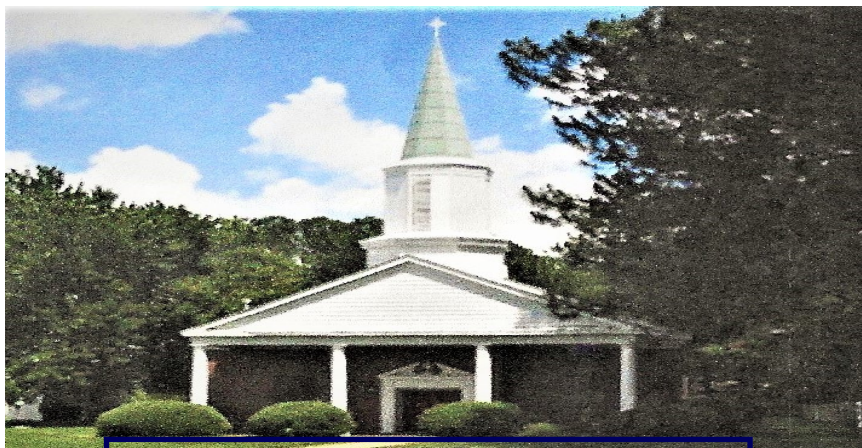


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Jim's Corner June 2024

Father's Day is an annual holiday honoring people's fathers and celebrating the fatherhood, parental bonds, and the influence of fathers in society. It was first proposed by Sonora Smart Dodd of Spokane, Washington, in 1909. The following year the day was founded at the Spokane Washington YMCA on June 19, 1910.

Sonora's father, the Civil War veteran William Jackson Smart, was a single parent who raised his six children there. After hearing a sermon about Anna Jarvis' Mother's Day at Central Methodist Episcopal Church in 1909, she told her pastor that fathers should have a similar holiday honoring them. Although she initially suggested June 5, her father's birthday, the pastors of the Spokane Ministerial Alliance did not have enough time to prepare their sermons, and the celebration was deferred to the third Sunday of June.¹

We all have our unique remembrances of our fathers. My father died when I was eleven years of age, when I was still working out my relationship with him. It was an unfortunate time for our relationship to end, because I, as an adult child, was not allowed to know him in my later years. What I remember are numerous negative impressions of a strict disciplinarian. I often felt cheated by his death.

Other folks have much happier memories of their fathers and were able to work out their adolescent issues with them. It is a beautiful thing to see fathers interact with their children in healthy, respectful, and loving relationships. As good as these relationships are, they are not ideal because we are not ideal human beings.

Numerous times I've heard people talk about our heavenly Father as though He possessed the same qualities as our biological fathers. Many have a difficult time trusting our

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heavenly Father because of their relationships with their earthly fathers. That is looking at fatherhood through the wrong end of the telescope. Our heavenly Father is the model for fatherhood. Instead of looking at our Father through the lens of our fathers, we need to look at our fathers through the lens of our Father. Ideally a father's love for his children should reflect our heavenly Father's love for His children. Sometimes this love might look stern and fear-some. Other times, it will be comforting and reassuring. It is always appropriate.

Philip said to [Jesus], "Lord, show us the Father, and we shall be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and yet you do not know me, Philip? He who has seen me has seen the Father; how can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority; but the Father who dwells in me does his works (John 14:8-10 RSV). When we know Jesus, we know the Father because he and the Father are one (John 17:11b). When we follow Jesus, that is when we follow his teaching and keep his commandments (John 14:15), we show our love for him and our heavenly Father. Jesus teaches us what it is to be a father.

I wish I had known this when I was eleven. I know it now, and I have a much deeper appreciation for my biological father, what he did for me, why he disciplined me when I needed it, and how he loved me. I remember him telling me, "I am not your friend, not your buddy, I am your father." As I look back, I thank him for that counsel.

My prayer for you fathers is that you look at your role as a father through the lens of the Father and shower your children with grace. May your Father's Day be blessed and full of joy.

¹"Father's Day," n.d., [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Father's_Day_\(United_States\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Father's_Day_(United_States)).

