



Seventh Sunday of Easter

June 1, 2025

8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Field Episcopal Church

The Rev. Lauren R. Holder, *Rector*

The Rev. Nathan Erdman, *Associate Rector and Chaplain*

Dr. HyeSung Hwang, *Director of Music Ministries*

**Our mission is to gather as a welcoming community of Christ called to love and serve God,
our neighbors and each other in joyful presence in the world.**

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Children and Youth Ministries at St. Martin's



This morning we give such thanks for our young people at St. Martin's and our youth ministries. Our children and youth are such an integral part of our church family. Children and youth are active in worship, Christian formation, and outreach ministries. Many thanks to all of our Sunday School teachers and youth leaders for all of the ways they support our young people in their journey to grow in Christ!

Today's liturgy was designed by the youth of our church, including the hymn selections, the prayers of the people and the Eucharistic prayer. A very special thank you to Porter Hill who will deliver a sermon at both of today's worship services. We are blessed by our young people and their wisdom, insights and ministry in preaching the Good News of the gospel.

All youth in Grades 6 through 12, SMES students, and their friends are most invited to participate in St. Martin's youth ministries. If you or your young person would like to get involved or get more involved, please contact our Parish Administrator, Katrina Schultz, parishadmin@stmartinsinthefield.org.

Welcome to St. Martin's-in-the-Field Episcopal Church

*Our worship services are taken from the Book of Common Prayer (BCP);
all are invited to participate fully in our worship of God this morning.*

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

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DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

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You're invited to join us for coffee, donuts and fellowship in the Narthex following our worship this morning.

Welcome to St. Martin's-in-the-Field Episcopal Church

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

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

THE WORD OF GOD

PRELUDE: *Hail The Day That Sees Him Rise*

Douglas E. Wagner

WELCOME

Please stand and sing.

OPENING HYMN: *Hail the day that sees him rise*

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EASTER ACCLAMATION

Alleluia! Christ is risen! **The Lord is risen indeed! 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: *This Little Light of Mine*

St. Martin's Children

COLLECT OF THE DAY

The Lord 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 16:16-34

With Paul and Silas, we came to Philippi in Macedonia, a Roman colony, and, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, "These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation." She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, "I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her." And it came out that very hour.

But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, "These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe." The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the

prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" They answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household." They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

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

PSALM 97

The Psalm is prayed responsively by whole verse

¹ The Lord is King; let the earth rejoice; let the multitude of the isles be glad.

² **Clouds and darkness are round about him, righteousness and justice are the foundations of his throne.**

³ A fire goes before him and burns up his enemies on every side.

⁴ **His lightnings light up the world; the earth sees it and is afraid.**

⁵ The mountains melt like wax at the presence of the Lord, at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.

⁶ **The heavens declare his righteousness, and all the peoples see his glory.**

⁷ Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight in false gods! Bow down before him, all you gods.

⁸ **Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice, because of your judgments, O Lord.**

⁹ For you are the Lord, most high over all the earth; you are exalted far above all gods.

¹⁰ **The Lord loves those who hate evil; he preserves the lives of his saints and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.**

¹¹ Light has sprung up for the righteous, and joyful gladness for those who are truehearted.

¹² **Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous, and give thanks to his holy Name.**

SECOND READING

Revelation 22:12-14,16-17,20-21

At the end of the visions I, John, heard these words: "See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates. "It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star."

The Spirit and the bride say, "Come." And let everyone who hears say, "Come." And let everyone who is thirsty come. Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift. The one who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus! The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. 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: *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

H 686

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 17:20-26

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

Jesus prayed for his disciples, and then he said. "I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so

that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

“Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.”

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

SERMON

Porter Hill

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. Martins-in-the-Field Choirs, Sunday School teachers and A/V ministry, and for all people who contribute to the mission of St. Martins 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 Bri and Lee. **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 Alice, Ed, Juliet, Jennifer, Matthew, Noah, Cris, Erin, Charlie and Jeff and Jeannie Manley 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 Martins 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: Bri, Lee, Joey, Michele, Kerry, Carter, Matthew, Julia, Sarah, Amalia, Edmund, Joey, Kip, Wilma, Merla, Lisa, Mike, the Carman family, Kevin, Sarah, Melanie, 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.

THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

RECOGNITION OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH LEADERS

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; give online via our secure online system by scanning the QR code provided or visit our website at <https://stmartinsinthefield.com/giving/give/> Thank you for your generous giving to the mission and ministry of St. Martin's in our world.



THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: *I Sing Because I'm Happy*

Charles H. Gabriel arr. Kenneth Paden

All stand and sing.

