Weekly E-news and Updates







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Ministry Assignments

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Sunday, August 6
The Transfiguration of
Our Lord Jesus Christ

Eucharistic Ministers

8am

Gail Dietzer

10am

Dianne Wasmuth

Susan Fuller

Acolyte

Henry Clare

Lector

Aiden Schuette-Simon

Altar Guild

Carolyn Sundquist

Candace Tordonato

Usher

Holm

Flower Guild

Sue Adams

Flower Delivery

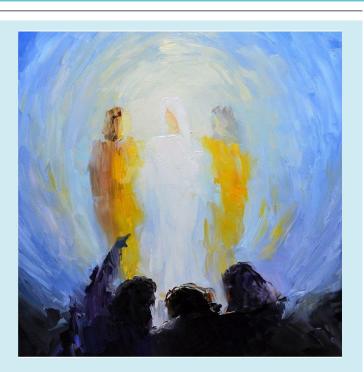
Lynne Moughty

Greeter

Volunteer



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Link to The Episcopal Church.



Beloveds of All Saints,

The parable story format in the Gospel of Matthew continues this week with a series of short examples strung together. It might be tempting to rush through them without noticing the surprises: the mustard bush is not, in fact, a great tree; the woman is baking leavened, thus nonreligious, bread; the treasure calls for total commitment; the net includes both eatable fish and trash. Little details matter to Jesus and the stories he shares to connect with us.

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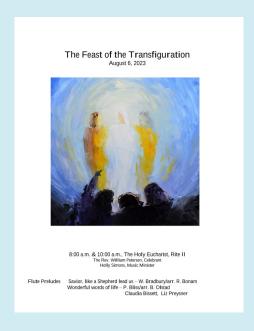
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Worship Links for Sunday Link to Live Stream at 10:00 am

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Sunday August 6 The Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ



Links to the Readings

- Exodus 34:29-35
 Coming down from Mount
 Sinai, Moses' face shone
- Psalm 99 or 99:5-9
 Proclaim the greatness of

This week and throughout Matthew, Jesus and his disciples proclaim the good news that "the kingdom of heaven is near!" Jesus offers these brief parables that are meant for us to explore the implications of this announcement for our lives. What are we to do with the surprising little things Jesus weaves into his storytelling? How are we to share the kingdom way of love with others in the little things in life that are so often hidden and surprising?

It's the little things... In The Seeds of Heaven (Louisville: Westminster John Knox Press, 2004), Barbara Brown Taylor offers this insight: "If anyone in the world were qualified to speak directly about God, surely it was Jesus, and yet he too spoke indirectly, making surprising comparisons between holy things and ordinary things, breaking open our everyday understanding of things and inviting us to explore them all over again" (p. 41). The ordinary things Jesus uses to describe God's kingdom all have an aspect of hiddenness and surprise to them, Taylor notes. In other words, the kingdom is something we must search for ourselves.

May you notice the hidden and surprising ways God's kingdom includes you and all people.

Bill+



P.S. Mark your calendars for a One Service Sunday followed by Sunday Brunch on August 20th starting at 9:00 am. So sleep in 8 o'clockers, or set your alarms an hour earlier 10 o'clockers and bring your favorite brunch item to share as our many members

the Lord; worship upon God's holv hill

- 2 Peter 1:13-21 The apostle's message confirmed on the mount of transfiguration!
- <u>Luke 9:28-36</u> Jesus is transfigured on the mountain

The Collect of the Day

O God, who on the holy mount revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured, in raiment white and glistening: Mercifully grant that we, being delivered from the disquietude of this world, may by faith behold the King in his beauty; who with you, O Father, and you, O Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Flower Dedication

The chancel flowers are given in the glory of God.



gather as one body.



New Thursday Afternoon Study for August

The Rev. Liz Preysner will facilitate our Thursday afternoon study at 3:00 pm in the Beck Memorial Library and online via Zoom during August. She will guide us in exploring the intersection of faith and poetry with the works of Anglican poets like John Donne and George Herbert. Mid-week Eucharist follows the study; we hope you can join us!



The memorial garden is the perfect place to ponder and pray, or read and reflect.

God loves you. No exceptions.



The Episcopal Church Welcomes You.

This week we pray for:

For our Parish

Howard Blaney, Linda Brown, Ann Champagne, Prue Fitts, Felicity Freund, Louise Graham, Judy Hess, The Jeffers Family (Polly, Dave, Rachael), Zell Kellogg, Bhupendra & Judy Khetani, Jacqueline McLaughlin, Penny Meyer, Carol Pearson, Danielle Pierpont, Bree Schuette, Linda Snowden, Sebastian Tordonato.

