

today

Ministry Fair, 10:00a in the Parish Hall

Join us at 10:00a today in the Parish Hall for Parish Breakfast and Ministry Fair!
YOUR PARTICIPATION MATTERS

The Ministry Fair is a way of offering your time, your talent, and your treasures to the work of God in the parish. Finding the right place to participate will make it a joy.

Classes, committees, and volunteer work are all available, and time requirements are available that will fit your schedule perfectly.

Requiem and Necrology This Morning

Every fall, around All Saints' Day, we celebrate a Requiem (Mass for the Dead) to remember and honor those who have died. Having in recent years sung portions of Requiems by Mozart, Brahms, Fauré, Duruflé, and others, this year we return to the source and sing these texts to their ancient plainsong melodies, which are unsurpassed in beauty and in suitability for the liturgy. We also premiere a new piece by former Director of Music Russell Schulz. Do join your parish family – and all the company of heaven – for this celebration today at the 9:00 and 11:10a services.

Shepherd Bag Assembly Today

Shepherd bags are baggies filled with items for local homeless people or other people in need. Our congregation creates these bags containing a water bottle, socks (especially needed by homeless), and 2 or 3 snack items, including protein bars or other healthy snacks. Our church creates about 500 or more a year. After 'stuffing' the bags on the 25th, members take a load of bags and keep in their cars, giving them to people in need. The bags are placed in the Narthex between services to be picked up by members. We will assemble these today at 10:15a in the Garth.

Foyer Group Sign Ups Today

What are Foyer Groups? Groups that allow parishioners and informal way to get to know each other.

When do they meet? Each group decides when they want to meet and how they want to organize. Some have pot-luck dinners, some go out, some the hostess provides the meal.

Can I bring my children? There are groups with children and groups without. You decide when you sign up what type of group you wish to join.

How do I sign up? There will be forms at the Ministry Fair today. After that forms will be available in the office. Fill one out and leave it for Nancy Wade, Parish Administrator. If you have questions, call Nancy in the office 476 3523.

How will I know which group I am in? The groups will be formed and announced at a Foyer Kickoff gathering in January. More details on date and location to follow. At the party each group will have the chance to meet briefly and make plans for the rest of the year. Come join the fun!

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Good Shepherd Game Night is set for Sunday, November 8

Let's play some games! We will start at 6:30p, after Community Supper. Bring your favorite or play one of ours. Games on hand will be Yahtzee, Dominoes, Playing Cards, Wii Beatles Rock Band, and Pretty Pretty Princess. Popcorn and drinks provided by the Parish Life Committee and co-hosted by the EYC. Contact **Frank Lyon** at 467 1305.

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THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD + STEWARDSHIP 2009

"ALL THINGS COME OF THEE O LORD, AND OF THINE OWN HAVE WE GIVEN THEE."

Please be reminded that on All Saints Day & Commitment Sunday, November 1, every member of this parish—man, woman, and child—will be invited to process their pledge to God's table where, together, we will ask for God's blessing to be upon the promises we make. We will make this procession at every Sunday service. In addition to the Pledge Cards you have received in your packets, Cards will be available in the pews on that day, so that everyone can participate. The procession will be a powerful sign of our unity: our common hope, our common purpose, and our common commitment in Christ. If you have already submitted a pledge, please know that your Card will be in in the narthex, in a sealed envelope with your name on it, so that you, too, can join in the procession. Trusting your timely and faithful response, I remind you once more that our Stewardship Committee has pledged that our parish-wide campaign will end on November 1. Know that your participation matters, not only for our parish, but for the very Kingdom of God.

Please return your card to the Church on or before November 1, by simply dropping the card into the offertory plate at any service or mailing your pledge to the office in the envelope included in your Stewardship packet. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact the parish clergy, or any member of our Stewardship Committee: **William Cromwell, Ann Bomer, Corby Jastrow, and John McFarland.**



Vestry and Diocesan Council Delegate Elections

Do you know someone you think would be a good Vestry person or Diocesan Council delegate?