**HAPPY
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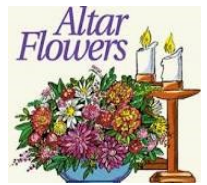
The Ladies Luncheon-The ladies of St. Peter's meet on the second Monday of each month for lunch and fellowship. Please join us on June 10th at Pembroke Pizza, 633 Independence Blvd., Suite E, Virginia Beach. Bring a friend. If you plan to attend, please sign the list on the bulletin board in the parish hall. For more information contact Millie Coward cell (757) 469-5887/ m.jlc@cox.net.

The Altar Guild –The Altar Guild really could use your help!! We are looking for any man, woman, or young person that is confirmed in the Episcopal Church to join this ministry. We welcome you to join our team to help prepare the altar for celebrations of worship such as weddings, baptisms, funerals, and Sunday services. If you are interested and would like more information, please contact Millie Coward cell (757) 469-5887/ m.jlc@cox.net. **Please give some prayer about joining this very critically-needed ministry of St. Peter's.**



The Prayer Shawl Ministry- We welcome new members to join us to knit, crochet, and loom for various organizations. In May we completed 1 washcloth for Judeo Christian Outreach Center, 12 chemo hats for Virginia Oncology, 15 preemie hats, 8 infant hats for area hospitals, 13 breast prostheses for a local breast surgeon. If you would like to help us supply these much-needed items or learn how to knit, crochet, or loom, please join us on June 4th at 10:00 A.M. in the Diffenbaugh Library. If you prefer, you may supply any of the above items from the comfort of your home. Just give me a call and I will be happy to pick them up. We have expert teachers and all the supplies you will need to practice. For more specifics please contact Millie Coward, cell (757) 469-5887/ m.jlc@cox.net

Flower Guild- The newly-formed Flower Guild has successfully provided several weeks of flowers for the church. By arranging them ourselves, we can save the church a lot of money. The new cost for both arrangements is \$50.00 (\$25.00 if two members want to provide) and this simply covers the cost of the flowers. Please consider joining us; arrangement tips and tricks will be provided by our current members. Contact Dot Pierce for more information at (757) 420-4785.



St. Peter's Day School - Once again, we are in search of aides (1 full-time (10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.) and 1 or 2 part-time (3:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.)) for the Day School. We can expand and add another class - PreK-Toddler (ages 18 months – 2 years) – GREAT NEWS! However, we need to have staff to assist in the new class and in the PreK-2 classroom. If you know of ANYONE that may be interested, please contact the office. Prior experience is not necessary.

Bible Study meeting is on Thursdays at 10:30A.M., in the Diffenbaugh Library. All are welcome! Bring a Bible and don't forget to bring a friend.



Cursillo - So, you think your faith is strong and you don't need anyone to **make** it a deeper relationship? You are right, no one can make you but, a Cursillo weekend will entice you to go deeper and more fully than you could imagine possible. Men's and women's small group meetings are held in the library every Wednesday evening at 6:00 P.M. Any-one can attend these meetings; and whatever might be said in the meetings, stays in the meeting for **all our privacy**. We can and will answer all the questions you may have regarding Cursillo and the weekends. It is not a secret society and we do not have any "rituals" that can't be talked about. The weekend is Christians coming together for 3 days, 3 nights and delving deeper into our relationship and walk with and for Christ. We are called to be His hands and feet in this world! The next weekend will be the first weekend in October and the Rector (leader) for the weekend is Ann Butler from Old Donation.



Birthday and Anniversary Blessings are on the 1st Sunday of the month at both the 8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M. services.

**happy
birthday**

Chuck DeLoatche	2nd
Linda Ekberg	4th
Joyce Caldwell	4th
Kristy Pickurel	6th
Michael Monette	7th
Vicky Martin	10th
Jonathan Shreve	16th
Andrew Dieck	21st
Sean McGinty	22nd
Bryan Pfeifer	23rd
Hilda Monte	26th
Karen Kakol	27th

**HAPPY
ANNIVERSARY**

Kimberly & Robert Truxell	6/1/91
Bob and Janet Chauncey	6/8/02
Jim & Jeannine Hunter	6/12/01
Jason & Ana Nowland	6/15/02
Patrick & Ashley Pierce	6/19/99
Mary & Larry Laine	6/22/62
Sean & Jodi McGinty	6/23/07
Liz & Mike Kress	6/26/04

If you want to stay informed of church activities and updates, consider joining **St. Peter's REMIND** group. All you have to do is send a text message from your phone. Reminders and alerts will be sent to you on your phoneit is as easy as 1 - 2 - 3!

