



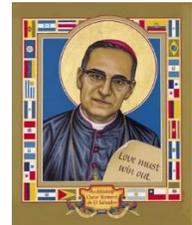
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The Newsletter of All Saints' Episcopal Church, Johnson City, NY

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March 24, 2021

The Feast of Oscar Romero, 1917-1980, Archbishop and Martyr



Dear Friends in Christ,

Archbishop Oscar Romero's feast day almost always falls in Lent. Sometimes it even falls on Holy Week and Easter. That is most fitting. Archbishop Romero after his ordination began working with and on behalf of the poor of El Salvador. After he was consecrated bishop in 1977, in radio addresses and sermons he protested the Salvadorian government's injustice to the poor and its policies of torture. It was too much for the powers that be. On March 24, 1980 while celebrating mass in a hospice chapel Romero was assassinated. The previous day, he had preached a sermon calling on soldiers to disobey orders that violated human rights. He had said, "A bishop will die, but the Church of God which is the people will never perish." Those responsible for his death were never found. Archbishop Oscar Romero truly followed Jesus. His motto was "Love must win." And that is the message of Easter—Love wins.

Last year Easter was celebrated in our homes and online. Now, thanks to the current low infection rate of the COVID virus in Central New York and the Southern Tier—fingers crossed—we are able to gather online and in-person to celebrate with Holy Communion Our Lord's Resurrection this Easter! Of course, we will gather as safely as we can:

- Holy Communion will be offered in Bread only and everyone is asked to consume the Host when they return to their pew, briefly removing their mask to do so.
- Everyone must wear a mask which covers both nose and mouth, wash hands or use hand sanitizer when entering and leaving church and before and after receiving Communion.
- No congregational singing—only instrumental music and one soloist.
- Everyone is asked practice 6 feet of physical distancing and there is to be no physical contact—handshakes or hugs.

The Peace may be "passed" by remaining in place and bowing, waving, or practicing the sign-language "peace."

Please if you are sick or of a vulnerable population, stay at home and join the service online or by phone. Even if you are already vaccinated please continue to wear a mask. It's one way we show our love for our neighbor.

The "Easter Letter" has been mailed out to the parish. I cordially invite you to a joyous Easter.

Blessed Easter,

The Very Rev. Christine J. Day
Rector

**YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO HOLY WEEK
AND EASTER AT ALL SAINTS'!**

March 29-31, 2021 at 10 am

Holy Monday, Holy Tuesday and Holy Wednesday, Holy Communion: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM:

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83305989720?pwd=UzdKVmxuV0ZOQkdZUk9vak5aUlpIUT09>

Meeting ID: 833 0598 9720

Passcode: 810464

April 1, 2021 at 10 am

Maundy Thursday, Holy Communion and Stripping of the Altar: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM:

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83305989720?pwd=UzdKVmxuV0ZOQkdZUk9vak5aUlpIUT09>

Meeting ID: 833 0598 9720

Passcode: 810464

April 2, 2021

Good Friday, at 10 am Good Friday Liturgy and Communion from the Reserved: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM:

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83305989720?pwd=UzdKVmxuV0ZOQkdZUk9vak5aUlpIUT09>

Meeting ID: 833 0598 9720

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Good Friday, at 12 noon Taize Stations of the Cross: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM:

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 873 4003 0333

Passcode: 356686

April 3, 2021 at 5 pm

Saturday, The Great Vigil of Easter & Baptism: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87415507526?pwd=SE90TEYxMkFJbHI3VzNkYUZBUk4dz09>

Meeting ID: 874 1550 7526

Passcode: 799083

April 4, 2021 at 10:30 am

Sunday, Festival Holy Communion Celebration of Our Lord's Resurrection: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89589324216?pwd=WkFqbXd5SUVUTWc5L1AzMHlvdldOQT09>

Meeting ID: 895 8932 4216

Passcode: 719877

For Facebook Live:

