

news from St. James's

From the Rector's Desk

Dear Friends,

I am sitting down to write this letter a few days after Easter Sunday and the thought of that morning still brings a smile to my face. The morning was just about perfect; a good size crowd with many folks I have not seen in a really long time, beautiful flowers, glorious music and of course, my favorite, baptisms. The energy in the room was palpable. The Spirit was alive and hard at work. Anyone who saw me could tell I was loving every minute of it, and I think most everyone there was as well — it was good church.

Anyone who knows me and my ministry knows that baptisms are one of if not my favorite liturgical thing to do. I love everything about them: the children (both those being baptized and those helping me consecrate the water), the music, the families, and I believe that the six final questions in the baptismal convent are probably the best and clearest "explanation" of how to live as a good Christian.

One other aspect of baptisms that I really enjoy is the opportunity to meet new families and reconnect with others. For me Baptism is a sacrament of welcome — welcoming children (usually) and their families into the St. James's community and into the wider Church. It is about hospitality - the telling and showing folks that there is room at the table for all. Invitation and welcome are two of the most Christian and Christ centered acts that we can participate in. They were a vital part of how Jesus lived out his ministry and one of the ways that we can easily follow his example. To do so is to live into two, if not all, of our baptismal promises.

To seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as Yourself.

To strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being.

This year we have already had several baptisms and have even more on the calendar in the upcoming months. On Mother's Day I will have the opportunity to baptize my and Priscilla's granddaughter, Millie. Luckily The Rev. Curtis Farr, dear friend and past associate rector at St. James's, will be preaching. I know myself and my preaching way too well to think that for a minute I could make it through that sermon. Another nice connection is that Curtis also preached at Rob and Katy's (better known as Millie's parents) wedding.

Please join me this spring and summer as we welcome all of these wonderful young children into the Church.

Your brother in Christ,



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

May/June 2022

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Highlights in May/June

- Sunday, May 15 Conard High Solisti Orchestra Concert, 3pm
- Sunday, May 22 Conard High Choral Group, 7pm
- Monday, May 30 Memorial Day Strawberry Festival, 9:30am
- Sunday, June 5 Pentecost Jazz Mass at 10am
- Sunday, June 5 Alan Murchie Piano Recital, 5:30pm
- Friday, June 10 West Hartford Women's Chorale Concert, 7pm
- Sunday, June 12 Parish Spring Picnic in the Courtyard, 11am
- Sunday, June 19 Summer schedule begins w/ one service at 9am followed by Lemonade on the Lawn

If you are still unable to join us for inperson worship, we continue to offer livestream worship on our YouTube channel every Sunday at 9:30am. Sign up for weekly emails to receive links and more information on services and upcoming events. Just go to: www.stjameswh.org/ resources/newsletter-subscribe.

From the Associate for Education & Music

EFLECTING ON EASTER WITH ST. PAUL

We've enjoyed spending four weeks in Lent on an adventure with Paul, traveling back in time 2000 years to immerse ourselves in his world. In particular, we've taken a trip back to ancient Corinth, a lively, acquisitive, diverse "land of opportunity" on a narrow isthmus between the Aegean and Ionian seas. This is the city where Paul gathered congregations over a period of about eighteen months, and this is the city to which he wrote several letters, including those we know as the First and Second Letters to the Corinthians. Paul was a situational thinker and theologian: He responded theologically to particular situations. His response to the situation in Corinth can be best characterized as a *resurrection response*, or an Easter response: to a divided, fractious body, Paul responded with the image of a unified, glorified, eternal body; with, in short, the image of a raised, resurrected body. It's in Paul's letters to Corinth that we learn the answer to an interesting question: What did Easter mean for Paul? What does it mean the God raised Jesus from the dead, and that Jesus died and rose, appearing to followers in his raised body? What are we singing about when we sing on Easter morning that Jesus "once, upon the cross, suffered to redeem our loss" and that "the pains that he endured our salvation have procured?"