PRESENTATION HYMN: *Good Christians all, rejoice and sing*

H 205, v. 2

**The Lord of life is risen today! Sing songs of praise along his way;
let all the earth rejoice and say: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, EUCHARISTIC PRAYER C

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

All sing.

H S 128

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **AMEN.**

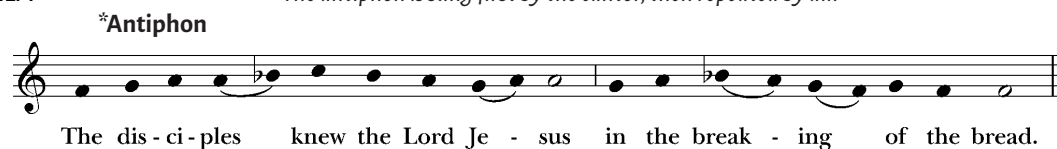
THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

The antiphon is sung first by the cantor, then repeated by all.

H S 167



*The bread which we break, alleluia, is the communion of the body of Christ. *Antiphon*

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The Congregation joins in the singing of the Communion Hymn.

COMMUNION HYMNS: *Dona Nobis Pacem*

H 712

Amazing Grace

H 671

Please stand.

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

CLOSING HYMN: *Lift High the Cross*

H 473

DISMISSAL

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

POSTLUDE: *Jesus Shall Reign*

Marianne Kim

You're invited to join us for a reception celebrating our young people, teachers and youth leaders in the Narthex following our worship this morning.

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

Tabitha Carman, Kate Clevon, Karen George, Dawn Major, and Sarah Parkison

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL:

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

NURSERY:

Reita Turro (*Director*) and Isabella Stees

RITE-13:

Jeff Dickerson, Wendy Gatanas, and Tim George

J2A (JOURNEY TO ADULTHOOD):

Drew MacNaughton, Julie Reiter, and Karen Sabins

YAC (YOUTH ACTIVE IN CHURCH) / CONFIRMATION:

Rachel Erdman, Charlie Fitzgerald, and Clay Patty

EYC (EPISCOPAL YOUTH COMMUNITY):

Sam Burdette and Amy Miller

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

FEAST OF THE ASCENSION EVENSONG

Sunday, June 1, 5:00 p.m. (the Cathedral of the Incarnation)

St. Martin's Choir is collaborating with choirs from the Cathedral of the Incarnation, Baltimore, and All Saints, Frederick on Sunday, June 1 at 5:00 p.m. You are invited to the Cathedral of the Incarnation to celebrate the Feast of the Ascension with an Evensong program featuring: *O Clap Your Hands* by Orlando Gibbons and *Magnificat* and *Nunc Dimittis in C* by Charles Villiers Stanford. For more information contact HyeSung Hwang, music@stmartinsinthefield.org.

Carpooling to the Cathedral: Do you have room in your car? Lori Skalitzy is coordinating carpooling for those interested in attending this beautiful music service. We looking for people that need rides and those that can offer rides. Please contact Lori, threesty@verizon.net.

BEETHOVEN'S KREUTZER SONATA

Tuesday, June 3, 12:00 noon (Epiphany Episcopal Church, D.C.)

HyeSung launched a Beethoven Project a couple of years ago with her colleague, violinist Dr. Ahreum Kim, with the goal of performing all ten of Beethoven's violin sonatas. They've performed in various venues including Baltimore, Columbia, York, and DC. Next Tuesday, June 3, 12:00 noon, they will present his most famous work, the Kreutzer Sonata, at Epiphany Episcopal Church, 1317 G St NW, D.C. For details please contact HyeSung, music@stmartinsinthefield.org.

BINGO NIGHT AT LIGHT HOUSE SHELTER

Friday, June 6, 4:30-7:00 p.m.

You're invited to share a meal and enjoy a few games of Bingo with our neighbors from the Lighthouse Homeless Prevention Center. Volunteers (ages 11+) are needed to help make this outreach opportunity successful. **Scan the QR code, visit our website www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/ or contact Rachel Erdman, rachieryan@hotmail.com.**



STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL PARADE

Saturday, June 7, 9:30 a.m.

Join St. Martin's Episcopal School and Church as we walk the Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival Parade sharing our swag with friends and neighbors inviting them to St. Martin's. We will meet at CSC Fire Department at 9:30 a.m. (parade starts at 10:00 am) Saturday, June 7. Feel free to stay after the parade and enjoy the Festival. To sign up contact Kira Dickson, kdickson@stmartinsmd.org.

PENTECOST PARTY, BAPTISMS AND CONFIRMATION

Sunday, June 8, starts at 9:00 a.m.

