



June 2018



St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

The Tartan

## A Message to the Parish

by Fr. Martin Yabroff



Dear friends,

It is June and a time to celebrate!

On Sunday, June 17, at 10 am, we will celebrate Fr. Ed Sterling's sixty years of priesthood: faithfully serving Army units and various parishes as an Episcopal priest and chaplain. A festive reception will follow our 10 am celebration. (Our 8 am service will be offered as usual.)

On Saturday, June 16 (the day before), at 10:30 am, we will celebrate our Presiding Bishop Michael Curry and our mission together as Episcopal members of the Jesus Movement as we gather with Bishop Curry at St. John's Episcopal Church, Olympia. Sign up to car-pool. (Did you see his wedding sermon for Prince Harry and Meghan Markle? And the Saturday Night Live parody?) Bishop Curry will also preach at Evensong at St. Mark's Cathedral, Seattle on Thursday, June 14 at 7 pm.

On Saturday, June 2 at 3 pm we celebrate the life of Carol MacKinnon – her faith, her courage in facing cancer, and her ministries enriching our world and church.

On Sunday, June 10, we celebrate our St. Andrew's scholars and award nine scholarships – see pages 2 & 3 for their inspiring introductions.

Also this month, our Kitchen Committee will lead parish discussions on Sunday, June 3 after both services about renovating our kitchen. A written survey is also being offered for your input.

As we enter into the Summer months, I commend to you this prayer for 'The Good Use of Leisure': (Book of Common Prayer, p. 825)

*O God, in the course of this busy life, give us times of refreshment and peace; and grant that we may so use our leisure to rebuild our bodies and renew our minds, that our spirits may be opened to the goodness of your creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Let us celebrate the grace and goodness of God, of Life, and of serving together as followers of Jesus our Lord. Thanks be to God!

Yours in Christ,  
Martin

## ***2018 St. Andrew's Scholarship Recipients***

### Maggie Burdick –

Maggie is the daughter of Brian and Karen Burdick of St. Andrew's, and the grand-daughter of Wayne and Peggy Nelson, also of St. Andrew's. She attended Tacoma Community College for two years, and now is a student at Central Washington University in Ellensburg, WA. Maggie is an Elementary Education major, with a minor in Early Childhood Education. We have watched Maggie grow up in this Parish, and we'd all love to be a student in her class!

### Halley Egnew –

Halley also grew up in St. Andrew's Parish. She is the daughter of Tom Egnew and Joan Halley -Egnew. Her grandmother, Lois Halley and brother Hieu Egnew complete the family pew at St. Andrew's. Halley has been a student at Western Washington University in Bellingham for the last three years. She is an English major, with pre-med on the horizon. Halley plans to take a year off after graduation to apply as an English Teaching Assistant with the Fulbright program. If you get a chance, ask her about her senior honors project!

### Nikolas Gaub –

The Gaub family holds down the back pew at St. Andrew's, and Nikolas has grown up in our midst. Parents Gregg, and Ingrid, brother Alexander and grandparents Steve and Virginia Gaub round out that pew. Nikolas has been at the University of Washington for the past year, pursuing his Bachelor's of Arts in Computer Science. He is well on his way to graduating in three years, and all of our computers await his expertise.

### Helen Greer –

Cottey College in Nevada, Missouri has been home for Helen for the past year. She has changed her major from Health Science to Biology, with an Art minor. She will be the Golden Key President in the coming year, and looks forward to growing in leadership and communication. Helen's family has been an integral part of St. Andrew's for many years --- parents Benner and Holli Greer, grandparents Bill and Helen Abbott, and siblings Ben, Mitch and Clara round out this St. Andrew's family. We are proud to support Helen on her educational journey.

Mitchell Greer – Another Greer student from St. Andrew's family is a member of the Washington State University roster. Mitch has been working his way through the Mathematics curriculum, and now is hoping to graduate with a major in Computer Science. St. Andrew's is home to Mitchell, his sisters Helen and Clara, and brother Ben. Mitch is the son of Benner and Holli Greer, and grandson of Bill and Helen Abbott. We anxiously await another computer person in our church family!

