

June 2024

THE WAYFARER

A PUBLICATION OF ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Summer at St. James'

SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

8:30 am	H.E. Rite I
9:30 am	Adult Christian Ed
9:30 am	Choir
10:30 am	Children's Church
10:30 am	H. E. Rite II

STUDY SCHEDULE WEDNESDAY

10:30 am Bible Study

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I have mentioned before that Betsy and I try to tell each other that summer is the quiet time around the office, but that is not really accurate. True, the day school is out, and we don't have the children around, but that is not the only thing going on. St. James' is very much open and things are happening.

The biggest event of the summer still revolves around the day school with the annual rummage sale. This year's sale will be in July. Once again, we will have a special preview party for the parish on Sunday, July 7, with the public preview party on Wednesday, July 10. The general sale will be the 12th and 13th.

Summer also means vacations and trips and such for many folks. The joke is that Episcopalians are the only ones God trusts to let them have summers off. I would still encourage you to join us for services on Sundays. We will continue both services all summer, 8:30 and 10:30. Wednesday morning bible study will continue during the summer at 10:30. Adult Sunday School will continue between the services.

Summers may be a little quieter but no less active. It may be tempting to sleep in on Sundays, but there is no replacing the joy and sense of community that comes from worshiping God together in church.

Peace,

Fr. Brandt+

IN OUR CHURCH



Betsy will be on vacation June 3 - 7. She will be back in the office June 10.

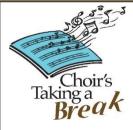


The Pastoral Care Committee takes friends and family off the prayer list after 3 months. If you would like to add a person to the list the committee needs to know why they are being added and they need an address to mail a card if you want that person to receive one. You may email names and addresses to <u>betsy@stjamesgreenville.com</u> or use the pew cards in church.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Bible continues on Wednesdays at 10:30 am.

- June 3 Pastoral Care Committee
- June 5 Healing Service at noon
- June 18 Vestry meeting 5:30 pm
- June 19 Office Closed for Juneteenth



There will be no choir practice on Wednesday's during June and July. The choir is taking a welldeserved break.

SERVICE MINISTRIES

Service Ministries for Sunday, June 2 8:30 AM Worship Leader: Brister Lee 10:30 AM Worship Leader: Geoffrey Lewis LEM: Noel Harris Lector: Lee Engel Ushers: Peter Nimrod Vestry Assignment: Noell Harris, Debi Hendrix

Service Ministries for Sunday, June 9 8:30 AM Worship Leader: Jim Martin 10:30 AM Worship Leader: Ashley Hines LEM: Sonya Bixler Lector: Austin Frye Ushers: Ralph Owens Vestry Assignment: Rak Koestler, Brister Lee

Service Ministries for Sunday, June 16

8:30 AM Worship Leader: Betsy Alexander 10:30 AM Worship Leader: Ashley Hines LEM: Noel Harris Lector: Deanna Harper Ushers: Wesley Smith Vestry Assignment: Beth Naaman, Wesley Smith

Service Ministries for Sunday, June 23 8:30 AM Worship Leader: Brister Lee 10:30 AM Worship Leader: Geoffrey Lewis LEM: Sonya Bixler Lector: Warren Harper Ushers: David Cochran Vestry Assignment: Doug Wade, Finley Edwards

Service Ministries for Sunday, June 30 8:30 AM Worship Leader: Jim Martin 10:30 AM Worship Leader: Ashley Hines LEM: Noel Harris Lector: Robin Kelly Ushers: Bill Andrews Vestry Assignment: Brad Jones, Ginny Cochran

IN OUR COMMUNITY

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Robertshaw Scholarship

The Robertshaw Scholarship is a one-time scholarship for a graduating senior. It was established in 1980 in memory of James Robertshaw, Jr. who, suffering from the severest of physical handicaps and in the knowledge of certain death from muscular debilitation, nevertheless exhibited the highest quality of courage and perseverance in achieving high levels of scholarship and never gave up. Therefore, the key criteria for nominees is to have shown courage, perseverance, scholarship and creativeness in their high school career.

