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Welcome to the Episcopal Church in Bay Head

For All the Saints



Senior Warden's note>>>

Summer 2023 begins!

It's time to start thinking about summer and all that's planned. Keep checking the weekly announcements and parish website as more events are in the works. This year, Eucharist in the Garden at 5:30 p.m. on Saturdays will begin **May 27**. Bring a friend!

And we will be kicking off our first parish family picnic of the summer, which will be hosted by the Church School, following 10:15 a.m. Sunday service on **June 4**. It's a great time to celebrate our children as well as their teachers and parents! We'll post sign-up sheets for volunteers to bring salads, desserts, and side dishes. Hot dogs, burgers, and Hawaiian shaved ice will be provided.

Steven Beresik



The Rector's Corner

Our Grandest Practices All in One Place

Let's go together! Want to be in the midst of hundreds of Episcopalians raising the greatest hymns in beautiful harmonies accompanied by organ and brass? Want to attend worship with our Presiding Bishop, Michael Curry, who preached at the Royal Wedding? Want to see dozens of bishops from across the country gather in a "holy huddle" for the ancient rite of

the laying-on-of-hands and the Consecration of a Bishop? Want to see the best of who we are as a people

of faith and followers of Jesus come to dynamic life all around you? Well, this is your chance! On **Saturday, June 24**, our Diocese will gather at Trinity Cathedral, Trenton

for the Consecration and Seating of The Reverend Dr. Sally French as the 13th Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey. There wil be both in-person and online opportunities to participae in this festival event. We are each so accustomed to attending worship in our local parish, but the opportunity to be gathered in worship with our brothers and sisters from across the Diocese and, in this case, even across the country, do not come often enough! The service is outlined in the *Book of Common Prayer* in our pews.



What breathes life into the service are the choices of readings, music, worship style, and expressions of faith which will be reflective of our Bishopelect Sally's own spiritual-

ity, theology, and her hopes for the ministry to which she has been called and elected. Those who were in attendance at our Renewal of Ministry when I was installed as Rector will have a point of reference for what I am speaking about. It was my design that the service be highly interactive, joyful, festive, and abundantly reflective of the joy we share as members of All Saints (continued on p. 2)

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Our grandest practices all in one place....

and especially as followers of Jesus. So, I encourage you to mark your calendars and plan to attend, either in person or virtually, to participate in the launching of this new time in the life of our Diocese and the activity of the Holy Spirit in our midst!

Faithfully, Kathryn+

Below: "Holy huddle" of bishops



Memorial Day Observance on 5/27

Our rector, Kathryn, has once again been invited by Bay Head Mayor Bill Curtis to offer the invocation at the Bay Head Memorial observance, which will be held outside Borough Hall on Saturday, May 27, at 9 a.m.

Please come out and honor those who, at the time of great decision, offered much for the liberties we enjoy.



Saturday service begins

Summer outdoor worship in the Memorial Garden will start up for summer at **5:30 p.m. on May 27**.

All are welcome and encouraged to bring a friend to this informal Holy Eucharist with homily in our beautiful waterside garden. In the event of rain, the service will be moved inside to Bristol Hall.

This is a much loved tradition in the community and a lovely setting that sometimes includes a passing kayak or swan!

Grieving 101: The Long Journey....

Grieving is a part of living, but most of us know very little about it—other than our own experiences with it.

If you or someone you know has experienced a loss recently, you may have questions about this journey: Is my grieving "normal"? Is there something wrong with me if I'm not mourning? How is this supposed to work? What's "normal" grief? What's "complicated" grief? What's the "right" way to grieve?

On **June 11 from 4 to 5:30 p.m**., All Saints will present a program on the grieving process. **Jeremy Lees, LCSW, MSW, M.Div**., will explain the process and answer these questions, among other concerns attendees may have. As a grief counselor who has worked in hospice from 14 years, Jeremy hopes to dispel many of the "misconceptions" people have about grieving.

He will present the many aspects of grief (such as anger, guilt, depression, and relief) and different grieving styles. In addition, the presentation will include a discussion of the different modes of grieving, such as "normal,"



"resilient," and "complicated" grieving. This program is open to parshioners and members of the community.

No registration is required for this **free** program.