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/allsaintsjcny>

Here is a reminder on how to use ZOOM or Facebook Live. You do not need a ZOOM user id. You can ZOOM by means of a smart phone or a computer that has a camera and microphone. If you are connecting by computer use the link in the weekly e-mail: put your cursor over the "Join Zoom Meeting https: etc." If that doesn't work go to the [Zoom.us](https://zoom.us) website and join the meeting by using the "Meeting ID" and the "password" if necessary. Remember to click "use computer audio" and to use the "camera icon" at the bottom to start the video. You can use the "microphone" icon to mute and unmute yourself. If you call in, dial 1-646-558-8656 then follow the prompts for the meeting ID, password , etc.

Even if you are not on Facebook account, you are able to view the worship services and Evening Prayer by following this link: <https://www.facebook.com/pg/allsaintsjcnj/videos> . When all else fails digitally, there is still the telephone. If you let Deacon Dorothy (607-624-1523) or the Rector (607-237-9276) know ahead of time, we can connect about 6 people by phone for a service.



THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED WITH OUTSIDE CHURCH CLEANUP

Our thanks to all the people who helped cleanup the parking lot and around the church. Scout Troops 110 and 6110 (24 total scouts and leaders), Dennis Cole, Rick Hrebin and Gary Zurn. Looks much better. Without the help pf the scouts, Dennis, Rick, and Gary would have been working all day.





DWELLING IN THE WORD CONTINUES SUNDAYS AT 9:00 AM VIA ZOOM

"Dwelling in the Word," Bible Study, will continue Sundays at 9:00am via "Zoom." "Dwelling in the Word" is a way of spiritually listening to the text as one-way God speaks to us, with a willingness to be shaped by what God might want to say through the Scripture.

During Easter, April and May "Dwelling in the Word" will dwell the Gospel for Easter 5: John 15:1-8, part of the "I am the vine..." chapter. Each week we will dwell with a different translation.

Sound interesting? Get a head start on Palm Sunday? Then to connect to "Dwelling in the Word" go to the Zoom site (<https://zoom.us>); then "join a meeting" using the following Meeting ID: 410 030 305 or use this url and Join Zoom meeting <https://zoom.us/j/410030305>



Vestry Synopsis for March

- ✓ The cost of snow removal drove the expense side of things up.
- ✓ We may hand out pre-filled Easter Eggs instead of having an Easter Egg Hunt.
- ✓ The May BBQ will have a drive-through bake sale, Barb Freed said she would chair with the Vestry's assistance.
- ✓ Gary Zurn presented a comprehensive report on the buildings.
- ✓ There are two outstanding property damage claims – from two storms
- ✓ Soup and Sandwich received a \$2000.00 grant from the Diocese to help with the cost of disposables.

VESTRY TO MEET BY ZOOM AND POSSIBLY IN-PERSON ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14th AT 6:00/6:30 PM



The April meeting of the Vestry will be held on Wednesday, April 14th at 6:00 pm via Zoom. God willing Agenda, Minutes, and Financial will be sent to you by e-mail. The **actual start time is 6:30 PM** but those who wish to connect earlier, and chat are welcome to do so from 6:00 - 6:30 PM.

To connect to the meeting go to the Zoom site (<https://zoom.us>); then "join a meeting" using the following Meeting ID: 810 0922 6188 and Password: 322527. Or you can use this link: Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81009226188?pwd=QTZMRHNNNzJFMjl3VTNqQ3E1MWxaZz09>

Remember to click “use computer audio” and to use the “camera icon” at the bottom to start the video. You can use the “microphone” icon to mute and unmute yourself. If you call in, dial 1-646-558-8656 then follow the prompts for the meeting ID, password, etc.



**FOR SALE AND FREE!
See Mother Chris**

For sale for the best offer: 125-gallon glass aquarium (6 feet long by 2 feet high), wooden pine aquarium stand and cover, a canister filter, and other aquatic items.

