

The Epistle

August 2011

St. Peter's Church, Milford, CT

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the Rev. Andrew G. Osmun, Rector

The View for August 2011

The Vestry has put in a lot of time in July – and I give great thanks to them for doing so. The most intensive work was a 9AM to 3PM Saturday workshop with our consultant, the Rev. Bevan Stanley. Our time was divided into a Mutual Ministry Review (a mutual assessment of ‘how are we doing’ by myself and the members of the Vestry), teaching about congregational dynamics and leadership, and how to continue implementing our purpose statement. Much of what we are doing was affirmed by Bevan as being on the right track!



The Executive Committee reviewed 2nd Quarter Financial Reports and was thankful for the congregations faithful support. At the close of June, we were in the red less than a thousand dollars despite the demands of the winter past. In facility news – we continue to research how to address the Taft Wing roof, as well as a leak in the attic over the office. The HVAC in the Taft Wing does not yet perform to our expectations. The nursery school, which rented the first floor of the Taft Building, has been hard at work to open as of the beginning of September.

It is a Month now since I headed out with Karen Vital to the Youth Works site in Logan, West Virginia with eight members of the confirmation class. I have a new appreciation for how God's Holy Spirit can move our young people! More, please, Lord!

Finally, I am struck by the juxtaposition of events: on Wednesday, I sat with two men, members of ‘I Wage Peace’ – one a Palestinian, Muslim and former member of Fatah, the other an officer in the Israeli Defense Force. Both had chosen to renounce violence as a means to resolving the conflict. Two days later the rampage in Norway occurred. The car bomb and the hideous slaughter of young men and women are being reported as the work of an extremist who wanted to defeat multiculturalism and the influx of Muslims in Europe. His published manifesto is so full of hate it is being compared to the writings of Osama bin Laden. Hate – murderous hate – doesn't respect religion or political party or spectrum of ‘left’ or ‘right.’ It comes from a human heart enslaved by mistrust, fear, anger, resentment, and unforgiveness – until the pressure builds to a murderous rage.. If you listen to radio, watch TV shows, or are reading blogs of the far right or far left wing – be it Tea Party or other - a simple test: if hate speech (an incitement to hatred primarily against a group of persons) is being used – you are not listening to one who speaks with the Spirit of God, but from the flesh at best, and at worst an even darker source. I have my own history with hate – which has been renounced and replaced with non-violence (not pacifism) as the choice to resolve conflict. “Walk in love, as Christ loved us.....” Ephesians 5:2.

I welcome your response.

-- Andrew Osmun

Sunday Services

8 am Holy Eucharist *no music*
10 am Holy Eucharist *with music*

Christian Formation -
Summer Recesses until
September

Childcare available
Coffee & Fellowship follows
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Wednesday — Noon Eucharist
Thursday — Morning Prayer
8 am

Both held in the Chapel
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September Epistle

Please email submissions you
have for the next Epistle by
August 19, 2011
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St. Peter's Purpose

Sharing the Gospel of
Jesus Christ
Preparing Disciples
Caring for the Community

St. Peter's Leadership

Ministers: The Congregation
Bishop: the Rt. Rev. Dr. Ian
Douglas
Rector: the Rev. Andrew Osmun
Assisting Priest: the Rev. Angela
Rowley
Executive Assistant: Susan Persett
Musician/Choir Director: Nathan
Bontrager
Christian Formation Director:
Karen Vital
Senior Warden: Mary Beth
Saltzman
Junior Warden: Diane Gendreau
Treasurer: Sharon MacKenzie
Clerk: Candace Franz
Yale Divinity School Intern:
Matthew Schneider