There are two classic answers to this question, each compelling in its own ways. One is known as a "transactional" understanding of Paul, and is perhaps better-known. In this model, Jesus died as a redemptive, liberating gift of grace to restore us all to right standing with God. Jesus' death in this view was an atoning act; Jesus stood in for us as a sacrificial offering to atone for our sins. Our sins stand as the "loss" invoked by the great hymn: our loss of right standing with God, a loss of innocence, perhaps, or of righteousness; our unfathomable and tragic leaving-behind of that peaceable Kingdom, ruled by love, that God now restores in Christ.

That's a good answer! And yet, as we've discovered together over our time with Paul, it almost certainly isn't Paul's primary understanding of Jesus' death and resurrection. And here's where we get to the heart of Paul's Easter message to us.

†Paul was at heart a Christ mystic. His model was less substitutionary than *participatory*. In other words, for Paul, God's greatest gift isn't so much standing in for us in our individual sin. God's greatest gift lies in the new life of the Spirit into which we are all invited, in which we all share, in which we all *participate*.

†For Paul, Jesus' death wasn't simply a solitary, single act of love. It was that, of course, but it was much more, as, in Paul's view, Jesus' dying and rising again is *extended to all of us*. Paul offers baptism as an image and a template: in the waters, we die and from the waters we rise again. Paul is very clear in his language. We die with Christ, and we rise again with Christ. And it's in this death and rising again that sin is defeated and that right standing is restored. That right standing, for Paul, is borne witness through life in the Spirit, or life in the Body. And it's what we celebrated so joyfully and palpably here at St. James's on our own Easter morning as we gathered around Savannah and Magnolia to witness the sharing of this radiant, unmatchable gift — new life in the Spirit — with them.

And so, with its triumphant melody re-echoing still, we remember the great hymn of Easter and the new life it celebrates. Our loss redeemed and our salvation procured, we are now invited anew to participate in the risen life of Christ. Here's Paul:

You have been raised with Christ!
So let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts,
since as members of one body you were called to peace.
And be thankful.

Peace and blessings,



EDUCATION



AND MUSIC

Important Dates

Wednesday, May 4 5PM Boys & Girls Choir Special Rehearsal

Sunday, June 5 10AM Jazz Mass with the St. James's Choir, String Bass, and more

5:30PM Alan Murchie Piano Recital in the church

Monday, June 6 Monday Music & More! Preview Experience!

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

Music at St. James's Eastertide 2022

IRST, an enormous thank-you to our choir for their extraordinary music-making throughout Holy Week. From Palm Sunday's sung passion to Good Friday's deeply moving collaboration with the St. John's choir through the Vivaldi Gloria on Easter morning (together with thrilling descants) it was a most memorable week indeed! A special thank-you to our young virtuoso violinists John and Samantha Kramer, who brought such beauty, color, and joy to our Easter worship.

So what's next for our music program in Eastertide and beyond? We've got lots planned and we extend a broad invitation to join us! Opportunities include the sneak preview of a brand-new program, Monday Music and More, for our youngest members, the regathering of our Boys and Girls Choir, a concert on our sanctuary Steinway, and a choral jazz mass on Pentecost Sunday.

†Monday Music and More

A joint program between Music and Christian Education, Priscilla and I are thrilled to launch a new program we've been cooking up called **Monday Music and More**. Designed for children ages 3-8, the idea is to gather on Monday afternoons in two groups: the Cherub Choir (ages 3-5) and the Junior Choir (ages 6-8). While one group is singing in the large choir space, the other group gathers in the adjoining smaller choir room for art projects, drama, storytelling and more. We'll meet on Monday afternoons from 4-5:30 weekly beginning this coming fall, with preview experiences on deck for **Monday, June 6**. Watch your inbox and service leaflet for more details!

†Boys and Girls Choir

We also anticipate with joy the regathering next fall of our signature chorister program, the Boys and Girls Choir. Designed for children ages 9 and up, the choir meets Wednesday afternoons at 5. The choir sings on Sunday mornings and for holy days, and our rehearsals offer full immersion in our great sacred musical traditions. While the program relaunches in full next fall, we invite all choristers to a **special rehearsal on Wednesday, May 4 at 5:00** and for the service on **Sunday morning, May 8**. We will sing an old favorite anthem, The Lord Is My Shepherd, joining the adults once again in the choir loft.