Free to a good home: 6-year-old albino African clawed frog, 29-gallon Aquarium and aqua clear HOB filter.

For sale for the best offer: Victorian red velvet love seat; late 18th century/early 19th century cherry rope bed with mattress (just about a full-size)

**LEARNING COMMUNITY
INITIATIVE SESSION:
SATURDAY APRIL 10th
AT 9 AM BY ZOOM**



Please join in the Learning Communities Initiative in 2021! Two more workshops will be offered on Zoom; attend one or more:

- Saturday, April 10th (9:00-11:00 a.m.) (Please register* by Wednesday, Apr. 7th)
- Saturday, June 5th (9:00-11:00 a.m.) (Please register* by Wednesday, Jun. 2nd)

*Register at the Diocesan website.

Each gathering will be structured around the LCI’s ~Listen~Act~Reflect~ process:

- Dwelling in the Word/ Listening with the heart
- Sharing our actions with each other
- Reflecting on what we have heard and what we have done and considering how to incorporate our learning into the fabric of our parish and diocesan community.

Everyone in the Diocese is welcome to attend any of the three workshops, whether you have LCI experience or not. A team approach works best, so if you can, please gather two or more people from the parish to attend each workshop and bring the process back to their congregation.



The diocesan Stewardship team will lead a roundtable conversation on fundraising in these pandemic and post-pandemic times. Join in to brainstorm, share your successes, and get new ideas!

The conversation will take place on Zoom on Thursday, April 22nd at noon. Please register on the Diocesan website to get the Zoom link.

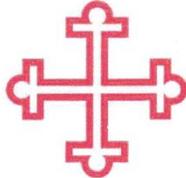


LENTEN SOUP BOX OFFERINGS

Our Lenten special offering supports our Saturday Soup and Sandwich Lunch program. We are now strictly take-out. The number of people we serve has climbed from 60 in March to about 80 each week. We serve walkers and bus people at the 3rd Street door and drive through is done at the back door. With the pandemic our lunches have become even more necessary to many of our fellow community members.

With totally take-out a new expense has been added to costs. Everything must be served in disposables. My hope is that through our Lenten parish offering we can raise enough money to continue our mission of feeding people as Jesus calls us to do.

This is how it works. Many people give something up during Lent such as candy, between meal snacks or their daily lottery ticket for example. The money each parishioner saves with their sacrifice is then labeled “Soup and Sandwich” and given with the Easter offering. Checks work the best. Questions? Speak to Debbie Thorpe.



**SOUP & SANDWICHES SATURDAYS RECEIVES
A MINISTRY GRANT OF \$2,000
FROM THE DIOCESAN BOARD**

The Diocesan Board has awarded eighteen Ministry Grants to parishes and organizations of the Diocese in the Spring 2021 grant cycle. All Saints’ Episcopal Church in Johnson City was one of the 18! All Saints’ was awarded \$2,000 for “Soup & Sandwiches Saturdays” to help with the additional cost of disposables used during the COVID-pandemic for take-out.

Ministry Grants fund projects that reflect diocesan ministry priorities including leadership development, technical assistance, and strengthening neighborhood connections. A second 2021 Ministry Grant cycle is planned for Fall 2021.



American Red Cross

Blood Drive

Place: **Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church**
44 Main Street
Binghamton, New York

Date: **April 21, 2021.**

Time: **9:00 pm till 2:00 pm.**

You are requested to make a reservation:

redcrossblood.org (small case)

Find a blood drive (upper right)

Zip or Sponsor Code - The Sponsor Code is: **TRINITY** (All Caps)

Scroll till you see:

Thursday, April 21, 2021

Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church

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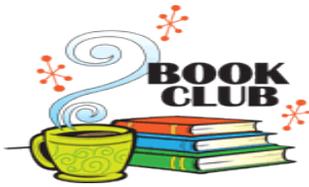
Choose a time, (tap on blood)

They will ask you to: *Sign In* or *Create an Account*

Complete the on-line appointment.

