



ST. ANDREW'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost  
October 1, 2017

Prelude *Fairest Lord Jesus*

James Woodman (b. 1957)  
Five variations for organ

Processional Hymn 686 "Come, thou fount of every blessing"

*Nettleton*

**The Word of God**

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Collect for Purity

BCP p. 355

Gloria S 278 (front section of hymnal)

William Mathias (b. 1934)

Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* Together we pray.

*People* O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

First Lesson: Exodus 17:1-7

From the wilderness of Sin the whole congregation of the Israelites journeyed by stages, as the Lord commanded. They camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. The people quarreled with Moses, and said, "Give us

water to drink." Moses said to them, "Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the Lord?" But the people thirsted there for water; and the people complained against Moses and said, "Why did you bring us out of Egypt, to

kill us and our children and livestock with thirst?" So Moses cried out to the Lord, "What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me." The Lord said to Moses, "Go on ahead of the people, and take some of the elders of Israel with you; take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. I

will be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Strike the rock, and water will come out of it, so that the people may drink." Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarreled and tested the Lord, saying, "Is the Lord among us or not?"

*Reader*        The Word of the Lord.

*People*         Thanks be to God.

Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16

Edwin George Monk (1819-1900)

*The congregation is encouraged to sing the psalm.*



- 1 Hear my teaching, <sup>1</sup>O my <sup>1</sup>people; \*  
incline your <sup>1</sup>ears to the <sup>1</sup>words of my <sup>1</sup>mouth.
- 2 I will open my <sup>1</sup>mouth in a <sup>1</sup>parable; \*  
I will declare the <sup>1</sup>mysteries of <sup>1</sup>ancient <sup>1</sup>times.
- 3 That which we have heard and known,  
and what our <sup>1</sup>forefathers have <sup>1</sup>told us, \*  
we will not <sup>1</sup>hide <sup>1</sup>from their <sup>1</sup>children.
- 4 We will recount to generations to come  
the praiseworthy deeds and the <sup>1</sup>power of the <sup>1</sup>LORD, \*  
and the wonderful <sup>1</sup>wörks <sup>1</sup>he has <sup>1</sup>done.
- 12 He worked marvels in the <sup>1</sup>sight of their <sup>1</sup>forefathers, \*  
in the land of <sup>1</sup>Egypt, in the <sup>1</sup>field of <sup>1</sup>Zoan.
- 13 He split open the sea and <sup>1</sup>let them pass <sup>1</sup>through; \*  
he made the <sup>1</sup>waters stand <sup>1</sup>up like <sup>1</sup>walls.
- 14 He led them with a <sup>1</sup>cloud by <sup>1</sup>day, \*  
and all the night <sup>1</sup>through with a <sup>1</sup>glow of <sup>1</sup>fire.

15 He split the hard<sup>1</sup> rocks in the<sup>1</sup> wilderness \*  
and gave them drink as<sup>1</sup> from the<sup>1</sup> gr<sup>1</sup>eat<sup>1</sup> deep.

+ 16 He brought streams<sup>1</sup> out of the<sup>1</sup> cliff, \*  
and the<sup>1</sup> waters gushed<sup>1</sup> out like<sup>1</sup> rivers.

## Second Lesson: Philippians 2:1-13

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form,

he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 339 “Deck, thyself my soul, with gladness”

*Schmücke dich*

Gospel: Matthew 21:23-32

*Clergy* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Matthew.

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When Jesus entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, “By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?” Jesus said to them, “I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I

will also tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?” And they argued with one another, “If we say, ‘From heaven,’ he will say to us, ‘Why then did you not believe him?’ But if we say, ‘Of human origin,’ we

are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet." So they answered Jesus, "We do not know." And he said to them, "Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things.

"What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, 'Son, go and work in the vineyard today.' He answered, 'I will not'; but later he changed his mind and went. The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, 'I go, sir'; but he did not go.

