

Announcements for Sunday, Easter 7 – May 17, 2015

Welcome to your church; All Programs in session. We are baptizing Anabelle Ellsworth. **Communion** uses a common cup for wine and wheat wafers. You can take the wafer only if you prefer, or “intinct” the wafer into the wine. Non-gluten wafers... check with clergy at the rail; **Coffee Hour is a great way to meet fellow parishioners.** 8 a.m. Coffee: Open, 10:15 Coffee: Turquoise Team; Service participants: Lector: W. Danenhower Chalicists & Acolytes: W. Danenhower, B. Phillips Altar Guild: L. Goodwin, L. Swenson Ushers: N. Weiss, C. Sloat

Church School – Church School continues working on our last semester of the season. Note: As reported in the Reminder, Amy Landis has decided to step down as a Co-Director. If you are interested in the part-time paid position (About \$6,000/year) see the Co-Directors or Dave. **Amy and Nicole** ccchurchschoolpomfret@gmail.com

Relay for Life.... Thanks to all who supported our efforts but especially Ginger and Peter Lusa as well as our young people and their families!

Special Mission Fund - the Rev. Oscar Brockmeyer continues his Spiritual Direction program. More in the Reminder. We have scheduled an 8 day trip with PID (Partners in Development) in Guatemala leaving Jan 2nd or 3rd of 2016. We are still determining the church subsidy for this trip. It is \$1300 a person to go but that includes airfare. We are providing up to \$600 per person subsidy to go. There are 10 spots reserved for CCPomfret. We have at least 4 of those spoken for. **Speak with Dave or Mitzi.** Any further input on doing a Habitat project?

Teen Program: Rite-13 (grades 7-8), J2A (9-10) and YAC (11 grade+). Coordinator: Dee Dee Markes: deedeespa@charter.net; 860-963-1245. Thanks for all your support! Next stop: San Francisco for the Pilgrimage.

Visions and Ventures/Stewardship – Your pledge is the way we fund our church. If you have yet to pledge it’s never too late. We have a robust program for Online Giving/Donating and Pledging through Easytithes (see “Buttons” at the website and in the Reminder). “Generic” donation envelopes in back as well as Pledge Cards (that can be dropped in the Collection). Thanks to your support we are now at 87 pledges for \$190,810!

Worship Upcoming May 17th: Ellsworth Baptism; May 24th is Choir Sunday and the Tyler Baptism. May 31st: Last Contemporary of the season (Rite-13 will be helping with that service). Sunday, June 7th is Youth Sunday and the conclusion to our Youth Programs except J2A which will be gearing up for the Pilgrimage! Rite-13 may also have a final event in June.

House-keeping:

Courier Deadline for June is May 18th; *We will mail out first class to those who request it.* Our **Thursday Reminder** is a key email update (which includes the Courier). **Do we have your email or snail-mail address?** Update or renew, see the form on the music stand **or email** (address below).

Directories... there are *usually* directories of the parish in the basket to the left just inside the office!

CSO – Community Kitchen on June 22nd (no CK in May) cooking a meal here at CCPomfret and taking it to the Hill Church (1st Cong.) in Woodstock. See Pauline Phillips, Supervisor. **We collect durable foods here weekly for ACCESS (Church School offering).**

Flowers for the Easter Season: the memorial/thanksgiving form is on the stand in back now we are into the season of the Resurrection. Master Flower schedule is right outside the office.

Library-- Got ideas? sraarch7569@gmail.com Kristen Archambault

Inreach – *There are a few new casseroles* in our chest freezer for any in need.

Parish Life – Coffee Hour Teams –See the Bulletin Board outside the Library.

Pastoral Call Emergencies should be directed to office (860-928-7026) or Fr. Dave’s cell phone: 860-608-7632. Or if you need to call in prayer concerns to the **Prayer Chain** call the office: 860-928-7026

Prayer Shawls – Blessed shawls on the back table of the church (please write in who is receiving the gift in the shawl journal). More in the hallway closet by the offices: Rebecca Patenaude: patenaude.rebecca@gmail.com.

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1. When Is - rael was in E - gypt's land, let my peo - ple go;
 2. The Lord told Mo - ses what to do, let my peo - ple go;
 3. They jour - neyed on at his com - mand, let my peo - ple go;
 4. Oh, let us all from bond - age flee, let my peo - ple go;

1. op - pressed so hard they — could not stand, let my peo - ple go.
 2. to lead the chil - dren of Is - rael through, let my peo - ple go.
 3. and come at length to — Ca - naan's land, let my peo - ple go.
 4. and let us all in — Christ be free, let my peo - ple go.

Go down, — Mo - ses, way down in E - gypt's land; —

tell old Pha - raoh to let my peo - ple go.

Choir
 Sunday
 May 24th
 10:15



YOUTH
 SUNDAY



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Join us at the
Church Picnic!

JUNE 7TH