

St. Peter's Parish Church

The Keys

June - July 2017

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From the Rector's Desk

A story told to me by a colleague is a good way to introduce this newsletter's column. It seems that a young pastor was speaking to a noonday men's group with about a dozen in attendance. The minister had a project in mind and laid it out in detail. It was a very rousing, inspiring address and ended with a pitch: "And so I need about ten good men to step up and take on this responsibility." Each of the dozen or so men as they left said some variation of this to the cleric: "Great talk, Pastor. I sure hope you find those ten men you're looking for!"

Since the Vestry retreat this year, its emphasis has been on "Invite-Welcome-Connect." It's based on a wonderful program out of the Diocese of Texas. (See www.invitewelcomeconnect.com.) The short version is that it's wonderful to go out and invite people, it's a skill to make them feel welcome once they get here, but once here and properly welcomed, people are more likely to stay if they're connected. So the column this time is about some ways in my portfolio that folks (whether newcomers or long-time communicants) can be more connected and contribute to the life and work of the church.

One way is by becoming a Minister of the Liturgy: Chaliceist, Lector, or Intercessor. A Chaliceist is one who "bears the cup" at communion. We are critically short at the nine o'clock service, having had two recent retirements, and are also a bit short at the eleven o'clock service. We need more help at both. Lectors—those who read the lessons and Psalm(s) for the day—and Intercessors—those who read the Prayers of the People—are also needed. Training is provided, of course. You can also serve in more than one role on a Sunday; some like to be Chaliceist and Lector, others Intercessor and Chaliceist, and so on. I've also been talking with some folks about instituting a Lay Eucharistic Visitor program. That's when a Lay Eucharistic Minister (LEM) takes communion from the church directly to a home or hospital.

Acolytes are also needed. Crucifers, the Acolyte who carries the cross in procession, may be either adults or confirmed youth. Servers attend the altar, receive the offerings and oblations, open and close the chancel gate, and just generally help out in a variety of ways. Torchbearers are those who carry the torches in procession—also known as "candles on a stick," but not to be confused with candlesticks! Finally, Peter's Heralds ring the bell in the tower before (and occasionally after) services. There are guidelines for these, and for more information, please contact Steve Miles at 804-966-9240 or s.miles@suntrust.com.

Finally, a very big *Thank You* to all who participated in the recent "Final Affairs Fair." We had five presenters and almost 50 people in attendance. Lots of good discussion and good questions, and of course, good food from Jeff Fazio, Margaret Best, and Cynthia Rowles.

Also, a reminder that our summer worship schedule begins May 28 with one service at ten o'clock. Youth Sunday is the following Sunday, June 4, and then the summer diaspora begins. In your travels, I hope you will visit other churches and bring back anything interesting—newsletters, worship leaflets, visitor items, and so on. We love to see how other folks do it.

Faithfully,

Paul †

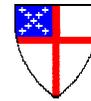
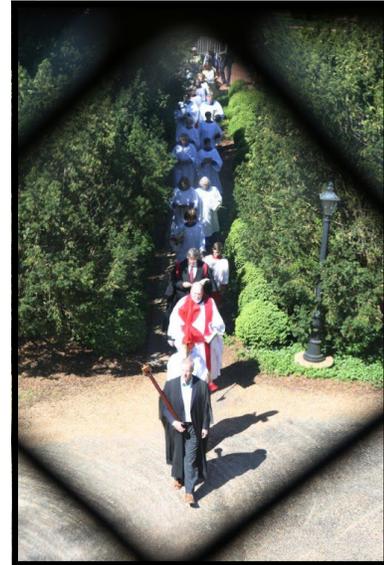
Warden's Corner

Every time that I pass through the brick pillars which mark the entrance of St. Peter's, I am struck by the sense of beauty and history that surrounds this church. As I come down St. Peter's Lane and see the tower come into view, I often wonder how many others have taken in this sight over the years. We are truly blessed to call this special piece of property tucked away in a corner of New Kent our church home. But thanks to the efforts of so many St. Peter's parishioners, the church is more than a beautiful place to worship. The kindness and generosity of so many in our congregation has allowed the church to reach beyond its borders and spread the mission of Christ throughout our immediate community and beyond.

