

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:**If you need to speak to someone we're here to help.**

Call the church office at 410-742-6595. Office hours (Mon-Thurs, 8 am-12 Noon). For after hours contact, please use the Emergency Pager: 410-380-7052. Leave a call back number and a Vestry member will contact you ASAP.

Are you someone who has been a Christian for a long time, but sometimes still wonder about the basics?

Are you someone new to God and the Church who wants to get a better idea of what this Christianity thing is really all about? Are you interested in baptism, confirmation, or reception into the Episcopal Church? The New Members and Inquirers Class is for anyone who is interested in learning a little more about The Episcopal Church and its Anglican heritage. The class is also a great refresher for those who were confirmed years ago and would like to reaffirm their Baptismal Vows or simply brush up on their knowledge of church history and theology. A six-week New Members & Inquirers Class will begin September 11 at 11:00 a.m. The class will meet each Sunday, after church for about 90 minutes, through October 16 and will be led by the Rev. Alisha King. Please contact her at alishamking@gmail.com if you have questions or would like to sign up for the class.

Back to School Outreach: As unbelievable as it sounds, it's almost BACK TO SCHOOL time! The Care of Neighbor team would like to invite you to contribute items for Wicomico High School students returning back to school in September. Here are some items that high school students may need but you can be creative too!: Backpacks, Pencils, Pens, Tissues, spiral notebooks, drawstring backpacks, post-it-notes, and hand sanitizer. There will be a box in the Parish Hall for your donations. I will have it there from August through September 15. Once again, THANK YOU for your always generous support.

2022 Vacation Bible School with St. Peter's Episcopal Church and Faith Lutheran Church will be held at St. Alban's Episcopal Church from August 15 thru August 19 (5:00 pm to 8:00 pm). We will be utilizing the Harry Potter: A Hero's Journey curriculum. Dinner will be served each night, followed by skits, arts & crafts, STEM training, and LOTS of fun! For more info and Registration, contact Nancy Linck at: 410-430-8519 or vbswicomico@gmail.com. Register at: <https://forms.gle/hdB35h3BepQPSHzS7>

Vacation bible school volunteers and donations needed!

Please contact Nancy Link at 410-430-8519

AUGUST**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10:****Annual Red Roost Gathering, 5:30 pm****SUNDAY, AUGUST 14:****Holy Eucharist Rite II Service, 9:30 am****LECTORS:** Steve Crabill, Nancy Linck**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER:** Sandy Grim**TECH TEAM:** Cristina Machin**VESTRY PERSON/USHER:** Nancy Linck**ALTAR GUILD:** Debbie Rossi**COFFEE HOUR:** The Porters**GREETER:** Kathy Hayne**SUNDAY, AUGUST 21:****Holy Eucharist Rite I Service, 8:00 am****at St. Alban's Church and****OLD GREEN HILL SERVICE 10:00 am at****St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church****4025 Green Hill Church Rd, Quantico, MD****TUESDAY, AUGUST 23:****Vestry Meeting, 7:00 pm****SUNDAY, AUGUST 28:****Deacon Mass, Rite II Service, 9:30am****Happy Birthday****Leighann Yackel 8/12****Happy Anniversary****Dick & Elinor Wallace 8/12****Brian & Rebecca Raygor 8/14****Scott & Leighann Yackel 8/14**

The Herald deadline: Please email photos & articles to stalbanssalisbury@gmail.com. Content is due by Sunday, August 21st. Due date is the 3rd Sunday of each month.

Link to Vestry Minutes and Financials:

Please click **HERE** for the approved Vestry Meeting Minutes and approved Financial Statement.

(Minutes and Financial are posted once they are approved.)



From the Office of the Bishop
80th General Convention of the Episcopal Church
Deputation Reporting
Thursday, August 25th
7:00pm via Zoom

Dear Diocesan Family,

The Deputation to General Convention from the Diocese of Easton will be making a report to the diocese on Thursday August 25th beginning at 7pm, via Zoom. You are invited to come and learn about General Convention; how it was shortened due to COVID concerns and about the resolutions that were passed. This is an opportunity to see how the wider Episcopal Church works beyond the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

The Zoom meeting will open at 6:50 and the meeting is expected to last for about an hour and a half with plenty of time for questions and answers.

We hope that you will come and learn about this interesting part of our common life of faith.

Patrick Collins is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84178956425?pwd=SIE2UFhLSHdzZlgvS3ZNUno5QVRQdz09>

Meeting ID: 841 7895 6425

Passcode: 413784

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