

# Second Sunday in Lent March 8, 2020

Prelude Canzona in d minor

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Processional Hymn 401 "The God of Abraham praise"

Leoni

### The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 351

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People God's mercy endures for ever.

The Decalogue BCP p. 350

The Confession p. 352

Kyrie S 98 (front section of hymnal) William Mathias

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Together we pray.

People O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have

gone astray from your ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of your Word, Jesus Christ your Son; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and

reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson: Genesis 12:1-4a

The Lord said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and

I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all

the families of the earth shall be blessed." So Abram went, as the LORD had told him; and Lot went with him.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 121

Richard Farrant (ca. 1530-1581)

The congregation is encouraged to sing the psalm.



- I I lift up my eyes to the hills; \*
  from where is my help to come?
- 2 My help comes from the LORD, \* the maker of heaven and earth.
- 3 He will not let your foot be moved \* and he who watches over you will not fall a sleep.
- 4 Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel \*
  shall neither slumber nor sleep;
- 5 The LORD himself watches over you; \* the LORD is your shade at your right hand.
- 6 So that the sun shall not strike you by day, \*
   nor the moon by night.
- 7 The LORD shall preserve you from all evil; \* it is he who shall keep you safe.
- 8 The LORD shall watch over your going out and your coming in, \* from this time forth for ever more.

Second Lesson: Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

What then are we to say was gained by Abraham, our ancestor according to the flesh? For if Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about, but not before God. For what does the scripture say? "Abraham believed God,

and it was reckoned to him as righteousness." Now to one who works, wages are not reckoned as a gift but as something due. But to one who without works trusts him who justifies the ungodly, such faith is reckoned as righteousness. For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations")—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 691 "My faith looks up to thee"

Olivet

Gospel: John 3:1-17

Clergy The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

There was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God." Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above." Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.' The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know

where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?

"Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who

believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him."

Clergy The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon Rev. Mia Kano

Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

Prayers of the People

After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy. The People reply, Hear our prayer.

Peace

Announcements

# The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Anthem Vast Voyage

Jay Stocker

Refrain
The journey begins
we're all getting in
Into the word of God.
His word is our guide
Through all of our lifetime
Let the vast voyage begin.

This great adventure through God's word Will change our lives, change us for good. His word will surprise us, show us truth So come along, and sing a song Look all around, we're ready now!

Refrain

Doxology Hymn 380 v. 3 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

Old 100th

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP p. 361

Sanctus S128 (front section of hymnal)

William Mathias

Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People* Therefore let us keep the feast.

Agnus Dei S 160 (front section of hymnal)

Mason Martens

Ushers will direct the congregation to communion stations, starting from the rear of the church and moving forward. Gluten-free wafers are

# available. All are welcome to receive communion. Healing prayer is offered, if you desire, at the transept rail after you take communion.

### Communion Anthem Ave verum

Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

Hail, true body born of the Virgin Mary, Who truly suffered, sacrificed on the Cross for man, Whose pierced side overflowed with water and blood, Be for us a foretaste in the test of death.

Communion Hymn 440 "Blessed Jesus, at thy word"

Liebster Jesu

Thanksgiving after Communion

BCP p. 365

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 147 "Now let us all with one accord"

Bourbon

Dismissal

Clergy Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude Herzlich tut mich verlangen

J. Brahms (1833-1897)

Please join us for fellowship in the parish hall immediately following the service, hosted today by Barbara Bergstrom and Linda Lull



We offer special prayers in loving memory of James BeattieTedesco.

### Serving St. Andrew's this week

Altar Guild D.D. Alexander, Dell Beggs, Jean Childs, Elizabeth Clarke, Caren Parker, Cynthia Scott, and Liz Tecca Flower Distribution Melissa Bradley

#### Serving at 8am

Lay Reader/Chalice Bearer Debbie Lorenz Ushers Jane Givens and Mark Housel

#### Serving at 10am

Acolytes Crucifer, Emma Barry; Torch, Miles Olivetti; Torch, Sterling Williams;
Gospel, Ben Clarke; Banner, Charlie Denomme
Greeters Muffy & Peter Johannsen
Lay Readers Michael Kemp, Janet Giele, and Paul Merry
Ushers David Boghosian, Giles Boland, Larry Scott, and Paul Zusky

### Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Parishes of the Cape & Islands Deanery
Church of St. Mary of the Harbor, Provincetown
St. John's Church, Sandwich
St. David's Church, South Yarmouth
Grace Church, Vineyard Haven
Ministries with the Aging