Join us as we do all in our power to support the newly baptized in living out their life in Christ and in renewing our Baptismal Covenant. Come to the Parish Hall before worship for a Pentecost Party celebrating the newly baptized, our confirmands, and Pentecost. The celebration continues in Baltimore at Cathedral of Incarnation as The Right Rev. Carrie Schofield-Broadbent welcomes youth and adults from our parish to be confirmed and received in the Episcopal Church. Join us in-person or online at 3:00 p.m. Contact Rev. Lauren, rector@stmartinsinthefield.org

SUMMER "MEET & EAT"

Starting June 18, 6:00 p.m.

You are invited for fellowship and delicious food Wednesday evenings from June 18 - August 20 at 6:00 p.m. Suggested donation is \$6.00 per person or \$20.00 per family. Food and drinks provided; side dishes or desserts are greatly appreciated. For questions or special dietary needs please contact John Theune, jatheune@gmail.com. We are also looking for volunteers to help on July 2, July 9 and July 23.

TWO-WEEK PIANO LEARNING WITH HYESUNG

June 16 - June 28

HyeSung is offering a Two-Week Piano Learning Program this June 16-28. The program includes six lessons (MWF), and will conclude with a concert on Saturday, June 28 at 4:00 p.m., where students will showcase what they have learned! This is a great opportunity for interested students of all ages to explore the piano, learning technique, and music appreciation. Sign up by Monday, June 9. **Scan the QR code, visit our website www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/ or contact HyeSung, music@stmartinsinthefield.org**



REGISTER FOR ST. MARTIN'S VBS TODAY

St. Martin's is offering Vacation Bible School, the week of July 28- August 1, for kids ages four to 12 years old. For \$50 you can register your child for half-day VBS, which would be from 8am to 12pm, or for \$75 we will have a full-day of VBS, from 8am to 3pm. **To register scan the QR code, visit our website www.stmartinsinthefield.com/events/ or contact Tabitha Carman, tabithacarmanrn@gmail.com.**



OUTREACH AND MINISTRY

DRIVERS NEEDED

St. Martin's Helping Hands Ministry is actively seeking drivers. If you have extra space in your vehicle on Sunday mornings, please consider driving one of your fellow parishioners to worship so that they can actively participate with us in community. Currently, we have a need for rides but not enough drivers. If you have space in your heart and in your vehicle, please contact Lori Skalitzy, threezky@verizon.net.

NEED GIFT CARDS?

Our J2A Youth Group is selling gift cards in support of their pilgrimage. For every card purchased, they receive a percentage back. These cards make great graduation gifts, but most importantly can be used for everyday purchases. Give a card to yourself to buy your everyday groceries. It's a easy way to support the youth at St. Martin's without costing you extra. To place an order or set up an account contact Amber Kaltz, akaltz@stmartinsinthefield.org.

SPAN OPPORTUNITIES FOR JUNE

SPAN (Serving People Across Neighborhoods) serves our neighbors by helping them through a critical or emergency situation. St. Martin's supports SPAN's mission by asking for donations for this month's theme: **"CELEBRATION."**

Please donate shelf stable foods that can be used for celebrating: flour, sugar, vanilla extract, chocolate chips, cocoa, sprinkles, cake decorations, baking items, brownie, muffin, cake and cupcake mixes, pasta, canned vegetables and fruits.

We welcome anything else you're willing to share.

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 AND YOUTH PROGRAMS

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. (Last day will be June 1)

Children and youth of all ages are welcome to join any time.

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

Rite-13 (Grade 6-8): SMES History Room

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

YAC (Grade 11-12): St. Martin's House

Contact Rev. Nathan, associate@stmartinsinthefield.org.

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.

(Summer hours will be 9:30-11:30 a.m. and begin June 15)

WALKIN' LOVES - Tuesdays & Thursdays, 8:00 a.m.

(Kinder Farm Park) Lace up your shoes and join our new Walkin' Love 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 443-875-1457.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL (Last day will be June 15)

During the 10:00 a.m. service children age 4 and older are invited to experience an age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word. See bulletin for details.

FAITH AND FAMILY GROUP - Sundays, 9:00 a.m. (Parish Hall)

- You are invited to this inclusive community dedicated to nurturing faith and service in our families. Grab a cup of coffee or a donut, and join us. Open to all. Contact Chris and Liz Lucas, stmartinsparentsgroup@gmail.com.

BIBLE CHALLENGE BOOK STUDY - Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

(St. Martin's House) Join us for a 16 week study of the Acts of the Apostles. We will be using the LifeChange Study Guide on Acts which can be ordered on Amazon. https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/0891091122?ref=dbs_m_mng_rwt_calw_tpbk_11&storeType=ebooks Contact Cindy Neseth, cincysue1@aol.com.

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