

ST. MARGARET'S
CHURCH



ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND

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Sunday Services

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

Wednesday Service

7:30 a.m.

Admin. Building

Formation Hour

Sept. - May

10:15 to 11 a.m.

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Publication Deadlines

**Dragon Tales Weekly E-Newsletter -
Monday afternoons
Sunday Announcements -
Wednesday mornings**



Announcements

July 1-8, 2018

Light House Pantry – July Food Drive

Each July, St. Margaret's is responsible for a drive to stock the Light House Food Pantry which provides our neighbors in need with non-perishable goods such as low-sugar canned fruits & vegetables; dried products such as mashed potatoes, pasta, rice, cereal; soup, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, dry milk, and tuna fish; and personal care items such as small soaps, shampoo, toothpaste, etc. (and not "junk foods" such as chips & cookies). We hope everyone at St. Margaret's will contribute at least one bag of items between now and the end of July. There are bags, kindly provided by Giant supermarket and a list of especially needed items in the narthex. Please place donations in the container in the narthex (sanctuary is always open). Thanks to all who continue to donate throughout the year.

Episcopal Night at Camden Yards-Last Call for Tickets

Join other parishioners and Episcopalians across Maryland to cheer on the Orioles on Friday, July 27 at a discounted rate. Game start is 7:05 p.m. If you wish to purchase a St. Margaret's group ticket (ensuring you sit with parishioners) you can (1) write a check to St. Margaret's for \$18 per person with "Orioles game" in the memo line and place in the offertory plate or take to the church office or (2) pay by credit card online for the price of \$20. **DEADLINE IS JULY 9.**



Episcopal General Convention July 5-13

General Convention is the highest governing body of The Episcopal Church, meeting every three years and made up of the Church's bishops and elected lay and ordained deputies from each diocese. The 79th General Convention meets in Austin, Texas, from July 5-13. The Episcopal Church Women (ECW) Triennial meeting convenes in the same location July 5-11.

You can visit the General Convention information portal for all things General Convention including Blue Book reports, calendars, resolutions and other legislative information at <https://www.generalconvention.org>.

A Note from the Church Office

The office will be closed for the Independence Day holiday on July 4-5. The office will be closed on Fridays from July 6 -Aug. 31.

Our office volunteers and staff are taking vacations throughout the quieter summer months. As a result, office phones may not be answered at some times during the day. If you need immediate assistance, email may be the fastest messaging available. As a reminder, the pastoral emergency number is 443-837-5463. The church office will be closed on Fridays through August 31.

Foyers Forming for Next Year

Are you interested in joining the St. Margaret's Foyers social groups? If you participated last year you do not do anything as, you will receive a phone call or e-mail from one of the committee members in which you will be asked your interest. If you did not participate last year but want to meet other parishioners in a social setting, please contact one of the Planning Committee members when groups are formed in August. The purpose of this activity is to facilitate strong relationships within our church. For more info, contact VeraTorrence at vdtorrence@verizon.net.

Missions Tanzania Trip

St. Margaret's Missions Comm. members are leading a group to Tanzania on March 7-20, 2019. The all-inclusive trip will include a safari visiting the most beautiful spots of the Serengeti and a three-day visit to the Dageno Girls Center. Dageno has been a St. Margaret's grant recipient since 2014 but this is the first time we've visited in person. The itinerary has been planned and will be led by Teri Priebe of King George Travel—a very experienced TZ tour operator. A \$500 deposit secures your space now. Space is limited -three rooms left (six spots, double occupancy). For more information, go to our website at www.st-margarets.org and click on the Missions tab at the top.

Notes for College Bound Students

A volunteer from St. Margaret's has offered to send notes of support to college students from our parish for the upcoming school year. If you would like to arrange to have this done, please email the student's name, college where they are going with full mailing address, and year they will graduate to info@st-margarets.org.

Ice Ministry- Volunteers Needed

As you may know, volunteers from St. Margaret's started an ice ministry last year to help our homeless brothers and sisters manage in the hot summer months. Once a week, a volunteer dropped off bags of ice for residents of three homeless camps around the county. This small gesture goes a long way not only to make life easier but to let these men and women know they are cared about. We've been asked by the Department of Social Services to increase our sites to four this year and could use some volunteers to help.

If you'd be willing to help by dropping off at a predetermined time, please contact Christine Feldmann at cduray@comcast.net or one of the team captains listed below. We hope to start in mid July. We are also looking for a team captain to coordinate schedules for delivery. Let Christine Feldmann know if you are interested.

*Behind Langley Road in Glen Burnie *new location

*Camp Hope (behind Cheeseburger in Paradise in Pasadena) (team captain- Paul O'Donnell)

*Rowe Blvd Bridge Area - Annapolis (team captain- Christine Feldmann)

*Near Denny's area - Annapolis *new location

Parish Prayer List

For your prayers: Amanda Freeland, Rose Duray, Suzie Clifton, Joshua Stabile, David, Lynn Golemon, Karen Riedemann, Ellis, Sharon.

For those who have died: Donald.

For long-term prayers: Suzi Jett, Ken Walsh, Theo Klocko, Jim Keck, Arlyne, Rich, Dottie, Melissa, Emmi, Myrna Bein, Lynne, Joseph Meany, Ila, Charles Rector, Kim, Jessie, Marianne, Wayne Reinard, Nikki Traylor-Knowles, Danielle Krolick, Virginia Gallagher, Claire, Bob, Kennedy, Lisa Robbins, Peg Gledhill, Chanel Cassidy, John Sidney McCain, The Clarke family, Jessie Howe, Olivia Ridenhour, Thomas Pederson, Katy Baker, Bailey, Kyle Alton, Joyce Hall, Jane Bowers, Richard Gragg, Mary Greene, Carol Saunders, Oakie O'Neale, Patricia Holmes, Carol Ferguson.

For those in the military: Nate, John, Geoffrey, Dave, Shelby, Staci, Christiaan, Josh, Evan, Jon, Tom, Richard, Keith, Sarah, Chris, Jay, James, Ross, Margaret, Philip, Jacob, Pete, Michael, Tim, Ryan, Glen, Matthew, Steven, Daniel, Heidi, Garrett, Joel, Justin, Joshua, Zachary, Conrad, Jake, Kevin, Victoria, Amelia, Ben, David, Paul and their families.

A Note on Prayer Requests —

We often remove prayer list names that have been on for a longer period of time. If a name has been taken off and you still want them on the list, email info@st-margarets.org. 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), make a request on our website using the "Prayer Request" green button toward the bottom of the homepage, or share with clergy.

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT



Camp Allen 2018 August 6-10

Volunteers Needed!

Look for sign-ups
on Sunday mornings

St. Margaret's will once again hold the half-day Camp Allen summer program on August 6-10 for the families of the Allen Apartments in the Parole area of Annapolis. We are seeking volunteers to be youth counselors, Spanish speakers to help with registration on Monday and Tuesday, snack and lunch helpers, drivers with larger vehicles to help with transportation of tables and supplies, people to help with crafts and games on Monday or Tuesday, and chaperones for field trips on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Contact coordinator Sarah Hyde at smhyde@aol.com for more info.