

The Weekly Messenger
for
SAINT ANNE'S CHURCH
MIDDLETOWN, DE
*News and Announcements for
the week of June 16, 2019*

The Love that Binds
Trinity Sunday June 16, 2019

*I bind unto myself today the strong Name of the Trinity,
by invocation of the same, the Three in One, and One in Three.*

--attributed to St. Patrick (tr. Cecil Frances Alexander)



The Trinity (Andrei Rublev, 1425)

In the Last Supper discourse of the Gospel of John, chapter 16, Jesus tells the disciples, *When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth...* And what is this truth? The revelation of the true nature of God as a holy communion of love! What the Father has, the Father gives to the Son. All that the Son has, he gives to the Spirit. And what the Spirit has, the Spirit gives to us.

The Trinity is a wondrous mystery – not to be solved, but to be entered into. This Sunday we will peer into this holy mystery by reflecting on Andrei Rublev's icon, dating to 15th century Russia. It will be our window into what theologian Henri Nouwen called "the house of love."

***Come! Bring fathers and father figures (Sunday is Father's Day),
other family members and friends to the 8:00 or 9:30 service!***

- + Everyone will receive a **prayer card** depicting a version of Rublev's icon.
- + Refreshments and **fellowship** follow both services.
- + **Adult Enrichment** will be offered, after the 9:30 service, for further exploration of the Trinity in doctrine, scripture and art.

Listen to a sermon



WORDS & MUSIC Sermons and Anthems

3 TRACKS

- WORD & MUSIC - Fifth Sunday Of Easter 2019
- WORD & MUSIC - Third Sunday Of Easter 2019
- WORD & MUSIC - Second Sunday Of Easter 2019

Listen to a Sermon

Were you away and missed Sunday service, or wanted to share the sermon with someone, or listen to all or part of the sermon again? The Saint Anne’s website now provides easy access to select and listen to recent sermons by Russ or Celeste. [Click Here](#), then scroll to the lower right corner of the website and click on the sermon title you would like to hear.

God willing and the people consenting, **Larry Norfleet** will be ordained by The Rt. Rev. Kevin S. Brown, Episcopal Bishop of Delaware, to the sacred order of Deacons on **Saturday, August 10th 11:00 o'clock at Saint Anne’s Episcopal Church**. A reception for Larry in the Great Hall will follow the ordination. *All are welcome.*



The Food Bag Ministry needs donations!

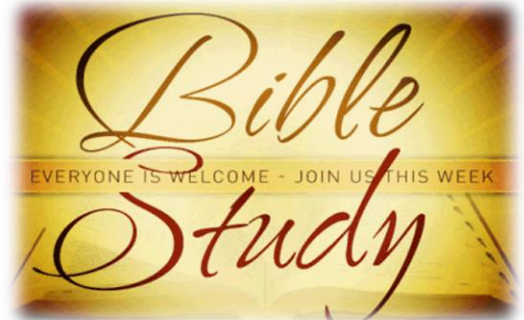
Our food pantry needs canned chicken or tuna, cereal, soup, canned fruit, crackers, rice, beans, jelly & pasta sauce.

Our next Food Bag distribution will be on Tuesday, July 9th. Please bring donations to church with you or drop off at the Church Office Monday through Thursday, 9AM to 4PM. *Thank you!*

Bible Study Opportunities

Thursdays - 8:00 to 9:00AM or 6:30 to 7:30 PM

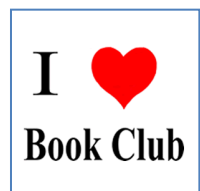
You are invited to join one of the two Bible studies lead by Russ and Celeste on Thursdays in the Great Hall. No special knowledge or experience with the Bible is necessary. Perfect attendance at either Bible Study is NOT required; please come as often as you are able. If you have questions, please contact Russ at Rector@SaintAnnesChurchDE.org.



Saint Anne’s Children’s Playgroup - the regular weekly meeting for this group of children and their caregivers is on break for the summer.

We’ll be doing a few one off playdates in the local area though, please email michelle.lynn.wyatt@gmail.com for more information.

Saint Anne’s Book Club will meet this Tuesday, June 18 at 7:00PM in a downstairs classroom to discuss the remainder of *The Island of Sea Women* by Lisa See. Everyone is invited to join the group. Check out the *Facebook* page: *St. Anne’s Book Club* for details.



