

The Epistle

November 2011

St. Peter's Church, Milford, CT

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the Rev. Andrew G. Osmun, Rector



The View for November 2011

At the Diocesan Convention this past week, Diocesan Bishop Ian Douglas centered his address on the theme of pruning – big cuts in budget and staff. One concrete response to our Diocesan financial challenges was to pass a resolution to force parishes to pay their ‘fair share’ (defined as 12.5%) of the cost of maintaining the Diocesan mission and ministry. This resolution creates a two tier system of congregations in the Diocese. Those who pay at least 10% of their income gain certain benefits, those who don’t face certain punishments – disenfranchisement.

In the local congregation, we don’t have the ability to coerce gifts, so we try a variety of other approaches – often reverting to ‘fundraising’. Often lost in the fundraising approach of today is the connection between what we do with what we have and what we believe. What would you discover in the way of evidence that one is a follower of Jesus Christ? This could be defined as:

1. I recognize that God is the owner of all that I have, that I am a trustee, not an owner, a servant or steward, and not a master or boss.
2. Across the landscape of my possessions – from the cars I drive to the stuff I buy to the vacations I take – there is clear evidence that I am making choices in small and large things to reflect how I value God’s grace in my life, and my responsibility to give all I can in generous thanksgiving.
3. I live with an attitude that all of my money, and possessions, are at the disposal of my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. All that I have I will give at the Lord’s bidding.

Perhaps you haven’t thought much about it. You respond to appeals for support from the church the same way you do the hundreds of other requests you get. The good news is how far a little effort will go in growing your life in God. Perhaps you have thought about it – and know what you should be doing – but live with the guilt and shame of knowingly compromising because you have mismanaged your finances, are so deeply in debt, or have such a limited income. We can help with planning! Just call us!

Perhaps you have taken God’s call to heart – and are reordering your priorities – but are far from where you want to be. Don’t give up; take the small steps that make up for a big change! Perhaps how you are managing your stuff bears the clear trademark that God is owner – you are steward. Well done! May you be blessed with the freedom and spiritual growth that brings! Tell us your story so we can encourage one another!

In November you can expect to be called and asked to welcome a visitor. This new approach to building community is intentional because we have a lot that has gone on and we want to think together and listen to one another as we prepare for the coming year. Please welcome the opportunity to visit with the folks that call.

-- Andrew Osmun

Sunday Services

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

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

Both held in the Chapel
✠ ✠ ✠ ✠

December Epistle

Please email your submissions for the next Epistle by November 18, 2011 to Stpetersmilford@sbcglobal.net

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





November Birthdays

11/05 Connie Eldridge
 11/06 Chris Cunningham
 11/07 Judith Giusti
 11/09 Michael Gendreau
 11/09 Ted Hoponick
 11/09 Paul Thoma
 11/11 Kimberly Hulme
 11/11 Mary Beth Saltzman
 11/12 Karen Dimes
 11/12 Michael Garnett
 11/13 Michael Garnett (Jr.)
 11/13 Fred Hopkins
 11/13 Andrew Osmun
 11/17 Carol Springsteen
 11/21 John Kropitis Sr.
 11/24 Hud Connery Jr.
 11/25 Gwen Feher
 11/28 Connor Chirico
 11/28 Michael Thomas

November Anniversaries

11/03 Gwen & Raymond Feher
 11/06 Shirley & Joseph Lang
 11/09 Jennifer & Aaron Shoop
 11/24 Florence & Fred Hopkins

Condolences

To the Fajen family for the loss
 of Ellie Fajen.

To the family of Jo Parrish
 Maloney

To the Dally family for the loss
 of Kelvin's mother.

Report from the Treasurer: September, 2011

Income Year-to-Date	\$203,014.18
Expenses Year-to-Date	<u>(209,374.78)</u>
Current Deficit	(6,360.60)

Our year to date projected income is approximately \$4,500 below the budget.

Property expenses have been greater than anticipated due to needed repairs, some of which were caused by the storms during August.

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.

November 6 – The Pinsince family

November 13 – Tino & Lee Dangelo and Lee Wonneberger

November 20 – Kathie & Joyce Hebert

November 27 – Heifer Breakfast

Experiencing Discipleship Together

The new discipleship program led by Matthew Schneider is scheduled to meet on Sunday, November 13, from 11:30 a.m. to 100 p.m. We will meet in the Taft Wing, second floor. You may contact Matthew with any questions and for further information at matthew.schneider@yale.edu.