Report from the Treasurer, June 30, 2011



August Birthday

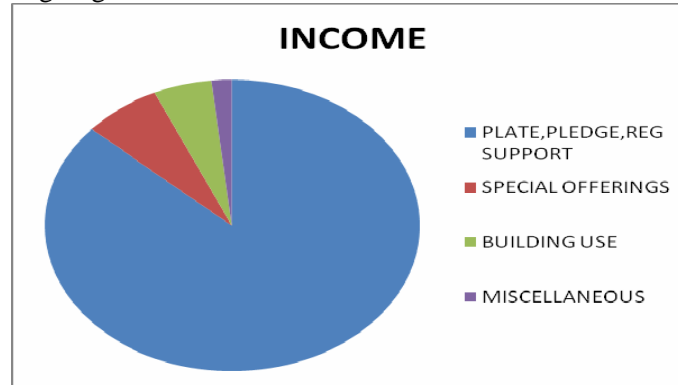
08/01 Gabriel Garnett
 08/02 Bonnie Neilson
 08/03 Stacy Maslar
 08/04 John Carriero
 08/05 Chandler Riker
 08/06 Carol Harker
 08/07 Douglas Emmons Sr.
 08/08 Belle Clark
 08/09 Soledad Meade
 08/09 Betsy Schuler
 08/10 Jen Dubee-Hall
 08/10 Richard Hebert
 08/11 Angela Swanepoel
 08/14 Lucas Vital
 08/15 Warner Dixon
 08/15 Anna Maria Harvey
 08/15 Hawley Schneider
 08/17 Ruth Boyd
 08/18 Susan Peck
 08/19 Mary Vanbrederode
 08/21 Steven Bell
 08/21 Barbara Totten
 08/22 Jeffrey Collis
 08/24 Zachary Shoop
 08/25 Michael Bibens Sr.
 08/26 Lucille Pynch
 08/29 Ginger Burrows
 08/29 Pat Hall
 08/29 Judith Ann Johnston
 08/30 Brendan Casey
 08/30 Robert Broughton
 08/31 Samantha Kringstad

August Anniversaries

08/06 Candace & Burvee Franz
 08/06 Linda & Cliff Roti
 08/07 Margery & Robert Mackendrick
 08/08 Patsy & Will Eighmy
 08/10 Deb & Christopher Soracco
 08/12 Soledad & Joseph Meade
 08/18 Julia & Jeff Carter
 08/20 Cathy & William McDonald
 08/24 Violet & Paul Austin
 08/25 Beth & Kevin Bell
 08/26 Sharon & Fred Callahan
 08/27 Marcy & Paul Mangels
 08/30 Karen & Michael Thomas
 08/31 Terry & Andrew Osmun
 08/31 Debra & Michael Garnett

Income	\$137,599.68
Expenses	(138,370.94)
Net Change	(\$ 771.26)

We are the primary source of financial support to St. Peter's. As the time for vacations begin, please remember that the expenses to run St. Peter's are ongoing.



Contribution statements as of June 30 were sent by electronic or regular mail at the beginning of July. If you did not receive a statement, please contact the Parish Office.

The Vestry reviews more detailed financial reports at their meetings. Copies of those reports are available upon request.

Sharon MacKenzie, Treasurer
stpetetreas@sbcglobal.net

Food Bank Donations

St. Peter's continues its weekly collection for the Milford Food Bank at the Milford Senior Center. There is always a need for staples such as cereals, pasta, and peanut butter and jelly. Those items would be especially welcomed. *Please place all food donations in the basket located in the Narthex of the church.*

Altar Flowers

Flowers may be given as memorials, in thanksgiving, or to commemorate other celebrations such as birthdays or anniversaries. We ask for a donation of \$25 to cover the cost of the flowers.

If you are interested, please contact the Church Office.

Coffee Hour

Caring for your Community - Coffee hour is a ministry by and for those who attend worship on Sunday morning, after the 10:00 service. Coffee hour is only possible through volunteers and donations. St. Peter's supplies the coffee. You may choose to host on your own, or as a group. It is a great way to meet new parishioners and share in fellowship. Ask someone who has not hosted before to join you! There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall.