(1) Text To Number: 81010

(2) Include this Message in the comments: @3c6efe8

(3) Then press: SEND.



The deadline for next month's 'The Call' is the fifteenth.

**Send articles to :
laura@stpeters-norfolk.org
or call the church office
757-466-9392.**

Please visit our website for online ordering if you would like to donate flowers in memory, thanksgiving, or celebration of a loved one or event.

The website helps to **eliminate mistakes** that could hinder the ordering of flowers.

There is also a **Flower Chart** located in the vestibule as you enter the parish hall.

Either way, the price stays the same, \$50 per Sunday or \$25 if two people share the date.

JUNE 2024

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Norfolk, VA 23502
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Happy Father's Day!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 8:00 A.M. - Rite I 10:00 A.M.-Rite II 2nd Sunday after Pentecost	3	4 <i>Prayer Shawl Meeting 10:00 A.M.</i> 8:00 P.M. AA MEETING	5 Cursillo Small Groups - 6:00 P.M.	6 ASCENSION DAY Bible Study in the Library - 10:30 A.M	7	8
9 8:00 A.M. - Rite I 10:00 A.M.-Rite II 3rd Sunday after Pentecost	10 Ladies Luncheon - 12:30 P.M. Vestry Meeting 7:00 P.M.	11 8:00 P.M. AA MEETING	12 Day School Graduation 6:30 P.M.	13 Bible Study in the Library - 10:30 A.M	14 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	15
16 8:00 A.M. - Rite I 10:00 A.M.-Rite II 4th Sunday after Pentecost 	17 DAY SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP BEGINS! Day School Board Meeting - 7:00 P.M.	18 8:00 P.M. AA MEETING	19 CHURCH AND DAY SCHOOL HOLIDAY - JUNETEENTH Cursillo Small Groups - 6:00 P.M.	20 Bible Study in the Library - 10:30 A.M	21	22
23 8:00 A.M. - Rite I 10:00 A.M.-Rite II 5th Sunday after Pentecost	24 Nativity of John the Baptist	25 8:00 P.M. AA MEETING	26 Cursillo Small Groups - 6:00 P.M.	27 Bible Study in the Library - 10:30 A.M	28	29 Day of St. Peter and St. Paul
30 8:00 A.M. - Rite I 10:00 A.M.-Rite II 6th Sunday after Pentecost	<i>July 1</i>	<i>July 2</i>	LOOKING AHEAD CHURCH AND DAY SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED JULY 4th AND 5th.			



JUNE 2 -Second Sunday after Pentecost

Acolyte: Magdalena Kress

Ushers: Vicky Martin, Susan Sigler

Lector: 8:00 - Charlotte Corbett, 10:00 - Larry Shreve

LEM: 8:00 - Bob Vanderslice, 10:00 - Kimberly Truxell

Altar Guild: Jessica Trochanowski, Charlotte Corbett

Flower Guild: Josie Jimeno



JUNE 9—Third Sunday after Pentecost

Acolyte: Carys Shreve

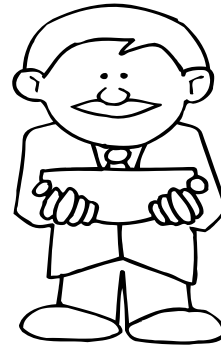
Ushers: Larry Shreve, Jim Jimeno

Lector: 8:00-Jeffrey Pfeifer, 10:00 - Jeffrey Pfeifer

LEM: 8:00 - Bob Vanderslice, 10:00 - Charlie Pfeifer

Altar Guild: Dot Pierce, Ashley Pierce

Flower Guild: Nancy Comfort



JUNE 16 - Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Acolyte: Bronwyn Shreve

