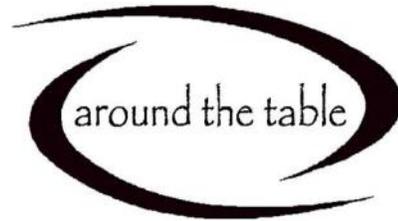


# St. David's Episcopal Church

*Love God, Love one Another*

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January 4-5, 2020



## Opportunities This Week

### Monday, January 6

- Monday Night Support Group 6:00 pm
- Sounds of St. David's Rehearsal 6:00 pm
- EfM -Conference room 6:30 pm

### Tuesday, January 7

- Boccia Ball 10:30 am
- Bible Study - Conference Room 12:30 pm

### Wednesday, January 8

- Pickleball 3:00 pm
- Yoga 5:30 pm
- Outreach Core Ministry 6:30 pm

### Thursday, January 9

- Men's Study and Fellowship 6:45 am
- KCSL Parent Support & Networking 4:00 pm
- Handchime Choir 6:00 pm
- Choir Rehearsal 7:00 pm
- Thursday Night Support Group 7:00 pm

### Friday, January 10

### Saturday, January 11

- Daughters of the King 11:00 am
- Holy Eucharist 5:00 pm

### Sunday, January 12

- Holy Eucharist Rite I 8:00 am
- Full Hot Breakfast 8:30 am
- Adult Forum Book Study What Is The Bible? 9:00 am
- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Holy Eucharist Rite II 10:30 am
- Youth Group 11:45 am

**Please note: No breakfast January 5**

### Hospital Visits

If you or a loved one are admitted to the hospital for care, please call the church office and let us know (or leave a message if no one is available). Due to HIPAA regulations, this is the only way we get this information. Thanks!

## What Is the Bible?

How an Ancient Library of Poems, Letters and Stories Can Transform the Way You Think and Feel About Everything

**By Rob Bell**

Is it inspired?

Can it help us?

Just what is the Bible?

**Come join us for this new Adult Forum Class. It starts Sunday, January 5th and will last for 6 weeks. We will meet from 9:15 - 10:00 am and books can be purchased at the Church office. This book is an easy read, but full of topics for discussion so join Meredith Williard and Linda Stanfill for this new look at an old book.**



### Food Pantry

### Doorstep Update Planning Ahead for January

More than 40 years ago, St. David's made a commitment to support Doorstep's mission. Each January, we, along with three other congregations, are responsible for filling the food pantry and helping in the clothing bank. **We're setting our goal at 1,500 pounds of food!** We reached it last year. **WE CAN DO IT!!!**

**Food Pantry needs are specific.** The following items are needed in larger quantities: macaroni and cheese, boxed dinners (Hamburger Helper, etc.) jelly, peanut butter, canned veggies and fruits, canned tuna and meat, soup crackers, soup, oatmeal, dry cereals, pasta, pasta sauce, pinto beans, rice, and canned or powdered milk. We'll start collecting **January 1** and continue for the entire month.

The sign up sheet for volunteering in January in the clothing room is on the bulletin board in the narthex. We are there sorting clothing and helping clients on Thursdays 9, 16, 23, 30 and Monday 27th. Sign up times are 10 to noon or noon to 2. Come join us - if Questions, call Sharon Koepke at 478-1329.

## Youth News

- January 5 9:30 am - High School Sunday School
- January 12 11:30 am - Lunch/Youth Group Meet 2020 Activity Planning Parents Welcome to attend!
- January 26 8:30 am Holman/Howell Serve Breakfast For Youth Group

Mary Howell, Youth Activities Director  
(785) 554-6612, or  
[youthdirector@stdavidchurch.com](mailto:youthdirector@stdavidchurch.com)



It's time to sign up for Gatherings for 6, 7 or 8. The time period is again from January through April. For those participating, you will host once during the 4-month period. We will meet once a month for the 4-month period in small groups, usually in the host's home, restaurant or other place of the hosts choice. It's a time for fellowship and fun.

Contact Amy DuPuis, Bev Carlson, or Ethel Edwards if you have questions. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex.



Thank you to our **coffee hour** hosts this week:

### A Multitude of Saints!

Please look at the sign up sheet for coffee hour and sign up. Thank you in advance.



Looking for more ways to support St. David's? The required minimum distributions (RMDs) from your IRA (not including SEP or SIMPLE IRAs) can be donated directly to a qualified 501(c)3, such as St. David's, tax-free. If you're nearing 70 1/2 or already taking such distributions, talk to your financial advisor or tax planner about this potential way to contribute to the church.

We are looking for parishioners to serve as Welcomers, Ushers, and Eucharistic Ministers. If you can assist in any of these ministries, please speak to Mother Vicki or contact the office. This is a great way to serve your church.



St. David's Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 26 during and following the 10:30 service. We will have one service that weekend. At our Annual Meeting we will vote on proposed bylaw changes, elect vestry members (the slate presented includes: Betsy Hamm, Amy DuPuis and Jim Edwards), and Diocesan Convention Delegates (slate include Lynda Crowl, Christi Wedeking and Tuck Duncan, Ethel Edwards and Bryan Irvine alternates). We will also hear a budget presentation from our Treasurer. After the meeting we will gather for a meal in the parish hall - the church will provide chicken. Please bring sides and desserts to share. The Annual Meeting is an important event in the life of our church - please plan to attend.

Mother Vicki Smith

### Daughters of the King

The next meeting will be held on January 11, at 11:00 am. Please call Judy Salmon at 267-4337 if you have any questions.

Please don't forget to pledge for 2020. Pledges ARE THE Corner Stone of our budget. We all want to keep St. David's viable and active and your pledge is a necessary component for that to happen.  
Your Finance Committee

Collections 12/23/19 to 12/29/19

	Collections	Budget
Plate	\$ 386.00	\$ 163.00
Pledge	\$ 2,681.00	\$ 6,067.00
Non- Pledge	\$ 2,350.00	\$ 256.00

### Stewardship Snippet

If you want to feel rich, just count all the things you have that money can't buy.