### Shelby Hickman –

Shelby's education journey began at Pierce College, then a time at Goucher College, and a period at Hofstra University in New York. She is now headed to PLU to pursue dance and theater curriculum, and after some readjustment of goals due to health issues, she is on track to follow her dreams. With parents Helen and Andrew Hickman and Grandpa John Hickman on her support team, she will do well! Stay tuned to find out where she will be starring in the next local theater production!

Christine McDaniel –

Imagine being a wife, mother of two active children, and a student all rolled up in one challenging day. Welcome to Christine McDaniel's schedule. She is a graduate of the College of Wooster with a Bachelor of Arts, a Master's in Education from George Mason University, and now a student at the University of Washington in their Library Sciences program. Her husband Colin, daughter Joanna, and son Charlie are the support team for this busy lady --- St. Andrew's is along for the ride!

Derek Ramage –

Derek is the son of Don Ramage, a long time St. Andrew's member. He has been a student at Whitworth University in Spokane, with his eyes on a career in the world of finance. He also holds an AA from Tacoma Community College, and is well on his way to achieving his goals. In two years' time, we can look forward to having guidance on investments and the financial world!

Jessica Richards-

Our final scholar has been a member of St. Andrew's for the past year and a half where she serves on the Vestry. She holds a BA from the College of the Ozarks and is interested in pursuing a degree in Elementary Education as well as a Masters' in Special Education. She presently works in Special Education at Silver Lake Elementary School in Federal Way. St. Andrew's is happy to support Jessica in her educational journey!

***Hunger Walk Thank you***—by Mary Boyce

Thank you very much for your generous support! Our small but mighty team walked with a fantastic crowd of folks around the lake (twice!) at Fort Steilacoom Park last sunny Saturday and had a wonderful time. We also raised just over \$1000 that the Emergency Food Network can turn into \$12,000 in buying power to help our neighbors throughout Pierce County. We are so grateful to be part of a giving community like St. Andrew's, and appreciate all who contributed - be it money, food, or prayer.

Huge hug,  
Jeffrey, Riley, and Mary



The Reverend Mike Mayor, the former rector at St. Mary's, Lakewood and now on disability leave, will begin assisting occasionally at St. Andrew's on Wednesdays and Sundays. We welcome his presence and gifts among us.

# Quiz Nite 2018—by Kristina Younger

Seventy people joined into the festivities of our eleventh annual Quiz Night on May 5<sup>th</sup>. Keeping with the tradition of themed tables, one could find people ready for the Kentucky Derby (along with their cute horses), cooks preparing a delightful meal, Hogwarts trying their magic, a big slumber party, Baseball fans, 80s/90s kids and the highlight clearly was the Never, Neverland with Norbert as Tinker Bell. The quizmaster, Kit Proctor, challenged everyone's intelligence with an array of questions and a break for the Dessert Dash featuring delicious treats. Apparently, we are a very smart parish, because there was a tie for first place closely followed by several other teams. Run for the Roses was the winner of the quiz and Never, Neverland was the winner of the theme. Thank you for all attended. We raised more than \$1,500 for the Parish's general fund. Save the tentative date for next year – **May 4, 2019** – "Force the 4<sup>th</sup> be with you"



Quiz Winners  
Run for the Roses



Decoration/Theme Winners  
Never Neverland Theme



Stirring up Trouble



Captain Hook and  
Tinkerbell



Baseball Fans

## ***Come and See—Go and Tell***—by Pam Tinsley

*Come and See... Go and Tell!* is the Diocese of Olympia's expression of the *Cursillo* ministry. The next weekend takes place from early afternoon Friday, October 19 through Sunday afternoon, October 21. *Come and See* offers an experience of spiritual renewal, and guests are invited to experience God's unconditional love while deepening their understanding of Jesus' teachings. Stories of faith presented on the weekend encourage us to live out our baptismal covenant in the world. Guest cost of \$100 includes all retreat materials, all meals and snacks and 2 nights lodging. For more information and an application, visit [www.olykursillo.org](http://www.olykursillo.org) or contact Pam Tinsley at [pam@stjohnsoly.org](mailto:pam@stjohnsoly.org).

