



THE ALTON ANGELUS

July 2024

The Reverend Garron C. Daniels, OCS, Priest in Charge

***The Episcopal Parish of Alton has as its mission:
To live and show Christ in our midst.***



From Fr. Garron Daniels+

Episcopal Parish of Alton,

Greetings to you during a busy summer! I have now been here for a little over a month and I must say that I am truly amazed. This parish is remarkable in so many ways, but it is clear to me that this is a parish of people who desire and crave to know where Christ is calling them next, constantly searching for Christ in their midst. I am excited to see where we will go and how we can continue to build the Kingdom of God!

I want to first address the buzz of excitement in the air over the General Convention and the election of the next Presiding Bishop. As you may have heard, the 28th Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church will be The Right Reverend Sean W. Rowe, the Episcopal Bishop of the Diocese of Northwestern Pennsylvania and provisional of Western New York. Bishop Rowe was first ordained as the youngest Episcopal Priest in the United States at the age of 24 years old in December 2000. He later was elected as a Bishop at the age of 32, making him the youngest member of the House of Bishops. At only the age of 49, the youngest of our candidates but with the most experience as a Bishop, he now has been elected to be our next Presiding Bishop.

I am beyond thrilled for the future of the Church. Presiding Bishop Michael Curry worked hard to challenge the Church and help guide us in the way of love. I'm looking forward to seeing how Bishop Rowe will lead the Church and what direction he will take us in. Bishop Rowe will have his installation occur sometime in the fall and then he will begin his nine-year term as our Presiding Bishop. I ask that all members of the Episcopal Parish of Alton continue to pray for the Episcopal Church and for Bishop Rowe. May we continue to pray and discern where Christ leads us next!

Furthermore, I want to thank you all who have taken the opportunity to pray during the last week of June after my pastoral letter went out. I encouraged all of our members to pray individually, at the Church, during the Daily Office, or during one of Eucharists for the many needs of the Parish. I asked that members pray for Bishop Burgess, the delegates, and members of the General Convention. I also asked for prayers for Connie Terry and Tony Springman and their families. Thank you all for your

continued prayers both individually and as a community. Prayer is more powerful than I could ever put into words, so please continue to pray and participate in the many worship opportunities we have at EPA.

I'm looking forward to the coming months and all the work we have set before us. Please know that you all continue to be in my prayers each day as I thank God for the blessing that is the EPA and the people here.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Garron+



From the Senior Warden...

Showing up matters!

June 2nd was Father Garron's first Sunday with us, and wow, wasn't it a special day?! It was wonderful seeing so many people in church to welcome him and to join in celebrating a new beginning in the Episcopal Parish of Alton. A sweet video that I saw recently summed up the feelings I was experiencing that day. When you watch it, you will understand the sentiment and hopefully relate it to how it feels when we see the people we have missed over the past few years.

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Besides the Sunday services at Trinity Chapel and St. Paul's, there are numerous ways to participate and fully enjoy worship, fellowship, and education made available through our parish. As you read through this month's *Angelus*, be sure to check out the upcoming events. Surely one or more of the activities in July and in months to come will be of interest to you.

Thank you for showing up, and please continue to show up and be part of our extraordinary church family!

Mimi Almonroeder

***Many thanks to all who came to our
Outdoor Service and Parish Picnic on June 23rd.
The weather was fine, we had a great turnout,
the service was meaningful,
and the food was delicious!***





From the Organ Loft

*Here I am, Lord.
It is I, Lord.
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

These words were sung to us by Robbie Cupp during Fr. Garron's first Sunday service with us on June 2nd. When Robbie and I were planning the special music back in late March for this service, this song came to mind immediately. After researching a bit about the composer and how this piece evolved, I have an even greater appreciation for it!

In 1979, a 31-year-old Catholic Jesuit student studying theology in Berkeley, California was about to have a major change to his life path when a friend knocked on his door one Wednesday evening with an extraordinary request.