Since joining the Vestry last year, I have had the privilege of working with many outreach programs associated with St. Peter's Parish Church. I must confess that prior to this, I was unaware of the different ways that St. Peter's reached out to the community. For instance, we sponsor the local Meals on Wheels program which delivers food to shut-ins in New Kent County. St. Peter's is used as the hub to coordinate the delivery of meals, and many of our own parishioners volunteer their time to help make the deliveries. Our youth are also involved in St. Peter's outreach efforts. For the second year, the annual Youth Mission Trip will benefit the Thornwell Home for Children in Clinton, South Carolina. Thornwell provides care for children ranging from toddlers to young adults who are in difficult family situations. It relies on the generosity of others in this mission. If we look a little closer to home, we will see the many St. Peter's volunteers who literally work around the clock to make sure that Matthew's Haven continues its important work of helping families with children in our local community receive the basic necessities of life.

These are only a few ways in which St. Peter's reaches out and takes the mission of the church beyond its borders. I could name many more, but the space allotted will not allow. I do, however, want to thank every person who has helped St. Peter's to further its commitment to community outreach. Until joining the Vestry I did not realize how many of our parishioners were involved doing so. Now when I drive down St Peter's Lane and see that tower come into view, I smile knowing that we are spreading the beauty of our church beyond our little corner of New Kent County.

~ Matt Danielson, Junior Warden



St. Peter's Parish Church

The Reverend Dr. S. Paul Rowles, *rector*
Joyce H. Molina, *organist and choirmaster*
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R. Jon Ackley, *assistant treasurer*
David A. Swynford, *verger*
Ann O. Bradshaw, *register*

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Matt Danielson, Junior Warden

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Stuart Burnett (932-3925)
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May O'Leary (932-3354)

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Matt Danielson (557-3365)
Bill Lindsey (757-566-8132)
Abbitt Woodall (932-3758)

Class of 2020

Carrie Evelyn (932-5078)
Kim Filipowicz (557-2905)
Linwood Gregory (932-4254)

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Christian Education



Church School News

Can a group of people make a difference in one child's life? St. Peter's thinks so as evidenced by the outstanding support we received in our "Butterfly Fund" efforts. The Church School raised over \$3,000 towards our Lenten project—the largest proceeds to date! It is with the help of so many people that made this possible: Church School teachers, in-house artists, and bakers. What a tremendous message to send to Thornwell Home for Children before this year's return Youth Mission Trip there. Thanks again for your support!

Kudos to Carrie Evelyn for her organizing and running of the Church School "lock-in." Carrie was recently recognized for her efforts through HandsOn Greater Richmond, Power of Good!

The Church School will culminate this year with Youth Sunday, June 4 at 10 am. It is always a treat to listen to the seniors and celebrate our program. This is possible due to the efforts of our tremendous teachers: Karen Moore, Thomas & Carrie Evelyn, David & Kristin Swynford, Catherine Stanley, Adriane Marshall, and Bill Lindsey. You guys are the best!

~ Carol Nelms, Church School Superintendent

Youth Choir



Many thanks to our small, but talented singers this year. Our year will wrap up on Youth Sunday, June 4 at 10 am. Come enjoy our voices of the future!

~ Joyce Molina and Carol Nelms

Vacation Bible School - Super Hero Central

Discover Your Strength in God at Hero Central, beginning Monday, July 31 through Friday, August 4, from 9 am—12 Noon. Everyone put on your capes and masks as it is time to save our summer! VBS will explore all the TRUE heroes of our faith.

To register children, please use the VBS sign-up sheet in the Parish House foyer. If you want to be a Hero and volunteer, there are opportunities for various levels of time commitment so please just browse the options for your chance to make a difference in our children's summer.

This early knowledge of attendance and volunteer assistance helps plan for a successful VBS week. Please feel free to contact Cricket Smolnik (Vasmolniks@gmail.com or 804-557-3977) with any questions. God Bless!

