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The Shamrock



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Newsletter of St. Patrick's Anglican Church

Father Michael's Musing by Carolyn Kerouac

A DINNER FOR CHANGE

I am hijacking Fr. Mike's column to tell you about a ministry that is near and dear to our hearts. In 1998, Fr. Mike was a newly ordained Deacon, our church hosted Bishop John Kivuva from Gilgil, Kenya. His story of negotiating with the warring tribes moved us to donate a projector that he could use to travel around Kenya to show his Jesus Story! He also wanted to start a school for street children. We hosted one of his protegees, Emmanuel Kokonyo for a summer, while he attended school nearby.

Fast forward to 2015, we reconnected on Facebook with Bishop John. He visited us in Maryland and shared that 70,000 people had seen his Jesus Story!!! We were overwhelmed with this wonderful news! He traveled through Kenya and Tanzania while starting a school in Gilgil and became known as the Movie Priest in the region. What a moving story to know how many people were touched by our small donation. Emmanuel planted a church which has grown from funds we initially raised for drilling a well.

Also in 2015, Bishop John introduced us to Samson Karens and his wife, Alice Onzare. Samson was one of the street boys saved by the Bishop, who came to the US to finish his degree in theology. I assisted him setting up a non-profit foundation named Change Destiny, fed his family, with Claire helping, we delivered their first Christmas tree and met newly born Candace, prayed for all of our families together.

On **September 16, 2021**, Fr. Mike and I would like to invite all to a dinner in our Parish Hall at 6 PM to raise awareness and money for Change Destiny. We will connect to the founders via Zoom at a dinner being held in Maryland. We will have videos of the 12 children currently being supported for schooling in Naivasha, Kenya. Our prayer has always been, the more we Give to others, the more we are Blessed. We pray that you will all join us and are moved to give a love offering for this ministry.

Church Family Ice Cream Social

Sunday August 8th Following 11:00 AM Service.

We will be discussing fun family and kid activities for this fall. All the church family is invited, whether your kid or only a kid at heart.



We will be holding this outside in the shade (weather permitting)

Upcoming Events

August/September/October <u>No Work Day in August</u> Sun—August 1st 8:00 AM &

10:00 AM

Blessing of the Backpacks Sat— August 7th 12:00 PM Ladies Luncheon "Thai Thai" Sun—August 8th 11:00 AM Vestry Meeting/Ice Cream Social Sat—August 14th 9:00 AM

Sunday School Workday **Sat—August 28th 9:00 AM**

Veteran's Breakfast

Thurs—September 2nd 12:00 PM Ladies Luncheon

Sun—September 12th 9:15 AM Adult & Children Sunday School Kick off

Sun—September 12th 11:00 AM Vestry Meeting

Thurs—September 16th 6:00 PM Dinner for Change

Sat—September 18th 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Work Day

Sat—September 25th 9:00 AM Veteran's Breakfast

Sat—October 2nd 5:00 PM Blessing; & 6:00 PM Dinner

"Blessing of the Animals" followed by Spaghetti Diner

Vestry Members

Gina Otero – Senior Warden, Michael Malarae – Junior Warden, Linda Gould – Treasure, Von Yantsios; Peggy Ryan, Lea Taylor -Malarae, Georgia Weston

Please visit our Webpage (<u>www.stpatrickspsj.or</u> g) or Facebook page

www.facebook.com/ StPatspsj

For the most current event information.



Lunching Ladies Ministry Group

Parish Life is also sponsoring a Lunching Ladies ministry group, once a month, alternating weekday and weekend dates. Please leave a message for Andrea on the church voicemail to reserve your seat! Or confirm with her in person after a service.

Aug 7th—12pm at Thai Thai Restaurant Cocoa Village

Aug 7, Sept 2, Oct 9, Nov 4, Dec 4

Your Help is Needed

- 1. Donations of items and volunteers for Veteran's Breakfast.
- 2. Donations of food for UMC food bank: Spaghetti, Spaghetti Sauce, Peanut Buter & Jelly.
- 3. Help with cleaning church.



Are you interested in learning to crochet. Linda Gould is offering crochet lessons after 10:00 AM service on Sunday (except Vestry Sunday).



Veteran's and First Responders Breakfast–Saturday August 28th

All Veteran's. Spouses of Veteran's and First Responders are invited to attend a monthly breakfast at St. Patrick's Anglican Church on

the last Sunday of the month (except Christmas day).

Menu will include: Pancakes, scrambled eggs, hash browns, sausage, and bacon. Free donation requested. Donations of items and time greatly appreciated—Contact the Church for more information. stpatrickspsj@gmail.com

"Blessing of the Animals" & Spaghetti Dinner



Saturday: October 2nd **5:00 PM Blessing**

6:00 PM Spaghetti Dinner

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Our Parish offers prayers daily for people on the Prayer List. To add a name to the Prayer List please contact one of the ministers of the church or call 321-802-1311 or email us at stpatrickspsj@gmail.com or visit our website at



www.stpatrickspsj.org and complete the prayer list form.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Jacob Crouse Grace Gonzalez Martha Linge Sandy Thomas Joseph Thomas

John and Von Yantsios



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Tuesday	3		10		17		24	St. Bartholomew	31
Monday	2		6		16		23		30
Sunday	1	Trinity 10 8:00 AM Eucharist 10:00 AM Eucharist & "Facebook Live"	8	Trinity 11 8:00 AM Eucharist 10:00 AM Eucharist & "Facebook Live" 11:00 AM Vestry 11:00 AM Ice Cream Social	15	Trinity 12 8:00 AM Eucharist 10:00 AM Eucharist & "Facebook Live	22	Trinity 13 8:00 AM Eucharist 10:00 AM Eucharist & "Facebook Live 11:00 Crochet	29 Trinity 14 8:00 AM Eucharist 10:00 AM Eucharist & "Facebook Live Healing Service

T N O N I N C D C P

St. Patrick's Anglican Church is a caring loving community. Please join us for one of the Sunday or Weekday Services.

The Diocese of the Eastern United States is a vibrant and growing family of parishes serving our Christian family from Pennsylvania to Florida. As members of the worldwide Traditional Anglican Communion, The Anglican Church in America, we are part of Christ's One, Holy, catholic, and Apostolic Church. Our teaching and practice are based soundly on the Holy Bible and the traditional Book of Common Prayer.

The Most Rev. Juan Garcia, Archbishop

Rev. Fr. Michael Kerouac, Dean

Rev. Fr. Tim Gouge, Vicar

Rev. Fr. Chester O'Brien, Curate

The Rt. Rev. John Vaughan, Bishop Ordinary, emeritus



Adult and Children Sunday School

Kickoff will be Sunday September 12th at 9:15am.

Sunday School will be between services (9:15am-9:45am) Children's Program will be 3-5 week modules: The 1st - 4 weeks will be on the Creation Story—Genesis 1:1-2:3.

For those who can not able to attend SS lessons they will be available on our website: https://stpatrickspsj.com/childrens-sunday-school There will interesting Study materials, videos, and activities. This is for all children 5 years-13years. If you are interested in volunteering or donating supplies, see: Linda Simmen

During the summer we are providing coloring sheets and word searches based on the Sunday Sermon in the Narthex for all children. Please feel free to take these and share!

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Service Times Sunday Services 8:00 AM Service – Live 10:00 AM Service – Live & Streamed 5th Sunday Healing Service and Fellowship

Wednesday Service 6:00 PM Service Friday Service 6:00 PM Evening Prayer



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