Are you called to a leadership role at St. Peter's? Now is the time to consider and answer this call.

This is the time of year when we seek nominations to the elected positions at St. Peter's. Five Vestry positions are open. Anthony Robinson in "Changing the Conversation" describes leaders as follows: "leadership is mobilizing a congregation to engage its own most pressing problems and deepest challenges.

In the church, leadership is rooted in the truth about God. Key skills to develop are asking good questions, seeing relationships between parts and the whole, developing and empowering leaders, stepping forward and taking risks when it is helpful and strategic to do so, and consistently articulating purpose and core value." (pages 84 – 85)

Could a position on the Vestry be something God is calling you to be involved with at St. Peter's? Please pray about this as the nominating committee and Vestry discern God's call for the leadership and future of our church.

Members of the nominating committee are outgoing members Mary Beth Saltzman and Paul Smith. Debbi Smith is convener. Please speak to any one of them or any Vestry member for more information. Your involvement at St. Peter's is important and appreciated.

Veggie Table

Janice M. Jackson, Executive Director of the Milford Senior Center has acknowledged the donation to the Milford Food Bank that represented the proceeds from the Vegetable Table. She thanks St. Peter's Church for the kindness and ongoing service provided to the Milford community, specifically in support of the Food Bank recipients.

Appreciation and Recognition by Beth-El Center

Toni Dolan, Executive Director honored St. Peter's Walk for the Homeless team with the following awards: Highest Team Contributions; Largest Team; and Best Team Name. Congratulations to all who participated and supported the St. Peter's Pacers.

St. Peter's team raised \$1,267.00. Thank you to all who supported this event!

Reminder - Choir Practice

Choir practice will be held on Wednesday, November 2 rather than Thursday, November 3. Same time, same place. There will be no Choir practice on November 10. There will be no Choir practice on Thanksgiving Day, instead, practice will be held on Wednesday, November 23.

St. Peter's Purpose Statement

We will be taking a sabbatical for our monthly meetings, studying and discussing our purpose statement. We will resume in the beginning of the New Year.

**SHARING THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST
PREPARING DISCIPLES
CARING FOR THE COMMUNITY**

Anapra, Ciudad Juarez, Mexico Mission Trip

The fifth Mission Trip to Anapra, Mexico just outside Ciudad Juarez has been scheduled for Feb. 16–25. This will complete the commitment St. Peter's made five years ago to build five houses in this area. This is not to say we are done. There is great need for this type of mission work in our neighborhoods, our state, our nation, and around the world. Our team, at the moment, is 27 strong. We are now working to fund our trip through the fundraising efforts mentioned below. We thank you for your support and your prayers.

Pie and Cheesecake Sale

Team Members will be taking your orders for delicious pies and cheesecakes baked by Luigi's Bakery. Your pie order will arrive just in time for Thanksgiving Dinner. Orders will be taken until the first week in November.

November 12th -- Mission Team Pasta Dinner Save the Date & Your Appetite !!

The Juarez Mission Team will be preparing a Pasta Dinner that will be served from 5 p.m. through 8 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 12 in the Parish Hall. The cost is \$10.00 with children 5 and under free. Tickets will be available soon from any team member. You may purchase them in advance or at the door. Tickets purchased early will insure no wait at the door. Bring your family, friends, and neighbors and enjoy a homemade pasta dinner.

Juarez Mission Fund Raiser, Quilt Raffle

Jen Massari has sewn a beautiful handmade quilt to be raffled at the Juarez Dinner on November 12. Raffle tickets are \$1.00 for one and \$5.00 for seven. All proceeds will support the fifth Mission Trip to Anapra. To obtain



tickets, please contact a member of the Juarez Mission Team. This raffle will end at 7 p.m. when the winning ticket will be drawn. You do not have to be present to win.

Fellowship

If you have any ideas to help encourage fellowship among the parishioners at St. Peter's please join us at our meeting on Monday, Nov. 7th, in the parish hall library. We will be planning this year's Giving Tree. If you have any questions please contact Dee Green at 203-874- 0418 or deegreen@optonline.net for more information.

