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ST. MARTHA'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 19, 2019

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Please send emails to Jaclyn Hickman at admin@stmarthasbethany.com

Please welcome our supply priest Karis Graham

HYMNS FOR TODAY – PLEASE Observe QUIET during the Prelude!		
Processional:	657	Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
Gradual:	529	In Christ There is No East or West
Choir Anthem:		“Let All Things Now Living” – arr. Davis
Communion:	304	I Come With Joy to Meet My Lord
Closing:	779(WLP)	The Church of Christ in Every Age

THE DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE: Pray for St. Paul’s Church, Camden-The Rev. Kevin P. Von Gotten, Pastor

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER: Pray for the Anglican Church of Melanesia-The Most Rev. George Takeli, Archbishop of the Anglican Church of Melanesia and Bishop of Central Melanesia

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK AT ST. MARTHA’S						
Sunday, May 19 th	Monday, May 20 th	Tuesday, May 21 st	Wednesday, May 22 nd	Thursday, May 23 rd	Friday, May 24 th	Saturday, May 25 th
8am: Holy Eucharist	8am: AA	8am: AA	8am and noon: AA	8am: AA	8am: AA	8am: AA
9:15am: Choir Rehearsal	9:30am: Yoga	1pm: Bible Study	1pm: Bell Choir		9am: AA Book Group	9am: Used Books & Bake Sale
10am: Holy Eucharist with music	5pm: Y12SR (Yoga for 12 step recovery)		7pm: Choir		9:30am: Used Books & Bake Sale Set-up	
5:30pm: AA <i>UTO Ingathering</i>	7pm: GA				5pm: Big Book Group	

Flowers Today: Given by Martha Fields in memory of her parents Homer and Lois Jacobs

Coffee Hour: 8am: Lucy Michaels

10am: Nancy Rojewski

Contribution Contacts for 2018 Information:

Amount Pledged – Dave Moore, d1mpt511@gmail.com

Actual Amount Contributed – Carl Long, (302) 539-3021 or carlandpatlong@hotmail.com

REMINDER:

- Please make every effort to wear your nametag. They can be found in the Parish Hall along the wall between the storage closets. If you don’t have one please contact Beth Maurer, (302) 537-5944 and she can assist you.

USED BOOKS & BAKE SALE-This coming Saturday, May 25th. Bakers are needed to make cookies, brownies, pies, breads, cakes and more. Baked goods must be dropped off by **Friday, May 24th from 12pm to 2pm.** Please package items to be ready for purchase. In addition, be sure to list nuts or no nuts, gluten free or sugar free and name the item as well. Sign-up in the Parish Hall.

UTO SUNDAY: The Spring Ingathering for the United Thank Offering is TODAY! Please make your contribution checks payable to: **St. Martha's Episcopal Church and note on the memo line for UTO.** Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

The updated Parish Directory is available on the church's website: www.stmarthasbethany.com . Go to the Helpful Links page and click on the link for Instant Church Directory. The password is: stmarthasbb14.

LAYREADERS, SERVERS, ACOLYTES, POPS, GREETERS, USHERS, ALTAR GUILD, TELLERS:									
May 19 th	Reader 1	Reader 2/EM2	Server/EM1	Acolyte	POP	Greeters	Ushers	Altar Guild	Tellers
8:00am	S Roberts	D Clarke	P Wenninger	P Wenninger	S Roberts	Volunteer	AA Freund W Jackson	L Moore AA Freund	
10:00am	K Jones	J Reichert	N Rojewski	N Rojewski	J Reichert	J Wise	D and C Hay	M Thormeyer C Stevenson	D Hay A West

Outreach in Action



St. Martha's Outreach is collecting **Box Tops** for Education for local schools in our area. Please clip the coupons from your food items, bring them to St. Martha's Church, and put them into the container with the Box Top logo.

Many students in our area lack nourishing meals in the summer. St. Martha's Outreach is helping Community Lutheran Church to provide healthy bagged lunches this summer by donating \$500 to the White Bag Lunch program.

Outreach is giving some financial assistance to several area students to go to Camp Arrowhead this summer who otherwise would not be able to attend. The vision of Camp Arrowhead is to be a sacred place for building community, nurturing all people, and spreading love in the world.

WERE YOU THINKING ABOUT INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS? About now they are passing their English proficiency tests, getting security and health clearances, and saving to pay their airfare to qualify for their J-1 visa. They are starting to think about the Community Wide Welcome Picnic they hear St. Martha's hosts every year. Their friends are telling them the Picnic is a "must attend" FREE event where they can meet other Students and Americans, taste local homemade food, win Bethany logo wear prizes, learn about sun screen and get a free tube, take home cool free magazines such as Vogue, have a safety light put on their bike, be invited to an American home, get a free Stand Up Paddle Board (SUP) lesson and more! The St. Martha's Volunteer Team that makes this Picnic great is already forming. Watch for the sign-up sheets that will appear right after our parish Book Sale. Be the first one in your pew to volunteer to donate a hearty homemade salad or dessert (local businesses employing students donate all the entrees).

St. Martha's Episcopal Church Plate & Pledge Report Through March 31, 2019			
	Actual	Pro-rated Budget	Difference
OPERATING INCOME			
Plate	\$ 6,151	\$ 7,500	\$ (1,349)
Pledge (Note 1)	60,577	45,000	15,577
Other	23,357	17,799	5,558
TOTAL INCOME	90,084	70,299	19,785
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	67,063	70,299	(3,236)
NET INCOME	\$ 23,022	\$ -	\$ 23,022

Note 1 - Includes \$13,944 transferred from Restricted Account for Prepaid Pledges



Anne Parler, Richard Jesnick, Bob Davis, Will Brintnall, Sara Suerose, Kathy Mahar, Art Johnson, Bob Bauer, Debbie Ganz, Karen Edgar, Suzanne Robson, Ruth Simione, Barbara Kelly, Kathryn, Beverly Shirley, Nicole Filippelli, James Moore III, Katie Montgomery, Ron Sutton, Debbie Willis, James Willis, John Dardis, Carol Boebel, Scottie McLiman, Tom & Tammy, John & Lois Wenninger, Diane Weinhold, Jan Ghallager Herndon, August Goeller, Tom Lansdale, Cathy Dunkleberger, Daniel Olnick, Gay Williams, Richard Masland, Kristen Jankowski, Tish Imburgia, Jean Lindon, Vicki Trumbore, Sherry Schnepfe, Kristin Rosser, Ann Whaley, Anna Lysyanskaya, Martha, John Mitchell, Katherine Hobbs, Gil Carlton, Jeff Jackson, Roger Smith, Pieter Wycoff, Mike Thornett, Jack Smith, Stiles Adkins, Scott Jesneck, Roger Klopping, Bill Roberts, Don Crist, Cynthia Thibault, Nancy Barlow, Wayne Argo, Edgar Bennett, Margaret G., Tim Einstein, Rusty Hesse, J. Harry Adams and Gerry Roth

For Our Serving Military: Quinn Barber, HM3 Kevin Murphy

If you would like to add someone to the Prayer List please complete the pink Pastoral Care Request form and turn it in to the office or call the office at 539-7444.