Attention students

High school seniors who will be continuing their education (in a four-year post secondary program) and college students who are pursing their degree are encouraged to apply for the All Saints Women's Guild Service Award.



The Women's Guild offers these awards as a way of recognizing and thanking students who have given time and service to the parish—and who are about to begin or are continuing their post-high school education. The awards are renewable for up to four years total for those enrolled as full-time students in an accredited four-year program.

Pandemic Exceptions

Note that the Women's Guild understands that your service to the church (in choir, as acolytes, etc.) may have been interrupted by the pandemic, so we will be considering your contributions to the parish prior to and since that period.

You can pick up an application from the Church Office. **The deadline to return your application to the Church Office is June 15**.

If you have questions, contact Lois Eberhart (732-854-0747).



Women's Guild News

The next Women's Guild meeting on May 16 at noon will feature the accomplished doll artist Laura Tuzio Ross (a sample of her work is shown above).

Well known in the doll industry, Laura recently received the Doll of the Year Award from *Dolls Magazine*.

She will demonstrate how she begins a clay sculpt for a doll, the finished sculpts for which are reproduced in vinyl or silicone. Laura will have examples of completed baby dolls for attendees to hold. Bring a brown-bag lunch. Dessert and beverage will be provided.

Batter up!

We are planning an outing to a **Blue Claws** baseball game this summer, which is an activity that many of our parish family have enjoyed prior to the pandemic.



If you would be interested in seeing a game at the Lakewood ballpark, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the entrance to Bristol Hall. This is not a commitmet as we do not have a date yet. We are just trying to gauge interest and possible headcount.

Thank you to Linda Carduner for taking the lead on this!



Welcome Evy!

As we bid a fond farewell to **Linda Calvillo**, please welcome **Evy Havlik** as our new parish administrator (see photo on p. 4). A resident of Point Pleasant, Evy has extensive office work experience that included helping entrepreneurs gain more exposure on social media for greater community engagement. Her office hours are Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and Fridays from 9 a.m.to noon.

Looking ahead

Keep up with the latest service schedule and events at All Saints by visiting our parish website: <u>www.allsaintsbayhead.org</u>.

All Sunday 10:15 services can be livestreamed via the All Saints Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsbayhead/

Saturdays in Summer (May 28 through Labor Day) 5:30 p.m. Informal Holy Eucharist in the Garden

Sundays Year-Round 8 and 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Coffee Hour follows 10:15 a.m. service.

†Sunday, May 28 - Pentecost (*Please wear red, orange, or yellow.*) 8 and 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist

*****Sunday, June 4 – Final Sunday School Class for the year Parish picnic follows 10:15 a.m. service.

Meeting and Community Event Reminders

May 16 - Women's Guild meets at Noon in Bristol Hall (see p. 3)

May 16 - Book Club meets via Zoom at 7:30 p.m.

May 23 - Vestry Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

June 15 – Applications due for service awards, return to Church Office (see p. 3 for details).

July 27 – Annual Fashion Show/Luncheon at the Bay Head Yacht Club. Save the date!! More information will be forthcoming.



Fond farewell to Linda Calvillo (left) and warm welcome to Evy Havlik (center), our new parish administrator!

Celebrating our saints >>>

Birthdays:

5/3: Anita Domino 5/6: Len Ludovico 5/9: Chris Mackin 5/10: Chris Niebling 5/11: Josephine Patrone 5/13: Stephanie Flynn, **Diane Lippert** 5/14: Jeanne Guempel, Janice Kiefer, Betty Yersin 5/15: Kathy Royal 5/16: Taylor Lynn Marcella, Simon Mastroserio 5/19: Patty Thropp 5/22: Maureen Brune 5/23: Robert Kurtzke 5/24: Heath McLendon 5/27: Lynne Adkins 5/31: Jeniene Stango

Anniversaries:

5/1: Elaine & John Conti
5/7: Dave & Wendy Johnson
5/13: Ted Griffin & Joyce Cornelius
5/15: Steve & Meg Beresik,
Sue Kerr & Bill Rogers,
Alysia & Rick Litton
5/25: Betty & Ken Yersin
5/30: Heath McLendon
5/31: Harriet & John Snyder

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