Which of the two did the will of his father?" They said, "The first." Jesus said to them, "Truly I tell you, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.""

Clergy      The Gospel of the Lord.  
People      Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358

Prayers of the People

*After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy.  
The People reply, Hear our prayer.*

Confession

BCP p. 360

Peace

Announcements

## The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Anthem *Lord, make me an instrument of your peace* Peter Niedmann (b. 1960)

*Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace.*

*O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek*

*Where there is hatred, let me sow love;*

*To be consoled as to console,*

*Where there is injury, pardon;*

*To be understood as to understand,*

*Where there is doubt, faith;*

*To be loved as to love;*

*Where there is despair, hope;*

*For it is in giving that we receive;*

*Where there is darkness, light;*

*It is in pardoning that we are pardoned;*

*Where there is sadness, joy.*

*It is in dying to self that we are born to eternal life.*

Doxology Hymn 380 v. 3 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

Old 100th

Eucharistic Prayer A	BCP p. 361
Sanctus S 129 (front section of hymnal)	Robert Powell (b. 1932)
Breaking of the Bread	
Fraction Anthem S 151 (front section of hymnal)	David Hurd
<i>Ushers will direct the congregation to communion stations, starting from the rear of the church and moving forward. Gluten-free wafers are available. All are welcome to receive communion.</i>	
Communion Anthem <i>Creation</i>	William Billings (1746-1800)
<i>When I with pleasing wonder stand And all my frame survey Lord, 'tis thy work, I own thy hand Thus built my humble clay.</i>	<i>Our life contains a thousand springs, And dies if one be gone. Strange that a harp of thousand strings Should keep in tune so long.</i>
Communion Hymn 439 "What wondrous love is this"	<i>Wondrous Love</i>
Thanksgiving after Communion	BCP p. 365
Blessing	
Recessional Hymn 435 "At the Name of Jesus"	<i>King's Weston</i>
Dismissal	
<i>Clergy</i> Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!	
<i>People</i> Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!	
Postlude <i>O Gott, du frommer Gott</i>	Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)



**Please join us for refreshments following the 10am service,**  
hosted today by Ruth Ecker and Llynda McFarlane.

**Flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in celebration for the life of**  
Frederick W. Hughes.

**Serving St. Andrew's this week**

*Altar Guild* Molly Aitken, Margaret Blackwell, Judith Boland,  
Laura Brown MacKinnon, Elsie Deane, Heidi Harper, Grace Hoffmann,  
Ann Johnson, Margarethe Kulke, and Paige Manning  
*Flower Guild* D.D. Alexander, Frances Antonelli, and Linda Gallo  
*Greeters* Bill Li & Anne Tong

**Serving at 8am**

*Lay Reader/Chalice Bearer* Nancy Echlov  
*Ushers* Nancy Kohl & Bob Ware

**Serving at 10am**

*Acolytes* Katherine Roer, Isabella MacKinnon,  
Elizabeth Martin, Charlie Bacon, and Keira Wilson  
*Chalice Bearers* Margaret Blackwell, Meg Harris,  
Mary Scanlon, and Margaret Zusky  
*Lay Readers* Janet Giele and Karen Pekowitz  
*Ushers* Carter Houghton, Frank Hunnewell, Bob Prensner,  
Terri Rawson, Kris Vanin, and Michael Vanin

**Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

*Parishes of the North Shore Deanery*

Christ Church, South Hamilton

Church of the Holy Name, Swampscott

Trinity Church, Topsfield

Essex County Community Organization

Global Mission Partnerships Program



# About the Readings

From *Preparing for Sunday* [http://standrewswellesley.org/worship\\_reading.html](http://standrewswellesley.org/worship_reading.html)

**Exodus 17:1-7** This is the second story about thirst and water in Exodus (see also 15:22-27). The stories are probably variants of the same tradition. The geographical differences in the accounts led to the later rabbinical story that the miraculous rock, source of providential water, followed the Israelites in their wandering. Paul then identified this rock with Christ (1 Corinthians 10:4). For people living in an arid land, thirst was a powerful metaphor for a human's need for God. Moses uses the staff that made the Nile foul to bring forth clean water. Israel's murmuring is a constant feature of the Exodus narratives. This incident at Massah (meaning "proof") and Meribah (meaning "find fault") became a byword for Israel's faithlessness.