# **About the Readings**

Genesis 12:1-4a At this point in the book of Genesis, the focus changes from the story of all humanity to the story of one man, Abram, and through him to the story of a chosen people. The Lord takes the initiative and calls Abram (Abraham) out of his family structure and the social and cultural security of his present location in Haran to go to the unknown land God will show him. His response is the first of the trustful acts that define him as preeminently the Old Testament man of

faith. Abraham and his descendants are chosen to inherit a land, become a great nation and mediate blessing to all the world. The story of Abraham shows how God acts in history through the responses of individuals and peoples. Abraham's decision to yield to the will of God no matter the sacrifice demonstrates the nature of the friendship he had with God.

**Psalm 121** This psalm is in dialogue form, possibly between a group of

worshippers and a priest, perhaps as a blessing at their arrival at or departure from the temple. The Lord, the Creator, will watch over the people day and night.

**Romans 4:1-5, 13-17** Paul cites the example of Abraham to show that the concept of justification by faith is not contrary to the Old Testament, but rather supported by it. In first-century Judaism, Abraham was held up as the ideal model of righteousness through works. Paul argues that Abraham's faith, his readiness to believe and act upon God's promise, was "reckoned to him as righteousness." It put him in a right relationship to God apart from works. Not only was Abraham justified apart from works, but God even "justifies the ungodly," as Paul shows by quoting Psalm 32:1-2. Righteousness is open to all who trust in God, Jew or Gentile. The promised inheritance comes through faith to Abraham's true descendants, those who follow his example of faith.

**John 3:1-17** Today's reading is taken from the first of John's lengthy expositions of Jesus' teachings. Two

characteristic techniques are employed: the use of a question asked on the physical level and answered on the spiritual level, and the use of the questioner's misunderstanding. Nicodemus, a member of the Sanhedrin, comes to Jesus because of his interest in Jesus' works. Jesus seeks to draw him past these outward manifestations to a recognition of their inward significance. The meaning of being "born from above" begins their discussion. Nicodemus's misunderstanding centers around the word translated "from above," which, in Greek, has two meanings. The first is 'anew, again' on the physical level, which is what Nicodemus understands; the second is 'from above' spatially, which is what Jesus seems to intend. Jesus contrasts the realm of the Spirit, which is eternal and heavenly, with the realm of the flesh, which is earthly, weak and mortal (but not necessarily sinful). Both flesh and spirit make up human life, but the Spirit is life itself. The Greek and Hebrew words for wind also mean 'spirit'.



# **Notices & Announcements**

# Holy Communion and COVID-19

In light of the coronavirus and advice we have received from the diocese, we have instituted the following changes for the fore-seeable future. 1) We will not have wine at communion, just the bread. Theologically, Christ is fully present in both the bread and the wine, so only receiving in "one kind" is still full participation in communion. 2) At the Peace we will not shake hands but greet each other with "prayer hands," a wave, or an elbow bump. Please contact a member of the clergy with any questions.

- Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole
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# Signs of Lent

Similar to Advent, Lent is a season of reflection and preparation, and during both seasons we use purple (or violet) altar hangings. Purple is a penitential color; it is also associated with royalty and subtly points us toward the resurrection. We at St. Andrew's are fortunate to have two sets of purple hangings: the altar frontal we use for Advent is decorated with gold embroidery and rose banding, while the Lenten one is unadorned, its austerity reflecting the penitential season.

There are more signs of the solemnity of Lent...No flowers on the altar. We don't sing or say the Gloria and the Lenten hymns are more somber. Our decorative processional cross is replaced with a smaller, simpler one. Our brass candlesticks and brass altar book stand are replaced with iron candlesticks and a wooden stand. The ashes placed on our foreheads on Ash Wednesday represent our own mortality. These Lenten symbols serve to remind us that we are entering a period of prayer and spiritual renewal. — Cynthia Scott, vestryperson for worship • cc.scott@verizon.net

## Lenten Book: Meeting God in Mark

Meeting God in Mark by former Archbishop Rowan Williams, is a reflection on the Gospel of Mark. This book brings new depths to Mark's 16 chapters. It will be an excellent companion in Lent. We will discuss this book at the 9am Christian learning classes in March. You can buy a copy from me for the discounted price of \$10. Please make out a check to "St. Andrew's" with "Lenten Book" in the memo. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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9am Christian Learning
Today, Sunday, March 8, and Sunday,
March 15 and 22, we will discuss our Lenten
book, Meeting God in Mark, a brilliant and
short book by Rowan Williams, former
Archbishop of Canterbury. Today we will
discuss Chapter One. Join us in Room 2.