This Jesuit student, Dan Schutte, was a guitarist studying for the Catholic priesthood. He had just been asked to write a song for an upcoming diaconate ordination Mass that was to be held on Saturday...in just three days' time!

The requested song needed to have images of "the Word of God," "the Light of Christ," and "the bread and wine." To top it off, Mr. Schutte was sick with the flu, and later wrote, "I sat down at my desk with the guitar and a blank piece of staff paper praying 'God, if I'm going to do this for my friend, you're going to have to help me.'"

On the evening before the Saturday ordination Mass, Schutte delivered the song (pencil in hand), making edits along the way. "At that point," he states, "I really had no sense that the song would be any good, and I was actually very nervous."

This composition has become very well accepted over the last 40 plus years, and has found its way into many contemporary hymnals of various denominations. Schutte has had numerous letters over the years in regards to his song. One of the most meaningful for him came from an Army Captain that was serving in Afghanistan.

The Captain wrote that his troops would gather in a field for Mass, near where they were fighting, and their Chaplain would lead them in singing *Here I am, Lord*. "We stand here in this awful place, where we are asked to serve our country but fear for our own lives, and we sing *Here I am, Lord*," the Captain wrote.

During Lent we reflected on the Spiritual "Journey Song" *I Want Jesus to Walk With Me*. Like-wise, *Here I am, Lord* is also a modern-day "Journey Song."

Here I am, Lord, walking through this journey in my life with you.

Journey on!

Gay Anderson

Major Feast Days of the Episcopal Church To Be Celebrated in July

Fr. Garron will be celebrating all Principal Feasts and Major Feasts of the liturgical calendar with dates and times as noted below. These feasts will be celebrated at **Trinity Chapel** with a Mass and fellowship to follow, unless otherwise stated. You will notice that if the feast day is during the week, the Mass is held at 5:30 p.m. If it is on Saturday or a holiday, Mass will be held at Noon.



Independence Day Vigil—
Wednesday, July 3rd, at St. Paul's

After the Feast Day Mass
that starts at 5:30 p.m.,
we will gather in the garden
for a potluck meal,
complete with grilled burgers and hotdogs
provided by the ECM.

Come for fellowship
and stay to watch the fireworks!

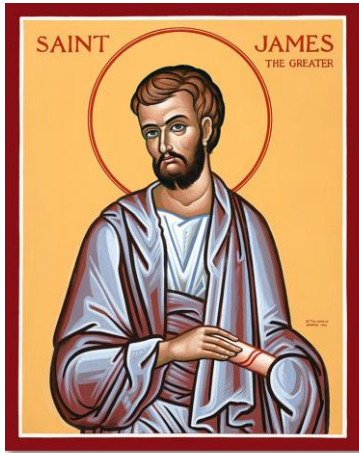


The Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene—
Monday, July 22nd at 5:30 p.m.

Mary Magdalene was among the women who accompanied and supported Jesus and the apostles. Mary was present at the crucifixion and was also the first to witness the resurrection, which Jesus told her to announce to his disciples. Because of this, she has been called the “apostle to the apostles.” She is mentioned by name twelve times in the canonical gospels, more than most of the apostles and more than any other woman in the gospels, other than Jesus's family. Several non-canonical texts portray her as an apostle, as Jesus's closest and most beloved disciple and the only one who truly understood his teachings. Mary Magdalene is considered to be a saint by the Catholic, Eastern Orthodox, Anglican, and Lutheran denominations.



The Feast of Saint James the Apostle—Thursday, July 25th, at 5:30 p.m.



James and John, sons of Zebedee, are mentioned frequently in the gospels. James is sometimes called “the elder” or “the greater,” to distinguish him from the other apostle James, the son of Alphaeus, who is called James the Less. James was a fisherman by trade. James and John left their father and their work as fishermen when called by Jesus. They became apostles, and with Peter formed an inner circle in the apostolic group. They witnessed the Transfiguration, the healing of Peter's mother-in-law, the raising of the daughter of Jairus, and the agony at Gethsemane. Jesus nicknamed the brothers James and John “sons of thunder.” Legend claims that James was a great traveler and carried the gospel to Spain. He is the patron saint of that country where he is called Santiago. His work for the Lord in Jerusalem angered Herod, who had him killed about the year 42. He was the first of the apostles to be martyred and the only one whose martyrdom is mentioned in the Bible (Acts 12:1-2).

