

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. B'S

for the week beginning November 14, 2021



- Sunday** We worship at 8:00 and 10:30 am. Both services take place in the Church. Please wear a mask and practice compassionate distancing. You can also join us for worship at 10:30 am on [“Zoom.”](#)
- Child care** is available in the Parish House Cribbery for children up to age 5 from 10:00 am through 12:00 pm. Please stop by the Cribbery and meet our wonderful fully-vaccinated Caregiver, Dona McIntyre.
- On Sunday mornings, children ages 3 to grade 5 are invited to participate in **Children’s Word**. During the Sequence Hymn, children follow their teachers to the Undercroft. Children at home may join us on Zoom. Kangaroos (age 3—grade 2) meet in the Rector’s Office; Elephants (grades 3—5) meet in the Copier Room. The [Kangaroo Zoom link is here](#). And the [Elephant Zoom link is here](#). Newcomers, friends, and parents are welcome to come along.
- At 1:30 pm, **Olivet Baptist Church**, led by Pastor Alex Stone, worships in the Church and on Zoom.
- D-Group, for those in grades 6—12, meets via Zoom** on Sundays from 5:00 to 6:30 pm. Please contact Youth Group Leaders Kathie or Marty Clark ([peaceclark1@gmail.com](mailto:peaceclark1@gmail.com)) for the link to join. Come for fun, fellowship, and faith. And invite a friend!
- † **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, or email Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)) for the Zoom link.
- Tuesday** **Tuesday Noon Zoom Bible Study** led by Chuck Sullivan and Thelma Smullen meets from 11:45 am to 1:15 pm. The focus: From tribal confederacy to the nation of Israel with Samuel, Saul, and of course, the great King David (1 and 2 Samuel).
- 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** At 3:00 pm, the **40 West Volunteers** meet on Zoom.
- 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, or email Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)) for the Zoom link.

Invite A Friend to Church!

In the Church at 8:00 and 10:30 am and on Zoom at 10:30 am.

**A personal invitation is a signpost pointing towards God.**

Youth in 6<sup>th</sup> grade through recent high school graduates are invited to join friends from around the Diocese at the **Weekly Online Gathering** on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:30 pm. Come for games, check-ins, prayers, and fellowship! Come for any or all! We're at <https://bit.ly/episcotime>.

The **KIVA Committee** meets on Zoom at 7:00 pm

Also at 7:00 pm, a **Sankofa Circle** meets on Zoom.

#### Thursday

If you arranged to donate a **Thanksgiving Basket** for clients of 40 West and Hope Harbor partners, donations are due in the Parish House by 8:30 am.

At 9:00 am, 40 West distributes Thanksgiving Baskets to clients in the Parking Lot.

One Straw Farm **CSA pick-up** takes place in the Parish House Kitchen beginning at 4:00 pm.

The **St. Bartholomew Choir (for older youth & adults)** gathers in the Church at 7:30 pm. All are welcome! Please contact Ted Davis ([ted@stbs-md.org](mailto:ted@stbs-md.org)) for more information.

#### Saturday

The Creation Caretakers are sponsoring a **Litter Clean-Up** along the Route 40 Corridor from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon for volunteers in sixth grade and older. Bring garden gloves; grabbers, reflective vests, pails, and trash bags will be provided. Meet in the St. B's Parking Lot.

### *Community Notes ...*

We are grateful for all the **Pledges** made to St. B's. If you have not yet made your pledge, you may find pledge cards in the Tower Room. They are also 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.

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

**November 21 Faith Forum** (for adults and older youth) gathers every other Sunday from 9:15 to 10:00 am on Zoom. This day our topic is "Every Shut Eye Ain't Asleep," – Part 2, led by Nicete Moodie. This wonderful anthology of poetry by African Americans is an awesome opportunity to help us hear the voice of God in some fresh and distinctive ways. Come, listen, and let the song of poetry catch your attention. Everyone is welcome! You can find the Zoom link [here](#) on our website.

**November 25** Join St. Bartholomew's and Mt. Olivet Churches for **Thanksgiving Day worship** at 10:30 am — in person in the Church or on Zoom.

**December 5** Save the date for **Virtual Advent Lessons and Carols** via YouTube Live at 4:30 pm.

### *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

#### 12-Step Groups

NA Monday at 9:00 pm (Undercroft)

Wednesday and Thursday at 10:00 pm (Undercroft)

AA Tuesday at 12:00 noon (Undercroft)

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/).

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