**Psalms 78:1-4, 12-16** This psalm is a long recital of the story of Israel's relationship with God. After the introduction (vv. 1-11), the psalmist recounts the wilderness experience (vv. 12-39) and the journey from Egypt to the land. The pattern of history involves God's gracious action (vv. 12-16), the people's rebellion (vv. 17-20), God's punishment (21-31) and forgiveness (vv. 32-39). It encourages the audience to

learn the lessons from their history and respond more appropriately to God's choice of them as covenant partners.

**Philippians 2:1-13** Paul follows his exhortation to steadfastness in relation to the outside world (1:27-30) with an exhortation to harmony and to humility within the community of believers. Verses 6-11 of today's passage are generally considered to be a pre-Pauline hymn to Christ that Paul adopted to make his own point. The hymn is poetic in rhythm and structure and contains a full outline of Christian proclamation: divine preexistence (v. 6), incarnation (v. 7), death (v. 8), resurrection and celestial exaltation (v. 9), heavenly adoration (v. 10) and Jesus' new title (v. 11). The first stanza (vv. 6-8) recounts Jesus' own action. His "equality with God" is not a prize "to be exploited" for his own advantage. As God's equal (divine), Jesus owes no service to anyone, but in his humanity, Jesus freely becomes a servant to God, obedient to God the Father for the purpose of salvation. The second stanza of the hymn (vv. 9-11) stresses God's response to Jesus' obedience. The name God has bestowed on Jesus is Lord, (Greek,

Kyrios), the circumlocution used by Jews as a substitute for speaking the Name of God, YHWH. This name is now given to Jesus, and the honor due to God is now due him.

**Matthew 21:23-32** The parable of the two sons is found only in Matthew and is the first of three parables on the judgment of Israel. Jesus insists that actions, not words, are the ultimate signs of obedience. Here Jesus defends his ministry of inviting into God's kingdom those outcast from Jewish

society. Even though tax collectors and prostitutes live outside the law, they repent when the gospel of the kingdom is offered to them. They push ahead into the kingdom of God "ahead of" (v. 31; or even "instead of") the leaders who have sworn obedience to the law, but who will not accept the work of faith in the new law of Jesus. John came to show "the way of righteousness" (v. 32) through repentance, but the leaders of the people did not heed him. They will accept the authority of neither John nor Jesus.



## Notices & Announcements

*Newcomers and visitors: We extend a warm welcome to those who are new in our community. Please fill out one of the welcome cards in the narthex (foyer) and hand it to a greeter for a fuller welcome!*

### Blessing of the Animals

Join us on **this evening at 5pm** for the annual blessing of the animals, in honor of the feast of St. Francis of Assisi. Creatures of every species are welcome to come for a blessing! — Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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### Faith & Practice

Join us on **today** for the first of five classes this year *Engage the Nicene Creed*. Find life and new insights in ancient words. How does the creed speak to you? We gather for 45 minutes at **11:30am in the Harvey Room**

to engage each other in conversation, reflection, and short spiritual exercises around topics that help us live out our faith daily.

— Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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### Junior Choir

We look forward to the Junior Choir singing for the Blessing of the Animals **at 5pm today**. (Singers arrive by 4:30 p.m.). Rehearsals are **Sundays at 9am in the parish hall**. There will be no rehearsal on Columbus Day weekend. — Jane Money

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## Family Promise Orientation In Wellesley This Tuesday

Please come on **Tuesday, October 3, from 7 to 8:30pm**, to Room 413 of the Lulu Chow Wang Campus Center at Wellesley College to learn how Family Promise Metrowest (FPM) serves area homeless families and how you can get involved. This session, hosted by Rev. Sarah Robbins-Cole and the College's Office of Religious and Spiritual Life, provides the one-training those aged 12+ need before volunteering with FPM; younger children are welcome too.