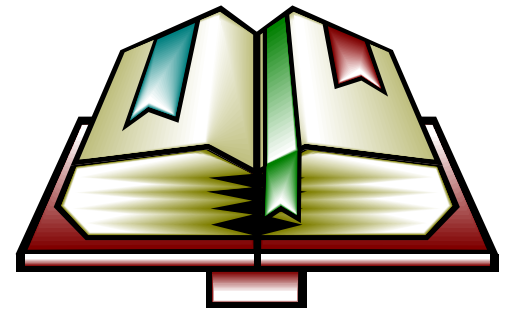
Ushers: Greg Evans, Larry Shreve

Lector: 8:00 - Bob Vanderslice, 10:00 - Janet Chauncey

LEM: 8:00 - Bob Vanderslice, 10:00 - Charlie Pfeifer

Altar Guild: Elizabeth Miller, Millie Coward

Flower Guild: Hilda Monte



JUNE 23—Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Acolyte: Eric Evans

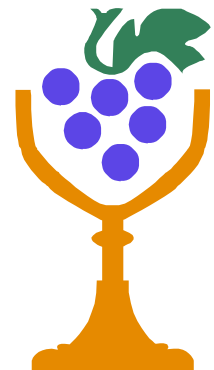
Ushers: Susan Sigler, Steve Kakol

Lector: 8:00 - Charlotte Corbett, 10:00 - Lynne Monette

LEM: 8:00 - Bob Vanderslice, 10:00 - Judy Eller

Altar Guild: Lynne Monette, Vel Shreve

Flower Guild: Dot Pierce



JUNE 30—Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Acolyte: Nancy Comfort

Ushers: Jim Jimeno, Larry Shreve

Lector: 8:00 - Susan Sigler, 10:00 - Laura Kallestad

LEM: 8:00 - Bob Vanderslice, 10:00 - Kimberly Truxell

Altar Guild: Millie Coward, Charlotte Corbett

Flower Guild: Jessica Trochanowski





June 2024

June 2 Bronwyn Shreve, Linsey Shreve

“Peter Heals” Acts 3:1-16

June 9 Yvonne Authement, Debbie Whitehorne

“An Angel Frees Peter” Acts 12:1-19

June 16 Wendy Glaeser, Yvonne Authement

“Father’s Day – Special Fathers in the Bible”

June is also the month we honor “Fathers”. Let us not forget to honor our Father in heaven who sets the example for all fathers to follow!

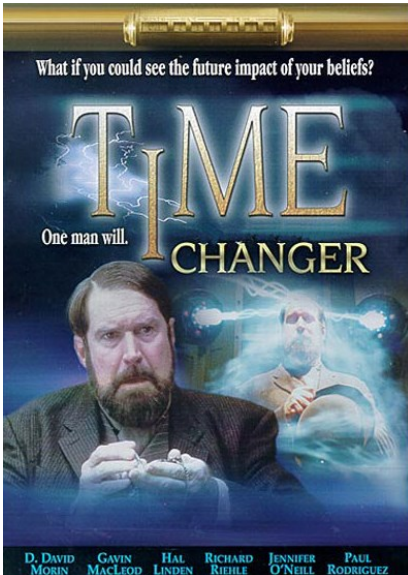
Wishing God’s special blessings on all our fathers today!!!

June 16th will be the last Sunday School class until September.