~ Cricket Smolnik, 2017 VBS Director



Outreach

Youth Mission Trip Team Returns to Thornwell Home for Children

The final preparations are being made for this year's Youth Mission Trip— a return trip to Thornwell Home for Children in Clinton, South Carolina. The youth will reside on campus and perform service work each day while interacting with the resident children. Missioners will leave on Sunday, July 23 and return the following Sunday, July 30.

All youth from 6th to 12th grade are welcome and encouraged to participate. If you have any questions or wish to participate, please contact Preston Martin at preston.b.martin@icloud.com or Chrissy Wagner at cawagner@henrico.k12.va.us. The cost per youth missioner is \$100 which goes to help defray the expenses of the trip. A \$50 deposit should be made at the time of registration. Please make checks payable to *St. Peter's Parish Church* and include *Youth Mission Trip* on the memo line. Checks may be mailed to the church office or left in the Parish Administrator's mailbox. Scholarships are also available on an as-needed basis.

As noted on their website, Thornwell Home for Children offers children a "safe haven; a warm, loving, family-style community in which to grow and thrive." For additional information, including tax deductible donation opportunities, you may visit Thornwell's website at <http://www.thornwellhome.org>.

~ Chrissy Wagner & Preston Martin, Chaperones of the 2017 YMT Team



2017 Clopton Memorial Scholarship Recipients



St. Peter's Clopton Scholarship Committee has awarded one-year \$1,000 scholarships to four seniors from New Kent High School: **Lucy Adamson, Sherese Bonner, Gunnar Carlson, and Justin Mitchell**. The funds for these scholarships come from the Louise Miller Clopton and William Boyd Clopton Memorial Scholarship fund. Awards are made to students who demonstrate strong moral character, religious involvement, community service, motivation, and academic success.

Lucy Adamson will attend Virginia Tech to major in Crop Science; Sherese Bonner will major in Pharmacy at University of Virginia; Gunnar Carlson will major in International Relations at Virginia Tech; and Justin Mitchell will attend the College of William & Mary to major in Marine Biology. Congratulations and best wishes to them all!

The Clopton Scholarship Committee consists of Fr. Paul, Matt Danielson, Jessica Evelyn, Kim Isringhausen, and Kristin Swynford. The committee was impressed by these outstanding recipients. They are definitely a reason to be hopeful about the future!

~ Kim Isringhausen, Chair
Clopton Scholarship Committee



Matthew's Haven

Trash & Treasures was an outstanding success! THANK YOU to each of you who gave us donations. We made \$1,700 from the yard sale items and another \$600 in cash donations! God was good—it did NOT rain!

And a HUGE thank you to our volunteers, parishioners, and others who helped with this fundraiser. Someone said that a yard sale was a LOT of work and they weren't kidding. If it weren't for those who volunteered their time and efforts, it couldn't have happened.

Speaking of volunteers, are you looking for an opportunity to serve? Matthew's Haven has many areas where your support would make a big difference! Please talk with any volunteer or call 932-4846, Ext. #3, and we'll contact you.

SUPER EASY ways you can help us raise funds for Matthew's Haven:

Amazon Smile – Ever order from Amazon? ALL you have to do is designate Matthew's Haven as your charity from the [smile.amazon.com](https://www.smile.amazon.com) website. Then every time you place an order, just go through [smile.amazon.com](https://www.smile.amazon.com) and we will receive .5% of your orders. It's so simple and yet it adds up!

Baby Clothes & Miscellaneous Items – If you have any gently used baby clothes, especially infant sizes, that are no longer needed, please consider making a donation to us. Needed baby equipment includes cribs, baby swings, and pack 'n play play-yards; however, we CANNOT accept car seats. Other items that we are always in need of are crib linens, baby shampoo, soap and lotions, and baby wipes.

Rite Aid Wellness +Plenti Card – Please designate Matthew's Haven as your designated charity for your “round-up change” at Rite Aid. Once you sign up, this will happen automatically at the register. Our small change adds up AND they match every \$500. You may sign up at: www.riteaid.com/kidcents. Thank you!