While we'll have snacks, you may bring your dinner to the meeting or buy dinner at the dining facility in the Lulu before or after the session. Free parking is at the visitor parking facility just off the Central Street entrance.

Family Promise is a flexible, hands-on, outreach ministry. Four weeks a year, St. Andrew's partners with Village Church to host 3-4 program families at their congregation. There are various times and ways for volunteers of all ages to help with these weeks, in FPM's Natick day center, and at other congregations. Please contact us for more information. — Caren Parker

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and Heidi Harper • [hnnharper@mac.com](mailto:hnnharper@mac.com)

## Coventry Suppers

Coventry Suppers are casual evening pot-lucks that create a lovely form of fellowship. If you are new to the parish or been here a while, this is a great way to meet others. Sign up—**today**—on the sheets in the narthex, or on the website by clicking on the SERVE tab

and then on VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP. The fellowship and membership vestrypersons will form small groups and distribute a list in early October. A "first convener" will be designated, and the group can then discuss how often to gather during the year. — Jenny Sawyer

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## *common cathedral*

Our church will be worshipping with *common cathedral* on **Sunday, October 1**. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the Eucharist with a congregation full of people with housing challenges. We make sandwiches at St. Andrew's at **8:15am**, worship here at **10am**, and depart for Boston around **11:15am**. We serve lunch, share in worship, and return to Wellesley by **3pm**. Past participants have found this to be a humbling, yet uplifting, experience.

— Cam McCormick

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## Confirmation Service at St. Andrew's

All are invited to the 2017 deanery (regional) confirmation on **Saturday, October 7 at 10:30am at St. Andrew's**. Twenty-one youth and five adults from St. Andrew's, as well as others from parishes around the diocese, will be confirmed or received in the Episcopal Church. Please pray for those preparing for confirmation. — Rev. Catherine Healy

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## Celebration of Confirmands

All those who receive the sacrament of confirmation or who were received on October 7 will be invited forward at the **end of the 10am service on Sunday, October 15**, for a blessing and presentation of prayer books. Family and friends are invited to attend. Join us at coffee hour afterward for a celebratory cake! — Rev. Catherine Healy

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## Columbus Day All-Parish Eucharist

Church school and Rite-13 will not meet on **Sunday, October 8** (Columbus Day weekend). Children are encouraged to join their parents in church for an all-parish Eucharist, with a children's sermon featuring Rodney the Rector Mouse. — Rev. Catherine Healy

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## 9am Christian Learning Series

Please join us on **Sunday, October 8** for the start of *Canterbury Cathedral: Ancient and Modern Witness*. Canterbury Cathedral is over 1,000 years old. Dr. Peter Fergusson will educate us about Canterbury's History and Architecture. On **Sundays, October 15 and October 22**, Cat Healy will share highlights and wisdom from her two weeks as a Canterbury Scholar this past summer. Come hear about the ancient building, the historical center of our global church, and find out about its modern Christian witness. Babysitting will be provided for children 1 year to 8 years of age. Older children are invited to join us in Room 2.

— Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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## Bible Circles

Bible Circle will meet **Tuesday, October 10, at 10:30am** and the evening of **Wednesday, October 11, at 7pm**. Each class lasts for an hour. The theme for this year is the *Gospel of John: A Cosmic Perspective*. At our October meetings, we will read and discuss John's prologue: 1:1-18. Tuesdays we meet in the **Harvey Room** and Wednesday evenings we meet in **Room 2**. — Margarethe Kulke

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## Swellesley Report Publisher to Speak at October Luncheon

Deborah Brown will speak at the annual St. Andrew's/Village Church Luncheon on **Tuesday, October 10**, hosted by Village Church. Deborah and her husband, Dan, publish the "Swellesley Report," a website providing an abundance of information about our town. Come and learn how Deborah discovers "More than you ever wanted to know about Wellesley!" This luncheon, alternately hosted by St. Andrew's, will start **at noon** in Common at the Village Church. **RSVP by Thursday, October 5** to Pat MacKinnon • [pemack@aol.com](mailto:pemack@aol.com) or Dot Reed 781/235-9584.

## Parents' Circle

All parents of children ages 0-18 are invited to an adults-only gathering on **Friday, October 13, at 7pm** at the home of Ingrid & Carter Houghton, 63 Parker Road in Wellesley. Bring a beverage to share and get to know your fellow parents from St. Andrew's. — Rev. Catherine Healy

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## Coffee Hour Needs You

The fellowship committee is looking for parishioners to host a coffee hour, either individually, as a family, or with a friend. It's easy and fun, and the congregation will thank you! Really...whether you bake or buy, make it elaborate or simple, serve donuts or fruit, the congregation will thank you: Really! And the best part is that you don't even have to make the coffee. So, make someone's day and sign up on the St. Andrew's website by clicking on the SERVE tab and then on VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP. You will also find complete instructions on how to host there. Questions? Contact Hillary Madge or Jenny Sawyer. THANK YOU SO MUCH! — Hillary Madge

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## Day of Service, Saturday, October 21

Giving of time and talent has been an important part of our stewardship at St. Andrew's. Please participate in one of the many outreach or inreach projects taking place **from 9am-11am on Saturday, October 21**. Outreach projects include cooking for others and helping the Wellesley Food Pantry. Inreach projects include landscaping, sweeping, dusting (always a favorite!), and cleaning the kitchen. There is something for everyone, child to adult. Many hands make light work! Please check out the complete listing and sign up online by going to the St. Andrew's website, clicking on the SERVE tab, and clicking on VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP.

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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## Night of Fun, Luau at St. Andrew's

Picture yourself on a warm sandy beach, Don Ho serenading you by a palm tree, as you sip your blue hawaiian cocktail. You're about to dose off, but the waiter signals it's time for dinner. As you make your way (maybe dance your way) to the buffet table, you laugh with friends in line, admire the tropical decorations, and feast your eyes upon a delicious selection of entrees from Blue Ribbon Barbeque. Now imagine you can have all this and more without the cost of a plane ticket! That's right, all of this can be yours (well, maybe not the sandy beach) at the St. Andrew's Luau, hosted by the fellowship committee, on **Saturday, October 21 at 6:30pm in the parish hall**. The admission fee is \$20/adult or \$15/senior. Invitations to follow via email. We look forward to seeing you! — Jenny Sawyer

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## *Being Disciples* by Rowan Williams Order Your Copy Now

On **Sundays, October 29 and November 12**, our Rector will lead us in the **9am** Christian Learning Series classes on Archbishop Rowan William's slim book on discipleship. This book is one of Adrian's favorites, and it is already a classic. Copies of the book *Being Disciples* are \$10. Please contact Margaret if you would like to purchase one.

— Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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## Wellesley Turkey Trot

We are organizing a team from St. Andrew's again this fall, and you/your family are invited! Runners and walkers are welcome

**Thanksgiving morning, November 23** (3 miles/5K for teens/adults, less than a mile for children). Adult registration is \$30; children are \$15. There is a registration link available from our website, or you can look for the link in the e-Pistle. Make sure to choose "Join a Team" and select St. Andrew's Church from the list. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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## Italian Pilgrimage

A subcommittee of our adult formation and learning committee continues to meet as we plan our Italian pilgrimage. We will be traveling to Italy on **May 14** and returning **May 25, 2018**. We will be visiting Rome, Assisi, and Florence. We anticipate that parishioners will be able to sign up for the trip in early October. Please email me if you are considering joining the pilgrimage and haven't contacted me yet. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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## Episcopal Relief and Development: Hurricane Relief

Many of us are keeping the people affected by the hurricanes in our prayers. If you want to send money to support the relief effort, we encourage you to contribute to Episcopal Relief and Development. Please see the insert in today's leaflet, or make a check out to

St. Andrew's with "hurricane" in the memo.

