

## News & Announcements

- > **Hear more and better** - A variety of assisted listening devices are available at the tech table. Please ask for assistance prior to services on Sunday.
- > **The NEW coffee hour sign-up sheet** for May and June is on the table in the breezeway - please sign up for treats and we all will supply the fellowship!
- > **National Day of Prayer** is Thursday, May 7. Join others of faith at the Wicomico County Civic Center for breakfast at 7:00 a.m. to celebrate. See registration information on the poster on the door of the parish hall.
- > **Over the Edge!** - More than 40% of local households are ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed). Our ALICE neighbors work hard but still struggle to meet basic needs. ALICE lives paycheck to paycheck, making tough choices each month between safe housing, food, childcare, medicine and other essentials. Just one emergency can cause a financial tailspin (injured and out of work? childcare closes? car breaks down?). ALICE is in nearly every workplace, classroom, and neighborhood. ALICE lives on the edge, so we're going **Over the Edge for ALICE** on May 8 from the Ross Building in downtown Salisbury! Donate to support members of the St. Alban's community who are going 'Over the Edge!'
  - Brian Raygor: <https://tinyurl.com/ALICE-Brian> (to donate) / <https://youtu.be/1UeFi-OuFk> (PR)
  - Society of St. Andrew: <https://tinyurl.com/ALICE-SOSA> (to donate)
- > **Spring Clean-up SAVE THE DATE** - May 9, bright and early at 8:00 a.m. - opportunities to clean INSIDE and OUTSIDE! Contact Walt West - [loggerhead.west@gmail.com](mailto:loggerhead.west@gmail.com) or Jeremy Cox - [Jcoxreporter@yahoo.com](mailto:Jcoxreporter@yahoo.com) with any questions.
- > **Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church celebrates its 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** Sunday, May 10. We join them in celebrating this joyous event!
- > **Last call for pictures for the 2026 Directory** - Dean Dedicatoria will be available after both services May 10 and 17 to take pictures.
- > **Christian Education** Sunday, May 10 at 9 a.m. in the Faith Room where we will be studying the readings for that Sunday.
- > **Litany for the Nation** May 11, 5:30 p.m. followed by a light supper. Invite a friend to come and pray!
- > **SOSA upcoming gleaning event** - Please join us for a leek gleaning in Parksley, VA. We will glean rows of leaks on May 12, 12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m. There will be lots. Please consider bringing boxes or bags and taking some to your local feeding agency. Every pair of hands makes a huge difference in the fight against hunger! Please reach out with questions. Thanks so much! Register below.

- > **Doughnuts with the Vestry AND Mother Sheila!** The Rev. Dr. Sheila McJilton will officially begin her year with us on Sunday, May 17. Let's all welcome her in the parish hall at 9:00 a.m. with doughnuts, questions and good wishes.
- > **Speaking in tongues on Pentecost, Sunday, May 24** - As has been our tradition, we will read Acts 2:1-21, in as many languages as possible, at both services. This year, depending on the number of readers, we will divide the different verses to be read in different languages. If you would like to participate, please let Arlene White ([afwhite@salisbury.edu](mailto:afwhite@salisbury.edu) / 410-251-0584) know by May 15 for which language and service you would be available
- > **Chesapeake Housing Mission Project** - On June 6, we will be repairing and replacing an entryway for a local couple with mobility challenges, helping make their home safer and more accessible. No experience is needed, and all tools and materials will be provided—just bring a willing heart and a desire to serve! If you're interested in volunteering, please sign up in the breezeway or contact [shelly\\_madsen@yahoo.com](mailto:shelly_madsen@yahoo.com). Your time and effort can make a meaningful difference in someone's life.
- > **Summer Worship Schedule** begins Sunday, June 7: 8:00 a.m. - Rite I and 9:30 a.m. - Rite II until August 30.

## Weekly Schedule

**Tuesday, May 5**

> **Cinco de Mayo!**

**Thursday, May 7**

> **7:00 a.m. - National Day of Prayer breakfast at the Civic Center**  
> 7:00 p.m. - Choir rehearsal

**Friday, May 8**

> **See Brian Raygor go "Over the Edge!" at 4:30 p.m. on PAC14**

**Saturday, May 9**

> **8:00 a.m. - SPRING CLEAN UP - inside and outside the church**

**Sunday, May 10**

> **Happy Mother's Day!**  
> **Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church celebrates its 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**  
> 8:00 a.m. - **Holy Eucharist, Rite I Service**  
CELEBRANT: The Rev. Dr. Frieda Malcolm  
LECTOR: Judy Gracey  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: Meg Caton  
VESTRY PERSON: Chuck Porter  
ACOLYTE: Toby Porter  
TECH TEAM: Chuck Porter  
COFFEE HOUR: TBA  
> 9:00 a.m. - **Christian Formation class in the Faith Room**

> 10:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist, Rite II Service  
CELEBRANT: The Rev. Dr. Frieda Malcolm  
PARISH MUSICIAN: Veronica Tomanek  
LECTORS: Linda Torbert, Steve Crabill  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: Jim Cockey  
VESTRY PERSON: Nancy Linck  
ACOLYTE: Jimmy Martens  
ALTAR GUILD: Mae Esh  
TECH TEAM: Cristina Machin  
GREETERS/USHERS: Linda Torbert, Mae Esh  
COFFEE HOUR: TBA



### CELEBRATIONS!!!

Madelyn Raygor - May 5  
Veronica Tomanek - May 6  
Peggy Selser - May 8  
Bob Connelly - May 9  
Howard Doak - May 10  
Beth Jones - May 10  
Chris Sabas - May 10  
Sharon Walsh - May 11



Carrie & Bob Connelly - May 6

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