

St. Paul's by-the-Sea

Weekly news & updates

July 8, 2022



80th General Convention of the Episcopal Church

The 80th General Convention of the Episcopal Church will convene in Baltimore from Friday, July 8 through Monday, July 11. I will be attending the convention as a deputy of the Diocese of Easton. The Easton Deputation will be led by Bishop Santosh Marray and consist of four clergy deputies, four lay deputies and two alternate deputies.

The convention duration has been drastically reduced to accommodate the extensive precautions necessary to mitigate the spread of Covid 19 infections. This convention was postponed from 2021 so a substantial amount of work must be accomplished in just four days.

The convention is held every three years for the purpose of conducting the affairs of the church including approving changes to the constitution and canons, adopting resolutions, electing and appointing officials, receiving reports and adopting the triennial budget for the church. Some of the most impactful actions of the convention will be the election of a new President and Vice President of the House of Deputies and the election of a Nominating Committee for the Election of the Presiding Bishop of the church.

We welcome your prayers for our deputation's safe travels and success in our work at convention.

Tom Shuster, Senior Warden



Don't Miss the Service Next Sunday

Rev. Hector Rodriguez will be celebrating Holy Eucharist with us next Sunday, July 17th. Father Hector is currently working with, and in the fall will be the part-time Latino Missioner for, La Iglesia de la Sagrada Familia de Jesus in Kennedyville, Maryland. Father Hector attended the recent Hispanic Lay Leadership Conference in Texas with Andy Diaz.

An invitation as been extended to Marcelina Villalta, Senior Warden at La Sagrada Familia de Jesus, and members of their congregation to attend the service.

Many thanks to Andy for facilitating Father Hector's visit with us. All parish members are encouraged to attend this service and join us for the fellowship afterwards.



#shellACT SIP & Paint Nights
w/ Debbi Dean-Colley
@WC
WINDMILL CREEK
To Support your LOCAL
Environmental Advocate and Coastkeeper
ASSATEAGUE COASTAL TRUST, INC
See Facebook Event Page for details

6-8 pm
June 23rd
July 20th
August 3rd
August 10th

ASSATEAGUE COASTAL TRUST, INC

The poster features a central image of a wine bottle with a shell-themed label. Surrounding the bottle are various coastal-themed illustrations: a seashell, a paint palette with brushes, a rope, and a small circular logo for Assateague Coastal Trust, Inc. The background is a light blue and white pattern.

Click on the above image to see more information.



Church Grounds Clean Up

Drew Bramson is helping to keep the property clean, weeding all gardens, shaping the bushes along the fence, and cleaning up the picnic table area.



Birthdays

Viola Candeloro (7/13)

Anniversaries

Tom & Debbie Shuster (7/10)

Online Services

Click here to watch the 7/3/2022 Holy Eucharist service featuring two performances by Soprano, Joanna Cross.



July 10th 5th Pentecost

Rite II Morning Prayer service with music, officiated by our Lay Worship Leaders.



July 17th 6th Pentecost

Rite II Holy Eucharist service with music, celebrated by Rev. Hector Rodriguez.

Click here for a PDF of the July 10th bulletin so you can follow along.

Please remember that wearing masks indoors is strongly encouraged for your health and that of others.

Prayer List

Please keep those on our prayer list in your daily prayers.

Robbie Whittington Joyce, Cindy Dreslin, Kyle Harmon, Shirley Connor, Jose Cabrera, Ryan Fischer, Katlyn, David Warren, Letty Trimper Hurst, Rev. Penny Morrow, Fr. Joe Rushton, Connie Mayers, Doug Dryden, Brian Friedman, Grace, Delores Rothermel, Ronnie Skinner, Randy Hastings, Gary Ballard, Frank Candeloro, Jr., John Seward, Stephanie Hill, Douglas Allan, Yveta Henry Tull, Melvin, Jean Charles, Jimmy Farley, Alex Hoffman, Jonathan Jones, Francisco Hector Diaz Diaz, Richard, Brad, Larry Lorton, Betty Merenda, Dee Toms, Bob Rothermel, The Lecates Family, Hunter Berry, The People of Ukraine, Lakelyn Draheim, Christopher Riley, Meredith Cobb, Alan Farley, Jennings Whittington, Michael Hallett, Hannah Johnson

Worship Leaders Schedule

This Week—July 10, 2022

Officiant: Debbie Shuster
Music Director: Shirley Hailey
Altar Guild: Mary Wright
Usher: Kay Ayres

Next Week—July 17, 2022
Celebrant: Rev. Hector Rodriguez
Music Director: Shirley Hailey
Reader: Mark West, Andy Diaz
Altar Guild: Mary Wright
Usher: Dan Harris



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