



ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH
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Announcements for Sunday, March 12, 2017



If you are a newcomer to St. Margaret's, please ask an usher or greeter for a Newcomers bag to take home with more information on St. Margaret's programs and events. And please fill out a newcomer's card located in the pews. You can put it in the collection plate or give it to clergy.

This Week's Prayer List

FOR YOUR PRAYERS: Amanda Freeland, Nancy, Caroline, Dale, Karen, Maggie Wilmore, Peter H., Lisa and David, Bambi Henry, Laney Fitzsimmons, Jennifer Morgan, Rosa, Debbie, B.J. Davidson.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED: David Johns.

FOR LONG-TERM PRAYERS: Joyce Hall, Jane Bowers, Gina Cumberland, Dick Tighe, Gerret, Cheryl Burdyck, Lillian, Pam Hill, Thomas Pederson, Katy Baker, Michelle Macbes, Joanne Booth, Lanny Ridout, Brian, Haley, Nancy Holmes, Dana Likko, Lisa Holly Robbins, Olivia, Diane Rohm, Richard Gragg, Michael Brogan, Jon Beard, Mary Greene, Win Smith, Carol Saunders, Oakie O'Neale, Beth Crossman, Audrey Stover.

FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY: Dave, Shelby, Staci, Christiaan, Josh, Evan, Jon, Tom, Richard, Keith, Sarah, Chris, Jay, James, Ross, Margaret, Philip, Jacob, Pete, Michael, Tim, Ryan, Glen, Shaanel, Matthew, Steven, Daniel, Heidi, Garrett, Joel, Justin, Joshua, Zachary, Conrad, Jake, Kevin, Michael, Victoria, Amelia, Ben, David, Paul and their families.

Prayer Requests — Please note:

To add a name to the prayer list, please use our new prayer request forms (purple) in the pews (to put in the collection plate or give to clergy) or make a request on our website using the "Prayer Request" button on the bottom of the homepage.

Have you seen our "Tot Spot?"

In the lobby of our Formation Building on Sunday mornings during formation and coffeeshour, we set up a safe play space for our youngest parishioners to play with other toddlers, giving young parents an opportunity to visit as well. Join us!



TODAY AT ST. MARGARET'S

FUNERAL PLANNING FORUM

Join the Rev. Peter Mayer and James Fitzpatrick in the new Fellowship Hall this morning during coffee-hour starting at 10:20 a.m. for a forum on funeral planning at St. Margaret's.

Next week's forum is on end of life legal issues with attorney Fred Francke.

VISIT RELAY FOR LIFE TABLE DURING COFFEEHOUR



Relay for Life is April 22-23 this year so it is time to begin signing up participants, support the team, provide names of who to pray for, or purchase a luminaria in memory or honor of a loved one. The Relay table will be set up in the parish hall during coffeeshour. Please stop by or visit our website homepage and look for the Relay logo.

SEEKERS CLASS TODAY

Join in a new book study for adults in the administrative conference room this morning during coffeeshour (10:20 to 11 a.m.) The group will discuss the book "What Did Jesus Ask?" Books can be purchased online at Amazon.com. All are welcome!

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL AT THE 9 A.M. SERVICE

Our Children's Chapel program for ages three to six years takes place during the 9 a.m. service. The children leave the nave during the sequence hymn following behind the cross which will come down the aisle. They go into the downstairs annex classroom where they will hear a bible story and enjoy music together before rejoining their parents at the Peace.

NURSERY AVAILABLE

Children are very special to us here at St. Margaret's, and we have a lovely, newly refurbished nursery in our annex building that adjoins our sanctuary (down a short flight of stairs). We have experienced, loving professionals ready to welcome our little guests from infants to age 3 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Faith & Fellowship

YOUTH EVENTS

If you are not receiving the youth weekly newsletter for students in grade 6-12, please contact jeff@st-margarets.org. This is the easiest way to keep track of all that is going on in youth ministry.

