

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. B'S

for the week beginning April 9, 2023



## Sunday

Join us as we celebrate Christ's resurrection with Holy Eucharist at 8:00 and 10:30 am. Both services take place in the Church. You can also join us for worship at 10:30 am on "[Zoom.](#)"

Children are invited to stand at the Altar for the Eucharist in celebration of **Children's Sunday**.

Please be sure to join us following both services to enjoy **refreshments and fellowship**.

**Child care** is available in the Parish House Cribbery for children up to age 5 from 10:00 am through 12:00 pm. Please stop by the Cribbery and meet our wonderful Caregiver, Dona McIntyre.

On Sunday mornings, children age 3 to grade 5 are invited to participate in **Children's Word**. We're taking a break today but please join us next Sunday. During the Sequence Hymn, Kangaroos (age 3—grade 2) and Elephants (grades 3—5) follow their teachers to the Undercroft. Newcomers, friends, and parents are welcome to come along.

The **Choir School of West Baltimore** is taking a break today but we'll be back next Sunday at 12:00 noon. Flyers with more information are available in the Tower Room and on our website. Invite friends and neighbors to join us!

**D-Group**, for youth entering 6th through 12th grade, meets in the Youth House from 12:00 to 2:30 pm. We usually meet on alternate Sundays. Our next gathering is next Sunday, April 16. Plan to join us for food, fun, fellowship, and faith!

At 1:30 pm, **Olivet Baptist Church** worships in the Church and on Zoom.

† **Monday through Saturday** at 12:00 noon, we hold a brief service of **Noonday Prayer** (at home). †

*If you have specific prayer needs, please send them to Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)).*

## Monday

The Parish Office will be closed on Easter Monday.

**Episcopal 102** meets via Zoom on Mondays from 5:30 to 6:50 pm. We're studying the Gospel According to Matthew. Everyone is welcome. Want more information? Contact The Reverend Carol Burnside at [shinyredtruck@msn.com](mailto:shinyredtruck@msn.com) or text/call at 410-440-7394, or email Maggie Caldwell ([mcaldwell@stbs-md.org](mailto:mcaldwell@stbs-md.org)) for the Zoom link.

A **Hope Harbor** group meets in the Parish House (2nd floor) and on Zoom at 6:00 pm.

The **Ten Hills Garden Club** meets in the Parish House (1st floor) at 6:30 pm.

Each week an open, interfaith group gathers in the Chapel at 7:30 pm for thirty minutes of silent **Christian meditation**. All are welcome.

## Tuesday

**Search Committee Co-chairs** meet in the Parish House at 4:30 pm.

## Wednesday

The **40 West volunteers** meet at 3:00 pm on Zoom.

At 7:00 pm, the **Outreach Committee** meets in the Parish House and on Zoom.

Also at 7:00 pm, a **Sankofa Circle** meets on Zoom.

## Thursday

At 11:00 am, the **Pastoral Care Committee** meets in the Rector's Office and on Zoom.

The **Gospel Justice Group** meets on Zoom at 5:30 pm.

The **St. Bartholomew Choir (for older youth & adults)** gathers in the Church at 7:30 pm.

**Invite A Friend or Neighbor to Church!**

In the Church at 8:00 and 10:30 am and on Zoom at 10:30 am.

**Saturday** The Creation Caretakers are sponsoring a **Litter Clean-Up** along the Route 40 Corridor from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon for volunteers in sixth grade and older. Bring garden gloves; grabbers, reflective vests, pails, and trash bags will be provided. Meet in the St. B's Parking Lot. In the unlikely event that weather is inclement (ice/snow on the ground or heavy precipitation), we will not meet.

### *Community Notes . . .*

Mark your calendar and invite your friends and neighbors to the **Bach at St. Bartholomew's Concert Series**, performed by Ted Davis on organ and harpsichord. See the flyer on page 22.

♪ Sunday, April 16 at 4:00 pm: "Bach to Dance"

♪ Sunday, April 30 at 4:00 pm: "Bach to the Faith"

Please help us extend an invitation to the community by marking the dates and spreading the news by word of mouth and social media.

### *A quick look at events in the coming weeks ...*

**April 16** **Faith Forum** for older youth and adults meets on Zoom at 9:15 am. Come here Abraham Jokt talk about his experience teaching in the Sudan. How did he end up in Maryland at UMBC? Hear about what he is studying and what he hopes to take back to reflect on with his students when he returns. Please join us! Everyone is welcome.

**April 21-23** **New Beginnings**, a retreat for middle school youth takes place at Camp Wright in Stevensville, MD. Previous New Beginners who have reached high school are the designer team and staff for the weekend. A whole weekend dedicated to youth working through the transitions of middle school through talks, skits, and small groups. A place where they can find community in Christ and mentors in high school students.

**April 23** **We have one service at 9:30 am, followed by our Annual Meeting.** After the meeting, we'll gather in the Parish House for lunch.

**April 25** A new **Sankofa Circle** is forming! Join The Reverend Thelma Smullen and Chuck Sullivan on Tuesdays from 11:45 am to 1:15 pm for the next six weeks. We'll be meeting on Zoom. For more information or to sign up, please contact Thelma ([tasmullen@gmail.com](mailto:tasmullen@gmail.com)) or Chuck ([chgl@verizon.net](mailto:chgl@verizon.net)).

**April 29** **Our first Artisan Market** is scheduled in the Parish House from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Please see the Registration form on page 22. More information is available in the [March Apostle](#). Questions? Please contact Celeste Thurston: [jazzedupct@comcast.net](mailto:jazzedupct@comcast.net).

### *Other Groups that Meet at St. B's*

#### 40 West Assistance and Referral Center

Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm.

#### 12-Step Groups

NA Tuesday and Thursday at 12:00 noon (Undercroft)

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AA Friday at 8:30 pm (Undercroft)

For additional information about our ministries and programs, please contact us at 410-945-7263, [office@stbs-md.org](mailto:office@stbs-md.org), or visit our website at <https://stbs-md.org/>.