†Piano Recital

I was honored to play at the dedication of our sanctuary Steinway a few years back when I joined Colin Jacobsen for music of César Franck. I remember the first time I ever played it. After just a few phrases, I stopped, gasped, looked at Vaughn and said "I think this is my new favorite piano ever." I still feel that way! On **Sunday afternoon, June 5**, I look forward to playing favorites by Bach, Handel, Mendelssohn, and Haydn in an hour-long recital that will begin at 5:30.

†Jazz Mass

Finally, please mark your calendars for **Sunday morning, June 5 at 10:00** when the choir will be joined by string bass and more for the beautiful and evocative jazz mass by Bob Chilcott. Veni Sancte Spiritus!

~Alan

From the Lay-Curate

Church at Its Best

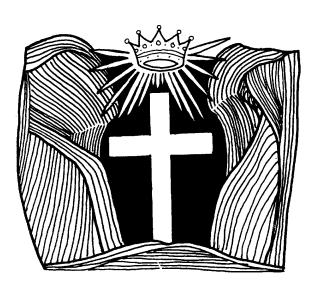
EFORE coming to St. James's — during the worst months of the pandemic — I led a virtual Evening Prayer service on Facebook every Saturday. It was fun and different. One of its most enjoyable aspects was the reaction of people who had little-to-no familiarity with the Episcopal Church (or any church, for that matter). A hyper-secular Millennial friend of mine started calling me "Mother Angelica" after the iconic nun who hosted a television show on religious television for decades. I can't say I didn't get a chuckle out of it. It was clever and funny. It was also my friend's way of saying that the language of liturgical Christianity was completely alien to him. My little spoken service on Facebook did not resonate or seem particularly accessible.

The language and practices of the church can be tricky. They are intentionally different from those of secular modernity. The point is to cultivate a distinct sense of the sacred. At the same time, it can quickly become self-referential and — yes — idolatrous. In the several months I have been at St. James's, I have been so struck by how healthy and natural worship feels here. It is distinctly sacred, and it is unfussy. It is authentic and holy. What a gift!

That authenticity and holiness shone through on Easter Sunday in a way I have never experienced before. There was such joy. Such newness of life. It was everything church should be. Anyone present who may have gone in with reservations about 'organized religion' and traditional Christianity probably did not hold those reservations very long. When church is at its best like it was on Easter Sunday, we feel the power of God in our lives. Our hearts are transformed and enlivened without even thinking about it. This is the grace of God — I am endlessly grateful to be part of a community that excels in making God's grace known to seekers and believers alike. This is the church God needs in the world today. Alleluia!

God's peace,

Jonathan



St. James's Center for Family Ministries



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

KFC (Kids for Christ) Sundays at 9:30am

KFC (Kids for Christ) meets in the parish hall on Sundays. If you have questions, please email Priscilla at:

education@stjameswh.org.



Bring a Friend to Church 5

APPY EASTER! As the weather warms up here in Connecticut, there are some great things happening for children at St. James's. Coming up on the weekend of May 13-14, is a great program at Camp Washington called, Growing Hope Forging Peace. This is a FREE overnight for middle school and high schoolers at Camp Washington and a free day event on Saturday for families that might like to attend. The speaker is Shane Claiborne, a prominent speaker and activist who worked with Mother Teresa in Calcutta and founded The Simple Way in Philadelphia.

If your child would like to attend the overnight, please go to the Camp Washington website and register today! There are links to the overnight event and the day event on Saturday. This is a great opportunity to try out Camp Washington if you have never been. If you are considering sending your children to camp in the future, maybe the day event on Saturday would give everyone an idea about how great a week at Camp Washington can be.

There will be other fun events throughout the summer months for families at St. James's including the Fourth Friday Pizza parties and as always, KFC (Kids for Christ) or Sunday school every Sunday morning. Weeks ago on Easter we had over thirty kids attending, which would be a great turnout for any Easter, much less one after the trials we have all faced recently. Keep on coming, there is lots to learn and explore about our faith!