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### Grace Knight Babson

Come support the Junior Choir at the 61st Annual Grace Knight Babson Fund for Religious Education Program, this afternoon, Sunday, March 8, at 4pm in the Richard Knight Auditorium at Babson College. Everyone is welcome to this special afternoon celebrating the rich content of the Holy Bible put on by the children of Wellesley's

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different faith communities. — Amanda

## Practicing Lent at Home

Kern

Visit the table in front of Mia's office to pick up all your family needs to take on a new spiritual practice in Lent, including the St. Andrew's Lenten Meditation Guide, the SALT project's *Breaking the Chains* Lent calendar, and your very own bracket and booklet for the Lent Madness battle of the saints! Follow @staswellesleyyouth to vote on the saint of the day. — Rev. Mia Kano

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### Lenten Potluck & Program

Into the Wilderness: Sacrifice, Suffering, Temptation, and Transformation. Join us on **Wednes**- days during Lent for a potluck dinner at 6:30pm and a program from 7:15 to 8pm. We provide the entrée; you bring a salad or dessert. On March 11, Rabbi Rachel Saphire speaks on A Jewish Perspective on Suffering: a Journey Through Ancient Texts and Philosophies. Join us for one evening or all of them. Everyone is welcome.

- Rev. Margaret Schwarzer
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## The First Four Sundays of Church School in Lent

For the Sundays in Lent, (March 1, 8, 15, and 22) church school kids will gather in the children's chapel at 9:45am to prepare for Youth Sunday with Amanda and Mia. Kids will be dismissed from there to their classrooms at 9:55am. Parents are welcome to join in, too! — Rev. Mia Kano

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### Easter Memorial Flowers

Please contribute to our Easter worship by offering flowers in memory of, or in thanksgiving for, people you love: submit or resubmit your names by **Monday**, **March 23**, with a contribution made payable to St. Andrew's Church, with "Memorial Flowers" in the memo line. The amount of the contribution is at your discretion. Please use the form you received: extra forms are in the narthex. You may leave the form and contribution in the "Flower Memorial" box in the mail room, or with your weekly offering in the plate. Thank you. — Margarethe Kulke

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### Stress Relief @ Youth Group

Come relax! Time to rest, meditate, and let go. We'll gather **tonight**, **Sunday evening**, **March 8 at 6:45pm** in the Rite-13 Room.

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## Family Board Game Night!

St. Andrew's youth programs are hosting a board game night for teens, pre-teens, and their families on **Friday**, **March 13**, **from 7 to 9pm in the parish hall**. Bring your competitive spirit and favorite games! — Rev. Mia Kano • mia@standrewswellesley.org

Bible Circle: Gospel of Matthew

Bible Circle will meet Tuesday, March 10, at 10:30am in the Harvey Room and Tuesday, March 10, at 7pm in Room 2. Our topic is the Gospel of Matthew: A Witness to Jewish Christians. At our meeting, we will read and discuss Chapter 23. All are welcome to one meeting or to more. No prior experience in Bible study experience is expected! Please bring your Bible. — Margarethe Kulke

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## Scout Sunday

We will celebrate Scout Sunday on **Sunday**, **March 15**, **at the 10am service**. Scouts of all ages (including adult leaders) are invited to wear their uniforms to church, and youth involved in Scouting will be invited to come forward for a blessing. — Rev. Mia Kano

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## Girl Scout Award Opportunity

Girl Scouts of all ages are invited to earn the My Promise, My Faith award, which requires

just a few hours of preparation, followed by attending a meeting on **Sunday, March 15**, **at 9am in the Rite-13 room**. — Wendy Barry

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# Church School & Rite-13 Baking Party

Bake, decorate, (and sample!) together in the parish kitchen for our church school Lenten Outreach Project Bake Sale on **Saturday**, **March 14 from 1 to 3pm**. Parents, come with your kids! — D.D. Alexander

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### Lenten Outreach Bake Sale

All are invited to contribute treats to the church school bake sale on **Sunday, March, 15 after the 10am service**. Please bring baked goods to the parish hall before church on March 15. All proceeds will support our Lenten outreach project. — Rev. Mia Kano

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## Church School Lenten Project

We are raising money for our mission trip with Appalachia Service Project which provides emergency home repair for Appalachia families. We are sending 11 teenagers and seven adults to Tennessee in June to make houses warmer, safer, and drier. Please support our team as we learn about housing and generational cycles of poverty.