~ Catherine Pierce

 <p>Sarah's Memorial Golf Tournament</p>	<h2>SAVE THE DATE</h2> <p>Just as a reminder, please save the date for the SIXTH ANNUAL Sarah's Memorial Golf Tournament, to be held September 29 at the Club at Viniterra to support the Sarah Lindsey Gupta Charitable Foundation.</p>
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16th Annual St. Peter's Golf Tournament

St. Peter's will host its 16th Annual St. Peter's Golf Tournament at Brickshire Golf Club on Friday, June 30, with a 9 am shotgun start. This is an extremely fun day, especially because our youth are on site to help load your golf clubs on the carts, manage multiple hole contests, serve breakfast and lunch, and distribute the awards to our winners!

The registration fee is \$95 per person or \$380 per foursome. This fee includes: 18 holes of golf (plus tax and gratuity), cart, unlimited range balls, homemade hot breakfast biscuit buffet, delicious lunch, complimentary beverages during the round, and fun hole contests with prizes. Come join us! Please pick up and complete your registration/sponsorship forms located in the Parish House foyer.

There are several ways to actively support this golf tournament via: hole sponsorship, practice range assistant, putting contest assistant, and beverages/snack sponsor. For those who like to shop, consider donating raffle items, prizes, and gift bag items. Best of all, simply volunteer to assist on June 30. You do not need to be knowledgeable in the game of golf to be a volunteer. If you have helped in the past and have time to help again this year, please consider joining our golf committee. All proceeds from the golf tournament benefit our youth attending the Youth Mission Trip to Thornwell Home in Clinton, South Carolina this July. So, the more volunteers, the more successful our golf tournament will be to benefit our youth.

Please contact Kim Filipowicz at 804-400-2369 or kfilipowicz@traditionalclubs.com for more information. Let's continue to generate success of this wonderful fundraiser!

~ Kim Filipowicz, Chair



Parish Life

Kudos, Graduates!



College

Kate Bradford is a graduate of the University of Richmond, earning a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry with a minor in Women's and Gender Studies. She will pursue her Doctorate at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio.

Susan Goodin has earned a Master's (M.Div.) in Christian Counseling and Practical Ministry from Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary.

Wil Miles has earned a Master's in Health and Physical Education from Longwood University. He has accepted employment with Powhatan Public Schools.

Laura Smith Moore has earned a Master's in Occupational Therapy from Virginia Commonwealth University. Next, she will complete six months of required clinical training.

Christopher McKinney is a graduate of Virginia Commonwealth University, earning a Bachelor of Science in Psychology. He plans to work with a private security firm or with the police department.

Ryan O'Hallahan has earned a Master's in History from Virginia Commonwealth University. His future plans are not yet determined.

Ashley Pierce is a graduate of Longwood University, earning a Bachelor of Science in Therapeutic Recreation. She has accepted an Activities Therapist position with Mesa Springs Hospital in Fort Worth, Texas.

High School

Gunnar Carlson is a graduate of New Kent High School, earning an advanced diploma. He plans to major in International Relations at Virginia Tech.

Justin Mitchell is a graduate of New Kent High School, earning an advanced diploma. He plans to attend the College of William & Mary and major in Biology.

Lilly Tyson is a graduate of Atlee High School. She plans to major in Early Childhood Education at Christopher Newport University.

~ Sherri Hardiman, Parish Administrator



Progressive Dinner is Back!

Please join the fellowship committee for a Progressive Dinner hosted right here at St Peter's. The event will take place on Saturday, June 10 at 6 pm. We will be divided into groups for our meal in the Church School rooms. After dinner, we will all move to Richardson Hall for dessert.

A sign-up sheet is located in the Parish House foyer. You may contact Stacey Wood at 804-363-9749 with any questions or if you are interested in being a room host. Note: this is an adult ONLY event and NO nursery will be provided.

Please mark your calendar for what is sure to be a fun event!