I am excited to announce that

beginning in September, The Rev. Alan Murchie and I will offer a weekly program called Monday Music & More! It will run from 4 to 5:30, children ages three through eight will gather at church to learn music and art. Alan and I will divide the children by age, I will take one half of the group for 35 minutes, Alan will take the other, then half-way through we will gather for a snack and switch. With Alan, children will be singing and learning music. With me, they will be playing games, and doing art projects. The program will be free, with a small fee to cover the cost of supplies. Over the next few months we will get more information about Monday Music & More, but I wanted to get the word out about it as soon as possible, as many of you will begin planning your fall schedules over the summer.

Speaking of summer, I hope that when you and your family are not traveling, that you join us for church on Sunday mornings. Summer services tend to have smaller attendance but are just as joyful!

Your sister in Christ,

Mission

Hartford Catholic Worker Food Bags

T. JAMES'S continues to partner with Hartford Catholic Worker to provide 30 bags of food twice a month for families facing food insecurity in the Hartford area.

Each bag contains:

2 cans of tuna,

1 jar of mayo, 1 can of soup,

1 box/bag of pasta, 1 jar of pasta sauce,

1 can of beans,

1 jar of peanut butter, 1 jar of jelly.

This is an ongoing mission, please continue to give the items listed above. Bring them to the church during office hours or place them in the blue bin outside the cloister doors. If donating money is more convenient, please send checks to St. James's, add "Hartford Catholic Worker" in the memo line and we will shop for you. Thank you!

Easter Bag Mission Project

BIG thank you to Judith Stahl who once again did an amazing job in organizing and putting together

the Easter bags for our friends in need. Thank you to all who helped in the assembly, as well as all of you who donated toiletries. A total of 193 bags were filled and delivered to men and women at South Park Inn and St. Elizabeth House in Hartford in time for Easter. Thank you again for your generosity and for making this mission project a huge success!



Around the Parish

Parish Spring Picnic

HE spring picnic will be held on **Sunday, June 12** after the 9:30 service in the courtyard. Bring a dessert or salad dish to share with the group, if you are able. Grilled foods and beverage provided. All are welcome so invite a friend!

Strawberry Festival Memorial Day, May 30

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 30 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. Hot dogs, chips, lemonade and bottled water will also be sold. All proceeds will benefit the St. James's Feeding Programs. Extra hands are appreciated in helping with setup, sale, and cleanup. If you are interested in volunteering for this event, please phone the parish office at 860.521.9620 or email: info@stjameswh.org.

Fourth Friday Family Night

May 27 and June 24 at 5:00pm Fernridge Park in West Hartford

UR Family Nights continue every fourth Friday of the month, May 27 and June 24. During the summer months, we will meet at Fernridge Park in West Hartford for a pizza dinner and outdoor activity for the kids. Feel free to bring a side dish of your choice. In the event of rain, we will meet at St. James's in the parish hall. It's a great opportunity to get together with church friends and let the kids get to know each other better, too. We ask for a donation of approximately \$5-10 per family to cover the cost of pizza. If you'd like to attend, please email Kerriraissian@gmail.com and she can put you on the Evite list to RSVP.





Celtic Worship Sundays, May 1 and June 5

XPERIENCE worship in the Celtic tradition on **Sundays**,

May 1 and June 5 at 4:30pm. Chant, silence, prayer, and
music from around the world are incorporated into the
service. Celtic Worship is offered every first Sunday of the month
from October through June. Location and theme for each
Sunday will be listed in the Sunday bulletins and in an email. We
hope that you will join us!

Men's Discussion Group

group of men from Saint James's Church and a few from other churches meet twice monthly on the second and fourth Saturdays for an hour and a bit more beginning at 8:00 AM in the parish room for discussion of religious subjects. Typically, the discussion is led by one of the group members about a book selected by the group. Past discussions have focused on thoughts from Marcus Borg's "The Heart of Christianity: Rediscovering a Life of Faith. The next meetings will be held Saturdays, May 14 and 28; June 11 and 25. Light refreshments are served. Bob Hoffman chairs the group. If you are interested, contact him at 860.614.3861 for further information.