Vestry and Diocesan Council Delegate elections are scheduled for December 6. Vestry and Council candidates must be communicants in good standing (faithful in corporate worship and in working, praying and giving for the spread of God's Kingdom). Giving is defined as making a financial contribution recorded by the Parish Administrator, including, but not limited to, a pledge. The Vestry term is a three year commitment with monthly Vestry meetings and active participation on a committee and at parish events. Five Vestry members will be elected.

Diocesan Council Delegate term is three years. The commitment includes attendance at Diocesan Council in February of each year. One delegate will be elected. The second highest vote getter is the Alternate Delegate and attends Council for a one year term.

Submit nominations for Vestry and Council Delegate to the Church Office or drop in the offertory plate.

A Nomination Form will be sent to a nominee upon submission of nomination and confirmation of a nominee as a communicant in good standing. A nomination is not final until a completed Nomination Form and picture are received by the Nominating Committee as instructed on the Nomination Form. Under Good Shepherd adopted election procedures the completed Nomination Form and picture must be received by November 15 in order for a nominee's name to appear on the ballot.

Remaining on the Vestry are: **Betsey Bishop, Truman Breed, Dean Davis, Brian Gaston, Catherine Heidrick, Corby Jastrow, Frank Lyon, Jeff Mucci, Lindsay Sharpe, and Suzanne Stewart.**

Remaining as Diocesan Delegates are: **William Cromwell, Dave Jarrott** and the 2010 Senior Warden.



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About the worship service

You will find information about our worship service on the front of the service leaflet (in which this insert is found).

Restrooms

Public restrooms are available in the Administration building and the East Parish Hall (see map below).

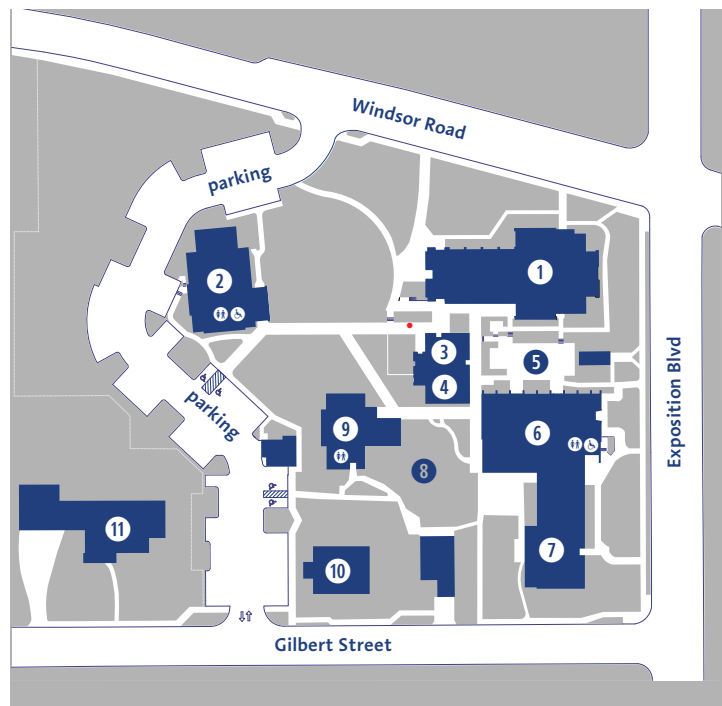
Parking

In addition to on-campus parking, space is available (Sunday mornings only) at Tarrytown Shopping Center across Windsor, and Wells Fargo Bank one block east on Windsor. If you park on a street, please be sure that you are not parked in a fire lane or blocking a driveway.

Children

Children are always welcome in our services. The Nursery is also available for children 2 months to 24 months from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm. Preschoolers meet at 10:00 in the school. Sunday school for Kindergarten to 5th grade begins at 10:15 am in Baxter Hall.

campusmap



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| 1 Church | 5 Garth | 9 Baxter Hall |
| 2 Admin | 6 Parish Hall | 10 Moffett House |
| 3 Brides' Room | 7 School | 11 Rectory |
| 4 Nursery | 8 Playground | |

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For healing grace and continued strength:

Olivia, Pat and Don, Emory, Peg, Stan, John and Lisa, Sarah, Suzanne, Jada, Lynette, Barbara, Floylee, Terry, Scoop, Lynn, Kathy, Susan, Andy, Jeff, John, Michele, Bob, Kimber, Bill, Betty, Saxon, Reed, Doreen, Max, Phyllis, Linda, Gay, Karen, Scott and Brian, Jann, Jerry, Patty, Chris, Catherine, Taylor, Martha, Chuck, Stephnie, Marion, Ben, Brett, Laurens Jr., Ryan, Brett, Helen, Lisa, Andrea Hays and her family; and the Hicks, Bell, Biba, Heins, Farabee, Goode, and Talbot families;

For peace and rest for the dead:

Frances Smith, Michael Bahan, Kyle Williams, Warren Higgins, and Russell Heins;

For health and comfort to the pregnant:

Carrie, Stefanie, Amy, Karen, Kristen, Maggie, Amanda, Blanca, Emily, Audra;

For protection of those serving in our armed forces:

Karsten, Zach, Jackson, Paul, Jacob, Zachary

O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY ARE GIVEN
TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN THANKSGIVING
FOR THE LIFE OF
HENRY BRADFORD KEENE (1930-2002)
BY ANNE AND RUSS KEENE.

today's highlights

9:00, 11:10a - Requiem with Necrology
10:00a - Ministry Fair and Parish Breakfast
10:15a - Shepherd Bag Assembly, Garth

thisweek

Sunday, October 25

7:30 a HOLY EUCHARIST I
8:30 a Community Cafe (PH)
8:45 a Nursery open
9:00 a HOLY EUCHARIST II,
with REQUIEM
Children's Chapel (EPH)
Pre-School Sunday School (EB)
10:00a Parish Breakfast (PH)
Ministry Fair (PH)
10:15 a K-12 Sunday School
Shepherd Bag Assembly (G)
11:10 a HOLY EUCHARIST I
with REQUIEM
Jr. Choir (CR)
2:30 p HOLY EUCHARIST, Continental
3:00 p Jr. High EYC (MH, Blazer Tag)
5:00 p Koinonia(CH)
6:00 p Community Supper (PH)
6:30 p Adult Christian Ed (PH)
Sr. High EYC (Dirty's)
Youth/Children's Events

Monday, October 26

DIOCESAN CLERGY CONFERENCE
6:30 p Men's Bible & Brew (CO)
7:30 p Youth Confirmation Class (MH)

Tuesday, October 27

DIOCESAN CLERGY CONFERENCE
7:00 a Young Adults Coffee (Mozart's)
7:30 a Yoga (CR)
Stewardship Mtg (CO)
8:30 a Yoga (BH)
9:30 a Moms of Yg Children Bible Study (CR)
10:30 a Staff Meeting (CO)
St. Anne's Guild (CR)
12:15 p HOLY EUCHARIST II
3:15 p Clergy Prog & Prayer Mtg (RO)
4:00 p Primary Choir (EPH)

Wednesday, October 28

DIOCESAN CLERGY CONFERENCE

7:00 a Men's Breakfast/HE (PH)
11:00 a Women's Prayer Group (BR)
12:15 p Contemplative Prayer (CH)
1:30 p TAEHS Bible Study (CO)
5:30 p Healing EUCHARIST
6:00 p Discovery Class (PH)
Vestry Meeting (CO)
6:45 p Evensong Choir Reh (CR, CH)
7:00 p Stewardship Team Mtg (CH)
7:30 p GS Choir Reh (CR, CH)

Thursday, October 29

DIOCESAN CLERGY CONFERENCE

7:30 a Yoga (CR)
8:30 a Yoga (CR)
5:30 p Contemplative EUCHARIST
6:30 p EFM (CO)
8:20 p GS Softball Game, Krieg Field #4

Friday, October 30

Saturday, October 31

9:00 a Altar Guild
10:00 a Baptism Preparation (CR, CH)

Sunday, November 1

ALL SAINTS DAY & COMMITMENT SUNDAY

7:30 a HOLY EUCHARIST I
8:30 a Community Cafe (PH)
8:45 a Nursery open
9:00 a HOLY EUCHARIST II/BAPTISM
Children's Chapel (EPH)
Pre-School Sunday School (EB)
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11:10 a HOLY EUCHARIST I/BAPTISM
Jr. Choir (CR)
12:30 p Hospice Austin Photos (PH)
3:30 p Jr. High EYC (MH)
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