St. Peter's Movie Night - 2024

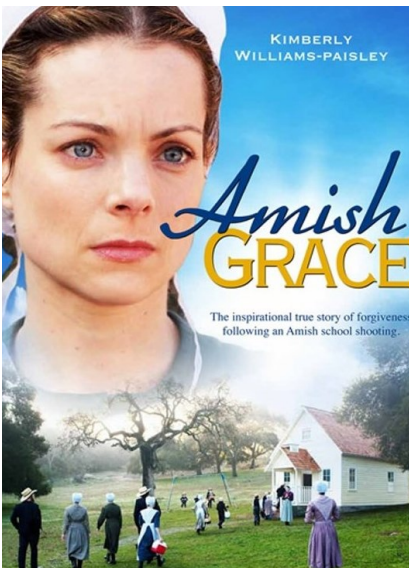


Time Changer

July 3

Film length: 1 hours; 36 minutes

A man is sent into the future to see the possible results of his actions in this mixture of sci-fi adventure and Christian drama. In 1890, Russell Carlisle is a philosopher and college professor who has completed a manuscript he calls "The Changing Times." The university where Carlisle teaches is considering publishing his latest work, but a committee of ranking professors under the leadership of the school's Dean must first vote unanimously to approve the material. One of Carlisle's colleagues, Norris Anderson, strongly objects to the paper on the grounds that Carlisle contends morality can be taught apart from Christianity -- a view that Anderson, a devout Christian, cannot abide. Carlisle becomes increasingly frustrated with Anderson's objections, but after the meeting, Anderson shows Carlisle something remarkable -- a working time machine he has built in his home. Using this innovation, Anderson sends Carlisle to a typical American city in the 21st century, in order to show the impact his ideas could have as he witnesses a society in which morality and Christianity are considered separate entities.



Amish Grace

July 10

Film length: 1 hour; 28 minutes

When a group of Amish schoolgirls are taken hostage and killed in their classroom, their parents and the Amish community of Nickel Mines, Pennsylvania, stun the outside world by immediately forgiving the killer. Ida Graber, mother of one of the murdered children, has a tougher time than the others accepting the tragedy, but in her anguish and pain, she begins a personal journey of renewed faith, ultimately accepting the heart-wrenching tragedy of losing a child after learning that her murdered daughter, Mary Beth Graber, had promised to pray for the perpetrator before her death; reconnecting with her husband, family, and community; offering forgiveness to the killer; and even showing kindness and compassion to the killer's widow and children — all in the form of Amish grace.

The film was dedicated in memory of the victims of the West Nickel Mines School shooting.



The Shift
July 17
Film length: 1 hour; 55 minutes

In this modern-day retelling of Job, Kevin Garner (Kristoffer Polaha) embarks on a journey across worlds and dimensions to reunite with Molly (Elizabeth Tabish), his true love. The narrative unfolds as a dystopian drama and sci-fi thriller, where a mysterious adversary, The Benefactor (Neal McDonough), disrupts Kevin's reality. Faced with infinite worlds and impossible choices, Kevin must navigate through an alternate reality, resisting The Benefactor's tempting offers of wealth and power. As survival hangs in the balance, Kevin fights to return to the familiar world he cherishes and the woman he loves.



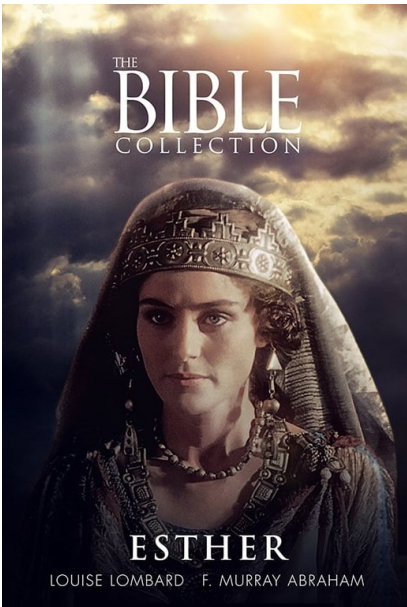
Ordinary Angels
July 24
Film length: 1 hour; 57 minutes

Inspired by the incredible true story of a hairdresser who single-handedly rallies an entire community to help a widowed father save the life of his critically ill young daughter.



5000 Blankets
July 31
Film length: 1 hours; 31 minutes

The film follows the true story of a determined woman, Cyndi Bunch, who sets out to find her husband, Bobby, after he's had a mental breakdown and goes missing. Along with her son, Phillip, the pair are alarmed to see how many unhoused people there are, a realization that sparks "a movement of compassion" to help as many people as possible.