August 7 – Donna & Jay Pinsince

August 14 – Chandler Riker, Cliff Roti & Steve Winters

August 21 - **Available**

August 28 - **Available**

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Special Edition eNews July 20, 2011

Cuts are response to new financial and organizational realities



Effective today, July 20, six positions in total have been eliminated from the staff of Diocesan House, representing a 27 percent reduction in the number of staff serving in the offices of The Episcopal Diocese of Connecticut in Hartford.

The positions that have been eliminated are Front Desk Receptionist; Production Manager; Missioner for Children & Adults; Missioner for Youth & Young Adults; Canon to the Ordinary; and Canon for Transition Ministry. Some of the duties previously assigned to the Canon to the Ordinary and Canon for Transition Ministry, particularly those related to the ordination process and parish deployment, will be combined into a new position of Canon for Mission Leadership. A nationwide search to fill the new position will be initiated as soon as possible. The position of Accounting Supervisor, vacated earlier this year through retirement, will not be filled and will also be eliminated.

The elimination of these positions means the departure of six faithful individuals representing 74 years of ministry and service to the communities and individuals of the Diocese of Connecticut.

"There is profound sadness in these cuts," said Bishop Ian T. Douglas. "We are losing faithful and dedicated colleagues who have served us all so well for many decades. We need to pray for these fine sisters and brother who are losing their jobs in these difficult economic times. At the same time these cuts represent a loss of an ideal for what the Diocese of Connecticut has been. 20th century models of the Church with big diocesan staffs providing programs from a centralized office are not the way of the future."

One impetus for these changes is an anticipated \$1 million to \$1.2 million reduction for the proposed 2012 diocesan-wide budget that will be decided upon by the Annual Diocesan Convention in October. The diocesan Program & Budget Committee (P & B), charged to develop a budget for convention, reviewed parish pledge cards and other anticipated revenue before making the reduced budget. Parish pledges account for about 92% of income for the convention's budget. Currently fewer than 70 of the 172 parishes fulfill their pledge of 12.5% of their operating income as set by diocesan convention.

"For some time now the diocesan pledge system hasn't worked," said Bishop Douglas. "The majority of our

parishes don't participate at the 12.5% level. Those that do, do so at great cost to themselves, particularly when they draw down their endowments to meet their obligation. While we are thankful for the generosity of the parishes that do support the diocesan-wide budget, the current system is unsustainable."

As a result, the P & B Committee is working on a proposed 2012 budget that is 20 percent less than the 2011 budget. To meet this reduced budget, the committee began looking at the budget in new ways with an eye to a modified zero-based budget. While the committee was consulted in principle on the need to reduce staff, the specific position eliminations were the decision of the diocesan bishop in consultation with the bishops suffragan. The reduction in force represents a 23 percent cut in the cost of Diocesan House staff. As the budget process matures, additional staff adjustments may be necessary. Most other items in the proposed budget have also been reduced by 20 percent. An exception is the commitment to the budget of The Episcopal Church as determined by the Church's triennial General Convention.

The anticipated drastic budget shortfall has invited deep reconsideration of the way the diocese is organized in much the same way that the upcoming retirement of Canon for Administration & Stewardship Jack Spaeth provided an initial opportunity to examine the structure of diocesan staffing and resources. That review has resulted in a reorganization of responsibilities and the creation of a new position, the Canon for Mission Collaboration.

"This is a time of incredible change and possibility," said Bishop Douglas. "We're being invited to consider how to be the Diocese of Connecticut in new ways for the 21st Century. Our 20th Century models of diocesan staffing are no longer appropriate to this networked age, nor are they financially sustainable. This reduction in force gives us a chance to respond creatively to the changing economic and organizational realities. We are being invited to re-imagine who we are as the Episcopal Church in Connecticut and how we will come together collaboratively to serve and extend God's mission."

In practical terms, the reduction in force and reorganization of diocesan staff will mean that when people call Diocesan House they will find notable changes and new ways of working.