We are looking for 25 donors to sign up.

*If there were any difficulties online, call **1-800-RED CROSS***



**BOOK CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY,
APRIL 28th AT 5:30 PM BY ZOOM: FINISHING UP
CASTE AND BEGINNING
HIS TRUTH IS MARCHING ON!**

This April, the Book Club will be finishing up Isabel Wilkerson's *Caste: The Origins of Our Discontent* and beginning Jon Meacham's book about John Lewis, *His Truth is Marching On: John Lewis and the Power of Hope*. Book Club usually meets monthly on the last Wednesday of the month and the pace of the reading is set by the members. In April, the Book Club will meet on Wednesday, April 28th at 5:30pm by ZOOM.

Here's the publisher's blurb for *His Truth is Marching On: John Lewis and the Power of Hope*:

"#1 NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • An intimate and revealing portrait of civil rights icon and longtime U.S. congressman John Lewis, linking his life to the painful quest for justice in America from the 1950s to the present—from the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Soul of America* NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY *THE WASHINGTON POST* AND *COSMOPOLITAN*

"John Lewis, who at age twenty-five marched in Selma, Alabama, and was beaten on the Edmund Pettus Bridge, was a visionary and a man of faith. Drawing on decades of wide-ranging interviews with Lewis, Jon Meacham writes of how this great-grandson of a slave and son of an Alabama tenant farmer was inspired by the Bible and his teachers in nonviolence, Reverend James Lawson and Martin Luther King, Jr., to put his life on the line in the service of what Abraham Lincoln called "the better angels of our nature." From an early age, Lewis learned that nonviolence was not only a tactic but a philosophy, a biblical imperative, and a transforming reality. At the age of four, Lewis, ambitious to become a minister, practiced by preaching to his family's chickens. When his mother cooked one of the chickens, the boy refused to eat it—his first act, he wryly recalled, of nonviolent protest. Integral to Lewis's commitment to bettering the nation was his faith in humanity and in God—and an unshakable belief in the power of hope.

"Meacham calls Lewis "as important to the founding of a modern and multiethnic twentieth- and twenty-first-century America as Thomas Jefferson and James Madison and Samuel Adams were to the initial creation of the Republic itself in the eighteenth century." A believer in the injunction that one should love one's neighbor as oneself, Lewis was arguably a saint in our time, risking limb and life to bear witness for the powerless in the face of the powerful. In many ways he brought a still-evolving nation closer to realizing its ideals, and his story offers inspiration and illumination for Americans today who are working for social and political change."

Want to read and discuss? Pick-up a copy (hardcover \$15; paperback \$14.99 and e-copy \$14.99) and then tune into the Zoom Book Club meeting on Wednesday, April 28th at 5:30 pm. To connect to Book Club, go to the Zoom site (<https://zoom.us>); then "join a meeting" using the following Meeting ID: 810 8769 3464 and Password: 843148 or use this url to Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81087693464?pwd=Y0RKbEw5cFVrUmVlaHcrU1VPQ0VVUT09>

You can also just participate by any phone by dialing +1 646 558 8656 and then keying the Meeting ID: 810 8769 3464 and Password: 843148



A Prayer for Our Time and for the Earth



Dear God, Creator of the earth, this sacred home we share;

Give us new eyes to see the beauty all around and to protect the wonders of creation.

Give us new arms to embrace the strangers among us and to know them as family.

Give us new ears to hear and understand those who live off the land and to hear and understand those who extract its resources.

Give us new hearts to recognize the brokenness in our communities and to heal the wounds we have inflicted.

Give us new hands to serve the earth and its people and to shape beloved community.

For you are the One who seeks the lost, binds our wounds and sets us free,
and it is in the name of Jesus the Christ we pray.

Amen.

