



# SAINT ANNE'S

EPISCOPAL CHURCH



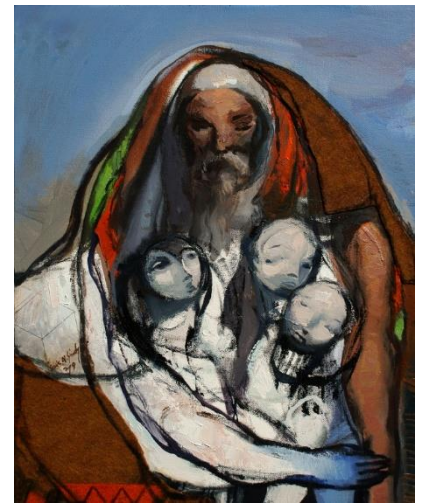
## The Weekly Messenger *news and announcements for the weeks of September 25 and October 2, 2022*

### Rich Man, Poor Man

On September 25, the Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, we reflect on Jesus' parable of The Rich Man and Lazarus, unique to the Gospel of Luke (16:19-31).

The parable is a powerful image of Jesus' mission imperative to *bring good news to the poor* (Luke 4:18-19). Sunday's Gospel invites and challenges us to take in God's Word, be transformed by it, and thereby become the compassionate heart and hands of Jesus in the world.

**Everyone is welcome!**

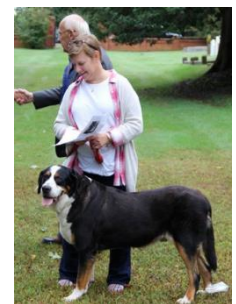
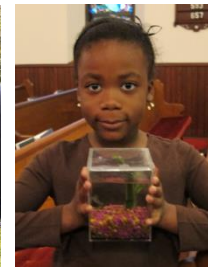


Qais Al Sindy, *Compassionate*

### *Blessing of the Animals*

*Saturday, Oct. 1 - 10:00 AM - Side lawn of the Town Church*

**Bring your pets, pictures of pets, and stuffed animals for a blessing.**



## Children's Sunday School

10:45 to 11:15 AM

Children are invited to Sunday School on Sunday mornings from 10:45 to 11:15 AM. The classes will be held in the downstairs classrooms of the Town Church. Questions? Please contact Mandy Catalfamo, Minister for Children & Youth: [CYM@saintanneschurchde.org](mailto:CYM@saintanneschurchde.org) or the Church Office.



[CLICK HERE to Register](#)



## Fellowship in the Great Hall

Following the 9:30 worship service

Everyone is invited to gather in the Great Hall for fellowship and refreshments. Reunite with old friends and welcome those new to Saint Anne's. If you are interested in volunteering to help with refreshments, please contact Lisé Lavender: 302-562-9601 or [liselav11@aol.com](mailto:liselav11@aol.com).

## Volunteer as a Worship Minister

To support the worship at Saint Anne's, volunteers are invited to be

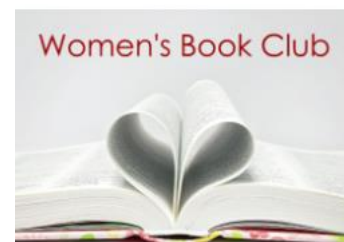
**Readers, Chalice Bearers, and Ushers**

for the 8:00 and 9:30 AM services. If you are interested in serving in one or more of these ministries, please [CLICK HERE](#), or contact the Church Office.



## Women's Book Club - Tuesdays at 7:15 PM

The Saint Anne's Women's Book Club will be meeting on Tuesday, September 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 on Zoom. This week is a chat week. Next week we will begin a new book entitled *The Mystery of Mrs. Christie* written by Marie Benedict, a novel about a portion of the life of the famous author Agatha Christie, and we will be reading through Chapter 24. If you would like to join us, please contact Barbara Masterson: [bjmasterson1@verizon.net](mailto:bjmasterson1@verizon.net) or 302-378-4449.



## Food Bag Ministry



Saint Anne's collaborates with Our Daily Bread (ODB) to support their weekly food distribution ministry. ODB now accepts perishable foods: ½ gal milk, 1 lb. packages of ground beef, chicken (whole or parts), white bread, apples, oranges, personal wipes, and vegetables. Please drop off foods on Sunday mornings, or during Church Office hours. ODB serves lunch weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:00 to 1:00 PM and dinner on Mondays through Fridays from 5:00 to 6:00 PM. Thank you for your continued support.



## Bloomin' 4 Good Program

**Saint Anne's Food Bag Ministry** has been selected to receive \$1.00 from every Bloomin' 4 Good bouquet sold during the month of October at **Giant Food, 200 Dove Run Centre, Middletown, DE.** Look for the purple card in the bouquet.

## Update Your Family Picture In The Church Directory



As we regather on Sunday mornings, it is helpful to refresh names with faces of those in the pews. Saint Anne's has a password protected online church directory with each family's information and picture. To set-up or to edit your directory information, please follow the instructions below:

### The first time you visit the site:

1. Click on the **Create Login** under the *Sign In* button located near the bottom of the page.
2. **Enter your email address** that you provided to Saint Anne's Church.
3. **Create a password**, then type the password again to confirm.
4. Go to your email account and **open the new email** you receive from Instant Church Directory.
5. **Click on the link** inside that email to confirm your email address and log into the site with the password you just created.
6. **Review your family information.** You may make any edits to your information and upload a recent picture. The Church Office will review the edits and post them to the directory.
7. Add the website to your Favorites to easily access the directory in the future.

