

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. B'S

## for the week beginning July 18, 2021



- Sunday** We worship at 8:00 and 10:00 am. Both services take place in the Church. Please wear a mask. You can also join us for worship at 10:00 am on ["Zoom."](#)
- We're delighted to have **The Reverend Carole Robinson Douglas** join us for worship again today as our preacher and celebrant. Welcome back to St. B's!
- At 1:30 pm, **Mt. Olivet Baptist Church**, led by Pastor Alex Stone, worships in the Church and on Zoom.
- † **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 (Scripture)** 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.
- Tuesday** 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)).
- Wednesday** **Episcopal 102 (Church)** meets via Zoom on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 7:00 pm. What does it mean to be an Episcopalian? If you are not an Episcopalian, this is a great opportunity to figure "us" out. If you are an Episcopalian, this is a great opportunity to remember why! 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.
- Flea Market donations** are accepted from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. [Click here](#) for more information about the Flea Market found in our bulletin on pages 19 and 20!
- Flea Market Sorting** takes place from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. Please join us on Wednesday evenings to help sort donations — as often as you are able!
- At 7:30 pm, a **Sankofa Circle** gathers at the Mountain home
- Thursday** One Straw Farm **CSA pick-up** takes place in the Parish House Kitchen beginning at 4:00 pm.

### *Community Notes ...*

**IT'S BACKPACK TIME AGAIN!** St. B's will again be providing new backpacks and school supplies to Baltimore City schoolchildren in grades pre-K - 12 whose families are involved with the 40 West Assistance and Referral Center and Hope Harbor. We are hoping to assist 50 children. We'll also be donating new underwear and socks for the clothes closet at Green Street Academy. Please bring your donations to the Tower Room on Sunday mornings through August 8. Financial donations are also very welcome. (Please note "backpacks" on the memo line.) Volunteers are needed to sort donations on Tuesday, August 10, and to pack the backpacks on Thursday, August 12. Please [click here](#) for the shopping list and additional information found in our bulletin on page 18. For questions or to volunteer, please call, text, or email Amanda Harris at 443-812-1341 or [aharris1968@hotmail.com](mailto:aharris1968@hotmail.com).

Invite A Friend to St. B's. . . .  
in the Church at 8:00 and 10:00 am and on Zoom at 10:00 am.  
**It may be the first step that changes his or her life forever!**

The 40 West Assistance and Referral Center is now accepting donations of food for our pantry. Our current needs include boxed cereal, cooking oil, sugar, flour, popcorn, crackers, Jello, instant puddings, and Hamburger Helper. Donations can be brought to the church on Sunday and put in baskets at the back of the church and in the Tower Room, or delivered to 40 West in the Parish House on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm. For questions, please contact our 40 West Food Manager, Susan Lundin, at [slundin@yahoo.com](mailto:slundin@yahoo.com).

Some of our **40 West clients are in need of spring and summer clothing**. Please bring clothing donations to the Parish House on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm, or email Peg McMillan ([pegmcmillan4@gmail.com](mailto:pegmcmillan4@gmail.com)) to set a time for drop off.

On Friday, August 6, **Ceasefire weekend** opens at 5:30 pm with a rally and block party on Edmondson and Edgewood. It's been a very difficult year in Edmondson Village and we strive to bring love and light to the neighborhood. We need donations of chips and individually wrapped cookies. A box will be provided in the Tower Room to place your donations. Thank you.

**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.

A recording of the June 13 **Virtual Choral Evensong**, along with the 14th edition of **Bach at St. B's**, is available on the "Music at St. Bartholomew's-Baltimore" YouTube Channel (<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCeA1kT0K-UEOHMKubwjZbzQ>).

Our Rector, Flo Ledyard, will be on vacation and sabbatical this summer. During her absence, please direct pastoral concerns to our clergy team: Thelma Smullen, Neva Brown, Mitch Fedock, or Ann Boyd. Wardens Angel Jackson and Michael Sarbanes are available for administrative matters.

### *Other Groups that Meet at St. B's...*

#### 40 West Assistance and Referral Center

Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm (Parish House)

#### 12-Step Groups

NA Wednesday and Thursday at 10:00 pm (Church)

AA Tuesday at 12:00 noon (Church)

Other 12-Step Groups are currently meeting online.

For additional information about our ministries and programs, please contact us at 410-945-7263, [office@stbs-md.org](mailto:office@stbs-md.org), or visit our website at [www.stbartholomew.ang-md.org/](http://www.stbartholomew.ang-md.org/).

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