~ Stacey Wood, Fellowship Committee



St. Peter's Annual Parish Picnic ~ August 6 ~

Anna & Boogie Davis and Paul & Marian Davis, along with their families, have once again invited St. Peter's to their beautiful Pamunkey River home for the Annual Parish Picnic on Sunday, August 6. The service of Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at **10 am**, with a shared lunch and afternoon of fun fellowship to follow.

Everyone is asked to bring one or two dishes to share, and blankets or chairs. Provided items will include plates, utensils, tea, lemonade, ice for the beverages, and fried chicken.

Please bring swim suits, sun screen, towels, and water toys. Boats and kayaks are welcome as well. Life preservers are also recommended. You may want to bring coolers with ice for any leftovers.

As a reminder, **EVERYONE'S** help is needed to take down tables, clear trash, and other clean up details following the day's activities. **Helping with clean up is always a great way to thank the Davis family for their generous hospitality.**

Directions to the Davis farm will be available in the Parish House foyer. Please call the church office or Carrie Evelyn (804-514-5272) if you have questions. In the event of inclement weather, please check the church voice mail.

So, join us for worship and a wonderful day on the beautiful Pamunkey River!

~ Carrie Evelyn, Parish Life Vestry Representative

Congratulations to Two of St. Peter's Own!

Carrie Evelyn

Carrie Evelyn was recognized during National Volunteer Week by Spark Mill & HandsOn Greater Richmond for her work with the youth. As many of you know, Carrie organized an amazing "lock-in" for our Church School students on Saturday, March 18. The evening of good food and games concluded on Sunday morning with all 23 children attending the 9 am service followed by Church School! Thanks to Carrie for putting her heart and soul into this event and EVERY event she helps with or leads. Carrie was recognized at a National Volunteer Week reception on April 19 to honor those who power good in our community. Congratulations to Carrie Evelyn!

~ *May O'Leary, Senior Warden*



Look for Carrie's name centered above her head!



Nancy Goodman



I have been given the honor of informing you Nancy Goodman, our Adult Services Professional, has been selected as this year's recipient of the Helen J. Napps Award of Excellence!

The Helen J. Napps Award of Excellence, established by the Virginia Coalition for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (VCPEA), recognizes professional excellence by individuals who work in the area of elder abuse prevention and/or elder abuse protection. VCPEA presents the award at its annual abuse prevention conference in Virginia Beach in odd-numbered years.

Nominees have made substantial contributions to the prevention of and/or response to the neglect, abuse, and exploitation of older Virginians. Nominees demonstrate moxie, integrity, attitude, and adaptability in their actions. They may work in adult protective services, domestic violence services, aging services, mental health services, health services, rehabilitation services, law-enforcement, legal services, health care, academia, guardianship, research, volunteerism or any other discipline that participates in elder abuse prevention and/or protection.

Like all of us, the selection committee at the Virginia Coalition for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (VCPEA) agreed that Nancy embodies the spirit of this award. This prestigious award is only presented to the very best professionals from across the entire Commonwealth of Virginia. In total, there have only been nine other award winners over the past 16 years.

Nancy will be presented this award at the annual VCPEA Conference in Virginia Beach on June 1, 2017.

~*Submitted by Fr. Paul and written by Jon Martz, Director of New Kent Department of Social Services*

Prayer for Virginia

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for this great commonwealth.
We thank you for Virginia:
for Mt. Rogers and Lake Drummond
the Blue Ridge - her mountains and valleys
for the Chesapeake Bay – her islands and estuaries
for the suburban tangles of Fairfax and VA Beach
for coal mines in the Southwest and the tobacco fields of Halifax
for oyster beds and Smithfield Ham
for dogwood trees and Cardinals
We pray for the will and wisdom to preserve our beautiful home.



We thank you for being known as the Mother of Presidents and the Mother of States:
for the General Assembly – the longest continuous law-making body in America
We pray that you will imbue its members with humility that they may be led to wise decisions and right action for the freedom and flourishing of all.
We pray for, Terry, our Governor, that you will lead him with insight and a heart and mind open to the wishes and needs of all Virginians.