"This is a time of significant transition and we need to develop new networks of response drawing on the incredible lay and ordained leadership across the Diocese," said Bishop Douglas. "These changes are hopeful and right for the Diocese and for our Church today."

August Summer Office Hours and Vacation Schedule

Office Hours: Monday through Wednesday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Susan Persett is away August 1 to the 14th.

Andrew Osmun is away August 13 to the 27th.

Congratulations

To Zane Franz. Zane auditioned, has been accepted, and will be a novice chorister at the Trinity-Church-on-the Green, New Haven. in the fall.

Christian Formation

Classes are in recess for the summer.... See you all on September 11!

Vacation Bible School

St. Peter's will be hosting our second VBS from August 15-19th 9 a.m. – noon. Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus Was a Kid", and we have begun the planning stages of this exciting week

We need your help! We are beginning to collect large tablecloths, sheets, and blankets to be used for decorating our market place. The more colorful the better! We are also in need of large baskets as well. If you have anything at all that we can borrow for the week, it would be greatly appreciated! Please contact Karen Vital at saintpeterscfdir@sbcglobal.net.

To register for Vacation Bible School on our Website: www.stpetersmilford.org

Thank you in advance for supporting VBS!

Youth Group

The Youth Group returned from their mission trip to Logan, West Virginia, on July 1. Some members of the group spent the week running a Kids' Club for local children and visited local nursing homes. Others members of the group did more physical labor in the community. They spent time at a local elementary school cleaning and decorating bulletin boards, helped clean and weed at the community gardens, and helped sort through donations at the Salvation Army.

We were all blessed by our time in Logan, and we will be planning a slide show presentation to share with the St. Peter's community in September.

We would like to thank all who held us in prayer during that week, as we felt God show up in huge ways!



Confirmation Class- Sunday, August 14, 4 – 6 p.m.

A Note from the Vestry

On a warm Saturday in July, the vestry and officers of Saint Peter's and Andrew worked with the Rev. Dr. Bevan Stanley to review the performance of both Rector and vestry. This was a continuation of the work we began in June, when we studied the institutional model for the church and filled out written assessments of our performance, both individually and corporately. The real value of the time we spent on all of these items was the feeling that we have new tools for leading St. Peter's into the future. Personally, I hope that we will use these tools to take a more active role in setting policy and making essential decisions that will ensure survival for another generation.

Our new mission statement provides us with a means to evaluate everything we do currently to ensure that we are being true to that purpose. It also provides us with a means to evaluate new ideas and determine how they fit or don't fit the statement.

We also discussed some operational tools that will help us move new and existing projects one step at a time until they reach their conclusion. By thinking about these things in single steps, each step having a person responsible and a time for completion, we'll be able to accomplish more with less chance of burning out individuals.

Yours in Christ, Paul Mangels

St. Peter's Purpose Statement:

Please read the expanded version of St. Peter's Purpose Statement— pause – reflect on it – and tell us (Andrew Osmun, Mary Beth Saltzman or Diane Gendreau) your response to it, your reaction to it, your sense of whether it embodies the call God is making on us in this time and place.

In September, we will resume our monthly meetings, the first Tuesday of the month, and will be reviewing - how, what, why - and applying this to our statement. All are welcome to attend.

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T Gospel simply means “good news.” It is the central Christian message of salvation through faith in Jesus Christ. At Saint Peter's we:

- Joyfully communicate our knowledge of God's life and love in Jesus Christ with our words and actions;
- Invite all those who are interested to accompany us on our spiritual journey;
- Encourage those who journey with us to enter into the fellowship of the church.

P REPARING DISCIPLES

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'S Christian discipleship is the practice of forming ourselves and others into the likeness of Jesus Christ, equipping ourselves for the work of ministry and building up the Body of Christ. As followers of Christ, we, at St. Peter's, are a community that is committed to a lifelong journey of maturing our faith through:

- The study of scripture and its incorporation in our daily lives;
- An active prayer life—seeking God's blessing, power and direction;
- Worship—loving, praising, and giving thanks to God;
- Stewardship—practicing generosity of our time, finances, and abilities;
- Fellowship—supporting, encouraging, and mentoring one another in the Christian life.