Sunday Coffee Hour Ministry

Please sign-up to support this important ministry. A sign-up sheet is posted in the bulletin board in the Great Hall. You may select the Sunday that works for you and sign-up the day you wish to sponsor. Questions? Contact Nadine Burton Nadine@owensburton.com.



Parish Prayers: We pray for Meta Barrow, Carol Borkowski, William Cosans, Ray DePaulo, Ron Gerber, Clarice Hughes, Jean McGinnis, Frances Musante, Jeanne Torbert, Janet Vines, and Larry Wildasin. We pray for Michael Hall who has died.

In the Episcopal Church in Delaware, we pray for Saint Anne's and Saint Andrew's Schools and The Episcopal Church Women of Delaware.

In the Anglican Communion, we pray for The Church in Olo, South Sudan.

Worship Ministers for Sunday

8:00AM Readers: Scott Lawrence & Larry Norfleet.

9:30AM Readers: Nancy Woodward & Johnie Burton. Eucharistic Ministers: Johnie Burton & Tim Quackenbush. Ushers: Martin Bradshaw & Bill MacMillan.

Altar Guild: Leslie Hickman, Jessie Ventura & Jen Vail.

Activities at Saint Anne's Church

Sun	12:00PM	Senior Cello Recital-Sanctuary
Mon	6:00PM	English as Second Language Class-Great Hall
Tues	6:00PM	Centering Prayer-Chapel
	7:00PM	Book Club Meeting-Classroom
	8:00PM	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting-Great Hall
Wed	12:10PM	A Service for Healing-Chapel
Thurs	7:30AM	Holy Eucharist-Chapel
	8:00AM	Thursday Morning Bible Study-Great Hall
	11:30AM	Diocesan Committee Meeting-Great Hall
	6:00PM	Al-Anon Meeting-Classroom
	6:30PM	Thursday Evening Bible Study-Great Hall
Fri	11:00AM	Men's Group to serve at Our Daily Bread
	8:00PM	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting-Great Hall
Sun	9:00AM	Summer Choir Rehearsal-Music Room



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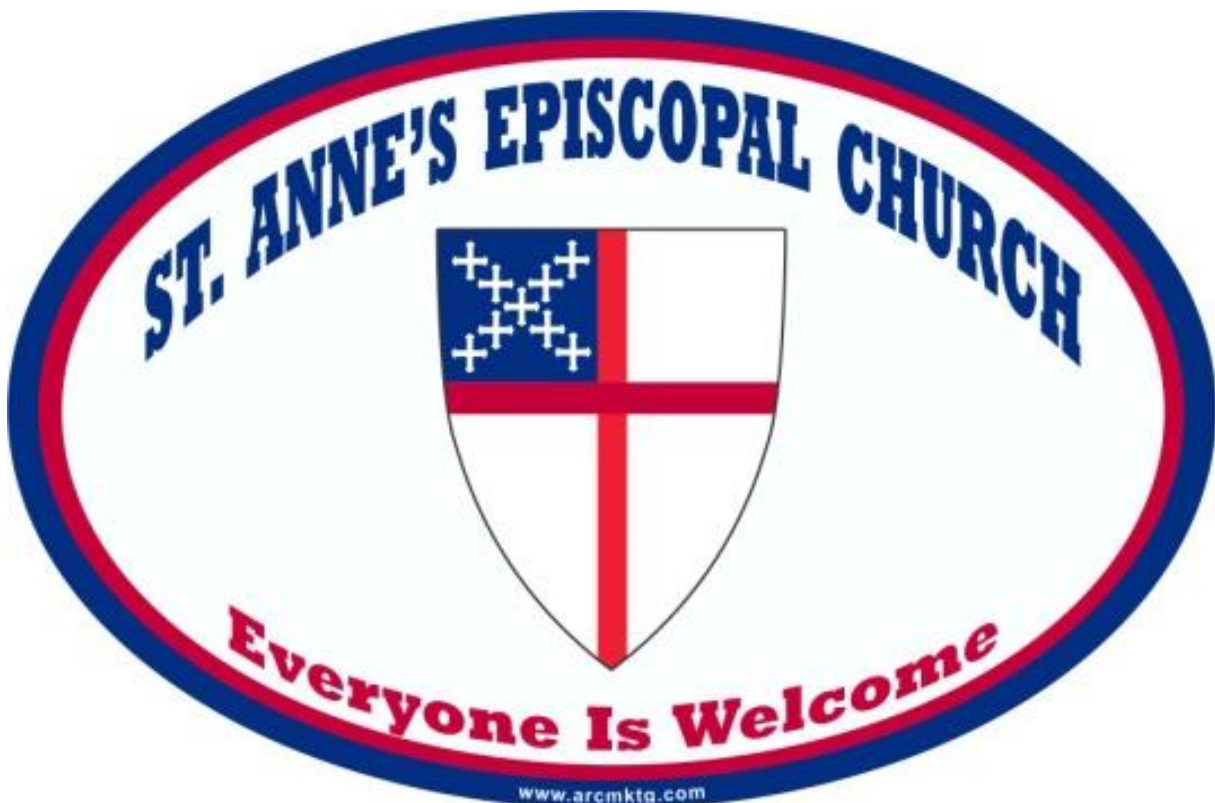
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SAINT ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH: CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR JUNE 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16 Trinity Sunday Father's Day 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist: Rite I 8:45 AM Choir Rehearsal 9:00 AM Fellowship 9:15 AM Child Care 9:30 AM Holy Eucharist: Rite II 10:30 AM Fellowship 10:40 AM Adult Enrichment 12:00 PM Senior Cello Recital	17 6:00 PM English as Second Language (ESL) Class-Great Hall	18 6:00 PM Centering Prayer-Chapel 7:00 PM Book Club-Classroom 8:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting-Great Hall	19 12:10 PM A Service for Healing-Chapel	20 7:30 AM Holy Eucharist-Chapel 8:00 AM Thursday Morning Bible Study-Great Hall 11:30 AM Diocesan Committee-Great Hall 6:00 PM Al-Anon Meeting-Classroom 6:30 PM Thursday Evening Bible Study-Great Hall	21 11:00 AM Men's Group to serve at Our Daily Bread 8:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting-Great Hall	22
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For detailed information about calendar events, visit www.SaintAnnesChurchDE.org