- The Rt. Reverend Carol Gallagher, Cherokee

**Saturday, May 8th
Serving 11 AM until sold out**



Full Dinner: \$11.00

[1/2 chicken, baked beans, coleslaw and roll]

Half Chicken: \$7.00

Spring is coming and so are All Saints' Chicken BBQs...

A big THANK YOU to everyone who helps, year after year, on these important fund raisers. The vestry has scheduled our two Chicken BBQs for May 8th and June 19th. Please reserve these dates, we need your support to make these BBQs successful. When you are out shopping please pick up charcoal to help reduce the cost of the BBQ.

If you cannot work as many hours on the BBQ as you would like, this year there is another way you can help make this fund raiser more successful. The cost of the chicken and other food for the 2 BBQs is about \$2,500, If you would like

to donate to help defray the cost and increase our profit, please make your check out to All Saints', and put Chicken BBQ in the memo line. You could also bring charcoal to the church and place in the coat room by the narthex.

Watch for the signup sheets, they will be posted soon. The BBQs are always a good time for fellowship and the more help we have the easier it is for everyone.

If anyone has any questions, contact the chairperson of the BBQ: Barb Freed or any vestryperson.

Volunteer to help and sell tickets to your friends and neighbors!

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The following is the link to the [Diocesan News](#). Here is the direct link to the [Diocesan Blog](#).

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Serving the Churches of East Africa

***All Saints Epis. Church
Attn: Linda Barkman
Binghamton, NY***

Dear Linda:

Thank you for our willingness to receive a virtual display of the African crafts and jewelry.

The link for the Virtual store is enclosed <https://africanteamstore.square.site/>

We appreciate your support during the pandemic. Many churches had virtual displays during the fall and it worked very well.

We trust you and your church Family are safe and well. It has been a blessing to partner with you through the years.

Many Blessings.

Keith Jesson

African Team Ministries.



Council of Churches

Removing Transportation as a Barrier to Healthcare, Food & Employment



Removing transportation as a barrier to healthcare, food, and employment

Getthere provides transportation case management, education, and assistance to residents of Broome, Chenango, Delaware, Otsego, and Tioga counties.

Financial support and travel training are available for eligible older adults, people with disabilities, and lower-income individuals.

Getthere's Call Center can be reached Mondays through Fridays from 7am until 7pm at (855) 373-4040.

Connection to Care (CTC)

Helps people without Medicaid get to non-emergency medical appointments.

Grocery Store & Food Delivery

Assistance for individuals that are unable to either afford the cost of transportation to the grocery store or unable to afford the cost of food delivery. Getthere utilizes local stores and food pantries.

Travel Training

Helps individuals navigate rural and urban transportation resources safely and independently. One-on-one or small group trainings for clients and/or caseworkers are available.

Transportation to Employment Voucher

Helps remove transportation as a barrier to employment through short-term assistance backed by a sustainable transportation strategy that supports long-term, stable employment.

MAS Assistance

Helps Medicaid recipients set up transportation to health care appointments through the Medical Answering Services (MAS) system. MAS is Medicaid's non-emergency transportation manager. The system can be complex and difficult to navigate.

COVID-19 Vaccine

Help getting to a COVID-19 vaccination site.

Trip Planner

Helps users locate nearby transportation providers with the best possible route. Search features include door-to-door, door-through-door, Check it out at <https://getttherescny.org/home>

Transportation to Employment Vanpool

Helps individuals that might not otherwise have access to reliable transportation connect with employers that are looking for qualified candidates to join their workforce. The vehicle, owned by Getthere, is operated by a volunteer driver who transports their co-workers to-and-from work.

Getthere is a program of the Rural Health Network of South Central New York.



Email from MemoryCare.com

Hi there,

Hope your week is going well! I was looking for resources in your community and found your website to be very helpful! I figured you might be interested in the work my team is currently doing to help seniors throughout New York.