Progressive Dinner

On Oct. 15th the Fellowship group held its first progressive dinner. A great time was had by all who attended.



November 15 - Samaritan's Purse Shoe Box Ministry

St. Peter's has been serving this ministry for several years now. Operation Christmas Child is a project headed by Franklin Graham, President of Samaritan's Purse. The boxes go all over the world to children who may NEVER have received a gift. They learn of God's Love for them, and receive a New Testament. After 12 weeks of Bible study, many are baptized, bringing their parents to Christ. What a wonderful way to: Share the Gospel, Prepare disciples, and Care for the community.

Please shop with your children so they can feel the joy of giving to another child. You may pack your own shoeboxes and/or come to our day of assembling the boxes on November 15 at 10:00 a.m. in the parish hall. Below is a list of items needed. We HAVE stuffed animals and pencils. We NEED enough of the following to make about 24 boxes:

SCHOOL SUPPLIES: pens, sharpeners, crayons or markers, writing pads or paper, coloring and picture books, solar calculator.

TOYS-small cars, balls, dolls, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, small Etch-a-Sketch, toys that light up or make noise (with extra batteries), Slinky, etc.

HYGIENE ITEMS: Toothbrush, toothpaste, mild soap bar (in a plastic bag), comb, washcloth.

OTHER: Hard candy (please double bag all candy), T-shirts, socks, sunglasses, hair clips, toy jewelry watches, flashlights (with extra batteries)

If you purchase a quantity of any of the above, please e-mail Brenda at brendat2@optonline.net, then we can keep a balanced inventory for the boxes. I will update weekly in the Sunday Bulletin of items purchased in sufficient quantities.

Alternative Christmas Giving

Creative ideas from the Mission Committee

Free yourself from the frantic shopping season and have more time to prepare for Christmas in a real way, preparing for the birth of JESUS. Instead of every adult in your family buying for every other adult - give them a card saying that you have donated to a specific charity in their name. You will be blessed in so many ways. Below is a list of opportunities. E-Giving is available on-line to make donations, or you can donate via your weekly envelope, designating where you would like your donation to be applied.

- **Juarez Project** Join the team or support it in building a house in Juarez for a needy family.
- **Beth-El Homeless Shelter and Soup Kitchen** The Shelter is having tough times financially. This is a place of real caring for families and singles to spend the time it takes to get on their feet.
- **Heifer Ark** Help support a family in a Third World country to be self-sufficient. They will benefit from the animals and pass on offspring to their neighbors. So please donate a pig, a chicken, a tenth of a cow!
- **The Christmas Giving Tree** The Fellowship committee will be taking care of this project to provide for needy families at Christmas. Look for the Christmas tree, take a request from it and enjoy the great feeling of providing a beautiful Christmas for the less fortunate.
- **Operation Christmas Child** Fill a shoebox with goodies, toys school supplies for needy children around the world. Include a note and a picture to personalize it
- **Homefront** We will again be helping a local deserving family with needed repairs to their home in the spring. Our donation to Homefront is \$2,250.

Our Annual Heifer International Breakfast

On Sunday, November 27, the mission committee will be hosting our annual Thanksgiving breakfast to benefit Heifer International, a non-profit we have been supporting for over ten years.

Heifer's Mission is: *To work with communities to end hunger and poverty and to care for the Earth.*

About Heifer: *Heifer International is a global nonprofit with a proven solution to ending hunger and poverty in a sustainable way. Heifer helps empower millions of families to lift them out of poverty and hunger to self-reliance through gifts of livestock, seeds, trees, and extensive training, which provide a multiplying source of food and income.*

St. Peter's has successfully launched ten "Arks" which is a \$5,000.00 gift of needed animals to be distributed throughout the world. Please join us on November 27, enjoy a bountiful breakfast, while sharing your blessings with the less fortunate in this world. Find Heifer on FaceBook or @ Heifer.org.



Have you Met Sharon and Fred Callahan?

If you are an 8 o'clocker you have seen both of them frequently. Sharon is a lay reader and Eucharistic Minister. She has been a Sunday school teacher and a member of the Vestry. Fred is also an acolyte, a lay reader, a Eucharistic Minister, and he too was a Vestry member. They both serve on the cooking crews whenever there is a church breakfast. Both help with dinners for the homeless. You may also remember them in the role of officers in the St. Peter's production of "Arsenic and Old Lace".