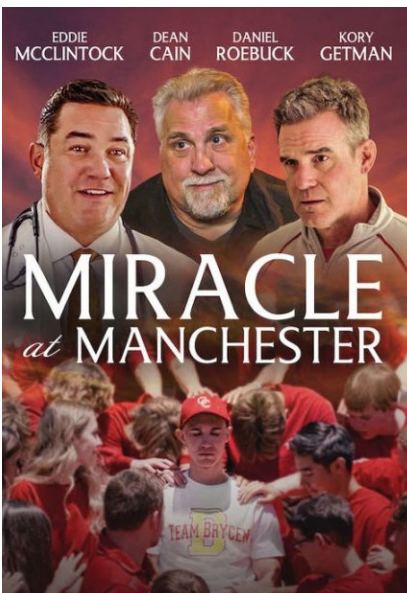
The Bible Collection: Esther
August 7
Film length: 1 hour; 27 minutes

Following the conquest of Babylon, the Biblical tale of Ahasuerus, Vashti, and Esther comes alive with this inspiring story of hope, mercy, and faith.



Let There Be Light
August 14
Film length: 1 hour; 40 minutes

The world's greatest atheist has a near-death experience that challenges his views and forces him to reconcile what he witnessed with his firmly-held beliefs about God.



Miracle at Manchester
August 21
Film length: 1 hour; 27 minutes

A hopeful story based on actual events about a community that comes together to organize a miracle for a teen battling an aggressive form of brain cancer while two men find their own restoration healing and a father finds his faith again.



Letters to God

August 28

Film length: 1 hour; 53 minutes

A young boy fighting cancer writes letters to God, touching lives in his neighborhood and community and inspiring hope among everyone he encounters. An unsuspecting substitute postman with his own troubled life becomes entangled in the boy's journey and family by reading the letters. They inspire him to seek a better life for himself and his own son he's lost through his alcohol addiction.

Refreshments are served beginning at 6:30pm

Film begins at 7pm



SECURITY AT ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH AND DAY SCHOOL

On April 22, 2024, Charlotte Corbett, Laura Kallestad, and I attended an all-day class called “Religious Institutions Safety and Security.” Bob Chauncey, (you may know him as “Janet’s husband”), is highly-trained in security and is a retired Police Chaplain from the Virginia Beach Police Department. Bob recommended this free informational seminar to our Vestry. To say that our eyes were opened is an understatement.

“Each year the FBI gathers detailed data on a sample of crimes reported to local police through the *National Incident-Based Reporting System* (NIBRS). NIBRS data has gathered about 49 different types of criminal offenses as reported to approximately 5,300 local, county, and state law enforcement agencies across 32 states. The law enforcement agencies participating in NIBRS make up only about 31% of the law enforcement agencies in the nation, and police only about 20% of the U.S. population. Nevertheless, NIBRS data do serve as a good *sample* of what crimes are occurring at places of worship, and how they occur.

We examined the NIBRS data for the 17 years from 2000 through 2016 (the most recent year NIBRS were publicly available). We examined all incidents of armed robberies, aggravated assaults, shootings, stabbings, or bombings that were reported to have occurred at (or on the property of) a place of worship. This revealed 1,652 such incidents of serious violence at places of worship; an average of 97 incidents per year within NIBRS-reporting jurisdictions. A total of 155 deaths and 742 injuries resulted during these 17 years of data, for an annual average of 9 deaths and 44 wounded. Since NIBRS-reporting agencies only cover about 20% of the nation’s population, the national-level numbers are actually much higher.

Extrapolating to the whole U.S. population, it is estimated that there are actually about 480 incidents of serious violence at places of worship in the U.S. each year. These incidents produce about 46 deaths and 218 serious injuries annually. This is a serious problem.”¹ And that’s from 2019; imagine the stats now!

In the last 20 or so years here at the church, we have had 2 purses stolen and three break-ins. Thank goodness no one was harmed in any of these, but our sense of violation at each of these events was palpable. We need to realize that there is a threat; mental illness and the availability of weapons of mass destruction are just two factors that increase our risk....here....**at the church!**

The sad truth is that we are not completely safe anywhere. But we can make changes to mitigate the possibility of an occurrence here at St. Peter’s, and it could save many lives. We need to get together and create a “Security Team.” The team members will be responsible for securing the premises while we are conducting services and the ones to call 911 if it is needed.