Many families with aging adults are unaware of the several available memory care options and programs in their area that can help them support a high quality of life. So, we created a free resource guide that highlights the best memory care facilities in New York. Check out our New York Memory Care Guide here:

- <https://www.memorycare.com/memory-care-in-new-york/>

We would appreciate the opportunity for you to include our resource on your website <https://allsaintsjcny.org/Other%20Local%20Links.html>, or anywhere you feel would be appropriate. It would be of tremendous value to senior citizens and their families in your community.

If I accidentally emailed the wrong person or if you have feedback about our guide, please let me know. I'd be happy to help.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon!

Sincerely,

Karen James
MemoryCare.com Community Outreach

MemoryCare.com

Editor Note: This has been added to the webpage as requested above.

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FEBRUARY 2021

Truly, with “God all things are possible” (Matthew. 19:26).

	Actual February 28, 2021	Annual Budget 2021
Offering & Pledges	\$17,273	\$99,234
Fundraising	\$1,600	\$9,000
Other Income	\$1,102	\$16,362
Total Income	\$19,975	\$124,596
Total Expenses	\$27,877	\$124,596
Profit(Loss)	(\$7,902)	\$0
Income Needed from Equity Surplus	(\$7,902)	\$0



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God's kids say & do the funniest things

A little boy in church for the first time watched as the ushers passed around the offering plates.

When they came near his pew, the boy said loudly: "Don't pay for me, Daddy. I'm under five."



"I sure am happy to see you, grandma," the little boy said to his grandmother, his mother's mother. "Now maybe Daddy will do the trick he has been promising us."

"What trick is that?" the grandmother asked.

"I heard him tell Mommy that he would climb the walls if you came to visit," the boy replied.

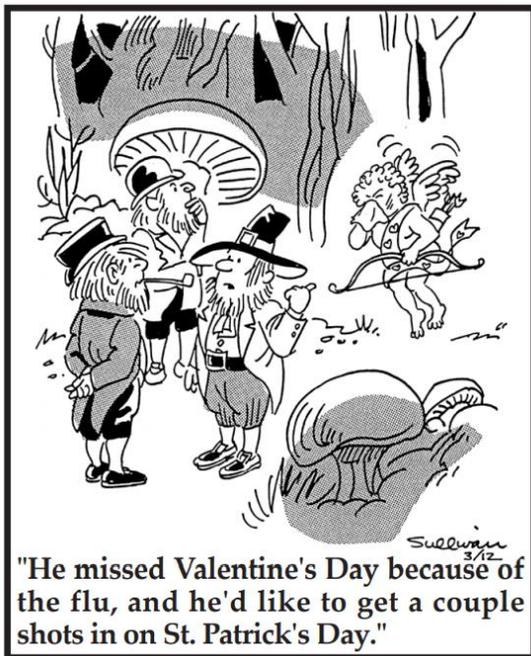


Back when a woman would never wear slacks to church, on Fat Tuesday evening, a woman called her parish priest at St. Thomas More Catholic Church in Baton Rouge, LA and said:

"Father, my sister came in for Mardi Gras, and she forgot her skirt. Can she get her ashes in her pants?"

"No," replied the priest, "she has to get them on her head like everyone else."

– Columnist Smiley Anders
Baton Rouge (LA) Advocate



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PHILLIP'S FLOCK

By Doc Goodwin



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PRAYER LIST BEGINNING APRIL

Policy reminder: Submitted names are placed on the short-term list for four weeks and then moved to long term by request of the person submitting the name, or by need known by the Rector. **Also, we are trying to be sure that our prayer lists are as updated as possible and certainly do not want to remove someone that should be on it. If you know of someone that should be removed please let the office know. Thank you.**