For our Family & Friends

Basil Brown, Rebecca DeNeault, Alix Dorsainvil, Candy Desrocher, Michael Dowd, Anne Fish, Stephanie Fullam, Ruth Gray, Linda Hall, Susan Belt Hartson, Dillon Johnson, Faye Juul, Jim Lunney, Margie, Tom Southern, Marguerite Truesdale, Ken Truesdale, Kyle Williams, Peggy Young.

From The Music Corner...



"Hallelujah! How good it is to sing praises to our God! How pleasant it is to honor him with praise!" Psalm 147:1

Praise, prayer and song interweave and overlap in our daily journey, providing us deep connection with God's Presence and Love, moment by moment.

Often, monastic communities, like the Taize community (pronounced Ti-zay) originating in France, model well for us the simple, heartfelt choruses of praise. This well-known Taize "Bless the Lord" is glorious in its repetition, and can enhance your quiet moments with deeper focus on our Lord Jesus. Be blessed!

Bless the Lord (with vocals) https://youtu.be/t4Svh-9ohg4
Bless the Lord (instrumental) https://youtu.be/YpLmx6NUgiQ?
t=746

"May the Lord bless you and keep you and cause His face to shine upon you from this day forth and forever more. Amen."

Holly

Parking for Public Safety Staff



All Saints will host police and fire staff parking during the three phase construction project for the new/renovated Wolfeboro Public Safety Complex across S. Main Street. This is just another example of how we share the blessing of this campus with the larger community as good neighbors.



New Table for the Stevens Room

Thank you Carol and Dan Simpson for the acquisition of a beautiful wood conference and reception table for the Stevens Room. The trestle table seats 8-10 for meetings and will be a great addition for the small events and receptions held in that flex space.





A New Addition To The Library

Want to beat the heat! Visit the library and work on a puzzle on the new puzzle board. It is on a turntable and features 4 drawers to separate pieces.

Help yourself to some a/c and puzzle away!







Car Needed

Do you have a used car you could part with? A couple who are food pantry clients living and working in Wolfeboro, are trying to improve their situation and really need transportation. They are wondering if you, or anyone you know has an "un-needed" vehicle, it can be ugly, dented etc. that is roadworthy. They can scrape up a little money for this (\$500) and the church will assist with registration. If you can assist this couple get their feet on the

ladder to improve their lives, please contact Pastor Bill.

VESTRY NOTES

The Vestry met on Monday, June 9th. Here's a quick summary of our meeting. Please ask questions of any member if you'd like more information.

Celebrate: -- Sunday School completed a successful year under the guidance of Danielle Pierpont. Thanks to Kay, Arlene, Mary, and Carolyn who were her helpers and to the children who attended faithfully.

Challenge – The elevator has been presenting some noisy rides and interesting experiences. We hope it will be fixed in the next few weeks.

Something to Anticipate – On Sunday, August 20, we will have one service at 9:00am followed by a brunch at 10:00am. We'd like to update you on progress our parish has made this year on our finances and some of the other great ideas from the January brainstorming brunch.

-Clerk, Lyn Healy



Altar Flower Dedication dates can now be reserved online at https://ttsu.me/allsaintswolfe.

We have some open summer slots in June and July!

Please remember to drop your payment to the office prior to your dedication. Thank you.





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Dinner Bell DINING IN PERSON IN THE PARISH HALL

THURSDAYS 5:00 PM

Dinner bell will be returning August 10th

8/10 Minestrone soup, Baked lasagna and vegetables

8/17 Chicken soup, Roast pork, Oven roasted potatoes, and vegetables

8/24 Butternut soup, Meatloaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, and vegetables

A reminder that our Dinner Bell program offers a community meal weekly on Thursdays 5:00-6:00 pm in the parish hall. All are welcome and donations are accepted to offset costs.

Your help is also welcome to share hospitality with our neighbors, please speak with Carol Simpson or Pastor Bill to volunteer.

August 2023 Calendar



Click on the Calendar for a pdf copy

There are many ways to connect with one another to see, hear and share God online at All Saints





E-NEWS UPDATE E-news editing has now moved to the Parish Office. Please have your submission requests to the office by Tuesday of the week you would like it in the e-news. You may email your requests to Debra at allsaints@metrocast.net.



HAVING A HARD TIME GETTING FOOD FOR YOURSELF OR YOUR FAMILY? HELP IS AVAILABLE

DRIVE-THROUGH FOOD DISTRIBUTION –
FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAYS MONTHLY
10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM
4:00PM TO 6:00PM

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AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE

www.lifeministriesfoodpantry.com

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