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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## Nametags

Nametags are a great way to get to know folks and help everyone feel welcome. St. Andrew's membership committee offers lovely reusable magnetic nametags for all members. If you would like a new or replacement name tag, please contact Becky Hamlin • [dbhamlin@comcast.net](mailto:dbhamlin@comcast.net)

## Deadlines for Weekly Leaflet and e-Pistle Announcements

Announcements and gratitudes (and anything else) for inclusion in the weekly leaflet or e-Pistle are due on Tuesdays at noon.

Please limit your announcement to 50-100 words. — Katharine Clark

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## Illness and Off-Hour Emergencies

The clergy are always available to assist you. Please email or call the clergy if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited. Also, please let us know of names that should be added to our prayer list. Our prayers and concerns are with all those in need.

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole • 603/831-4938

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# Gratitude

## September Potluck

Thank you to all who attended the potluck supper following the 5pm informal service on Sunday, September 24. Our amazing fellowship committee prepared a wonderful array of fall flatbreads to complement the delicious salads and desserts contributed by parishioners. A very special thank you to Jonathan and Emma Barry, Barbara Bergstrom, Al & Zebby Dubé, Hillary Madge, Sandy Rigney, Jenny Sawyer, and Michael Vanin for their tireless work in the kitchen and parish hall!

## Rite-13 Lock-In

Many hands made light work at the Rite-13 lock-in! Thanks to Cathleen Dehn, Greg Hunter, Ansley Martin, Karen Pekowitz, and Jonas Svedlund for serving as chaperones; Becca Daws, Karen Pekowitz, Heather Schaefer, and Coryell Urban for providing food; and, of course, to the 22 youth who made the event so much fun.

## High School Youth Group Kickoff

The high school youth group kicked off the year with a fantastic outdoor cookout. Thanks so much to Marie Dunell for leading games, Ansley Martin for his grilling prowess, and Jen Martin for providing the food—and to the 25 high school youth who gathered together to feast, play, party, and worship.



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# Calendar

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- The **Holy Eucharist** is celebrated on Sundays at 8am, 10am, and 5pm. The **Holy Eucharist** is also celebrated every Wednesday at 7:30am. We offer healing prayer at this service. **Silent Contemplative Prayer** is offered weekdays at 8:45am.
- **Senior Choir** rehearses most Thursday evenings at 7:30pm, and Sundays at 9am; **Junior Choir** has rehearsals Sundays at 9am.
- **Parish Office** hours are Monday through Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and Friday, 9am to 12pm.
- **12-Step Programs** Al-Anon, Tuesdays, 7:30pm; Men's AA, Wednesdays, 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays, 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30am; Sober Sisters, Saturdays, 10:30am.

## Sunday, October 1

*See service schedule above*

9am Coffee Hour for 8am Worshipers  
9:45am Kids' Place, Church School,  
Rite-13  
11:15am *common cathedral* visit  
11:30am Faith & Practice  
5pm Blessing of the Animals

## Sunday, October 8

*See service schedule above*

9am Christian Learning Series  
9:45am Kids' Place only  
10am All Parish Holy Eucharist  
1pm Katherine Bazirgan Service

## Monday, October 9

*Parish Office Closed*

## Thursday, October 5

9:45am Church School Committee  
Meeting

## Saturday, October 7

10:30am Deanery Confirmation  
Service (May 2017 Class)  
5pm Confirmation Party



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