Short Term: Father Jim Jones and the Jones Family, Austin Steber, Lucy Bedell, Jenna S., David Patch, Sharon Phillips, John Cook, Johanna Masters, Steve Kasmarcik, Mary Padula-Malchak, Ryan Lane, Richard Benson, Audrey Fluck, Sharry Doyle, Lucy Grabowski, Marion Kohickel, Sam McMullen, Patricia Wheller, Jim Schofield, Hannah Burrell, Teresa Perkins, Darlene Byarley, Bryce Johnson, Herb Lake, Martin Kasmarcik, Tom Stout, Bill Kasmarcik, Jeanette Cook, David & Judy Horton, Margaret Isaming, and Sarah Harrison-Pautard



Long Term: Doug Carlson, Karen Zimmer, Dorothy Pierce, Noelle Benson, Larry Kiley, Eli Bedell, Tony Szwalla, Ralph Holloway, Bob Gillmer, Stacy Matto, Kenneth Barkman, Jenna Knapp, and Nanette McIntosh

Military: None



Shut Ins: Thelma Barkman, Clark Byarley, Jane Chomyszak, Sally Cole, Arlene Foley, Ruth Furman, Lee Grabowski, Patricia Holloway, and Ardis Rogers

Celebrations in April



1 Joyanne Kasmarcik
Martin Kasmarcik
3 Linda Barkman
7 Patty Scotto
Jude-Dallas Grabowski
Arlene Huyck
9 Steven Avery
11 Megan Labosky
12 Chieyann Grabowski
19 Andrew Hickey
Lilian May Jarrett
22 Sarah Harrison-Pautard
27 Vincent Finta

19 Matt & Colleen Labosky
21 David & Eileen Patch
23 Herbert & Deborah Lake



Sanctuary Candle

April 4 – given in memory of James Estelle Jr. by Linda and Dave Barkman

April 11 – given in memory of William and Martha Motsko by Carol and Allen Motsko

April 18 - None

April 25 - None



Altar Flowers

April 4 – The flowers for Easter are as follows:

Mr. & Mrs. Harold Blanding,

Mrs. Ermine McDonald,

David & Lowell Pierce and Bruno and Mary Suchowiecki given by Lonna Pierce,

Adeline, Albert, and Marilyn Thorpe, Frederic, Teresa, and Stephen VanDervoort given by Debbie
and Don Thorpe,

William and Martha Motsko, given by Allen and Carol Motsko,

Doris and Paul Estelle, Iva and Paul Chamberlain given by Linda and Dave Barkman,

Marilyn and Rev. Arthur Doersam, given by Lynn Alexander,

Tommy and Jim Isaminger, given by Margaret Isaminger,

Blanch Knapp, Frank and Isabel Patch, given by Eileen and David Patch,

Elmer W. Day, Jane B. Day, Helen L. Day, Michael Ingresano, Rev. S. George Dinghalli, and The
Very Rev. Jim Jenson, given by Rev. Christine J. Day,

Donald Freed, Doris and Walter Brink and Constance Whalen, given by Barbara Freed

Also given in thanksgiving of Colleen Labosky's mother, Gloria Anderson, by Colleen and Matt
Labosky

April 11 – given in memory of Stephen VanDervoort, given by Debbie and Don Thorpe and given in
thanksgiving for the birthday of Megan by Matt and Colleen Labosky

April 18 –given in thanksgiving of the birthday of their grandson, Declan Zurn, by Bobbi and Gary
Zurn and given in thanksgiving of their anniversary by Matt and Colleen Labosky

April 25 – given in thanksgiving and the birthday of her grandson Porter Mc Keon by Lonna Pierce
and given in thanksgiving of the birthday of their grandson Vincent Finta, given by Ida and Larry Taft.

The following prayer is from the Evening Prayer service in the Book of Common Prayer:

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give your angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ, give rest to the weary, bless the dying, sooth the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous: and all for your love's sake. Amen.

The Final Word 

Abilities: Romans 12:6– *“God has given each of us the ability to do certain things well.....”*

Wise are those who discover their God-given gifts and make the best of them. Foolish is the person who wants those gifts that God has not given and spends his or her life in idle dreams of what could have been. Set your mind on discovering those gifts and abilities that God specifically had in mind when he made you.