Schedule for Groups Responsible for Fellowship after Feast Day Services

Below is the list of the dates and times of upcoming feast days through September. The feast days are being held at Trinity Chapel and to prevent Trinity from being held responsible for each feast day, we will all pitch in to provide refreshments for the fellowship following the service.

I have added the name of a parish organization to each date. The organization name listed will be responsible for the refreshments served during fellowship time, which means setting up and cleaning up as well.

When your group is assigned to a feast day, it should take only two to three people to bring food and beverages, set up, and clean up. That means another two or three people could be in charge the next time the group is assigned to a feast day. The individual groups will need to organize who will be in charge at their various assigned dates. Of course, the support of the whole organization would bring a good number of people to the feast day service and make for a livelier fellowship time! We will not know ahead of time how many people will be attending. So far, we’ve had between 10 and 18.

Wine glasses and paper products are already at Trinity Chapel in the kitchen.

What are options? Food and beverages can be whatever you want--provide cheese, crackers and fruit; pick up pizza; or make desserts. There are many possibilities.

The groups are:

1. Vestry 2. Guild of Grace 3. Altar Guild 4. ECM 5. ECW 6. Acolytes 7. TMS

July

- Wednesday, July 3rd *Independence Day Vigil* 5:30 p.m. at St Paul's **ECM will grill hot dogs and hamburgers in the garden**; others can BYO wine/beverages and potluck dishes to go along with the hot dogs and burgers. Bring lawn chairs.
- Monday, July 22nd *Feast of Mary Magdalene* 5:30 p.m. at Trinity **Father Garron (anniversary of his ordination - he said he and Nathalia would plan something)**
- Thursday July 25th *Feast of St. James the Apostle* 5:30 p.m. at Trinity **ECW**

August

- Tuesday, August 6th *Feast of the Transfiguration* 5:30 p.m. at Trinity **Acolytes**
- Thursday, August 15th *Feast of St. Mary the Virgin* 5:30 p.m. at Trinity **Trinity Missionary Society**
- Saturday, August 24th *Feast of St. Bartholomew the Apostle* Noon at Trinity **Vestry**

September

- Saturday, September 14th *Holy Cross Day* Noon at Trinity **Guild of Grace**
- Saturday, September 21st *Feast of St. Matthew the Apostle* Noon at Trinity **Altar Guild**
- Monday, September 30th *Feast of St. Michael & All Angels* (transferred) ****NO MASS, ONLY OBSERVED** Father Garron will be gone for a conference on this date.**

We will continue this pattern of groups as we move into October and the following months. Thank you for all your help!

Mimi Almonroeder

Tuesday Bible Study Continues with Fr. Garron

Fr. Garron will continue Tuesday morning Bible Study at St. Paul's beginning at 10:00 a.m. following Morning Prayer, which now begins at 9:00 a.m.

For those who cannot attend on Tuesday mornings because of work or other commitments, Fr. Garron is now also providing a Tuesday evening Bible Study. It meets at St. Paul's each week beginning at 5:30 p.m.



Both Bible study classes are currently studying the Gospel of Mark. Fr. Garron is working to keep the two classes on the same chapters so that any individual could attend either morning or evening on any given week as their schedule allows. Be sure to bring your Bible!

Education Commission

The next **Pet Food Pantry** will be held **July 7th**. The Pet Food Pantry is open one hour monthly, usually on the first Sunday of the month, from 12:30-1:30 p.m. People may enter St. Paul's through the Market Street entrance.