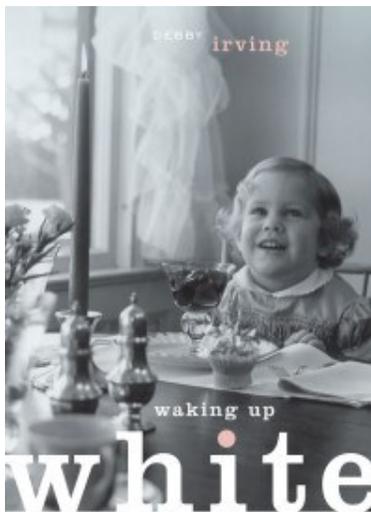
Monday, March 13

- 5:00-6:00 Lent in a Bag assembly
- 5:00-5:30 Spirit Singers
- 5:30-6:00 Youth Chorale
- 5:30-6:00 Acolyte practice
- 6:00-6:45 Fellowship Dinner
- 6:45-8:00 Youth Group (Middle/High School)
- 6:45-8:00 Adult Formation - See below

Volunteers are needed for check-in and meal prep/cleanup.

Join us for our
Lenten Book Study—
Waking Up White
By Debbie Irving

Book is on sale today
during coffeeshour and
tomorrow before class
for \$15
or you can download it
on a Kindle at
Amazon.com



The book is based on the author's struggle to understand racism and racial tensions, offering a fresh perspective on bias, stereotypes, manners, and tolerance.

It is okay if you can't make all of the classes. People are welcome to join us when they can. The study will be more of a discussion. Although we will discuss aspects of the book, the discussion will be broad enough so those who don't have a lot of time to read can join in.



Parents and their children up to age 6 are invited to sing, dance, play and learn bible stories together during a new family style music and movement class at St. Margaret's. Classes begin at 9 am in the Children's Chapel room of the downstairs Annex and will last approximately 45 minutes. After class, parents are free to stay for fellowship time in the nursery while their children enjoy free play under their guidance. Class will take place the following **Tuesdays this spring**: March 21, April 18, May 16. Space is limited so please email Jenelle@st-margarets.org.

Youth are invited to come see *Hidden Figures* today at the **Horizon Cinemas Sun Valley** (7943 Baltimore Annapolis Blvd, Glen Burnie, MD 21060). Showtime is 1:15 pm, and the cost per ticket is no more than \$4.50. We are planning to car-pool from St. Margaret's leaving **no later than 12:30**. We hope we will be joined by some of our friends from Asbury Broad-neck UMC.

March 31 – April 2nd Happening #10, Friday at 7 p.m. through Sunday at 3 p.m. at the Claggett Center. Happening is a national program designed, staffed, and run by Episcopal youth. This weekend will deepen your relationship with Jesus, and connections with those on similar spiritual journeys in grades 9-12. The cost is \$75 but scholarships are available.

Our friends at Asbury-Broadneck are hosting a night filled with song, instruments, spoken word, and dance on April 7 at 7pm. They have sent us an invitation to be part of it—either performing or helping out behind the scenes. You can also be an appreciative audience member. Contact Jeff for more info.

The Nightwatch trip to New York was re-scheduled due to snow and ice. The new date is April 21st and 22nd. Those students who already registered and paid have secured a space on the next trip. If you weren't able to make last week's trip, but can participate in April, please let us know so we can place your name on a wait list.

ADVOCACY

GROUP

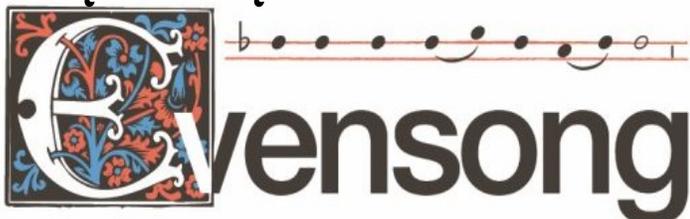
Inspired by Bishop Sutton's recent public walk and statement about refugees, a few parishioners have met and started to discuss the biblical, moral and social justice dimensions of current issues concerning refugees. We feel called to take action now! Our plan is to continue discussing issues affecting refugees, gather information about newly proposed policies and coordinate with other Annapolis church groups to advocate for public policies that support the human rights of refugees. If you are interested in joining our efforts, please send your name, email address and phone number to Bill Saur at wgsaur@gmail.com and we will get back to you shortly. ----- Kate Callahan, Christine Feldmann, Joanna Tillman, Jim Hall, Izzy Winn, Beth Arruda, Jean Clarke, Bill Saur.



Lenten Compline

Quiet prayers & reflection
Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
March 15, 22, 29, April 5

Lenten **March 19**
@ 5:00 p.m.



