

*“To embody Christ’s teaching in appropriate ways
for serving the community, the nation, and the world.*”

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS

Immediately following worship the service on Sunday, Sept. 11, we will have our church picnic at the Phoebe Needles Center. Please bring plenty of food -- nothing will be supplied other than drinks. Someone will be at Phoebe before the church service to receive any food that you want to drop off before the worship service. The swimming pool will be available for anyone interested in swimming. Other outside activities can also be enjoyed. Thanks to Nancy Bradley and Lisa Willie for organizing the gathering.

Special thanks to Martha Perry for leading Morning Prayer while the Hecks were on vacation last month.

The next program for the Center for Lifelong Learning at the Phoebe Needles Center features Steve Thomas, the Director of Information Technology for Franklin County. He will speak on “Solar Energy” on Tuesday September 13th, 21016 at 10:00 a.m. Please call the office at 483-1518 to make a reservation.

We need volunteers to sign up for coffee and refreshments each Sunday. Please check the list in the Parish Hall and add your name if you can help out one Sunday.

Please remember that Saint Peter’s depends on your pledge! If you have forgotten the amount of your pledge for 2016, please contact Christy Izard at (540) 651-8743 or izards@swva.net. Reminders will be sent soon!

Our prayers and best wishes to our college students as they begin a new school year: Nathaniel Hancock at the University of Georgia, Drew Holden at Virginia Western, and Mellea Mead at Champlain College.

The Callaway Elementary Pack-a-Sack Program has a collection bin in the Parish Hall. Please bring one food item with you each Sunday so we can fill the bin and help provide children in our community with nutritious food for the weekends. A donation wish list of child-friendly food items is available on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall. You may also wish to become a Callaway Pack-a-Sack Partner. Enrollment forms are on the table in the Parish Hall. Contributions are tax-deductible. \$7 fills one backpack for one weekend; \$28 fills one backpack for one month; \$252 fills one backpack for the school year. Thank you for our generosity!

Fair Trade products: coffee, tea, chocolate bars, cocoa and olive oil will be available for purchase after service on Sunday, Sept. 18.

Please send October newsletter info by September 25 to Gary Holden at gholden@ferrum.edu.

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ROCK CHURCH NEWS

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Sunday Service
10:00 a.m.

Church School
11:15 a.m.

OUTREACH REPORT

Sunday, September 4, 2016 is Outreach Sunday. The collection will benefit The Ferrum Community Mission Center (also known as St. James Community Center). This center is open on Wednesdays of each week. It offers a food pantry and a clothes closet.

The food pantry provides a family with food adequate for one day a month. Approximately 40-50 families per week are helped at this mission. The center provides up to fifty meals at both Christmas and Thanksgiving for those in need.

Through the mission center, St. James UMC is able to provide spiritual support, encouragement, and guidance as well as the much needed items.

In August, \$185 was sent to Southern Virginia Child Advocacy Center.

UNITED THANK OFFERING

The Fall Ingathering for the United Thank Offering (UTO) will be Sunday, November 7. Remember this -- the UTO is not a fund drive but rather a discipline in our daily life in Christ wherein we offer prayers of thanksgiving for our countless blessings; this makes giving a joyful experience. Through our giving to the UTO we become spiritual and financial partners in the mission work of The Episcopal Church. There are plenty of empty boxes at the church in case you have already filled yours. One, two or more are graciously accepted!



We are still looking for a volunteer to maintain the Church's financial data on a spreadsheet. The financial information will be provided to the person to key into a spreadsheet for routine record keeping purposes.