We thank you for being the home of religious freedom in America:
for Thomas Jefferson's Statute of Religious Freedom
for George Washington's letter to the Hebrews of Newport, RI
for our synagogues, mosques, temples, meeting houses, and churches
We pray for a spirit of grace and reconciliation that we may come to know and love our sisters and brothers of all faiths.
We pray that, together, we may honor our heritage and learn to share in the work of a crafting a just and generous society.

We thank you for our diverse citizenry:
for the Spanish, English, French, Germans, Dutch, Scots-Irish, and Africans that settled here, and for us, their descendants
for our soldiers, sailors, Marines, airmen, and Guardsmen
for our teachers and students
for our farmers and statesmen
for soccer moms and dads who coach Little League
for our unemployed, imprisoned, and destitute
We pray that you will fill our hearts with compassion for these, our friends and neighbors.

Most gracious God, we thank you for Virginia. And we pray that you will continue to bless us with your abiding presence, leading us to a deeper concern for, and willingness to lift up all who call her home.

This is the prayer offered by my friend, the Rev'd Michael Cadaret, Rector of Beckford Parish, Shenandoah County, Virginia on the occasion of the National Day of Prayer, held at Emmanuel Church, Woodstock.

~ Fr. Paul

Worship

In Appreciation ~ Easter Flowers

Many thanks to those who came Easter Saturday to decorate St. Peter's: Kendall Hatley, Cynthia Rowles, Chrissy McLean Roberts, Susan Cheyne, Sally Smith, Janie Philbates, Cyndi Burnett, and Lindy Brammer. We had a great time arranging flowers for what I think was one of the most beautiful Easter Sundays. Special thanks to Lindy who designed the "sunrise" in the East Window, and also spent an entire day shopping with me to purchase the Easter flowers.

~ *Kim McLean, Altar Guild Chair*



A Music Note

God is the Composer; I am the song."

Another year has passed in service to God as St. Peter's organist and choirmaster. Time flies. When I leave a worship service or a choir rehearsal, it is this music that stays in my head and sings on in my heart. It continues to be a great joy to work with our talented and dedicated choir. We work hard. Since September we sang 36 anthems at 29 services. That's a lot of music to learn! We have fun too—we sing silly songs and read hilarious liturgical mysteries like *The Soprano Wore Falsettos* and *The Tenor Wore Tap Shoes*. This year we enjoyed the talents of Justin Mitchell in the choir. Having a teenager in our midst has made us all feel a bit younger. We will miss Justin and wish him the very best as he begins college at William & Mary. We had extra help at Christmas and Easter. Nancy Harris and Cindy Greer joined up with us for special services. They were a wonderful addition to the choir and we thank them for lending us their lovely voices. On Christmas Day we were blessed with the beautiful voice of George Pinelli. We've had guest musicians play flute, violin, harp, and trumpet. Musically speaking, we've been "in tune" to the worship needs to express our thoughts, feelings, fears, and hopes through song.

The choir will take time off for the summer. You'll get to enjoy their voices in the congregation. We'll have music at some services, not all. Once again, I'll open the "request hotline." If you have a favorite hymn, write it down and give to me. I'll do my best to include it in a future service.

Finally, our postcommunion refrain for the season of Pentecost will be *On Eagles Wings*. Many of you have asked when we'd sing this refrain again—the wait is over!

Have a great summer and keep singing!

~ *Joyce Molina, Organist and Choirmaster*



Remembering Those Serving Our Country

~ Near and Far ~



Edward Allen
Chris Atkins
Brandon Belcher
Dylan Carter
Zachary Crawford
David Douglas
David Foley
Julio Gonzalez, Jr.
Joseph Gruber
Michael Hogge
Chase Leftwich
T.J. Lowe
Ashton McEacharn
Christopher Quarles
Andrew Schalk
Richard Schalk
Nolan Schultz
Tristan Trivette
Carson Tyson
Brent Wolfe, II



... to ALL MEN!

