

PARISH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 25

8:00am Traditional Service
 9am Gethsemane Choir Rehearsal
 9am Contemporary Service
 10:10-11:00 Coffee Hour and Christian Ed
 11am Classical
 6:30-8:30 Boy Scouts

Monday, April 26

7am Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, April 27

7am Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, April 28

9am Morning Prayer
 5:30 Eucharist - Children's Choir
 6pm Evening Meal
 6:15pm Choir Rehearsal
 6:30 Renovare Adult Education and Kids' Crafts

Sunday, May 2

8:00am Traditional Service
 9am Contemporary
 9am Choir Rehearsal
 10:10-11:00 Coffee Hour and Christian Ed
 11:00am Classical
 4-6 Court of Honor Matt Martino
 6:30-8:30 Boy Scouts

OUR ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE

Thank you to all of those who volunteer their time and talent for so many activities that happen at Gethsemane.

Especially: The Wendel and Froslic families for providing Wednesday evening meal

END-OF-SCHOOL COOKOUT AND PARTY!



May 23 will be our last day of Christian education for the school year. And we're going to have a party!

Please join us after the 11 a.m. worship service for an old-fashioned hamburger and hotdog cookout! Gethsemane will provide the burgers, hotdogs, and all the trimmings! We're

TODAY'S MINISTERS

8:00am - April 25

LECTOR, PRAYERS & EM -

9:00am - April 25

LECTORS - Kathleen Froslic
 PRAYERS - Deacon
 EMS - Holly Schweigert and Dale Shook
 ACOLYTES -
 USHERS - Kathy Forness, Scott, Cathy and Alex Wendel
 GREETERS -

11:00am - April 25

LECTORS - William and Mark Harvey
 PRAYERS - Deacon
 EMS - Dave Johnson
 ACOLYTES -
 USHERS - Mark & William Harvey, Pete & Cathy Budzilek, & Brett Shewey
 GREETERS -
 VERGER - Chris Golding

ALTAR GUILD FOR APRIL:

Joelle Shewey and Nancy Bjerke
 Linens: Julie Helgaas

Eucharistic Visitors: Peggy Johnson

ATTENDANCE BINDERS



You may have noticed the small, black attendance binders located in each pew. In an effort to obtain updated membership information and better identify visitors and potential new members, the Chapter has created attendance binders. Please add your information to the attendance binder each Sunday and then pass the binder to others in your pew. When the binder is passed back to you, take note of any visitors and welcome them!



Congratulations to Matt Martino

CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST

*We pray for peace, health and prosperity in your world for all your people and for the safety and safe return of our military personnel around the world.



April Prayer List:

John Lawson, Margaret Lee, Pam Simonson, Jean Betty Anderson, Coty Smith, Lindsay, Arielle, and Marley Hoaby, Kathy Meyers, Janell Meier, Mike & Barb Polovitz, Dick Arman, Abby and Gail, Melvin Adami, Mary M, Dee M, Charlotte Robbins, Mimi Gokey, Jerica, Debbie & James F, Selma, Debbie Spears

Chapter Member of the Week:

Introducing John Adams

I was raised in the Roman Catholic Church in Mt. Pleasant, Michigan and became an Episcopalian in 1987 when I was received and my wife was confirmed at St. Stephen's Church in Newport News, Virginia. One interesting fact I found out after my mother passed away is that she had me secretly baptized in the Episcopal Church before my Catholic baptism. She had been Episcopalian before marrying my father. So maybe I really am a cradle Episcopalian! Rather than risk being sent to Vietnam, I joined the U.S. Navy in 1972 and spent the next six years in the Navy's nuclear power program, first on a cruiser and then an aircraft carrier. After discharge, I completed my undergraduate and master's degrees at the University of Michigan, only to re-enter the Navy as an officer. I served another four years on two different ships, during which I met my wife (a former Navy nurse). After this discharge, I attended the College of William and Mary where I obtained an MBA degree and then worked the next 8-1/2 years for Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Co. I then made the switch to higher education when I became the budget director for Central Michigan University in 1998, then the same position at University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and finally to North Dakota State University. In addition to my wife, our family includes our 19 year old daughter Brenna (first year student at NDSU), and a long-hair oriental cat named Piper. Over the years, I have served a variety of duties within the parishes where we have lived, including usher, lay reader, lay Eucharistic minister, member of the Vestry, parish treasurer, and senior high-age youth group advisor. At every parish, I have been a member of the choir. In addition to Chapter member here at Gethsemane, I am a member of the Cathedral Choir, I act as Eucharistic minister at the 8:00 am service, and am serving as Cathedral Treasurer.

The scheduled meeting this afternoon of the Southeast region of the Diocese has been cancelled. Bishop Michael has strongly requested and encouraged that all clergy and delegates meet instead on Saturday, May 15, here at Gethsemane Cathedral for the ~~fresh~~ expressions+presentation by Canon Carrie Boren from the Diocese of Dallas. More information about the May 15 conference is available on the Information Desk in the Great Hall. The conference is open to all.

St Stephen's Episcopal Church in Fargo is hosting

Safeguarding God's PEOPLE training session
Saturday May 8
10:30-2:00 PM

Anyone in the diocese who can attend is welcome. If you are, please contact either

Fr. Jamie Parsley (Apium@aol.com)
or Laura Nylander (Inyles@aol.com)

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
120 21 Ave. N Fargo, ND

SALVATION ARMY SUNDAY IS May 30

Gethsemane Cathedral will be serving the evening meal at the Salvation Army on Sunday, May 30, the fifth Sunday in the month. As always, we need 7 or 8 people to help with the set-up, serving, and clean-up, from about 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. If you would like to help, please sign up on the sheet on the Information Desk in the Great Hall.

Important Dates

May 12 - Last Wednesday evening meal

May 15 - Workshop with Carrie Boren

May 23 - Last day of Sunday School, Sunday school teacher appreciation, Acolyte appreciation, end of

ALTAR FLOWERS



The altar flowers are given by Carol Stoudt in loving