## ***From the Curate***—by The Rev. Meghan Mullarkey

I am really looking forward to stepping into a couple new roles here at St. Andrew's. I will be serving as Interim Head of Altar Guild (Thank you, Helen Abbott for your years of service to St. Andrew's in this role! And thank you for continuing to serve on Altar Guild.). I will also be scheduling the Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers (Thank you, Pam Tinsley for doing this previously! We miss you.). I feel both of these new roles will be a great way for me to get even closer to the heart beat of St. Andrew's. I am passionate about offering my support to the people who give of their time and talent to the church and I am excited to offer my support in this capacity for these three specific roles.

Serving during the liturgy and being intimately involved in setting and clearing the table are such special ways to be connected and involved at St. Andrew's. Please, let me know if you are feeling a desire to be on Altar Guild, a Lector, or an Eucharistic Minister. I would be happy to talk with you more about what this would entail.

## ***"Tell us what you want---what you really, really want!!"***

St. Andrew's currently has a Kitchen Team that is looking into the feasibility of a complete remodel of the kitchen in Puddicombe Hall. The current kitchen is far from adequate and does not serve the needs of the parish well.

The team has already done site visits to other churches, contacted manufacturers and local suppliers and has had several meetings over the last three months. Planning is far from complete but we would now like to engage the parish for their visions and suggestions.

On June 3<sup>rd</sup>, after both the 8 am and 10 am services, team members will be available to receive comments.

Further along in the process we will have more accurate information about costs, designs, consultants, timelines and of course, fund-raising.

If you are unable to attend the June 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting, you may contact the team members: Carol Baarsma, Reberta Skinner, Sandy Dick, Angie Barr, Wynn and Margie Hoffman and Ken and Pam Rhodes.

# June 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 7am SA Meeting  3:00pm Service for Carol MacKinnon
3 8/10 Holy Eucharist  11:15am Kitchen Committee update  12:30pm 40 and younger lunch	4 1pm Bible Study  8pm Men's Al-Anon	5 10:30am AA  7:45pm AA	6 Noon Eucharist  1pm Finance	7	8  10am Weaver's Guild	9 7am SA Meeting  9:15am Secretariat Meeting
10 8/10 Holy Eucharist  Scholarship Sunday  8:45-9:45am Parish Nurse on Duty	11 1pm Bible Study  8pm Men's Al-Anon	12 10:30am AA  7:45pm AA	13 Noon Eucharist	14	15  5-8pm Piano Recital	16 7am SA Meeting  10:30am St. John's Olympia with Presiding Bishop Michael Curry
17 Father's Day 8/10 Holy Eucharist	18 1pm Bible Study  8pm Men's Al-Anon	19 10:30am AA  7pm Vestry 7:45pm AA	20 Noon Eucharist	21	22	23 7am SA Meeting
24 8/10 Holy Eucharist	25 1pm Bible Study  8pm Men's Al-Anon	26 7:45pm AA	27  5-7:15pm Youth Group  5-7:00pm Jackson Street Food Bank	28	29	30 7am SA Meeting

## June Birthdays

2	Meghan Mullarkey Pam Tinsley Annie Yabroff
3	Joanna McDaniel Conner Rainer
8	Cathy Lowenberg
12	Shirley Morton
15	Ellen Maccarrone Laura Wilhite
16	Kaylie Rainer
21	Chad Moody
22	Joan Halley
25	Kit Proctor
30	Virginia Clark Maxwell Painter



## June Anniversaries

6-5-1976	Bill and Linda Brice
6-6-1953	Don and Nita Cameron
6-8-2013	Meghan Mullarkey and Luke Abernathy
6-12-1954	Don and Betty Bishop
6-14-1980	Martin and Eve Yabroff
6-15-1973	Steve and Anna Arthur
6-24-1995	Ed and Cyndi Wolfer

### **Sunday School**—by *Matthew Moravec*

More adult Sunday School assistants are needed to enable us to have two adults in each class. Background checks but no preparation of lessons required. This Summer we will offer a single class focused on younger children. If you would like to help teach just during the Summer, you are warmly invited. Please see Sunday School Coordinator Matthew Moravec if you are interested in these ways to serve.



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The Rev. Edward A. Sterling, Associate  
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