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H At the Last Supper, Jesus gave a New Commandment to love one another as He loved us. In striving to emulate Christ's perfect example of love, we:

- Use our God-given gifts to provide spiritual, emotional, and physical assistance to those in need;
- Minister to the members of our own parish family at St. Peter's and our neighbors in the city of Milford, our nation, and the world as we are called by God.

Caring for the Community Pillowcase Dresses for Haiti



Dress made by
Jennifer Massari 1

Do you sew, or would you be interested in donating a few pillowcases to clothe impoverished girls in Haiti? If you can answer yes to either of these questions you are in luck! In Haiti, a girl wearing a dress communicates that someone is caring for that child, lessening the chance of sexual abuse. This need has led to a special ministry to mobilize women to donate "pillowcase dresses" for little

girls in Haiti. How can you help?

1. Make as many pillow case dresses as you can.
2. If you don't sew, buy a few pillowcases and get them to either Debbi Smith or Rosanne Haynes. We are also looking for donations of ribbons, rickrack, etc., or other decorative things to enhance the dresses. If you are interested in this ministry (we do have the instructions for making the dresses) contact either Debbi 203-878-9188 doras628@gmail.com or Rosanne 203-647-7111 flipstrips08@gmail.com

Fellowship

The Fellowship Group's next meeting will be held August 1st at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall library. We continue discussing the details of the progressive dinner planned for October 15th. If you are curious about what a progressive dinner is, ask a member of the Fellowship committee at coffee hour. Fellowship members are Dee Green, Cindy Bucciarelli, Sheri Giambra, Deb Smith, Brenda Thomason, and Jen Shoop. Anyone interested in helping out with this event or finding out more about our group is welcome to join us.

SAVE THE DATE

On **Saturday, October 15th** St. Peter's will be having a progressive dinner. This is a great opportunity for fun and fellowship. Look for more details on the dinner in the September Epistle.

Preparing Disciples:

Daily Devotionals & Prayerful Resources: Text versions:

Church of the Savior, Washington, DC - more social action oriented:

<http://www.inwardoutward.org/>

Rick Warren's daily devotions from Saddleback:
<http://profile.purposedriven.com/dailyhope/post>

Esoteric Episcopal Priest's musings - Barbara Crafton: <http://www.geraniumfarm.org>

Ministry of Evangelical group dedicated to servant ministry: <http://blog.leadlikejesus.org>

Audio, Video, & other Resources:

Ministry of the British Jesuits - comes as an audio file: <http://www.pray-as-you-go.org>

Crosswalk, the intersection of faith and life dedicated to building up the Church, which is the body of Christ – text (many other resources): <http://www.crosswalk.com/devotionals>.

Contemplative resources in both text, audio, and video: <http://www.contemplativeoutreach.org>

A new App called iPray has been released for the iPhone: the Book of Common Prayer. You can download iPray from the iTunes Store here: <http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/ipray-bcp/id431349318?mt=8&ign-mpt=uo%3D2>

Ministry of the Brothers of The Society of Saint John the Evangelist (many other resources): <http://www.ssje.org/word>

If you have a favorite daily devotional and would like to share with the congregation, please contact us so we can publish it!

Tour of a Lifetime



Parish member Paul Thoma recently enjoyed a once-in-a-lifetime musical performance tour of Prague, Vienna and Budapest with 35 members of the New Haven Chorale plus 24 non-singing guests. The nine day tour, from July 1 to July 9, included performances in 5 cathedrals (some dating back to the 12th century) and 3 palaces (17th and 18th centuries). Tour guides shared their knowledge of the culture and history of each city. In addition to touring and performing, there were scheduled music rehearsals in each city. The Chorale's music director, Dr. Edward Bolkovac, who is fluent in German and Hungarian, had a key role in planning the tour and selecting the performance sites.