One means of securing the church would be to lock **ALL** doors leading into the church approximately 15 minutes **AFTER** the service has started. People will be assigned to man the doors to let in latecomers. The members attending the service will be more secure and the children in our Sunday School will also be safer. This is an inconvenience, but a cost-effective and possibly life-saving one. We have already started on pruning the bushes surrounding our church in order to keep them from becoming a hideout by cutting them back all around and lowering the height to below all windows. It may not look pretty to begin with, but they will rebound shortly and reduce the possibility of theft or assault. We would like to hold a congregation-wide meeting very soon to talk over these proposals. We will be attending future seminars regarding this in the future; if you would be interested in attending please contact the office.

Sincerely,

Debbie Whitehorne

¹ Dolan Consulting Group; Research Brief; “Serious Violence at Places of Worship in the U.S. - Looking at the Numbers”; September, 2019.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church Vestry Meeting Minutes

April 8, 2024

Opening: The St. Peter's Vestry met together in the Diffenbaugh Library on April 8, 2024. Attending the meeting in person were Fr. Jim Hunter, Vel Shreve, Linsey Shreve, Judy Eller, Charlotte Corbett, and Debbie Whitehorne. Charlie Pfeifer, Peggy Pfeifer, and Liz Kress attended via phone. This meeting began with Evening Prayer at 7:00 P.M.

Agenda: Fr. Jim asked all to look at the agenda for the evening and see if any changes or additions needed to be made before starting. Parish Hall rental contract was added to Old Business. Painting was added to Junior Warden's report. Potable water and lead testing was added to New Business.

Minutes: A correction was made to clarify some sentences by Fr. Jim. The minutes from March 11, 2024, were approved as amended with a motion from Judy Eller and seconded by Vel Shreve. It was passed by acclamation.

Financial Report: Charlie Pfeifer was on vacation and had many difficulties with the financial reports. He will report the cumulative reports in the May Vestry meeting.

Rector's Report: Fr. Jim reported that he had nothing to report.

Senior Warden's Report: Linsey investigated the purchase of an AED. The purchase price was a little less than online prices. Linsey and Debbie went to a seminar called "When force is used" and relayed that this information seminar was not particularly relevant to churches. The information was very interesting, but it was geared towards a home situation. Linsey also reminded everyone that the next meeting would be May 13th. Fr. Jim will lead prayers and Judy Eller and Vel Shreve will be the counters until then.

Junior Warden: This report will be covered in New and Old Business.

New Business:

Lawn Maintenance Debbie presented to the vestry the new pricing from the current lawn company. She received a bid from another company, J.K. Lawns, and would like to contract their services. The price may be an increase from the current vendor, but it includes items that would be considered "Extra Costs" by the current lawn service. Debbie suggested that we accept the bid from J. K. Lawns. Linsey Shreve made the motion to accept, Vel Shreve seconded. The motion passed. It was noted that the Rector, Senior or Junior Wardens could sign the contract.

Sump Pump Debbie contacted companies that deal with sump pumps to find out if our current pumps in front of the office and by the walkway to the church are capable of working. The first contact was with JES but they only handle indoor units. The second company, AMC911; a representative of this company came out and discovered that one unit (by the walkway) does not work at all. The other one outside the front door does work, but the water is not flowing out the other end as it should.

Potable Water and Lead Testing Requirements The Department of Education has implemented a requirement that all schools (Religious Exempt included) must develop a plan and implement said plan of the water in the day school and submit the results to the Virginia Department of Health, Office of Drinking Water. The letter from the DOE did not give any specifics on who tests, how to test, or what the cost may be to us. Laura will research this further and report back to the Vestry. The church will be responsible for any fees that the Day School may incur.

Old Business –

Bylaws The bylaws that Lindsey sent out were slightly modified and other corrections were made. Charlie Pfeiffer motioned that the bylaws be adopted as amended. Judy Eller seconded this motion, and it passed by acclamation.

Electrical issues in the Day School and Church This will be discussed at a later meeting.

