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## **THIS WEEK at ST. AIDAN'S**

### **Sunday, June 29**

- Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. (in-person)
- Lemonade on the Lawn at 10:45 a.m.
- Online Giving “Help Desk” at 10:45 a.m.
- Celtic Worship at 5:30 p.m. (in-person and live streamed via Zoom)

### **Monday, June 30**

- Compline at 7:00 p.m. (online via Zoom)
- Al-Anon meeting at 7:00 p.m. (in-person and live streamed via Zoom)

### **Tuesday, July 1**

- Meditation/Silent Prayer at 8:00 a.m. (in-person)

### **Wednesday, July 2**

- Compline at 7:00 p.m. (online via Zoom)

### **Thursday, July 3**

- Gospel of Philip at 7:30 p.m. (online via Zoom)

### **Friday, July 4 - Happy 4th of July! Office Closed**

- Meditation/Silent Prayer at 8:00 a.m. (in-person)

### **Sunday, July 6**

- Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. (in-person)
- Lemonade on the Lawn at 10:45 a.m.
- Celtic Worship at 5:30 p.m. (in-person and live streamed via Zoom)

*See the reverse side for a more detailed look at events this week and beyond.*

## A LOOK AHEAD at ST. AIDAN'S

### Where in the World is Flat St. Aidan? • All Summer

Take Flat St. Aidan with you on your summer adventures and explorations! Send photos of you and Aidan to Eileen at [staidansalexandria@gmail.com](mailto:staidansalexandria@gmail.com). Be sure to caption the photo so we know where it was taken and who was present. Pick up a Flat St. Aidan on the table in the narthex or print one at home here: [tinyurl.com/printableStAidan](http://tinyurl.com/printableStAidan).

### Online Giving Platform Migrating from Vanco to Servant Keeper in June 2025 • “Help Desk” provided after 9:30 a.m. service on Sunday, June 29

At the end of June 2025, Vanco, the online giving platform St. Aidan's currently uses for one-time and recurring online donations made via credit card or ACH will no longer integrate with our membership database platform, Servant Keeper. Thankfully, Servant Keeper now offers their own secure online giving platform and we are currently in the process of helping givers navigate from the old to the new platform. If you are a recurring giver, you should receive instructions from Rev. Laura via email and snail mail for stopping payments via Vanco and setting up new payments via Servant Keeper. Rev. Laura and Vestry members will be available at a “Help Desk” after the 9:30 a.m. service on Sunday, June 29 to assist givers in person. Please bring a smartphone, tablet, or laptop if you would like help at either of those times. Questions? Please contact Rev. Laura+ at [staidansrector@gmail.com](mailto:staidansrector@gmail.com); and please remember not to send any financial or sensitive personal data via email.

### Parish Potluck/Grill Night • Sunday, July 27 and August 24 at 6:45 p.m.

Parish Potluck suppers are held on the fourth Sunday of each month. In June, July, and August the Parish Potluck will be combined with Grill Night on the fourth Sunday. Bring a friend! Bring your own beverages, something to cook on the grill and/or a prepared dish to share. We'll provide water, condiments, and paper products. If the weather's nice we'll eat outdoors; if it's hot or stormy we'll eat inside.

### Parish Retreat Weekend at Shrine Mont • Fri., August 1 - Sun., August 3

The St. Aidan's Annual Parish Retreat weekend at Shrine Mont is August 1-3, 2025. Registered participants who have not submitted payment yet should do so by July 6. If you have any questions about cost or payment options, please send an email to Eileen at [staidansalexandria@gmail.com](mailto:staidansalexandria@gmail.com).

### Oktoberfest/Silent Auction • Receiving Donations Now for Fall 2025!

It's not too early to think about Silent Auction donations for Oktoberfest! Good donations include experiences (boutique fitness classes, photo sessions, vacation rentals, tickets to sporting and theater events, wine tastings, etc.), quirky “rummage sale” items, and gift cards. If you have something to donate, or if you have a question about the Silent Auction at Oktoberfest 2025, please contact Eileen at [staidansalexandria@gmail.com](mailto:staidansalexandria@gmail.com). An on-line donation form will be available soon.

### Confirmation Class for 2025-2026 Program Year • Receiving Names of those Interested for 2026 Bishop's Visitation

Are you interested in being confirmed or received in The Episcopal Church? A confirmation class is scheduled to begin this fall (2025) for adults and youth. All those who are interested in participating should send a note to Rev. Laura at [staidansrector@gmail.com](mailto:staidansrector@gmail.com).

Thank you for your generosity in supporting St. Aidan's.

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