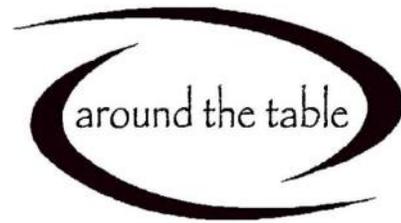


St. David's Episcopal Church

Love God, Love one Another

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October 24, 2021



Worship Opportunities

Worship services:

NO SATURDAY SERVICE OCT. 23rd

Sunday: 10:30 am service will be **ZOOM** and in-person

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT GENERALLY, ON ZOOM, IF YOU CAN SEE AND HEAR US, WE CAN SEE AND HEAR YOU. PLEASE MUTE AND/OR TURN OFF YOUR VIDEO APPROPRIATELY

To join these services by desktop, laptop, tablet, iPad or smartphone with video, simply click on the following link ...

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4405751640?pwd=YmZMT09LMm1hVDhpbEdKMxpTTHVWQT09>

Meeting ID# 4405751640
Password is 3916SW17

To join this service by landline phone or smartphone without video, simply dial one of the following numbers and follow the instructions ...

1-253-215-8782, Enter the following when requested 4405751640#

1-346-248-7799, Enter the following when requested 4405751640#



**Food
Pantry**



COFFEE HOUR

Because of Diocesan Convention Saturday, October 23, there will be NO 5pm service this week.

Saturday, October 30 at 9:00 AM

Please join us once again as we gather together to do some yard work and spruce up our church yard before winter sets in. We will be focusing on the Courtyard, front and side yards of the church. Many hands make light work and the more we have the sooner we will get done! We will stop at noon or earlier if we can. Please BYO garden tools (labeled with your name): rakes, pruners, clippers, hedge trimmers, brooms, etc. We will provide waste bags. No need to sign up, just show up, but if you have questions, call Christie Wedeking @ (785) 554-6153 or Meredith Williard @ (785) 608-8538.

We are looking forward to having our new AV equipment and LED screen!!!! To make it all work, we need a team of people who are willing to run the zoom and video on Sunday mornings especially. We expect each individual to be scheduled no more often than once a month. If you would be willing to undertake this ministry, we'll provide the training! Please let the office know if this is something you'd like to be a part of. Techies especially welcome!



November Donation:
Blankets & Towels for the Mission
Community Ministries is collecting blankets and towels for the Rescue Mission during the month of November. Historically, we have had great success with this project. We are hoping to have a record breaking year this year, keeping our neighbors warm during this upcoming winter season. Please help us get off to a strong start this Sunday!! Thanks for your continued support.



Are you interested in being a leader at St. David's? Do you know someone who'd be a great leader that you'd like to suggest? Our nominating committee is currently accepting suggestions for our vestry slate for 2022. If you would like to suggest someone, or yourself, please complete one of the cards at the back of the church and place it in the offering plate.

Covid protocols were discussed extensively at last week's Gathering of Clergy.

There are few changes that impact us:

- 1) If we sing, masks must be worn. That means masks are still required for the 10:30am service.
- 2) If we do not sing, and can socially distance, masks may be removed. This impacts our 5pm service. Please note that social distancing is required and I also ask that people wear a mask when coming forward to receive communion.
- 3) Communion, wafers only, will be distributed from stations at the front of the church. We have been offered the opportunity to share the wine by having the priest/deacon dip the wafer (very slightly) into the wine and then give it to the recipient. This is a step closer to normal but to do it safely requires that people continue to wear their masks when in front of the priest/deacon, and that people either take the wafer with their fingers (not touching other fingers) or let the priest/deacon place the wafer in their palms. Everyone will have the option to have the wafer only, not dipped in the wine..
- 4) We no longer need to sign in for services. We ask that if anyone has a positive covid test, they let the office know and we will let the parish know when and where parishioners were exposed. That is the covid tracking recommended for churches by various health departments statewide.

We continue to walk the tightrope of staying safe and getting back to normal. It has not been easy for any of us, but I hope that these steps, and others to come, will help us continue to move forward.

Blessings,
Vicki +



2021 Stewardship Campaign

Please return your Stewardship pledges by November 21st.



A good Steward is always mindful that he or she works for God. God is the owner. "the earth and everything in it, the world and its inhabitants, belong to the Lord. Good Stewards take care of the gifts God has given them to manage.