Another singer on the tour described it as a series of indelible memories of days packed with remarkable experiences. Among them were a palace in Vienna (now a museum) with 1500 rooms, cathedrals with grandeur and opulence that challenge the imagination, ancient ruins of Roman aqueducts and military outposts, fields of low growing sunflowers facing east, and mazes of narrow medieval cobblestone streets. The Danube River, separating the cities of Buda and Pest, is not blue. It's gray with a greenish tint.

For Paul, one of the trip's bonuses was the opportunity to visit the chapel and baptismal font at St. Stephen's Cathedral in Vienna where his grandfather was baptized in 1872. He plans to send photos to several cousins. A sample of the Chorale's tour performances can be found on You Tube by entering the following in the search box: New Haven Chorale at St George's Basilica, Prague.



Paul Thoma

Boys Choir England Tour

Ten-year old Thomas Scott, son of Tom and Lydia Scott, recently returned from a 16-day trip to England with the Boys Choir of Trinity-Church-on-the Green, New Haven.

This was primarily a singing tour, including special training with the choirmaster at Tewkesbury Abbey and with Dr. Barry Rose – former choirmaster of St. Paul’s Cathedral and widely considered the finest choir trainer in Britain.

The boys sang nine evensong services – some alone, and some jointly with local choirs -- at Bristol Cathedral, Hereford Cathedral, Tewkesbury Abbey, St. Mary Redcliffe and St. Peter’s Church in Draycott, Somerset.

Thomas says that highlights of the trip were getting to know the boys at Tewkesbury Abbey, as well as day excursions to Oxford University, the Cotswolds, Bath, Stonehenge, and one particularly tasty day at Cadbury World! He also relishes the two days they spent touring London at the beginning of the trip, starting with a breathtaking ride on the London Eye.

The 17 boys making the trip were led by Trinity Director of Music, R. Walden Moore as well as Trinity’s assistant organist and choirmaster, Trinity’s organ scholar, and two other chaperones. The Rev. Canon Anne Chisham of St. Paul’s Episcopal Cathedral in San Diego was their tour operator and guide.

Thomas has been a member of the Trinity Choir of Men and Boys since September 2009.



AUGUST 2011 WORSHIP SCHEDULE

DATE	SERVICE TIME	ACOLYTE	LAY MINISTER	LECTOR	READINGS	USHER	GREETER	CHILD CARE
August 7, 2011	8:00 AM	C. Cunningham	M. Schneider	G. Bristol	Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28 Romans 10:5-15	B. Kuhar L. MacKenzie	A. Fredericks	
Eighth Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	D. Bibens	S. Winters J. Carter	D. Smith J. Bryson	Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28 Romans 10:5-15	K. Pegnataro D. Bryson	D. Smith M. Bibens Jr.	W. Bibens C. Ritz
August 14, 2011	8:00 AM	H. Kropitis	F. Callahan	S. Callahan	Genesis 45:1-15 Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32	C. Bristol E. Pasenelli	G. Bristol	
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	W. Bibens	J. Pinsince D. Green	L. Wonneberger P. Thoma	Genesis 45:1-15 Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32	F. Hopkins J. Carter	G. Burrows L. Wonneberger	S. Kringstadt P. Bell
August 21, 2011	8:00 AM	D. Gendreau	S. Callahan	K. Gammage	Exodus 1:8-2:10 Romans 12:1-8	P. Austin D. Emmons	E. Luysterborghs	
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost	10:00AM	K. Carriero	L. Roti D. Pinsince	R. Fohrenbach P. Watson	Exodus 1:8-2:10 Romans 12:1-8	P. Smith M. Ritz	M. Bucciarelli S. Peck	A. Smith M. Gendreau
August 28, 2011	8:00 AM	L. Gustafson	D. Warren	B. Neilson	Exodus 3:1-15 Romans 12:9-21	G. Bristol A. Fredericks	S. Giambra	
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	J. Chiodo	D. Smith S. Winters	B. Vanbrederode B. Watkins	Exodus 3:1-15 Romans 12:9-21	R. Fohrenbach K. Pegnataro	D. Pinsince M. Saltzman	E. Durazzo M. Bibens