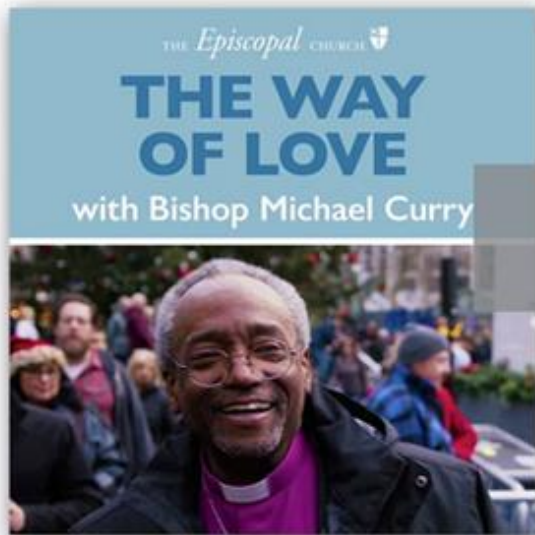
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The Episcopal Church in Delaware



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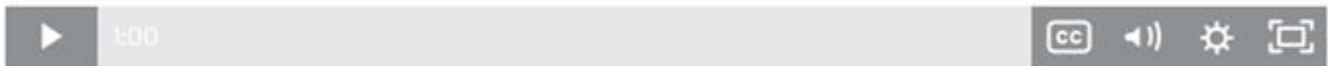
[Click Here to see what's coming!](#)

New podcast coming

JUNE 2019



*Available on all podcast apps
and at EpiscopalChurch.org*



The Way of Love: with Bishop Michael Curry podcast coming June 2019

“The way of Jesus is the Way of Love. And the Way of Love can change the world,” Presiding Bishop Michael Curry says in his new podcast, The Way of Love: with Bishop Michael Curry, which launches on Pentecost [June 9]. These weekly conversations, featuring Bishop Curry along with podcast hosts Kyle Oliver and Sandy Milien, explore living a life committed to living the way of God’s unconditional, unselfish, sacrificial and redemptive love. [More information](#)

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*May 2019 Edition
of the Delaware Communion
Magazine.*