June 18, 2017

We Ask Your Prayers for Those in our parish family who are sick:

Bob Carraway, Rollin Rosser, Sue Caldwell, Helen Talman, Jean Mansfield, Donna Wright, Bob Kay, Fred Bahr, Edna Christian, Ann Townsend Woodall, Kristine Hatley, **and all others known and unknown.**
Steven Harrell, son of Sue Caldwell;
Barbara Felts, sister of Major Mansfield;
Mary Wilcox, friend of Miriam Ackley;
Shirley Stone, grandmother of Millie Douglas;
Minnie Brammer, mother of Lee Brammer;
Aaron Platek, cousin of Adriane Marshall;
Carolyn and Klara Globig, friends of Ann Bradshaw;
Harmony Glenn, friend of Kathy Lindsey;
Linda Hodgson, cousin of Amy O'Keefe;
Abbie Schaub, friend of St. Peter's;
James Rose, brother-in-law of Jeff Fazio;
Ruth Ann Troxell, friend of Paul & Cynthia Rowles;
Kyle White, friend of Hawthorne & Loretta Davis;
Rodney Ross, friend of Joyce & Steve Peterson;
Lucille Cowins, mother of Kathy Lindsey;
Rita Schalk, friend of Cynthia Rowles;
Stella Zaja, friend of Lori Lindsey White;
Chris Smith, friend of Terry Porter;
Sherry Rebman, sister of Keith Wagner;
Mary Calabrese, friend of Jeff & Denise Fazio;
Gayle Ramsey, mother of Wanda Porter;
Frank Sulloway, friend of Jeff Fazio;
Paul Frey, friend of Boogie Davis;
Constance Louise Finnerty, sister of Vicki Reus;
Garrett White, cousin of Lori White's husband, David;
Jenna White, friend of Hawthorne & Loretta Davis;
Judy Robertson, former parishioner;
Jack Brannan, friend of St. Peter's;
Arnold Moore, friend of Bill O'Keefe;
Harriett Gallahan, cousin of Chrissy Wagner;
Jimmy Hawthorne, friend of Tom Evelyn;
Janie Wood, mother of Carrie Evelyn & Tony Wood;
Hilde Janke, mother of Tobias Janke;
Tami Wyse, godmother of Cameron Fazio;
Janet Boyce, cousin of Kim McLean;
Dorothy Miller, mother of Lisa Guthrie;
Tyler Hampton, cousin of Craig & Catherine Pierce;
Brenda Lambert, mother of Matt Lambert;
Jimmie Francisco, father of Jay Francisco;
Chase Davidson, nephew of Patty Townsend;
Cricket Smolnik, friend of St. Peter's;
Mike Peterson, cousin of John & Erica Holland;
Jordan Sanderlin, cousin of Sheila Mitchell;
Dakota Miller, friend of Kathy Lindsey;
Aimee Riley, friend of Kathy Lindsey.

**Give them courage and hope
in their troubles and bring them the
joy of your salvation.**



June Birthdays



- 1 Linwood Gregory
- 1 William Holloway
- 1 Turner Patrick Evelyn
- 1 Trent Fitzgerald Evelyn
- 1 Weston Slate
- 2 Lindsey Lewis
- 2 Trevor Evelyn
- 2 Lydia Woodall
- 2 Eric Lumpkin
- 3 Brian Gellings
- 3 Lisa Lumpkin
- 5 Adriane Marshall
- 5 Emma Morgan Harris
- 6 Patty Peterson
- 9 Scott Goodman
- 9 Lee Tyson
- 9 Randy Douglas
- 9 Sarah Adams
- 12 Braylen Nicolaos Totten
- 15 William Townsend
- 16 Chuck Evelyn
- 16 Lydia Danielson
- 18 Maggie Noctor Settlemire
- 19 David White
- 19 Kent Bradshaw
- 20 Hunter Lumpkin
- 20 Kim Filipowicz
- 21 Kim Holloway
- 22 Ray O'Leary
- 22 Louis Keith Miles
- 23 Trey Gregory
- 23 Millie Douglas
- 24 Barbara Ballard
- 24 Ann Bradshaw
- 26 Will Shannon
- 26 Mark Goodin
- 27 Alex Noctor
- 27 Edward McCaul, Jr.



