

Youth Sunday Seventh Sunday of Easter

The Holy Eucharist
May 17, 2026 at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Preachers:
Robin Erdman, Vivian Major, and Philip Cleven

Celebrant:
The Rev. Lauren R. Holder



**St. Martin's
in-the-Field**
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Serving Severna Park since 1955

WELCOME TO ST. MARTIN'S-IN-THE-FIELD

We are so glad you are here! Whether you are searching for a new parish home or joining the church for the first time, we'd love to welcome you to our community. Tell us a little about yourself. Scan the QR code, visit stmartinsinthefield.org/welcome or fill out the connection card found in the pews.



WHAT TO EXPECT THIS MORNING

We invite you to participate fully in our worship service, by both singing joyfully and with spoken responses which appear in **bold**. Our worship services are taken from *The Book of Common Prayer* (BCP), *Enriching Our Worship*, *The Hymnal 1982* (H), *Lift Every Voice and Sing II* (L), and *Wonder, Love and Praise* (WLP). We livestream our 10:00 a.m. service.

We encourage parents to involve their children by sitting near the front where little ones can see, singing joyfully with them, leading them in prayer, modeling good listening, and sharing with them the sacrament of Holy Communion. At the same time, we understand that children wiggle--please do not fret when they do. Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs." We are followers of Christ; we love all, especially the wigglers.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

All are invited to receive communion, which is the consecrated bread and wine, with us after the Breaking of the Bread. An usher will indicate when you may proceed to the altar. Stand or kneel at the altar rail and hold out your hand(s) to receive the bread in your palm. Gluten-free wafers are available on the far left of the altar rail. Receive the wine either by drinking from the common cup or by touching the wafer lightly to the wine in the smaller intinction chalice. Cross your arms over your chest if you prefer not to take the wine. Please let an usher know if you would like communion brought to you.

RECEIVING A BLESSING

If you do not wish to, or are not able to receive communion today for any reason, we encourage you to come forward at the time of communion to receive a blessing. An usher will indicate when you may proceed to the altar. Stand or kneel at the altar rail and simply cross your arms over your chest. As clergy approaches with the bread, they will know to give you a blessing instead of communion. In this way, everyone can participate in this part of the service.

SEEKING BAPTISM

We welcome all people of any age to be baptized. In baptism we are made sharers in the new life of the Holy Spirit and the forgiveness of sins. God adopts us, making us members of the church and inheritors of the Kingdom of God (BCP, pp. 298, 858). Please contact a clergy member to learn more.

SPIRITUAL SANCTUARY

We believe God loves each of us, no exceptions. As human beings created in God's image, we should have a place where the love of Jesus is made real, a place where we can experience the celebration of who we are and an acceptance of where we are on life's journey. We aspire to be an inclusive community of faith and a beacon of hope for those seeking spiritual refuge.

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CELEBRATION OF HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE I - 8:00 A.M.

This morning we give such thanks for our young people at St. Martin's and our youth ministries. A very special thank you to the young people who will serve as today's greeters, ushers, and lectors, and to Robin Erdman, Vivian Major, and Philip Cleven who will deliver today's sermon. We are blessed by our young people and the integral part they play in our church family.

THE WORD OF GOD

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DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

All may receive the consecrated bread and wine of the Eucharist or a blessing. Stand or kneel at the altar rail to receive the bread in the palm of your hand. Gluten-free wafers are available on the far left of the altar rail. Receive the wine either by drinking from the common cup or by touching the wafer lightly to the wine in the smaller intinction chalice. If you would like to receive a blessing, cross your arms across your chest.

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Join us for fellowship and refreshments in the Narthex following this morning's worship service.

CELEBRATION OF HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II - 10:00 A.M.

This morning we give such thanks for our young people at St. Martin's and our youth ministries. Today's liturgy was designed by the youth of our church, including the hymn selections, and the prayers of the people. A very special thank you to the young people who will serve as today's greeters, ushers, and lectors, and to Robin Erdman, Vivian Major, and Philip Cleven who will deliver today's sermon. We are blessed by our young people and the integral part they play in our church family.