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### **Book Circle**

The Book Circle will meet on **Tuesday evening**, **March 17**, **at 7:00** in the Harvey Room. We will be discussing *Born a Crime* by Trevor Noah. Contact Betsy Millane for more information. • <a href="mailto:betsymillane@gmail.com">betsymillane@gmail.com</a>

### Parents Circle

Parents of St. Andrew's children and youth are invited to the Urbans' home (106 Parish Road, Needham) for food and fellowship on Friday, March 20, at 7pm. Contact Coryell Urban or Rev. Mia for details and to RSVP.

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# Discover the Spiritual in Art: MFA Field Trip

Join Becky Hamlin and Peter Fergusson for an in-depth discussion of five masterpieces at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, **Sunday**, **March 22.** We will carpool from St. Andrew's at **11:30am** and lunch from 12:30 to 1:30pm at the New American Café. Our one-hour tour, limited to 20 people, follows immediately. Tickets will be complimentary. You buy your own lunch. Please email me starting **Sunday**, **March 8**, at **11:30am** if you want to attend. More details on carpooling will follow. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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# Youth Sunday Preparation at Lenten Potluck & Program

On Wednesday evening, March 25, children and youth from all programs will learn what goes on behind the scenes to prepare for Holy Eucharist. Everyone is invited to the

Lenten Wednesdays potluck dinner from 6:30 to 7:15pm. Younger kids (Pre-K to grade 3) will meet from 5:45 to 6:30pm to learn their roles for Youth Sunday, while older kids (grade 4 to acolytes) will meet from 7:15 to 8pm. Parents are invited to attend the Lenten program from 7:15 to 8pm.

- Rev. Mia Kano
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## Youth Sunday

St. Andrew's children and youth will be the ministers for our **10am Eucharist on Sunday, March 29!** We'll be preparing all Lent for our special roles. Children and youth should plan on coming for the service at **9:30am**. — Rev. Mia Kano

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Firearm Safety Task Force Meeting On Sunday March 29, at 11:30am, a conversation with Dr. Chana Sacks, co-founder of the MGH Center for Gun Violence Prevention, will take place in the Harvey Room. Chana Sacks, MD, MPH, a general internist and instructor at Harvard Medical School, has worked to spotlight the importance of a public health approach to the issue of gun violence since the death of her cousin's 7year-old son in the Sandy Hook Elementary School shooting. She is building an interdisciplinary research group to deepen understanding of and develop innovative solutions to this problem. Dr. Sacks has an active clinical practice and is also a researcher, investigating issues related to pharmaceutical drug pricing and regulatory policy. — Paul Merry • paul.merry@fairworkplace.net

# Family Promise Metrowest Walk to End Homelessness

Please join the St. Andrew's team as we Walk to End Homelessness on Sunday, April 5 at 12:30pm. The 3-mile route begins and ends at the Natick High School (15 West St.). Grab your sneakers, strollers, and leashes (dogs welcome) and help support our outreach partner! There will be lots of activities and food for the whole family.

Please sign up from the St. Andrew's website, clicking on the tile for "Walk to End Homelessness." Search for the team "St. Andrew's Wellesley" Join the fun! — Heidi Harper • <a href="heidiharper73@gmail.com">heidiharper73@gmail.com</a> and Debbie Osborn • <a href="debbieosborn@verizon.net">debbieosborn@verizon.net</a>

# Food Pantry Bin

In view of the upcoming renovations, the Food Pantry Bin has been moved to Room 6, which is the last room on the right after you go down the narthex stairs. Please leave donations for the Wellesley Food Pantry there. We will empty the bin on a regular basis and take the donations to the food pantry. Donation bins are also located at the Wellesley Roche Bros. and Whole Foods locations. — Margarethe Kulke

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### Bargain Haul: Save the Date

Our annual rummage sale, Bargain Haul, will be **Saturday**, **May 2.** Drop-off days will be **Sunday**, **April 26 through Tuesday**, **April 28.** Parish Night will be **Friday**, **May 1**. Much more information to follow. Please remember to set aside items for Bargain Haul

when cleaning out closets, attics and basements. We are looking for clean, gently used clothing for all ages, some special treasures, books, jewelry, electronics, sporting goods, toys, linens, housewares, bric-a-brac, & small portable furniture. We also need your large shopping bags.