In June, the Pet Food Pantry provided food for 98 cats and 35 dogs. Father Garron, Marti LoRusso, Byron Sever, Donna Taylor, and Mimi Almonroeder handed out dry and wet food, treats, and pet accessories. The pantry has again received a gift of cat food by a person, wanting to remain anonymous, who works for Purina.

The Pet Food Pantry is supported entirely by donations of pet food and monetary gifts from our parish and community members. Baskets for donations of pet food are located near the entrance at both Trinity and St. Paul's. Monetary donations are also much appreciated! Make checks out to the *Episcopal Parish of Alton* and write "Pet Food Pantry" in the memo area.

In addition, we are grateful for five local businesses for keeping a donation jar on their counter. Please support these businesses and thank them for helping us provide pet food for families in need:

Farm Fresh, Roxana;
Daniel-Randall Veterinary Clinic, Godfrey;
St. Peter's Hardware, Alton;
White Birch, Godfrey; and
Mississippi Mud Pottery, Alton.

Evangelism and Outreach Commission

Music in the Garden at St. Paul's

Join us for an evening of fun and fellowship Tuesday, July 23rd 6:00-7:30 p.m. when we meet in the Garden at St. Paul's to listen to the mellow guitar strains of Sean Stone and friends. Bring an appetizer to share, your beverage of choice (wine if you wish), and a lawn chair for a comfortable seat. Ice, paper goods, and utensils will be provided.



For more information, please contact Mimi Almonroeder at diamondzoe@charter.net, Donna Fisher at aldon75@sbcglobal.net, or April Drennan at aecd1@aol.com. See you there!

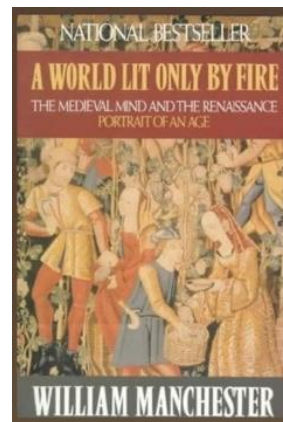
Parish Life Commission

Book Club News

The next meeting of the Book Club will be on Wednesday, July 31st, 6:30 p.m., at Trinity Chapel. For a change, and to possibly include people who ordinarily would not be able to attend a morning book club meeting, we have decided to try meeting in the early evening for our July and August meetings. Please join us for lively discussion, fellowship, wine, cheese and crackers!

In July, we will be discussing *A World Lit Only by Fire: The Medieval Mind and the Renaissance: Portrait of an Age* by William Manchester.

From tales of chivalrous knights to the barbarity of the Inquisition and the misery of the Black Death, no era has been a greater source of awe, horror, and wonder than the Middle Ages. In graceful prose, and with the authority of his extraordinary gift for narrative history, William Manchester leads us from a civilization teetering on the brink of collapse to the grandeur of its rebirth during the Renaissance, a dense explosion of energy that spawned some of history's greatest poets, philosophers, painters, adventurers, and reformers, as well as some of its most spectacular villains. The result is an unforgettable journey into the medieval mind, as Manchester ingeniously re-creates the lives of ordinary people and offers vivid portraits of the era's most astonishing figures, such as Galileo, Machiavelli, Anne Boleyn, and Ferdinand Magellan.



Upcoming book selections include:

August: *The House at Riverton* by Kate Morton

September: *Sticks and Stones* by Susan Meissner

At this time, we do not have books assigned for October, November, and December. We welcome your thoughts on books for these three months, especially if you have not had a chance to suggest a book this year.

For more information about our book club, please contact Mimi Almonroeder at 618-581-5756 or diamondzoe@charter.net. We would love for you to join us!

Education Commission

During the month of July, we ask that you continue to bring non-perishable foods to share with our neighbors at Crisis Food Center. You will find collection baskets in the Narthex at St. Paul's and Trinity. Monetary donations are very much appreciated as well. Thank you so much for your generosity!