THE WORD OF GOD

PRELUDE: *I Need Thee Every Hour*

Seth Bingham

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN: *Earth And All Stars*

All stand and sing.

H 412, v. 1, 3, 5 & 6

EASTER ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ is risen! **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia, alleluia!**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GLORIA

All sing.

H S 278

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory; Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

God be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray.

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Acts 1:6-14

When the apostles had come together, they asked Jesus, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 68:1-10, 33-36

- ¹ Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered; let those who hate him flee before him.
- ² **Let them vanish like smoke when the wind drives it away; as the wax melts at the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God.**
- ³ But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; let them also be merry and joyful.
- ⁴ **Sing to God, sing praises to his Name; exalt him who rides upon the heavens; YAHWEH is his Name, rejoice before him!**
- ⁵ Father of orphans, defender of widows, God in his holy habitation!
- ⁶ **God gives the solitary a home and brings forth prisoners into freedom; but the rebels shall live in dry places.**
- ⁷ O God, when you went forth before your people, when you marched through the wilderness,
- ⁸ **The earth shook, and the skies poured down rain, at the presence of God, the God of Sinai, at the presence of God, the God of Israel.**
- ⁹ You sent a gracious rain, O God, upon your inheritance; you refreshed the land when it was weary.
- ¹⁰ **Your people found their home in it; in your goodness, O God, you have made provision for the poor.**
- ³³ Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth; sing praises to the Lord.
- ³⁴ **He rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; he sends forth his voice, his mighty voice.**
- ³⁵ Ascribe power to God; his majesty is over Israel; his strength is in the skies.
- ³⁶ **How wonderful is God in his holy places! the God of Israel giving strength and power to his people! Blessed be God!**

SECOND READING

1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice insofar as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you.

Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. Discipline yourselves, keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters in all the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the power forever and ever. Amen.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL

As we sing the Sequence Hymn, children who wish to attend Children's Chapel are invited to gather in the back of the church with the Children's Chapel adult leaders. Children's Chapel is located in the music room. The children will return during the Peace.

All stand and sing.

SEQUENCE HYMN: *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

H 688

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus looked up to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

"I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one."

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SENIOR SERMONS

Robin Erdman, Vivian Major, and Philip Cleven

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

We pray for our Bishops, Priests and Deacons. We pray for our St. Martin's children and youth teachers and leaders, and for all people who contribute to the mission of St. Martin's and for other churches around the world. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for our Nation's leaders and all authorities around the world. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for those suffering from natural disasters and war. We pray for this congregation and the world to conserve natural resources. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for struggling local small businesses, our first responders, coastguard and others in our community who help protect us and keep us safe. We also pray for those experiencing homelessness during this time. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for those who are sick and in need, especially Jim, David, Megan, Brian, Bruce, Kathy, Schneider, Joyce, Stephen, Alex, John, and Rosemary. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for those with cancer, for the poor and for those who are unable to care for themselves. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for all who have departed from this life and into the next. **Hear us Lord.**

We are joyful for Peter, Connie, Craig, Sam, Sheri, Durelle, Logan, Pablo, Cris, Gary, Sarah, Wamahdri and Kathy and all those who have birthdays and anniversaries this week. **Hear us Lord.**

We pray for new members to our parish, for educators and students at St Martin's and those around the world. Thank you for our family and friends. Thank you for the beauty of your creation, our parks, forests, rivers and especially the Chesapeake Bay for all the joy and gifts it gives us. **Hear us Lord.**

In our parish family prayers are requested for: Alec, Cris, Jim, Brett, Katie, Lew, Karen, Suzanne, Greg, Bruce, Joey, Michele, Kerry, Carter, Amalia, Kip, Wilma, Merla, Mike, the Carman family, Kevin, Sarah, Jared, Bill, Jax, Brody, Matt, and Kyle.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be always with you. **And also with you.**



ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GIVING

The Offertory is when we make a sacred gift to God as part of our worship. You can leave a donation in the plate being passed by the ushers or give online by scanning the QR code or via our website at <https://stmartinsinthe field.com/giving/> Thank you for your generous giving to the mission and ministry of St. Martin's-in-the-Field.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

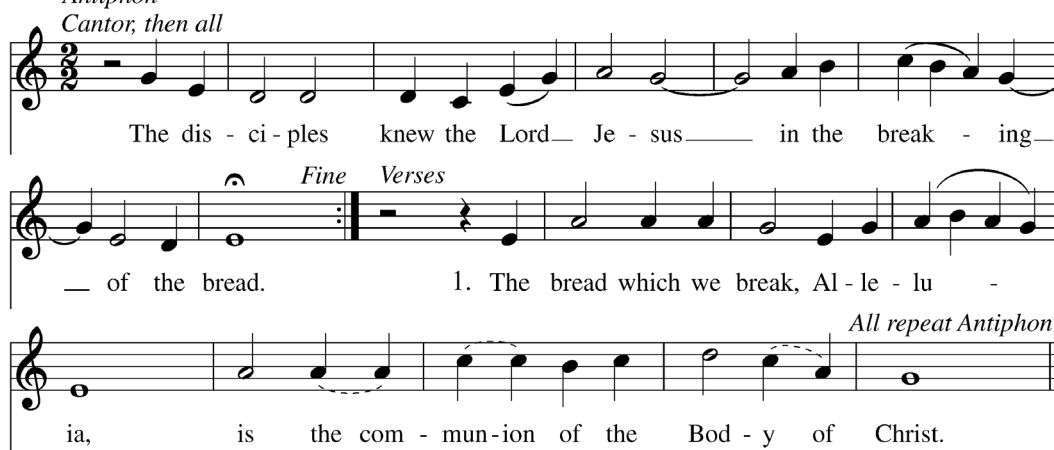
THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

FRACTION ANTHEM

WLP 876, v. 1

Antiphon
Cantor, then all



The dis - ci - ples knew the Lord Je - sus in the break - ing
of the bread. *Fine* 1. The bread which we break, Al - le - lu -
ia, is the com - mun - ion of the Bod - y of Christ. *All repeat Antiphon*

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

All may receive the consecrated bread and wine of the Eucharist or a blessing. Stand or kneel at the altar rail to receive the bread in the palm of your hand. Gluten-free wafers are available on the far left of the altar rail. Receive the wine either by drinking from the common cup or by touching the wafer lightly to the wine in the smaller intinction chalice. If you would like to receive a blessing, cross your arms across your chest.

The Congregation joins in the singing of the Communion Hymns.

COMMUNION HYMNS: *Come, Thou Fount Of Every Blessing*

H 686

My Song Is Love Unknown

H 458

SENDING OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. **We who are many are one body because we all share one bread, one cup.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

Let us go forth in the name of Christ! Alleluia, alleluia! **Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!**

After the dismissal, you may remain seated for the postlude or exit to the Narthex.

POSTLUDE: *Gaudeamus Igitur (Let Us Now In Youth Rejoice)*

James Mansfield

Join us for fellowship and refreshments in the Narthex following this morning's worship service.

Many thanks to all of our teachers and youth leaders for the many ways they support our young people in their journey to grow in Christ!

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

Tabatha Carman, Kate Cleven, Karen George, Dawn Major, and Sarah Parkison

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL:

Susan Griesmyer (*Coordinator*), Shelby Beachley, Greg Church, Liz Lucas, Hanni Monroe, Carrie Peery, Syl Silva, and Amy Theune

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL ASSISTANTS:

Philip Cleven, Addy Hill, and Nick Theoret

NURSERY:

Debbie Pittenger (*Director*) and Alex Kaltz

RITE-13:

Darin Parkison and Tim George

J2A (JOURNEY TO ADULTHOOD):

Jeff Dickerson and Kaite Vaught

YAC (YOUTH ACTIVE IN CHURCH) / CONFIRMATION:

Kris Chappell, Drew MacNaughton and Karen Sabins

EYC (EPISCOPAL YOUTH COMMUNITY):

Sam Burdette and Amy Miller

WORSHIP SUPPORT:

Gary Berge (*Acolytes*) and HyeSung Hwang (*Children's Choir*)

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP - EMBRACING EVANGELISM SERIES

Sundays, May 17 & 31, 9:00 a.m. (Parish Hall)

What comes to mind when you hear the word evangelism? For many of us, it can feel a little intimidating or not very "Episcopal." But at its heart, evangelism is simply about noticing and sharing God's love at work in our lives. Join us for Embracing Evangelism, a six-part series exploring evangelism as a practice of curiosity, joy, and connection. We'll gather May 17, and 31. For details or questions contact Rev. Grace, grigby@stmartinsinthefield.org.

EYC: RESTAURANT NIGHT

Today at 5:30 p.m.

Bring your appetite for Restaurant Night! We will collect \$10 per person to offset dinner costs. *For all youth grades 6th-12th. Friends are welcome.* Newcomers always welcome. For details and to sign up please scan the QR code, visit our website www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/ Contact Sam Burdette, samburdette@gmail.com or Amy Miller, akriewald19@gmail.com.



CELEBRATING PENTECOST

Sunday, May 24, 9:00 a.m.

Join us for a Pentecost party. During our 9:00 a.m. education hour we will have Pentecost-themed treats and activities. Come and celebrate with us. **Remember to bring your kazoo!** Contact Rev. Lauren, rector@stmartinsinthefield.org.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SPRING CONCERT

Wednesday, May 27, 6:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)

All are warmly invited to join us for an evening of music, band, and drama performances as our 5th through 8th grade students share their talents at the Middle School Spring Concert. The program begins at 6:00 pm, with doors opening at 5:45 pm. Our May virtue is joy, and it will be on full display as our students fill the sanctuary with song. We hope you'll come be part of this special community gathering.

BINGO NIGHT AT LIGHT HOUSE SHELTER

Friday, June 5, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Share a meal and enjoy a few games of Bingo with our neighbors from The Light House Homeless Prevention Center. Volunteers (ages 11+) are needed to help make this outreach opportunity successful.

Sign up today! Scan the QR code, visit our website www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/ or contact Eileen Hartzell, ehartzell@parallelriskadvisors.com.



REGISTRATION OPEN FOR VBS 2026

Get ready for an unforgettable week of fun as St. Martin's-in-the-Field hosts Cokesbury's "Snowball Mountain Challenge" VBS the week of July 27-31!

Registration is now open. Sign up today by scanning the QR code or visiting our website: www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/

Our VBS is powered by the gifts of volunteers.

We'd love to have you join the team. Contact Tabitha Carman, tabitha.carmann@gmail.com.



ST. MARTIN'S CHRISTMAS MART RETURNS

Saturday, November 14, 2026

Mark your calendars: the Christmas Mart is back in town! This is more than just a craft fair. It's a festive tradition, a celebration of local talent, and a joyful gathering that brings our whole community together. **How do we make it happen? With YOU!** We're looking for enthusiastic volunteers to join our Christmas Mart Committee. Lots of prep needs to be done to make the Mart successful and fun for everyone. And we'd love for you to be part of it! Interested? Talk to: Amy Theune, amy.theune5@gmail.com, 410-353-7664; Kate Clevon, kateclevon29@gmail.com, 410-703-7130.

MEMBER DATABASE CLEAN UP

It's Spring Cleaning time, even for our church's database! And you can help! Our Parish Administrator, Lori Skalitzky, is diligently working on the major project of cleaning up our database and profiles. We have missing information and here's how you can assist. Please complete the Parish Membership Form, even if you have been here a long time. Lori also plans on calling parishioners individually over the next few months to fill in the blanks. For the membership form please scan the QR code, visit our website www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/. For questions or details contact lskalitzky@stmartinsinthefield.org.



ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

GIFT CARDS ARE GREAT GRADUATION GIFTS

Order through our J2A gift card program and help our youth raise funds for their upcoming pilgrimage. Gift cards make great graduation gifts, and can be used for everyday purchases, like groceries or gas. It's a easy way to support the youth at St. Martin's without costing you extra. To place an order and for details contact Amber Kaltz, akaltz@stmartinsinthefield.org.

SPAN OPPORTUNITIES FOR THIS MONTH

SPAN (Serving People Across Neighborhoods) serves our neighbors by helping them through a critical or emergency situation. SPAN is currently in need of: **Paper Towels, Pull Ups 4-5T, Diapers 6+, Canned Potato, Canned Yams, Meal Helpers, Side Dishes, Parmesan Cheese, Condiments, and Cooking Oil.** Donations can be dropped in the bins marked "SPAN" in the Narthex. For details about SPAN visit: www.spanhelps.org/support_us.

YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR THESE WEEKLY PROGRAMS:

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL - During the 10:00 a.m. service children age 4 and older are invited to experience an age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word. Details in Sunday's bulletin.

CHILDREN & YOUTH FORMATION - *Sundays, 9:00 a.m.* Children and youth are welcome to join any time.

Sunday School (K-Grade 5): SMES Art and Science Rooms

Rite-13 (Grade 6-8): Lower St. Martin's House

J2A (Grade 9-10): Lower St. Martin's House

Youth grades 11 and up meet alternating Sunday evenings at 5:30 p.m. For details, please contact Rev. Grace, grigby@stmartinsinthefield.org.

FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP - *Sundays, 9:00 a.m. (Parish Hall)* - Adult Formation is a time of both faith and fellowship at St. Martin's. Our engaging and conversational classes are taught by clergy and parishioners alike. Come build community and grow closer to God with us! Contact Rev. Lauren, lholder@stmartinsinthefield.org.

BIBLE CHALLENGE GROUP - STUDY OF GENESIS - *Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. (St. Martin's House)* Join us as we explore our origin story through a study of Genesis. We will be using the book "Genesis (LifeChange)," which can be purchased from Amazon or your favorite book seller. Study begins on Tuesday, April 21. We welcome newcomers any time! Contact Cindy Neseth, cincysue1@aol.com.

SUNDAY NURSERY - Available for infants and children ages 4 and under on Sundays from 8:45 - 11:30 a.m. Located in Parish Hall, see an usher for directions.

WALKIN' LOVES - *Tuesdays & Thursdays, 8:00 a.m. (Kinder Farm Park)* Lace up your shoes and join our Walkin' Loves group for fresh air and fellowship. Meet us off of Kinder Rd, near the small playground. The loop is 2.4 miles, mostly level, and takes about 45 minutes to complete. All ages and fitness levels welcome. Contact Julie Reiter, voicesbyjulie@gmail.com.

STUDY ON BOOK OF JOB - *Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m. (Zoom)* All parishioners are invited for the EfM version of theological studies on *Book of Job* to be followed by "JB", the Pulitzer Prize play by Archibald MacLeisch. Join us Tuesdays from 7:00-8:30 p.m. For details and Zoom link, contact Charlie Fitzgerald, charliefitz76@gmail.com.

MIDDAY BIBLE STUDY - *Thursdays, 12:00 noon (St. Martin's House)* Join us for this weekly Bible study and connect with God's word. Meetings are held in the conference room of St. Martin's house. Bring a Bible. Contact Julie Reiter, voicesbyjulie@gmail.com.

SHEPHERD GROUP - *Thursdays, 4:00 p.m. (via Zoom)* Join us for a Zoom group discussion of the readings for the upcoming Sunday. All adults welcome. For Zoom link and details, contact Susan Griesmyer, sgriesmyer@verizon.net.

Give glory to God and bring focus to the cross during our worship services by sponsoring an altar flower dedication. Simply scan the QR code or complete this form and deposit in the plate or give to an usher. A weekly Sunday sponsorship is \$50.

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