NLT-GEZ

The calendar on the following page is based on church activities as usual. Many meetings are via ZOOM or Facebook Live see above for information.



APRIL 2021



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>28 PALM SUNDAY 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM <i>Dwelling in the Word</i> via ZOOM 10:30 AM Holy Communion and via Zoom and Facebook. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Evening Prayer ZOOM and Facebook Live 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM ALL SAINTS' LENTEN PROGRAM: "LOVE IS THE WAY" VIA ZOOM</p>	<p>29 Office Closed 10:00 AM Holy Monday Holy Communion, In-person & Online 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Cub Scouts</p>	<p>30 10:00 AM Holy Tuesday Holy Communion, In-person & Online 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Scouts</p>	<p>31 10:00 AM Holy Wednesday Holy Communion, In-person & Online 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Rector <i>Official Office Hours</i> 5:30 PM Book Club via Zoom</p>	<p>1 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Maundy Thursday, Holy Communion and Stripping of the Altar: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM: 8:00 PM Compline via Zoom</p>	<p>2 Office Closed Rector Off Day 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Good Friday Liturgy and Communion from the Reserved: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Good Friday, Taize Stations of the Cross: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM</p>	<p>3 5:00 PM Saturday, The Great Vigil of Easter & Baptism: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM</p>
<p>4 EASTER 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM <i>Dwelling in the Word</i> via ZOOM 10:30 AM Festival Holy Communion Celebration of Our Lord's Resurrection: In-person and Facebook Live and ZOOM: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Evening Prayer ZOOM and Facebook Live 6:00 PM Scouts Committee Mtg</p>	<p>5 Office Closed 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Cub Scouts</p>	<p>6 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Scouts 6:30 PM Jr. League BD Meeting</p>	<p>7 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Rector <i>Official Office Hours</i> 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM Girl Scouts</p>	<p>8 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 8:00 PM Compline via Zoom</p>	<p>9 Office Closed Rector Off Day</p>	<p>10 9:00 AM LEARNING COMMUNITY INITIATIVE SESSION: BY ZOOM 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Soup & Sandwich Lunch 5:00 PM Holy Communion and via Zoom and Facebook.</p>
<p>11 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM <i>Dwelling in the Word</i> via ZOOM 10:30 AM Holy Communion and via Zoom and Facebook. 11:30 AM Rector/Wardens' Meeting 2:00 PM Evening Prayer Good Shepherd Village 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Evening Prayer ZOOM and Facebook Live</p>	<p>12 Office Closed 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Cub Scouts</p>	<p>13 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Scouts</p>	<p>14 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Rector <i>Official Office Hours</i> 6:30 PM Vestry Meeting</p>	<p>15 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 8:00 PM Compline via Zoom</p>	<p>16 Office Closed Rector Off Day</p>	<p>17 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Soup & Sandwich Lunch 5:00 PM Holy Communion and via Zoom and Facebook.</p>
<p>18 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM <i>Dwelling in the Word</i> via ZOOM 10:30 AM Holy Communion and via Zoom and Facebook. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Evening Prayer ZOOM and Facebook Live</p>	<p>19 Office Closed 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Cub Scouts</p>	<p>20 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Scouts</p>	<p>21 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM American Red Cross Blood Drive at Trinity Memorial Episcopal Church 44 Main Street Binghamton, New York 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Rector <i>Official Office Hours</i> 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM Girl Scouts</p>	<p>22 Crossways Articles Due to Gary Zurn 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CHOW Pantry 12:00 PM Diocesan Stewardship team will lead a roundtable conversation on fundraising in these pandemic and post-pandemic times. 8:00 PM Compline via Zoom</p>	<p>23 Office Closed Rector Off Day</p>	<p>24 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Soup & Sandwich Lunch 5:00 PM Holy Communion and via Zoom and Facebook.</p>
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