Conard Solisti Orchestra & Choral Group Concerts

GIOVANNI Solisti West Hartford Camerata Spring
Showcase will be held at St. James's Church on **Sunday**, **May 15** beginning at 3pm. The program will include works
by Holst, Hurwit, Tchaikovsky, and more. Admission is free.
The Conard High Choral Group will also give a concert on **Sunday, May 22** at 7pm at St. James's. All are welcome!

Wednesday Morning Eucharist Every Week at 7:00am in the Chapel

OLY Eucharist is celebrated every Wednesday morning in the chapel at 7:00. We hope to see you there!

Summer Services, Office Hours & Lemonade on the Lawn

EGINNING Sunday, June 19 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 June 17. 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 11. Have a blessed summer!

Hartford Catholic Worker Vegetable Garden

FTER a season of darkness, there is light, after the grays of winter give way to the colors, there is blossom and bloom, promise and

hope. Petals open, as if in song, and usher in a season of rebirth. We at St. James's have actively participated in this season of rebirth for the past 11 years by planting, nurturing, and harvesting vegetables grown on the church grounds. We then cele-



brate the weekly harvest by giving it to those in need through deliveries to the Hartford Catholic Worker House in Hartford. Please join us in this beautiful project and sign up to help with planting, weeding, harvesting or delivery. We meet Wednesday mornings each week from 8:00 to 9:30 to tend the garden. As the crops begin to mature and produce, we deliver the weekly harvest to the HCW at 18 Clark Street in Hartford. It is a little work but it's also fun and a nice social time enjoying the morning outdoors. The volunteer list is on the table in the Cloister. Please sign up! For more information, contact Chuck Russo: cmrusso2118@gmail.com.





— A CALL TO CHANGE AND ACTION —
 FOR GOD'S PEOPLE WEARY OF GUN VIOLENCE

Join us for a day of testimony, reflection, experience, and ACTION!

We will gather around the forges as we transform guns into gardening tools and art. Offering songs of praise and prayer, and hearing words shared by victims and survivors of gun violence. Shane Claiborne- our keynote speaker will offer words of change and a call to action. We will work on art projects and gather in thoughtful conversations around mental health, safe gun storage and suicide prevention. We will offer our hurts, hopes and dreams to God in song and worship, and end our day with a picnic lunch. This day is open to ALL God's people, of all beliefs and ages.

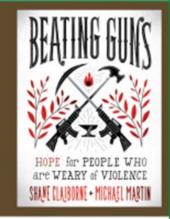
REGISTER NOW AT CAMPWASHINGTON.ORG
OR CALL US AT 860.567.9623 FOR MORE DETAILS

SHANE CLAIBORNE, KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Shane Claiborne is a prominent speaker, activist, and best-selling author. Shane worked with Mother Teresa in Calcutta, and founded The Simple Way in Philadelphia. He heads up Red Letter Christians, a movement of folks who are committed to living "as if Jesus meant the things he said." Shane is a champion for grace which has led him to jail advocating for the homeless, and to places like Iraq and Afghanistan to stand against war. Now grace fuels his passion to end the death penalty and help stop gun violence.

Shane is a prolific author. His newest book, *Beating Guns*, acts as a guide for how we can be part of the solution towards ending gun violence. Inspired by the prophetic image of beating swords into plows, *Beating Guns* offers a clarion call to change our hearts regarding one of the most significant moral issues of our time. Shane speaks around the globe giving lectures throughout both academia and denominational gatherings, festivals, and conferences.





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Registry and Readings

Deaths

Robert Skenderian

March 20, 2022

Baptisms

Easter Sunday, April 17

Magnolia Jean Corrigan & Savannah Maria Corrigan

Daughters of Conor & Ciara Corrigan

Parish Birthdays Children and Youth

MAY

Trevor Garrow-Cooke, 3

Ryan Kirsch, 3

Evie Messinger, 3

Amelia Neal, 4

Addison Leonard, 5

Luke Bedingfield, 5

Cole Gallagher, 6

Wesley Regan, 6

Jane Waterman, 6

Faith Messinger, 7

Owen Wills, 7

Frances O'Sullivan, 11

Anya & Lyla Fisher, 13

Wesson Bowman, 14

Madison Montgomery, 14

Audrey Forcello, 21

Callum Wills, 22

Charlie Tapley, 26

Addison Stafford, 28 Cornelia Mozingo, 29 Jackson Bedingfield, 30 Hannah Sheldon, 30 Theo Tewksbury, 30

