Recognitions — Church 11:00 AM Coffee Hour—DR	28 Memorial Day Parish Office Closed 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 9:30 AM Strawberry Festival 10:00 AM AA Group - DR	29 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer	30 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist/Breakfast	31 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Morning Prayer 10:00 AM AA Group - DR		

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