Evangelism and Outreach Commission

Saturday Café—In Service with our Neighbors

Our parish is one of several local churches that joins in serving meals through the Saturday Café program held at First Presbyterian Church on Alby Street that serves free lunches to those in need. **The next date for the Episcopal Parish of Alton to provide and serve food is July 20th.**

Future dates in 2024 for the EPA include August 17th and November 16th. Mark your calendars now.



Would you like to help? We generally meet in the kitchen at First Presbyterian Church at 10:30 a.m. and are done by 12:30 p.m., but you are welcome to come for a shorter time if you wish. Bruce Bayer usually prepares the main part of the meal ahead of time, and side dishes and desserts are purchased.

The average cost is \$170 per Saturday. If you would like to contribute to the cost of the food, you may write a check to *The Episcopal Parish of Alton* and note “Saturday Café” in the memo area.

For more information about how to help, please contact Bruce Bayer by texting 618-798-1310.

Evangelism and Outreach Commission

EPA Logo Apparel Available for Purchase in July



EPA Merch!

Pre-Orders are open from July 1st-July 31st
Scan the QR code with your phone see all the
different options available!



Join your fellow parishioners in wearing a bit of EPA pride! During the month of July, the Episcopal Parish of Alton merchandise will be available to pre-order online through Logo It. A variety of T-shirts, sweatshirts, and hoodies are pictured on the website--scan the QR code (which you can find to the left) with your phone to see all the options and to place your order. Most selections come in three colors—black, light blue, and sport gray.

The website will close on July 31, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. and all orders will be processed then. Merchandise will be ready mid-August.

All proceeds for this fundraiser will go directly to the church to fund educational endeavors. For more information, please contact Fr. Garron.

Fr. Garron+

Formation of the “New Horizons” Committee

Fr. Garron, with approval of the Vestry, is forming a new committee to discuss how we can better use our education wing rooms that are currently being used for storage.

Fr. Garron hopes that we can find a way to meet the needs of both the Parish and the wider community to continue building the Kingdom of God. Discussion, prayer, and research will be a big part of the work of the committee. Once the committee has written a report, they will send it to the Vestry for them to vote and decide how we will best utilize our space.

Both vestry and non-vestry members of the parish are encouraged to join this temporary committee. If you are interested, please reach out to Fr. Garron directly at frgarron@gmail.com.

Puzzle Palooza Deemed a Huge Success!



Puzzle Palooza, held at St. Paul's on June 13th, was a huge success! Many positive comments and compliments were shared throughout the evening. We enjoyed seeing our friends, parish family, and meeting new people as well. An evening of great food, great fun, and great fellowship was the best outcome! Many thanks to Guild of Grace and ECW for planning and putting on a fantastic event!



Out of a total of eight tables, the Moyer family and friends won first place, completing the 500-piece puzzle in less than two hours, followed within seconds by P.E.O. Chapter JZ sisters and friends. Jeff Dunnagan won the 50/50 Raffle, and Donna Fisher won the puzzle table from the silent auction. After expenses, the women of the parish cleared \$930.40! Congratulations to all!



The winning table, shown here, includes (left to right) Bill and Verla Moyer (seated), and back row: Sabrina Cunningham, Rhonda Lewis, Joette Moyer, and Britta Moyer.



Bellefontaine Cemetery and Arboretum Tour Scheduled for August 3rd

Come join Fr. Garron on a tour of Bellefontaine Cemetery and Arboretum in St. Louis, scheduled for August 3rd at 1:30 p.m. With over 175 years of history, beautiful Bellefontaine Cemetery is both a local landmark and a tranquil resting place. This is a free trolley tour to talk about the Episcopal Church's connections to the cemetery.

Seating on the trolley is limited to 24 people, so please RSVP soon to Ann in the church office at episcopalalton@gmail.com!

