

Wednesday Information

May 25, 2022

***PLEASE JOIN US ON SUNDAY
FOR HOLY EUCHARIST &
A MEMORIAL DAY BRICK
BLESSING***

***THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 29, 2022
8 AM and 10 AM***

Celebrant: The Reverend Victoria Pretti

**If you are unable to worship in person, please join
us on Youtube.**

To view recorded service please click the Youtube link below.



This week at

St. Martha's



Seashell Ringers and Choir will NOT meet today.

Practices will resume on Wednesday, **June 1** at their normal times.

Celebrate Ascension Day on the Beach! - CANCELLED DUE TO BEACH EROSION.

Book and Bake Sale

Saturday, **May 28** from 9 am to 1 pm in the parish hall. See below for more details.

Spring Book Study

Sunday, **May 29** between services, 9-9:45 am in the parish hall . “An Altar in the World”, by Barbara Brown Taylor.

OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, **May 30** in observance of Memorial Day

Yoga

Monday, **May 30** at 9:30 am in the parish hall. \$8 drop in. Bring your own mat, blanket, block and/or strap. Some will be available. Join in this practice of time-honored yoga poses to improve balance, strength, and flexibility. Breathwork and guided relaxation are integrated into class for tension release and stress reduction. Leave class feeling renewed in body, mind, and spirit!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Many volunteers are needed for baking, pricing, set up and clean up. Set up will take place on Friday, **May 27** at 9 am. Bakers - we need small and large cakes (glazed only), loaf cakes, cookies (4-6 per package), brownies, muffins, cup cakes, savory & sweet breads, pies, trail mix and jams & jellies. Please bring baked goods packaged to sell to the kitchen on Friday between 10 am and 1 pm or from 2 pm to 4 pm. If you have any questions please contact Lee Moore (302-537-8051). A sign up sheet is in the parish hall.

**BOOK &
BAKE SALE**
**ST. MARTHA'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

MAY 28, 2022
9 AM - 1 PM

**117 Maplewood Street
Bethany Beach**



AWARD CEREMONY

Sunday, **June 12**, 11-12 in the parish hall. All are welcome to join us as we honor several veterans with Quilts of Valor. Following the awards ceremony, join us for a Potluck coffee hour at noon. Sign up in the parish hall to bring food to share.





St. Martha's Virtual Book Club has changed! We are now St. Martha's Hybrid Book Club reflecting our new format – we will meet in the Parish Hall with a virtual option for those not attending in person. But wait, there is more! The club will meet monthly, discussing one title in its entirety. Meetings will be held the third Thursday of each month, 3:00 – 4:00 PM. Our first meeting of the summer will be Thursday, June 16. The book to

be discussed is *The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hell* by Robert Dugoni, available in e-reader and hard copy formats. Check out local bookstores, libraries or your favorite online inspirational book seller for a copy. To learn more or to receive a Zoom invitation to the meeting on the 16th, please contact Rick Legeer, legeer@gmail.com.

Committee Corner

What's new this week

OUTREACH

Camp Arrowhead invites St. Martha's parishioners to an open house and ice cream social on June 4th from 2-4. A dedication ceremony for the Jane Clifton Ashford Center will follow at 4pm. RSVP for the dedication online at www.camparrowhead.net (Contact Beth Maurer if you plan on going.)

St. Martha's Stitchers and Sketchers (S & S) have teamed up with the White Bag Lunch program to decorate lunch bags that will be used to provide food for students over the summer who receive free and reduced lunches at their schools. If you have a gift for illustrating or decorating, please join us on the first and third Fridays in the Parish Hall.

HOSPITALITY

The Hospitality Committee is looking for new members. Our work involves many social events throughout the year that benefit all of the parish and keep us connected. We do things such as game nights, beach dinners and bake sales. We have a big Mardi Gras party and a wonderful Christmas party. Please consider joining us and helping make these and other events successful. If you are interested, please contact Josie Legeer (jlegeer@comcast.net) or Pat Long (Carlandpatlong@gmail.com) Thank you so much.



Thank you from Episcopal Relief & Development

Episcopal Relief & Development is deeply grateful for you – the people and leadership of St. Martha's. Your generous support of the Ukraine Crisis Response Fund helps meet immediate needs of those fleeing from the violence in Ukraine and will help fund a longer-term humanitarian response. Your continuing support of Episcopal Relief & Development helps alleviate hunger and disease, empower women, restore communities recovering from crisis or disaster, and provide children with a foundation of health and learning during their critical formative years.

Thank you for your dedication and commitment to seeing the world as God intends – a world where all of God's children live healthy, fulfilling lives. Working together for lasting change with you is a privilege.



AUDIO/VIDEO TECHNICIAN

Individual with computer skills to run audio/video equipment during Sunday Services 9:30 - 11 am, pay \$60. Contact Clem if you are interested or have any questions. (302) 519-8856.

Please give by mail or website donate button

Please continue to support our mission work by submitting your pledge to St. Martha's Episcopal Church, PO Box 1478, Bethany Beach DE 19930 or give via the donate button on the website where there is a box to note your contribution purpose: <https://www.stmarthasbethanybeach.org/make-donation-or-pledge/>.

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