



# St. John's

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Notes & Announcements

June 28, 2009

## Prayer Requests

**For Healing:** Lou Hiers Atkins, Bob Benson, Tom Davis, Mimi Dial, Nancy Duvall, Nancy Farish, Wayne Fisher, Melinda Franks, Fred Hay Gantt, Lamar Grimmitt, Robert Hemphill, Laura Wells Hiers, Warren King, Mary Law, Susan Love, Susan Michaels, Mike Miller, Charles Mitchell, Ramona Mitchell, Jim Mittenzwei, Dale Ness, Evan Pertile, George Pierce, Sam Roberts, Colleen Robinson, Allen Rogers, Andrew Sharpe, Jody Spruill, Ida Storrs, Aloo Tata, John Thomas, James Walker, Martha Weed, Georgianna Wheeler, Florrie Willoch, Pearl Wilson

**For Expectant Parents:** Kristin & Don Alexander, Liz & Ryan Brewer, Christine & Hugh Burkett, Meagan & Brad Higinbotham, Stacye & Paul Jones, Christine & Jim Koutrakos, LeAnne & Shane McCormack

**For Active Military:** Fred Aldrich, John Benson, Stephen Donald, Michael Fisher, Michael Hook, Kyle James, Heyward Lindler, Mike Williams

**For Births:** Camille Tyler "Millie" Burnett (6/18), daughter of Sarah & Hoyt Burnett

**For those who have died:** Celia Tolar (6/25), mother of Celia Tolar Bane

**Harvest Hope Food Bank** Remember your list: car keys, children, offering envelope, and food items for HH. They are in dire need of toilet paper, soap, and other personal items such as toothpaste, toothbrush, deodorant, shampoo, plastic bags, etc. Put items in the basket in the church narthex.

**School Supply Drive** for Cooperative Ministry—we will collect all the same things your children need for school: notebook paper, pens & pencils, spiral notebooks, erasers, highlighters, pocket folders, markers, boxes of tissue, hand sanitizer, Expo Dry Erase Markers, glue sticks, etc. Collection boxes are in the church narthex and the Barr Center lobby. Contact: Tom Savage (796-8488).

**Help Support a School Child in our Adopted Village** Would you like to honor a St. John's High School senior, or another school child in your life, by making a donation to the St. John's Adopt a Village project? The school St. John's helped build in Chapoteau, Haiti offers a wonderful educational opportunity for the children who attend. The annual cost of one child's education is \$240. *Adopt a Village Project* forms are in the church narthex or on-line with PayPal. *Deadline June 30.*

## *This Week at St. John's . . .*

**Rector's Bible Study** Monday at noon in Room 9-lower level, Heyward Hall.

**Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study** Tuesdays at 6:45 am in the Barr Center. Check the website for the reading schedule. Contact: Ned Badgett (787-8189).

**Yoga** will NOT meet (6/30).

**The Knitting Group** will meet Thursdays at noon in the Library-first floor, Heyward Hall. New and experienced knitters welcome. Contact: Emily Davison (422-6823 or [emilyok@gmail.com](mailto:emilyok@gmail.com)).

## **Today's Altar Flowers**

Given by Rachel, Alex, William, Jonathan and Xander to the glory of God and in honor of courageous Evan Pertile.

## *Next Sunday . . .*

July 5 at 10:30 am—The 10:30 Holy Eucharist will include Morning Prayer as the Liturgy of The Word followed by the usual Celebration of Holy Communion. If you would like to sing at this service with the Chancel Choir, join us for practice next Sunday at 9:30 am in the church.

## **EYC Calendar**

June 28 Dinner and Dive-In Movie

6:30-9:30 pm @ 229 Spring Lake Rd.

Lauren Welch's parents (the Carpenters) have invited EYC to use their pool. Come and join us for an evening of swimming, games, dinner, and a dive-in movie.

## **White Water Rafting Overnight**

August 7 & 8

COST: \$40 30 spots available

Register by July 6

Payment Due by July 21

We were able to significantly lower the cost! We will drive up Friday afternoon, eat dinner there, get up and raft at 10am, grab a bite to eat, and then head home Sat afternoon. St. Michael's and St. David's will be joining us as well, so it will be a great group adventure. Please email or call Dorian ASAP to sign up.

*Always check the blog for updates and details:  
[Stjohnscolumbiayouth.blogspot.com](http://Stjohnscolumbiayouth.blogspot.com)*

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**Wednesday Chancel Choir** rehearsals will resume in August. Enquiries about participating may be directed to Director of Music Celia Tolar-Bane at the church Monday-Thursday or on Sunday mornings.

As you enter for worship every Sunday, please remember to pick up a green Wonder, Love and Praise songbook. Some of our music at all services (except 7:45) will be from this new hymnal supplement

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**Parish Office Summer Hours** Monday through Friday 8:30 am – 4:00 pm. *The office will be closed Friday, July 3.*

**Altar Flowers** *Open dates July 12 & 19.* Order forms are available in the church narthex or on-line.

**July Messenger** We will not publish the monthly Messenger in July. Please watch the weekly bulletin announcements, E-pistle, and the website for July events and activities.

**Lists of Birthdays & Anniversaries** of parishioners for July & August are now available in the church narthex.

**Creating scrapbook photo albums of St. John's history** What are your favorite memories and stories and pictures from St. John's? We need your pictures, memories, and memorabilia to help capture the rich history of St. John's as we organize and create scrapbooks and photo albums of our parish. Please bring COPIES of your photos, articles from newspapers, old bulletins, etc. of any events from St. John's. Label the pictures with as much information as you can provide - names, dates, event, etc. - and bring the non-returnable items to the office. Do you have a favorite story or memory of St. John's? Please write a brief description of the event, what you remember and why it was so special. Include any dates or special notations about the event. Please remember to bring only copies of items as they will not be returned and include your name and phone number with all information. We need the material as soon as possible, preferably during June and July so we can have books for the August and September celebrations. If you have questions, please call Shelly Jones at 665-7255.

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**Bishop Search Committee** Diocesan Profile, Diocesan Survey Statistics, and Nomination Forms are available online [www.bishopsearch.edusc.org](http://www.bishopsearch.edusc.org). Hardcopies are available in the parish office. Nominations must be submitted by July 3.