Fr. Garron+



EPISCOPAL PARISH OF ALTON
**BELLEFONTAINE
CEMETERY &
ARBORETUM TOUR**
A FREE Trolley Tour all about the Episcopal Church's
connection to the cemetery!
AUGUST 3, 2024
1:30PM
BELLEFONTAINE CEMETERY
4947 W FLORISSANT AVE, ST. LOUIS, MO 63115

Seating on the trolley is limited to 24 people so
PLEASE RSVP at episcopalalton@gmail.com

Acolyte, Chalice Bearer, and Thurifer Training To Take Place August 10th



Fr. Garron and April Drennan will conduct a training session for all current and future Altar Servers, including acolytes, chalice bearers, and thurifers, for parishioners from both St. Paul's and Trinity Chapel. The training will take place at St. Paul's on Saturday, August 10th, from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

If you are interested in taking a role in our liturgy, we highly encourage you to attend the training. Those who are interested in becoming a Worship Leader that helps with conducting the Daily Office should also come to the training.

If you have any questions or you are interested in joining the team, please contact Fr. Garron at frgarron@gmail.com and April at aecd1@aol.com.

We encourage all those interested to read Dennis Michno's book, *A Manual for Acolytes: The Duties of the Server at Liturgical Celebrations*.

Fr. Garron+

Let's Walk for Good Health and Fellowship!



The group of Friday morning walkers will continue meeting each week when people are available to walk. The exact time and location are determined on a weekly basis--Mimi usually notifies everyone ahead of time to see who wants to walk that Friday. If you are interested in joining us, please let Mimi Almonroeder know at diamondzoe@charter.net or 618-581-5756.

Parish Life Commission

Please note the following updates/changes in our church directory:

Updates:

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The ECW 2024 Man of the Year is Tony Springman!



Tony Springman was chosen to be this year's ECW Man of the Year because he is a man who gives so much of himself to our parish. He and his wife, Lisa, have been very active in the parish. Through his organized leadership of our search committee, Tony, along with his committee, was instrumental in helping our parish secure Father Garron as our Priest in Charge. Tony has been involved in our parish as a member of various groups, including ECM, Vestry,

Finance, and Evangelism and Outreach. He is our Junior Warden, also called People's Warden. Behind the scenes and out of the spotlight, Tony is supportive of the people of our parish and of anything that our parish undertakes. The Episcopal Church Women express their deep and sincere appreciation for Tony!



July Calendar

Tuesday, July 2nd

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Paul's

10:00 a.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

5:30 p.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

Wednesday, July 3rd *Independence Day Vigil* 5:30 p.m. Mass at St. Paul's
Cook-out and Potluck in the Garden afterward

Thursday, July 4th *Independence Day* Church Office closed

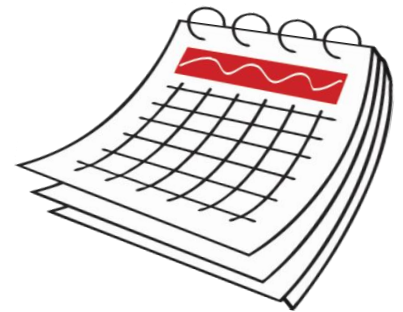
Sunday, July 7th *The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*

Offering for Rector's Discretionary Fund

8:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist at Trinity Chapel

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist at St. Paul's

12:30-1:30 p.m. Pet Food Pantry



Tuesday, July 9th

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Paul's

10:00 a.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

5:30 p.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

Sunday, July 14th *The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost*

8:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist at Trinity Chapel

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist at St. Paul's

Tuesday, July 16th

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Paul's

10:00 a.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

5:30 p.m. Bible Study at St Paul's

6:30 p.m. Vestry at St. Paul's

Saturday, July 20th Saturday Café

Sunday, July 21st *The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost*

8:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist at Trinity Chapel

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist at St. Paul's

Monday, July 22nd *The Feast of St. Mary Magdalene* 5:30 p.m. Mass at Trinity Chapel

Tuesday, July 23rd 9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Paul's

10:00 a.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

5:30 p.m. Bible Study at St Paul's

6:30 p.m. Music in the Garden at St. Paul's

Thursday, July 25th *The Feast of James the Apostles* 5:30 p.m. Mass at Trinity Chapel

Sunday, July 28th *The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost*

8:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist at Trinity Chapel

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist at St. Paul's

Tuesday, July 30th

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer at St. Paul's

10:00 a.m. Bible Study at St. Paul's

5:30 p.m. Bible Study at St Paul's

Wednesday, July 31st 6:30 p.m. Book Club at Trinity Chapel (note change in time!)