Sharon is a native of Stratford, and Fred, a native of Havre de Grace, MD. They met while both were attending Bunnell High School and have been sweethearts since 1961. Sharon and Fred were married in Christ Church, Stratford in 1967, and are proud parents of two daughters, Carrie and Megan, who are both nurses. They also have two very special grandsons, Matthew, age 9, and Christopher, age 7, both Carrie's sons.



Both Sharon and Fred are retired teachers. Sharon taught in Fort Dix, NJ, Fayetteville, NC, Bridgeport, Milford, and retired from the Trumbull School System.

Fred started teaching in Shelton, but had his career interrupted when he was drafted into the U.S. Army during the Viet Nam War. A supervisor neglected to process his deferment papers. After basic training, Fred went to Officer's Candidate School where he earned the rank of Second Lieutenant. Back home during this time, Sharon was busy making wedding plans. They were married and their honeymoon was a drive to Fort Bragg from Stratford.

While preparing to go to Viet Nam, Fred remembers seeing a long line of planes equipped with ramps, and troops driving their trucks up the ramps and into the planes. His next stop was Viet Nam. Fred made several trips to DaNang to get supplies for the troops – a very dangerous job.

After a year in Viet Nam, Fred returned home to Sharon. He and Sharon spent a year at Fort Dix and was honorably discharged from the Army.

Fred had an interesting and unusual childhood. His father was an engineer for the Chrysler Corporation and worked for short periods in several different states and his family went with him. Fred fondly remembers his years at Fitzgerald High School in Warren, MI. Because his family chose to go to the church nearest their home, regardless of denomination, Fred was a Roman Catholic, baptized a Methodist, and confirmed as a Lutheran and was married in the Episcopal Church.

Fred returned to teaching as a physical education teacher in Milford. He taught at Calf Pen Meadow and Pumpkin Delight Schools. Later he returned to college, earned a Master's degree and became a math teacher at West Shore Middle School until he retired. Sharon went back to college while she was still teaching and earned both a Master's Degree and a Sixth Year Degree.

Now that they are retired, both enjoy reading, and Sharon jogs and walks as her form of exercise. Fred's hobby is collecting Disney memorabilia. He has fond memories of actually seeing Walt Disney at Disney Land.

The Callahan's came to St. Peter's from St. Andrew's Church in 1985. They felt that the people at St. Peter's were very friendly and welcoming.

We are fortunate to have such dedicated members of our church.

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!

NOVEMBER 2011 WORSHIP SCHEDULE

DATE	SERVICE TIME	ACOLYTE	LAY MINISTER	LECTOR	READINGS	USHER	GREETER	CHILD CARE
November 6, 2011	8:00 AM	H. Kropitis	F. Callahan	S. MacKenzie	Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	B. Kuhar C. Bristol	G. Bristol	
Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	D. Bibens K. Carriero	C. Riker S. Winters	D. Bryson J. Bryson	Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	M. Ritz F. Hopkins	J. Bryson D. Pinsince	TBD
November 13, 2011	8:00 AM	D. Gendreau	S. Callahan	G. Bristol	Judges 4:1-7 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11	E. Pasenelli P. Austin	A. Swanepoel	
Twenty Second Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	E. Durazzo R. Fraleigh	J. Pinsince B. Lewis	C. Franz B. Eldridge	Judges 4:1-7 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11	K. Pegnataro J. Carter	M. Saltzman D. Smith	C. Ritz P. Bell
November 20, 2011	8:00 AM	M. Schneider	D. Warren	S. Callahan	Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 Ephesians 1:15-23	G. Bristol A. Fredericks	S. Giambra	
Last Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	P. Bell J. Chiodo	D. Green D. Smith	P. Watson B. Vanbrederode	Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 Ephesians 1:15-23	B. McDonald P. Smith	G. Burrows L. Wonneberger	A. Smith M. Gendreau
November 27, 2011	8:00 AM	L. Gustafson	G. Bristol	K. Gammage	Isaiah 64:1-9 1 Corinthians 1:3-9	D. Blanchet B. Kuhar	B. Neilson	
First Sunday of Advent	10:00 AM	M. Gendreau K. Carriero	D. Pinsince J. Carter	D. Smith L. Wonneberger	Isaiah 64:1-9 1 Corinthians 1:3-9	B. Eldridge F. Hopkins	S. Peck M. Ritz	E. Durazzo TBD