Buildings and Grounds Grant Guidelines Charlie will get in contact with Judy Dobson upon return.

Dominion Energy Efficiency Service: The gentleman that does efficiency inspections for Dominion Energy met with Charlie, Fr. Jim, and Debbie. They will probably be here in May. They will rewrap any ducting and check for any more leaks. This will not be charged to the church or day school. We also need to schedule a day when the children are not in the day school.

Old Copier Disposal: We have still not gotten any interest shown in the old copier. Debbie suggested that we advertise it in the *Tidings*. Laura will contact the diocese newsletter and see if we can donate it to another church that may be in need.

Fence: The bid that was received from Champion Fence was \$1,980.00. \$567.43 is the difference between the \$1,467.43 received from the insurance company and this quote. The trucker (Theresa Pasto) who knocked down our fence will be notified that her share of the repairs is \$500.00. Debbie motioned that we accept this bid from Champion Fences, Vel seconded. The motion carried.

Parish Hall Use outside the church members The only caveat to charging customers to use the Parish Hall is that the amount needs to be phrased as a “Donation” to the church instead of a rental amount. The forms that Judy Eller was given from Old Donation will be forwarded to the vestry, and it will need to be rewritten to apply to St. Peter’s.

Painting Debbie has received several quotes for painting the church and doing repairs as needed. The first company to submit a quote, Dave Smith, would do all the painting, repairs, and light replacements. One contractor for everything. A JLG/Cherry Picker will have to be rented, and that is the largest part of all the bills. Debbie will present all the quotes later.

The next Vestry meeting will be May 13, 2024.

There being no further business, the meeting was closed with the remainder of the Evening Prayer service and then adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura Kallestad

Registrar

GOD BLESS OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

“Finally, be strong in the Lord and in His mighty power. Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil’s schemes.”. (Ephesians 6:10-11)



Joe, Chloe, Hannah, David, Courtney, Frank, Kyle, Michael, Allan, Mario, Roger, Chris



Please keep these people in your prayers. Notify the office to remove from or add to this list. Thank you.

The Veterans are always in need of:

Toothbrushes, toothpaste, shaving cream, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, razors, tissues & handkerchiefs (new unopened). No candy, food, or drinks right now. They **are** accepting used clothing items again.

Please bring your donations to church and place them in the baskets and box provided in the parish hall. Thank you all for your continued support!



VESTRY MEMBERS

Sr. Warden - Linsey Shreve ('25)

Jr. Warden - Debbie Whitehorne ('24)

Judy Eller ('24), Charlie Pfeifer ('24), Liz Kress ('25), Peggy Pfeifer ('25), Vel Shreve ('26), and Charlotte Corbett ('26)

Holy Father, the navigator of our souls, hear us as we hold up before you our annual Vestry. Be with us as we chart a course together, inspired by the presence of your Spirit. Give courage to our clergy, our leaders and each of us, as we move forward with your blessing. For all we do, we do to your glory. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Edward Klaus III	BJ Neaves	Karen Kakol
Niko Miyashiro	Lois Deloatche	Mary Johnston
Haley G.	Jessica Trochanowski	Patsi Walton
Wayne Radford	Kathy Vanderslice	John Eidam
Karleen Smith	Dewey Radford	Barbara LaDue
Luanne Cattley	Mary Robson	Robyn Klaus
Roger Bowser	Sarah Kakol	Charlotte Corbett
Howard Belote	Susan Sigler	Eddie Klaus II
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Mary Horkey	Josie C	Megan C
Val Powell	Debbie Hollister	Joan Crowther
Denise McCue	Shelly-Ann Tenia	Bert Truxell
Teri Stephenson	The Rev. Canon Ross Wright	
Christine Alexander	Krista Itzen	Pam Standish
Temperance Robinson	Holly Robinson	
Eddie & Lisa Stanfield	Paul & Lee Nelson	
Bruce & Nancy Comfort	Clay & Wanda Smith	
Charlie & Leslie Pereira	Debbie & Kenny	
Jack & Dianne McKnight	Myles & Family	
Brian & Brenda Hallman	Jodi & Sean McGinty	
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