Saturday, August 3rd 1:30 p.m. Tour of Bellefontaine Cemetery

**Fr. Garron will lead Morning Prayer in St. Elizabeth's Chapel at St. Paul's
Monday-Thursday at 9:00 a.m.**

A Note from the Editor...



I want to inform all of you that I have resigned as editor of *The Alton Angelus* and that this is my last edition. I took on this job over two years ago after I became Senior Warden and saw that there was not timely information being consistently sent to the parish. With wanting to do more frequent travel with my husband, I feel this is the appropriate time for me to give up this ministry to which I devote many days every month, often putting off other activities I would like to do.

A plan is in place for our administrative assistant Ann to continue to keep the parish informed with the help of the Commissioners of the Public Relations and Publicity Commission. I thank all of you for your tremendous support and positive feedback for my work with the newsletter. I continue to be so grateful for this Parish and for all of you!

Susan Lukasik



July Birthdays

04 Donna Taylor
20 Chuck Drennan
20 Jodie Eagleton
23 Elizabeth Bumbacher
23 Dane Spencer
24 Brad Black
24 Lisa Springman
26 Mike Rayson
26 Donald Moyer
28 Aaron Shields
29 Peter Hayes
30 Gigi Darr
30 Sandy Gottlob



August Birthdays

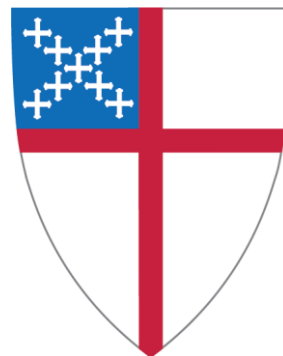
03 Lucy Darr
08 Mimi Almonroeder
10 Rebeca Butler (Christina's daughter)
12 Hudson Donohoo
12 Jean Downey
12 Fr. Garron Daniels
13 Liam Mills
14 Tony Springman
16 Kyle Harris
16 Simon Grassle
17 Irene McLaughlin
18 Phil Baker
20 Darlene Garland
20 Jensen Stone
21 Christopher Butler (Christina's son)
21 King Hoagland
24 Shirley Thompson
25 Joette Moyer
27 Trent Coppens
27 Jeremiah Coppens
30 Victor Sever
30 Connie Terry



**Our apologies to Maya Grassle for missing her birthday in June.
We mistakenly had it listed as July 21st rather than June 21st.**

Vestry

Fr. Garron Daniels+—Priest in Charge
Mimi Almonroeder—Senior Warden
Tony Springman—Junior Warden
Judy Jones—Treasurer
Lisa Springman—Clerk of the Vestry



Vestry Commissions:

Education: *Mimi Almonroeder, Meg Dorris

Evangelism & Outreach: *Tony Springman, April Drennan

Liturgy & Music: *Irene McLaughlin, Robbie Cupp, Chuck Drennan, Millie Hancock

Parish Life: *Mimi Almonroeder, Donna Fisher, April Drennan

Property & Maintenance: *Bill Moyer, Robbie Cupp, Chuck Drennan, Donna Fisher,
Tom Harris

Public Relations & Publicity: *Millie Hancock, Irene McLaughlin

Finance & Insurance: *Judy Jones (*ex officio*), *Meg Dorris, Tom Harris, Bill Moyer

* Indicates lead person



The deadline for the August *Angelus* is July 18th. Please email your articles and photos to episcopalalton@gmail.com.

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