DECEMBER 2011 WORSHIP SCHEDULE

DATE	SERVICE TIME	ACOLYTE	LAY MINISTER	LECTOR	READINGS	USHER	GREETER	CHILD CARE
December 4, 2011	8:00 AM	C. Cunningham	F. Callahan	B. Neilson	Isaiah 40:1-11 2 Peter 3:8-15a	C. Bristol A. Fredericks	B. Neilson	
Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost	10:00 AM	W. Bibens J. Chiodo	C. Riker S. Winters	P. Watson B. VanBrederode	Isaiah 40:1-11 2 Peter 3:8-15a	R. Durazzo B. Eldridge	D. Pinsince M. Saltzman	C. Ritz P. Bell
December 11, 2011	8:00 AM	H. Kropitis	S. Callahan	S. MacKenzie	Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24	D. Blanchet B. Kuhar	E. Luysterborghs	
2nd Sunday of Advent	10:00 AM	D. Bibens M. Bibens	J. Pinsince B. Lewis	C. Franz B. Eldridge	Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24	M. Ritz K. Pegnataro	D. Smith G. Burrows	W. Bibens M. Gendreau
December 18, 2011	8:00 AM	D. Gendreau	D. Warren	G. Bristol	2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16 Romans 16:25-27	C. Bristol E. Pasenelli	S. Giambra	
3rd Sunday of Advent	10:00 AM	K. Carriero R. Fraleigh	D. Green D. Smith	L. Wonneberger P. Watson	2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16 Romans 16:25-27	F. Hopkins J. Carter	L. Wonneberger S. Peck	E. Durazzo M. Bibens
December 24, 2011	4:30 PM	M. Bibens W. Bibens R. Fraleigh P. Bell	F. Callahan D. Green	C. Franz S. Callahan	Isaiah 9:2-7 Titus 2:11-14	C. Bristol B. Kuhar J. Carter G. Bristol		
Christmas Eve	10:30 PM	D. Bibens K. Carriero M. Gendreau E. Durazzo	D. Smith J. Pinsince	P. Watson B. Lewis	Isaiah 9:2-7 Titus 2:11-14	P. Smith R. Durazzo B. McDonald M. Ritz		TBD
December 25, 2011								
Christmas Day	10:00 AM	M. Gendreau	S. Winters	P. Watson	Isaiah 52:7-10 Hebrews 1:1-4, 5-12	R. Eldridge K. Pegnataro		C. Ritz A. Smith



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<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
		1 All Saints Day Bible Study 7 a.m. Rector's Office Youth Group 6 p.m.—8 p.m.	2 NO Holy Eucharist Bible Study 7-8:30 p.m. Church Library Choir Practice 7 p.m.—8:30 p.m. ANDREW AWAY	3 Morning Prayer 8 a.m. NO Choir Practice ANDREW AWAY	4 OFFICE CLOSED ANDREW AWAY	5 ANDREW AWAY
6 Pentecost 21 Holy Eucharist 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist 10 a.m. Christian Form 10 a.m.	7 Fellowship Group 7:00 p.m.	8 Bible Study 7 a.m. Rector's Office	9 Holy Eucharist Noon Bible Study 7-8:30 p.m. Church Library	10 Morning Prayer 8 a.m. Outreach Dinner 5:00—7:00 p.m. NO Choir Practice	11 OFFICE CLOSED	12 Pasta Dinner for the Juarez Mission Trip 5 p.m.—8 p.m. Parish Hall
13 Pentecost 22 Holy Eucharist 8 a.m. Holy Eucharist & Baptism 10 a.m. Christian Form 10 a.m. Exp Discipleship 11:30 a.m. Confirmation Class 4-6p.m.	14	15 Bible Study 7 a.m. Rector's Office Shoe Box Assembly 10—12 noon Youth Group 6 p.m.—8 p.m. Vestry 7:00 p.m.	16 Holy Eucharist Noon Bible Study 7-8:30 p.m. Church Library	17 Morning Prayer 8 a.m. Choir Practice 7 p.m.—8:30 p.m.	18 OFFICE CLOSED	19
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