A Place to Grow. All Are Welcome.

Newsletter for July 9, 2020

Worship Opportunities

Gathering in our building is suspended:
Our worship continues....

Sundays at 10am
Holy Eucharist and Virtual Coffee Hour
Join using this Zoom Link
Or by phone: 1-346-248-7799
(Meeting ID: 940 3189 1877)
Link to Order of Service

Noonday Prayer, 12n
Every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday
Join using this Zoom Link (Meeting ID: 572 636 075)
Link to Order of Service

Wednesdays, 7am
Join using this Zoom Link (Meeting ID: 584 949 088)

For the most up to date information go to

https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0?ik=d45fccdaba&view=pt&search=all&...
Sunday, July 12

Sunday's Bulletin Here

Sunday, 10 AM Worship Zoom Link

Preacher
Rev. Catherine Amy Kropp

Readings
Isaiah 55:10-13
Psalm 65:9-14
Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Readings

Collect
O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Coloring Pages
Godly Play - Parable of the Sower

How to Give
Mail a check to
2222 E. Tudor Rd.
Anchorage AK 99507

Text
OR
StMarysAK to 73256

Click below
OR
to give
online

Give Online

Inch by Inch, Row by Row
**Flowers, and Veggies, and Weeds—Oh My!**

What are you growing this summer? We are looking for images to be used in an upcoming Sunday morning worship service. Please send your photos or short videos by Tuesday, July 14, to Dawn@Godsview.org.

**Outreach Opportunities**

In an effort to support the national movement to address racial inequity in our community and country, the St. Mary's community is looking for opportunities for action.

The outreach community is exploring options including making signs and waving them on Lake Otis and Tudor.

If you're interested in sign making and holding or have other ideas or ways to support this movement please contact Kelly Ballantyne at 303-437-4415 or at ediblebackyards@gmail.com.

Read More about the July 7 Community Forum on Anti-Racism

**Looking for Something to Read and/or watch?**

Overheard from our Wednesday Morning Eucharist attendees who had these suggestions over virtual breakfast for one another:


- The Lakota people, a New York painter, The Land, and a portrait in the movie *Woman Walks Ahead*

- "People, being real people......" in the movie *Our Souls at Night*
Worship Forum Report

This past Tuesday, members of St. Mary’s gathered online to reflect together on our shared experience of on-line worship using Zoom, Facebook, and Twitch, and get an update on the plans to return to in-person worship. In addition, several comments and reflections were submitted by text or e-mail.

Read more about the Forum Here...

Create & Connect

July packets for Create & Connect are still available!

Pick up your packets outside the door to the St Mary's Office. Deliveries also available on request.

Each child receives their own packet!

Inside each packet there is a verse from the coming lectionary, instructions for a connection creation, and supplies so that kids can create & connect to the Sunday teachings.

Kids share their creations with Victoria on Children’s Zoom Connect Sundays 11:00-12:00 (Zoom ID inside the packet) or by sending a photo of their work. Email Catherine Amy or Jess.

Virtual Bazaar Workshop and Show’n’Tell

July 11, 11:00 AM - 1 PM

Get together with other crafters online, work on your crafts at home, and chat. Join anytime, 11a-1p via Zoom! All you need is an internet connection and a computer, tablet, or smart phone. If you don't have access to any of that, you can call in and participate, but you'll miss the seeing others' awesome handwork.
Join the Bazaar on Zoom, Meeting ID 825 1329 8069

Women's Book Club
July 22, 6:30 pm

We are reading
Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate.
Join us for a lively and stimulating discussion.

Email Sherrie for Questions and Zoom Link

Wellness Toolbox:
The Power of Music

Jim Henkelman, Caring Ministries

One of the things I have found myself missing the most from when I attended the 9 AM or 11:30 AM services at St. Mary’s was the incredible music that always reached out and grabbed my heart strings. Music has always been an emotional experience for me; not sure exactly why, but some songs just well up inside me...

[click to read more]

F.I.S.H needs Peanut Butter!

In case you missed us on Sunday at 10am
You can listen to our St. Mary’s Podcast.
Find Us Wherever You Listen to Podcasts.
This Week at St. Mary’s

**Thursday, July 9**
7:00 pm Bible Workbench
meeting ID: 383 910 814

**Saturday, July 11**
12:00 pm Noonday Prayer
meeting ID: 572 636 075

**Sunday, July 12**
10:00 am Sunday Worship
meeting ID: 940 3189 1877
11:00 am Children’s Zoom Connect
Email Catherine Amy

**Monday, July 13**
5:15 pm Worship Committee Meeting
meeting ID: 940 0436 4978
6:30 pm Vestry Meeting
meeting ID: 945 8664 7527

**Tuesday, July 14**
12:00 pm Noonday Prayer
meeting ID: 572 636 075

**Wednesday, July 15**
7:00 am Worship
meeting ID: 584 949 088

**Thursday, July 16**
12:00 pm Noonday Prayer
meeting ID: 572 636 075
7:00 pm Bible Workbench
meeting ID: 383 910 814

**Saturday, July 18**
12:00 pm Noonday Prayer
meeting ID: 572 636 075