The wardens and rector have awarded 2 Robertshaw scholarships for 2024.

Travary Hart from St. Joe and Faith O'Neal from Greenville High each received a \$5,000.00 scholarship for their higher education.



The Giant Rummage Sale is July 10-13

Many volunteers will be needed in mid to late June & early July to help sort and price and work the sale. Please say yes! All proceeds go directly to St. James' Day School to help provide resources not met through tuition.

Sunday, July 7 – Parish Sale after the 10:30 service. \$10.00 admission. Wednesday, July 10 – Early bird shopping 5:30 pm \$10.00 admission.

Friday, July 12 – Public Sale 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday, July 13 – Half Price Day 8:00 am – 12:00 pm



We are in the planning stages to get the Harvest program started back up. Harvest is a weekly program for area adults with special needs. We provide activities, snacks, and social interaction. They really look forward to coming to St. James.

Betty Jo Boyd is spearheading this revival. Day and time are still open for discussion. If you are interested in helping with this, you may text or call her at 662-347-6699.

OUR PARISH FAMILY



For parishioners: Thorne Crosby, Sandy Welsh, Lynn & Bill Schaffarzick, Jimmy Lee, Linda Owens, Dudley Stewart, Susan Sutherland, Elizabeth Smith

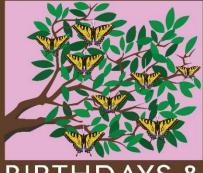
For friends and family: Joy Haddock Davis, Rosa Tobiansky, Mack Baker, Hilton & Glenda Tarver, Andy Von Antz, Holly Warrington, Julie Boswell, Jean

Williamson, Mal Kretschmar, Billy Polson, Sue Gordon, Rod Armstrong, Kenneth Culpepper, Mary Alice Davis, Jan Lester, Mary Louise Miller, Ruth Ellen Coffey, Roane Bland, Linda Fratesi, Christin Fisher, Phil Lee, Jr., Millie Wright, Kaye Buchanan, Bob Jones, Penny & Rick Byler

For those serving in the Armed Forces: Barry Jordan, Jackson Mitchell, Tyler Owens, Nathan Thomas, Sean Williams, Thomas Griffin, Barry Jackson, Marcus Shoemaker, Beau Swain.

For expectant couples: Amanda & Shawn Zorn, Morgan & Casey Rorie

JUNE



BIRTHDAYS 8 ANNIVERSARIES

Mike Retzer	6/05
Mae Weissinger	6/06
Lawler Horn	6/09
Jack Lowry	6/10
Theresa Skelton	6/10
Libba Burle	6/11
Stephanie Lowe	6/11
Beth Naaman	6/13
Lollie Smith	6/17
Rak Koestler	6/18
Virginia Grubbs	6/19
Allison Avis	6/20
Huntley Elliott	6/21
Cameron Skelton	6/22
Jan Engel	6/24
Rebecca Jones	6/25
Jim Martin	6/26

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Revenue & Expenses						
April 2024						
Total Revenue	\$23,646.96					
Total Expenses	\$25,163.16					
Net Total	\$(1,516.20)					

FORWARD DAY by DAY

The Forwards for May, June & July are now available at all church entrances, the office entrance and in the kitchen. Please help yourself to a copy.

Next Dates for Baptisms

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism is appropriately administered within the Eucharist at the chief service on a Sunday. The next date for Baptism is All Saints' Sunday, Nov. 3. To schedule a baptism, please call Betsy at the Church Office or speak to Father Brandt. CALENDARS



2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 10:00 AM A.A. mtg
2 8:30 AM H.E. Rite I 9:30 AM Adult Sunday school 9:30 AM Choir 10:30 AM Children's Church 10:30 AM H.E. Rite II	3 12:00 PM Pastoral Care Committee	4	5 10:30 AM Bible Study 12:00 PM Healing Service Betsy on Vacation	6	7 Clergy Sabbath	8 10:00 AM A.A. mtg
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