**<https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com>**

If you have any questions, please contact the Church Office, 302-378-2401.

**Instant Church Directory on the go!** Look up an address or phone number of a fellow member using your iPhone, iPad and any iOS Device. **Download the App** from the App Store. Search for *Instant Church Directory* and look for this icon:



## Rector's Office Hours

Tuesdays and Wednesdays between 11:30 AM - 2:00 PM. To schedule time to talk to Russ, please click on this link and then follow the easy instructions:

[https://calendly.com/rev-russ/office\\_hours](https://calendly.com/rev-russ/office_hours)

If you want to meet with me but are not available during my posted office hours, please email or call me, and we will find a mutually convenient time to meet. Russ+

**Visit the Saint Anne's Website, [www.saintannes.church](http://www.saintannes.church)**

**And Follow Saint Anne's**

*Facebook: [www.facebook.com/saintannes1705/](http://www.facebook.com/saintannes1705/)  
and Instagram: [www.instagram.com/saintannes1705](http://www.instagram.com/saintannes1705)*

**Fr. Russ' sermons** are available to view or listen to on his YouTube channel:

*Rev Russ Sermons*. To access his YouTube channel, click on this link:

<https://www.youtube.com/c/RevRussSermons>.

## Parish Prayers

We pray for Meta Barrow, Mary Crandall, Cindy Cruz, Joseph Flowers, III, Adley Francisco, Rollyn Freeman, Barbara Hickey, Marty Hipp, Joan Hyer, Velma Johnson, Ott Menzen, Sue Osborn, Delores Seip, Ricky Seip, Jennifer Stover, Lori Stover, Ron Truitt, Janet Vines, Phylcia Wittcock, Andrea, & Phyllis. We pray for John Bear who has died.

**The Altar Flowers** are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the 46<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Cim and Nancy L'Heureux.

**In the Episcopal Church in Delaware**, we pray for Saint Anne's and Saint Andrew's Schools and the Church of Sts. Andrew and Matthew, Wilmington.

**In the Anglican Communion**, we pray for The Anglican Church of Burundi.



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Rector: The Rev. Russell Bohner, TSSF  
Minister of Music: Damien Jones  
Minister for Children & Youth: Mandy Catalfamo  
Senior Warden: Gary Stover  
Treasurer: Mark Cavanaugh

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Minister for the Office: Nancy Koenig  
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## Church Calendar for the week of September 25, 2022

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### Sunday, Sept 25 - The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite I—8:00 AM

Holy Eucharist: Rite II—9:30 AM

*This service is in-person and Broadcast Live through the Church Website & Facebook Page*

Fellowship—*immediately following the 9:30 service*—Great Hall

Children's Sunday School—10:45 AM to 11:15 AM—*downstairs classrooms*

Youth Group 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>—6:00 PM

Youth Group High School—7:00 PM

### Tuesday, Sept 27

Deliver food to Our Daily Bread—9:30 AM

Centering Prayer by Zoom—6:00 PM

Saint Anne's Women's Book Club by Zoom—7:15 PM

### Wednesday, Sept 28

Bell Choir Rehearsal—6:00 PM—Sanctuary

Choir Rehearsal—7:00 PM—Sanctuary

### Thursday, Sept 29

Bible Study by Zoom—8:00 AM

### Saturday, Oct 1

Blessing of the Animals—10:00 AM to 11:00 AM—Town Church side lawn

### Sunday, Oct 2 - The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite I—8:00 AM

Holy Eucharist: Rite II—9:30 AM

*This service is in-person and Broadcast Live through the Church Website & Facebook Page*

Fellowship—*immediately following the 9:30 service*—Great Hall

Children's Sunday School—10:45 AM to 11:15 AM—*downstairs classrooms*

Youth Group 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>—6:00 PM

Youth Group High School—7:00 PM

## Church Calendar for the week of October 2, 2022

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### Sunday, Oct 2 - The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite I—8:00 AM

Holy Eucharist: Rite II—9:30 AM

*This service is in-person and Broadcast Live through the Church Website & Facebook Page*

Fellowship—*immediately following the 9:30 service*—Great Hall

Children's Sunday School—10:45 AM to 11:15 AM—*downstairs classrooms*

Youth Group 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>—6:00 PM

Youth Group High School—7:00 PM

### Tuesday, Oct 4

Deliver food to Our Daily Bread—9:30 AM

Centering Prayer by Zoom—6:00 PM

Saint Anne's Women's Book Club by Zoom—7:15 PM

### Wednesday, Oct 5

Bell Choir Rehearsal—6:00 PM—Sanctuary

Choir Rehearsal—7:00 PM—Sanctuary

### Thursday, Oct 6

Bible Study by Zoom—8:00 AM

### Sunday, Oct 9 - The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite I—8:00 AM

Holy Eucharist: Rite II—9:30 AM

*This service is in-person and Broadcast Live through the Church Website & Facebook Page*

Fellowship—*immediately following the 9:30 service*—Great Hall

Children's Sunday School—10:45 AM to 11:15 AM—*downstairs classrooms*

Youth Group 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>—6:00 PM

Youth Group High School—7:00 PM

***LIVING BY FAITH + SERVING WITH HOPE + GROWING IN LOVE***