

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. B'S

for the week beginning March 28, 2021



## Sunday

Join us at 10:00 am when we [“Zoom” into worship.](#)

Before we worship, though, we gather for **Faith Forum** at 9:00 am. Join Joe Twist as he presents **“The History of Women’s Ordination.”** Learn about the complicated journey to ordination for women, for those who supported it, and for those who did not. We gather on Zoom at 9:00 am — plan to join us! You can find the Zoom link for Faith Forum [here](#) on our website.

**The Sunday Brunch Bunch**, for all students and youth workers in the Diocese of Maryland, gathers on Sundays from 12:30 — 2:30 pm for fun, fellowship, and formation with guest speakers, special prayer practices, and games to play. Please sign up for a [weekly reminder here](#). Use this link to join: <http://bit.ly/sundaybrunchmd>.

**Children’s Word for Kangaroos!** The Kangaroo Class (for children age 3 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) meets with Miss Ebony on Zoom from 5:00 to 5:30 pm. If you have not yet received a [Spark Story Bible](#) for your child to use or the Zoom link for the Kangaroo Class, please contact Steve Miller ([stmiller@umbc.edu](mailto:stmiller@umbc.edu)) or Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)).

Today it’s **“Drive by D-Group!”** Swing by the Youth House between 5:00 and 6:00 pm to pick up a surprise! We will be practicing COVID safety, so wear your mask.

Reminder: **2020 Reports for the Annual Report booklet are due today.** Thank you.

† **Monday through Saturday** at 12:00 noon, we hold a brief service of **Noonday Prayer** (at home). †  
*If you have specific prayer needs, please send them to Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)).*

## Monday

**Episcopal 102** meets via Zoom on Mondays from 5:30 to 7:00 pm. We’re exploring some of the stories of the Bible. Everyone is welcome. Want more information? Contact The Reverend Carol Burnside at [shinyredtruck@msn.com](mailto:shinyredtruck@msn.com) or text/call at 410-440-7394. (Interested in preparing for Confirmation or Reception in the Episcopal Church? Please let Carol know.)

At 7:00 pm, a 40 West meeting takes place on Zoom.

## Tuesday

**Children’s Word for Elephants!** The Elephant Class (for children in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade) meets with Miss Jo Anne on Zoom from 7:00 to 7:30 pm. If you have not yet received a [Spark Bible NRSV](#) for your child to use or the Zoom link for the Elephant Class, please contact Steve Miller ([stmiller@umbc.edu](mailto:stmiller@umbc.edu)) or Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)).

At 6:15 pm, the **Vestry** meets. Everyone is welcome, as always. If you would like to come, please contact Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)).

## Thursday

**Maundy Thursday:** Our worship begins on Zoom at 7:30 pm with the **Foot Washing, our Communion Meal, and the Stripping of the Altar.**

**“Virtual” Prayer Vigil:** Our normal **all-night Prayer Vigil** will take place at home, beginning at 9:00 pm. Here is a [link to our website](#) where you can sign up for a time slot and find materials to use in the quiet of your own home.

D-Group gathers on Zoom for a **Virtual Watch with Jesus** from 9:00 pm to 2:00 am on Friday.

## Friday

**Good Friday:** At 7:30 pm, we offer **Good Friday Tenebrae** on Zoom.

## Community Notes ...

St. B’s welcomes your special offering for **Easter Flowers** for either Memorials (given in thanks for those who have come before) or Thanksgivings for the gifts of this life. Please email Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)) by today, March 28. Contributions may be mailed to the office or given [online](#).

**Invite A Friend or Neighbor to Zoom Worship!**

We will be creating a **fresh Prayer List** on Easter Sunday, April 4. If you wish to have a name remain on the Prayer List, or if you wish to add a name, please email the Office ([Office@stbs-md.org](mailto:Office@stbs-md.org)). Thank you.

We are grateful for all the **Pledges** made to St. B's. If you have not yet sent in your Treasure or Time and Talent pledges, you may find copies of the pledge cards available on our [website](#). Or contact Maggie ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)) or call the office (410-945-7263) and leave a message.

[Recordings of St. B's worship services](#) — including sermons — are available on the [St. B's website](#) (<https://stbs-md.org/>). Look for the “MEDIA” tab under “WORSHIP.” That is also where you can find our digital devotion, [“A Moment of Peace and Quiet,”](#) just below the Sunday services. AND, you can find a recording of our **Lenten Choral Evensong** [here](#).

*A quick look at events in the coming weeks ...*

- April 4**      **Easter Day!** We will gather in-person (**just this once!**) outdoors in the Courtyard (weather permitting) for the **Easter Vigil Service** at 7:30 am. Bring a chair; wear a mask and warm clothes. Then at 10:00 am, our **Easter Service** will available on Zoom
- Saturdays, April 10, 17, & 24 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm:** We need a **parish family effort** to move EVERYTHING in the Undercroft to the Garage, Youth House, or Parish House in preparation for asbestos abatement in the Undercroft. Lunch is provided. Please let Dave Murray ([drmur@verizon.net](mailto:drmur@verizon.net)) know when you will help.
- April 11**      We gather for **Faith Forum** at 9:00 am. Join Thelma Smullen as she helps us understand “**Why Did Jesus Have to Die.**” We meet on Zoom at 9:00 am — plan to join us!
- April 18**      At 9:30 am, we **worship** (via Zoom). Then after a short break, we have our **Annual Meeting** at 11:00 am (also on Zoom).

A blazing beacon moment of the week: \_\_\_\_\_ !