Anniversary Blessings

June

- 2 Marvin & Cindy Smith
- 6 Bob & Margaret Best
- 6 Brandon & Caroline Belcher
- 8 Bill & Kathy Lindsey
- 11 Nick & Courtney Totten
- 16 Matthew and Tabitha Harris
- 24 Rod & Joyce Molina
- 25 George & Jayne Thomas Pinelli
- 26 Tom & Emily Clay Evelyn
- 26 Morgan & Kathy Harris
- 27 Patrick & Jessica Evelyn
- 27 Will & Maria Shannon

July

- 3 Abbitt and Becky Woodall
- 17 Boogie and Anna Davis
- 19 Terry & Wanda Porter
- 22 Marshall & Janie Philbates
- 29 Thomas & Carrie Evelyn
- 30 Bobby & Carol Nelms



July Birthdays

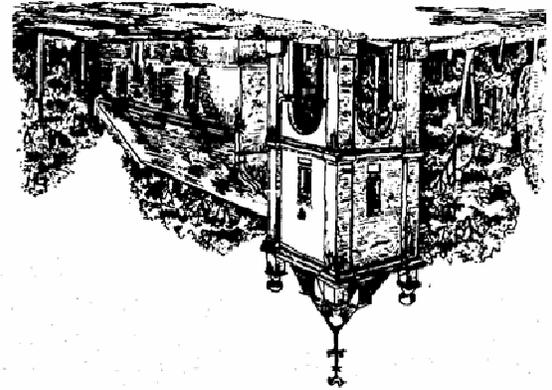


- 1 Todd Sitterson
- 4 Jimmy Christian
- 6 Kristin Swynford
- 7 John Reus
- 7 Kimberly Evelyn
- 9 Charlie Detruit
- 12 Mary Margaret Nelms Gillette
- 13 Kim Shannon
- 16 Kirk Goodman
- 16 Tabitha Harris
- 16 Kristine Hatley
- 16 Sarah Barber
- 17 Michelle Philbates Dho
- 19 Laney Ross Evelyn
- 20 Giuliana Marie Kornreich
- 21 Marshall Philbates
- 21 Will Townsend
- 21 Catherine Carrington Remorenko
- 22 Jean Mansfield
- 23 Matthew Danielson
- 24 Kelly Gellings
- 29 Scott Adams
- 30 Austin Pierce
- 30 Susan Brubaker



The Keys

Parish Founded 1679
Church Erected 1701



RETURNED SERVICE REQUESTED

ST. PETER'S PARISH CHURCH
Episcopal Diocese of Virginia
8400 St. Peter's Lane
New Kent, Virginia 23124-9633

Upcoming St. Peter's Events To Note

June 2017

- 4 Youth Sunday at 10 am, Reception to Follow
- 10 Progressive Dinner, 6 pm
- 17 Church Tour at 11 am, Contact: Steve von Hitritz
- 18 Father's Day
- 19 Vestry, 6:30 pm
- 19-22 Week 1 - R.E.A.L. Camp, Richardson Hall
- 23 Townsend/Brown Rehearsal, 5 pm
- 24 Townsend/Brown Wedding, 3:30 pm
- 26-29 Week 2 - R.E.A.L. Camp, Richardson Hall
- 30 16th Annual Golf Tournament at Brickshire, 9 am



For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope.

Jeremiah 29:11

July 2017

- 4 Church Office Closed for Independence Day
- 6 Last Day for Submissions to August/September
THE KEYS
- 16 Commissioning of Missioners, 10 am
- 17 Vestry, 6:30 pm
- 23-30 Youth Mission Trip to Thornwell in Clinton, SC
- 31-8/4 VBS: 9 am to 12 Noon

August 2017

- 1-4 VBS continued, 9 am to 12 Noon
- 6 Annual Parish Picnic at the Davis Farm, 10 am HE
No Vestry Meeting Planned for August