TREASURER'S REPORT -- Sept. 2016

Operating Account

	<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Expense</u>
January	\$7,226.00	\$5,419.86
February	\$4,252.00	\$6,796.14
March	\$6,051.75	\$5,380.29
April	\$5,827.00	\$8,758.27
May	\$6,429.80	\$4,811.93
June	\$5,278.00	\$4,884.99
July	\$7,779.00	\$5,736.87
August	\$2,755.00	\$5,177.17
Year to date	\$45,598.55	\$46,965.52

Non Operating Account






	<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Expense</u>
January	\$289.30	\$482.30
February	\$538.99	\$412.09
March	\$304.00	\$274.50
April	\$303.00	\$535.00
May	\$1,076.11	\$2,142.21
June	\$559.30	\$460.70
July	\$251.00	\$516.00
August	\$380.00	\$85.00
Year to date	\$3,701.70	\$4,907.80

We are looking for a few additional people willing to serve as chalicers during Sunday service. The Constitution and Canons of the Episcopal Church require you to be "a communicant in good standing." Please contact John at 483-1518 or johnheck@gmail.com with any questions.



As usual, the St. Peter's choir, with Music Director Fair Robey on the keys, sounded phenomenal during worship service on Sunday, August 28.

SERVICE CALENDAR – September 2016

	Readings	Lector	Chalice	Acolyte	Altar Guild	Children's Chapel
4 	Jeremiah 18:1-11 Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17 Philemon 1-21 Luke 14:25-33	Gary	Martha Dave	Benton	Pat R. Deb	Tyler Peter
11 	Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28 Psalm 14 1 Timothy 1:12-17 Luke 15:1-10	Pat N.	Delia Deb	Hailu	Regina Lisa	Zoe Benton
18 	Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 Psalm 79:1-9 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Luke 16:1-13	Lana	Charlotte Katherine	Berhan	Kelley Christie	Hailu Tyler
25 	Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15 Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16 1 Timothy 6:6-19 Luke 16:19-31	Katherine	Pat N. Christy	Zoe	Sharon	Berhan Peter
2 Oct. 	Lamentations 1:1-6 Lamentations 3:19-26 or Psalm 137 2 Timothy 1:1-14 Luke 17:5-10	Charlotte	TBA	Tyler	Sherrie	Zoe Hailu

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

September

- 1 Terry Griffen
- 2 Linda Sigmon
- 3 Jami Stanley
- 6 Beth Crow
- 13 Regena Sigmon
- 25 Billy DeHart
- 26 Paul Simms
- 29 Todd Hancock
- 29 Fair Robey

Prayer for a Birthday

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on these your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

(Book of Common Prayer, p. 830)

If your birthday is incorrect or missing, please e-mail Gary at ggholden@ferrum.edu.

SAINT PETER'S-IN-THE-MOUNTAINS PRAYER LIST – September 2016

Kyla Rose Robbins
Sue Plaisance
Debra Lustig
Dale Green
Sharon Buckman
Brenda Goens
Paul Lynch
Craig Griffin
Susan Smith
Elaine Craighead
Carla Frechette
Teresa Sanders
Nell Herring
Eli Sydow
Jake Bailey
Darlene Jordan
Dee Sarver
Sally Hollandsworth

Linda Wingfield
Ricky Gibson
Jim & Marcia Vance
Benjamin Austin
Garrett Sweigert
Nakia Bailey
Kim Johnson
Joey Jones
Karen Zell
Stanley Prokopiak
Hazel Pendleton
Claire Parker
Hazel Hamilton
Betty Hood
Mia Walk-Hardy
Jamie Stanley
Diane Holliman
Linda Thomas

We pray for John our priest, Mark our Bishop, and Michael our Presiding Bishop. May their ministries be guided by the grace of the Holy Spirit.

We pray also for all those who were killed this week as a result of war and terrorism, and for families whose lives are being torn apart. Almighty God whose will it is to hold both heaven and earth in the peace of your kingdom: Give peace to your Church, peace among nations, peace in our homes, and peace in our hearts.

We pray for those serving in the military, and particularly for those who are serving in harms way.

If you would like to add/remove a name from the prayer list, please contact the Rev. John Heck at johnheck@gmail.com or 483-1518. If you would like to have the flowers on the altar in honor or memory of someone, please see a member of the Altar Guild.

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