JUNE

Ben Carrier, 1
Nolan Leonard, 1
Vaughn Smith, 2
Abigail Waterman, 4
Olivia Lapointe, 5
Camden Barber, 9
Clare Tapley, 11
Jennifer Brown, 16
Bowden Swales, 17
Nicholas Tagliarini, 20

Parish Prayer List

Those in our parish family

Jeffrey, Greg, Elsa, Michael, Frank, Elly, Chuck, Sue, Will, Tom, Chris & Louise.

Those in our extended parish family

Jenifer, Nancy, Jeff, Carol, Christina, Jean, Jeff, Karen, David, Quinn, Joanie, Teresa, Audra, Ann, Patricia, Carrie, John & Rita, Tavern, Mohan, Larry, Barbara, Hudson, Guy, Stephen, Clark, Sydney, Clare, Leo, Denise, Javier, Susan & Gordon, Kristine & Noel, Janet, Annelise, Sue & Claudia, Larry, Gretchen, Denise.

Those Serving in the Military:

Andrew Clark, Andrew Huntsman, Ed Vera, and Justin Hagemann.

Sunday Lectionary

Third Sunday of Easter, May 1

Acts 9:1-6, (7-20); Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19; Psalm 30

Fourth Sunday of Easter, May 8

Acts 9:36-43; Revelation 7:9-17 John 10:22-30; Psalm 23

Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 15

Acts 11:1-18; Revelation 21:1-6 John 13:31-35; Psalm 148

Sixth Sunday of Easter, May 22

Acts 16:9-15; Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5 John 14:23-29 or John 5:1-9; Psalm 67

Ascension Day, May 26

Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:15-23 Luke 24:44-53; Psalm 47 or Psalm 93

Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 29

Acts 16:16-34; Revelation 22:12-14,16-17,20-21 John 17:20-26; Psalm 97

Pentecost Sunday, June 5

Acts 2:1-21 or Genesis 11:1-9; Romans 8:14-17 John 14:8-17, (25-27); Psalm 104:25-35, 37

Trinity Sunday, June 12

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15; Psalm 8 or Canticle 13 (or Canticle 2)

Second Sunday after Pentecost, June 19

Isaiah 1 Kings 19:1-4, (5-7), 8-15a; Psalm 42 and 43 Galatians 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39

Third Sunday after Pentecost, June 26

2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14; Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20 Galatians 5:1,13-25; Luke 9:51-62

May 2022

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12 TRINITY SUNDAY 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II—Chapel 9:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II w/Livestream— Church 9:30 AM Kids for Christ (KFC) - Parish Hall 10:45 AM 200 Identical Sandwiches 11:00 AM Parish Spring Picnic—Courtyard 2:00 PM Chan Schiller Memorial—Church Followed by Reception in the Parish Hall	13 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 10:00 AM AA Group - DR 11:30 AM Serve for Loaves and Fishes	14 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 PM Samaritans Group—PR	15 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist—Chapel 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist— McAuley	16 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 10:00 AM AA Group -DR 10:00 AM FOODSHARE	17 Parish Office Closed 7:00 AM AA Group - DR	18 7:00 PM AA Group—DR
19 Summer Schedule Begins 9:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II w/Livestream — Church 9:00 AM Kids for Christ (KFC) - Parish Hall 10:15 AM 200 Identical Sandwiches 10:15 AM Lemonade on the Lawn	20 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 10:00 AM AA Group - DR	21 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 PM Vestry—PH	22 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist—Chapel	23 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 10:00 AM AA Group—DR	24 Parish Office Closed 7:00 AM AA Group - DR 5:00 PM First Friday Family Night— Fernridge Park	25 8:00 AM Men's Discussion Group - PR 7:00 PM AA Group—DR
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