Want to join the Bargain Haul team? We would love your help! Contact the Bargain Haul Chair Carolyn McCoy

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### Sanctuary Renovations

The sanctuary renovations funded by our recent capital campaign will take place this summer. Therefore, the sanctuary will be closed from Monday, May 11 through Sunday, September 6. Worship services will take place in the parish hall during this period. The renovations include the installation of a new lighting system and sound system updates, the repair and maintenance of the pews, the complete painting of the sanctuary, a new credenza in the usher area, new wooden paneling by the rear emergency exit door onto Denton Road, a major refurbishment of the narthex, painting and new flooring in the children's chapel. There will be further elaboration of the plans, including drawings, once plans are finalized.

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# **Gratitude**

## Family Promise Hosting Week at Village Church

A big thank you to those St. Andrew's volunteers who helped out during our Family Promise host week at Village Church March 1 through 8: Ashley Denton, Cam McCormick, Anne Manners, Caren Parker, Debbie Osborn, and Heidi Harper.

## Pancake Supper

Thanks to all who worked on the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper. The delicious egg stratas made by Paige Fisher, Lakey MacArthur, and Elizabeth Svedlund were a big hit. Mike, Terri, and Zebby were amazing in the kitchen and of course all of our Rite-13 servers/greeters/cleanup crew made the evening a success. A special thank you goes out to organizers Terri Rawson and Jenny Sawyer. If you missed it, add it to your calendar for next year! It truly is a great way to prepare for Lent.

# **Choral Evensong**

Thank you to our great choir and our talented choir director Wardie Mannix for the wonderful choral evensong last Sunday evening. We were blessed by their offering of beautiful anthems and settings for the evensong. It was lovely to see many parishioners and visitors at the service.

### **Evensong Reception**

Thank you to all who contributed to the candle-lit reception highlighted by a beautiful center table of greens, orchids, and savory treats following the Choral Evensong service. A special thanks to Wendy Haering and Margaret Zusky for organizing. And they could not have done it without their devoted team, so thanks to everyone who contributed.

### Kids' Place Coffee Hour

Thank you to the membership committee and returning parish families for a well-attended Kids' Place Coffee Hour on Sunday! You helped to welcome several new, young families and even plugged some experienced members into more opportunities for parenting support.

# Vestry

Adult Formation Ansley Martin

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Fellowship Linda Lull

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# Staff

- In an emergency, please contact Adrian on his cell phone: 603/831-4938.
- The clergy are available to assist you if you email or call them if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited.
- Please let us know of names that should be added to our prayer list.

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# Weekly Calendar

- The Holy Eucharist is celebrated on Sundays at 8am, 10am, and 5pm, and every Wednesday at 7:30am—we offer healing prayer at these services; Silent Contemplative Prayer is also offered weekdays at 8:50am, unless otherwise noted.
- Senior Choir rehearsal is on Thursdays at 7:30pm, and Sundays at 9am; Junior Choir rehearsal is on Sundays at 9am.
- Parish Office hours are Monday through Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and Friday, 9am to 12pm.
- 12-Step Programs Al-Anon, Tuesdays, 7:30pm; Men's AA, Wednesdays, 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays, 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30am; Step Sisters, Saturdays, 10:30am.

### Sunday, March 8

9am Christian Learning
9:45am Kids' Place, Church School,
& Rite-13
4pm Grace Knight Babson
5:30pm Confirmation Class
6:45pm High School Youth Group

### Monday, March 9

The Call Deadline

### Tuesday, March 10

9:15am Pastoral Care Team Meeting10:30am Bible Circle7pm Bible Circle7:30pm Outreach Committee

### Wednesday, March 11

6:30pm Lenten Potluck & Program

### Thursday, March 12

7pm Preparedness, Safety, and Security Task Force

#### Friday, March 13

7pm Family Board Game Night

### Saturday, March 14

1pm Church School Bake Party

### Sunday, March 15

9am Christian Learning
9am Girl Scout My Faith, My Promise
9:45am Kids' Place, Church School,
& Rite-13
11:30pm Church School Bake Sale