Featuring the choirs of St. Margaret's

Go! For Lent

A booklet of Lenten meditations from
parishioners, clergy, and staff of St. Mar-
garet's Church

Available on the church website
www.st-margarets.org
in the Quick Links section



Green Meditations

Delivered through email
on Thursday mornings
From your St. Margaret's
Green Team
Didn't receive one? Email
info@st-margarets.org.



Palm Sunday

April 9

Gather in the Parish Hall for the processional

Holy Week Monday-Wednesday

April 10-12

Eucharist at noon, Compline at 7 p.m.

Maundy Thursday *

April 13

Service/Stripping of the Altar at 7 p.m.

Good Friday Stations of the Cross for Families

April 14

10 a.m.

RSVP to Jenelle@st-margarets.org by 4/7

Good Friday Services

April 14

Noon & 7 p.m. *

Ecumenical Way of the Cross at Manresa

April 14

11:45 a.m.

Easter Vigil *

April 15

8 p.m.

Bring bells to ring!

Easter Morning Services

April 16

7:30, 9:00, 11:15 a.m.

* = **Childcare is available for this particular service if you contact Jenelle@st-margarets.org by April 7.**

Easter Egg Alleluia Hunt

April 16 @ 10:15 a.m.
Meet in the Fellowship Hall
For ages 3 through 5th grade



Adult & Youth Helpers Needed!

Donations Needed: peanut-free individually packed candy and small toy donations

You can drop off your donations at Jenelle's office on Sundays or in the church office during the week.

Please contact Jenelle@st-margarets.org for more information.

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Upcoming Events



Celtic Service

Next Sunday, March 19

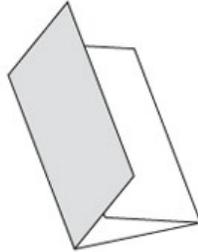
9 & 11:15 a.m. services

Led by Third Sunday Band

Kilts optional!

Holy Folders Needed!

Tues, March 21 @ 10 a.m.
Conference Room
for Easter Letter Mailing



All welcome!
If you need a ride, contact Judy Hall
at judy.hall0404@gmail.com.



NY Jazz at St. Margaret's Sunday, March 26 — 4 p.m.

Guitarist Tony Romano and Russian Sax Player Lenny Sendersky return for an evening of exciting jazz. This is a pay at the door concert and not part of the concert series, but no jazz lover will want to miss this. Suggested donation is \$20, but pay what you can.

St. Margaret's Day School

LIGHTS,
CAMERA,
AUCTION!

A night of red carpet glamour.

Annual Silent Auction

May 6, 7 to 10 p.m.

Parish Hall

Tickets available now

stmargaretsdayschool.org

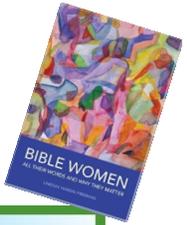
Come support our school!

BIBLE WOMEN STUDY

THURSDAY MORNINGS

9:15 A.M.

NURSERY AVAILABLE — ALL WELCOME



This annual tournament to benefit the Light House will be held on Thursday, June 15, at the Renditions Golf Course in Davidsonville. Parishioner Mike Winn is putting teams of four together. If you wish to participate, please write a check for \$137.50 (per player), payable to Friends of the Light House, with "Golf Tournament 2017" in the memo line and either give to Mike on Sunday or place it in the History & Archives box in the church office. For questions, contact Mike at mwinn421@verizon.net.

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Remembrance . Reflection . Celebration
1692-2017 . 325 YEARS



On February 16, 1992...
St. Margaret's Church begins Tricentennial Celebration

The Rev. Richard Landis, former rector St. Anne's Parish, conducts historic service from 1662 Prayer Book & preaches as if he were Thomas Bray reporting to the Bishop of London on conditions in MD

Later that year, four historic services, & November celebration followed

February 1998 St. Margaret's Church sermon available on request.



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February 16, 2017 - 248 Days before October 22, 2017 Celebration of establishment of St. Margaret's Church, Annapolis MD

#325to325 — Daily History Post — In preparation for our upcoming 325th anniversary celebration in October, St. Margaret's will be posting historical notes featuring photos or facts from our past three centuries. The post appears daily on our public Facebook page, and on our Twitter account or weekly in Dragon Tales. If you would like to volunteer to help with the planning of the anniversary weekend, contact bkbreden@comcast.net.

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