SEPTEMBER 2011 WORSHIP SCHEDULE

DATE	SERVICE TIME	ACOLYTE	LAY MINISTER	LECTOR	READINGS	USHER	GREETER	CHILD CARE
September 4, 2011	8:00 AM	C. Cunningham	M. Schneider	G. Bristol	Exodus 12:1-14 Romans 12:8-14	D. Blanchet B. Kuhar	A. Fredericks	
Twelfth Sunday								C. Ritz
after Pentecost	10:00 AM	M. Bibens	M. Schneider D. Green	P. Thoma T. Osmun	Exodus 12:1-14 Romans 12:8-14	B. McDonald P. Smith	M. Bucciarelli M. Ritz	P. Bell
September 11, 2011	8:00 AM	H. Kropitis	D. Warren	S. Callahan	Exodus 14:19-31 Romans 14:1-12	L. MacKenzie C. Bristol	G. Bristol	
Thirteenth Sunday								W. Bibens
after Pentecost	10:00 AM	K. Carriero E. Durazzo	B. Lewis D. Smith	C. Franz L. Wonneberger	Exodus 14:19-31 Romans 14:1-12	R. Fohrenbach M. Ritz	D. Pinsince M. Saltzman	M. Bibens
September 18, 2011	8:00 AM	D. Gendreau	F. Callahan	K. Gammage	Exodus 16;2-15 Jonah 3:10-4:11	E. Pasanelli P. Austin	E. Luysterborghs	
Fourteenth Sunday								E. Durazzo
after Pentecost	10:00AM	R. Fraleigh J. Chiodo	M. Schneider J. Pinsince	R. Fohrenbach P. Watson	Exodus 16;2-15 Jonah 3:10-4:11	K. Pegnataro D. Bryson	D. Smith J. Bryson	M. Gendreau
September 25, 2011	8:00 AM	L. Gustafson	S. Callahan	B. Neilson	Exodus 17:1-7 Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32	D. Emmons G. Bristol	C. Emmons	
Fifteenth Sunday								C. Ritz
after Pentecost	10:00 AM	P. Bell M. Gendreau	S. Winters J. Carter	B. Watkins D. Smith	Exodus 17:1-7 Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32	F. Hopkins J. Carter	G. Burrows L. Wonneberger	A. Smith



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August 2011



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	1 Fellowship Group 7:00 p.m.	2 Bible Study 7 a.m. Rector's Office	3 Holy Eucharist Noon Bible Study 7-8:30 p.m.	4 Morning Prayer 8:00 a.m.	5	6
7 Pentecost 8 Holy Eucharist 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist 10 a.m.	8	9 Bible Study 7 a.m. Rector's Office	10 Holy Eucharist Noon Bible Study 7-8:30 p.m.	11 Morning Prayer 8:00 a.m. Outreach Dinner 5:00-7:00 p.m.	12	13 Andrew Away
14 Pentecost 9 Holy Eucharist 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist 10 a.m. Confirmation Class 4—6 p.m. Andrew Away	15 VBS 9 a.m.—12 noon Andrew Away	16 Bible Study 7 a.m. Rector's Office Vestry 7:00 p.m. VBS 9 a.m.—12 noon Andrew Away	17 NO Holy Eucharist Noon Bible Study 7-8:30 p.m. VBS 9 a.m.—12 noon Andrew Away	18 Morning Prayer 8:00 a.m. VBS 9 a.m.—12 noon Andrew Away	19  Epistle Deadline VBS 9 a.m.—12 noon Andrew Away	20 Andrew Away
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