



St. Matthew's Episcopal Church  
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Rector:

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Office hours: by appointment

Parish Secretary:

Kathy Kresen  
Office Hours:  
Tuesday/Wednesday

Vestry Members

Mary Newcomb (2018-2020/2020-2022)\*  
Fran Zartman (2020-2022)  
Janice Flory (2018-2020/2020-2022)\*  
Bill Rowe (2017-2019/2019-2021)\*  
Cyn Reid (2020-2022)  
Lori Fazzini (2018-2020/2020-2022)\*  
Jocelyn Schlegel (2020-2022)  
Lori Bingaman (2017-2019/2019-2021)\*  
John Haydt (2017-2019/2019-2021)\*  
Terry Shipman (2017-2019/2019-2021)\*  
Sr. Warden: Charlie Schlegel  
Jr. Warden: Terry Shipman (2017-2019/2019-2021)\*  
Clerk of the Vestry: Mary Ann Loftus

**Delegates to the Convention**

Roy Casey  
Mary Ann Loftus  
Barb Sauter (Alternate)  
(\*indicates that the person must wait 1 year before running for vestry again in the final year of election).



Information you want put in weekly church bulletins **must be received** in the church office by Tuesday of each week.

Newsletter articles need to be received by the church office **no later than the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month in which the Newsletter is published** (Jan, Mar, May, Sept, Nov) We are always in need of new articles.





Worship Services at  
St. Matthew's

Sunday Services

8:00am (said, Rite I)

10:30am (sung, Rite II)

Thursday Mass

1:30pm

Easter Services

Maundy Thursday 7pm

Good Friday 12 noon

Easter Vigil 7pm

Easter Sunday 10:30am only

*Everyone is welcome! We are always happy  
to see new faces.*

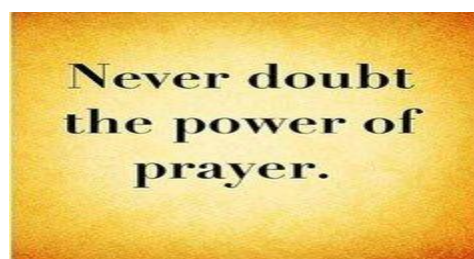


Check out the website (stmatthew-episcopal.org) for current events, prayer requests, special happenings, worship times, etc. You can also visit us on Facebook at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church.



**Prayer Chain at St. Matthew's:**

We welcome anyone interested in praying for people who request our prayers throughout the year. If you are interested in the Prayer Chain or would like to add someone to the prayer list, please contact Elaine Schlegel at 570-286-2811 or email to [elaines6@gmail.com](mailto:elaines6@gmail.com).





If you move, change your phone number(s), add a new number, change your email address or home address, please remember to fill out an "Info Request Card". Form can be found on the Choir Room table or table at back of sanctuary and can be deposited in the collection plate or you can email to [stmatthewsunbury@gmail.com](mailto:stmatthewsunbury@gmail.com)).

There's a copy of the Directory on the Choir Room table, *please look at your information to be sure it is correct as we've been getting mail back due to incorrect address*, if not, please correct it on one of the Info Forms. Thank you.

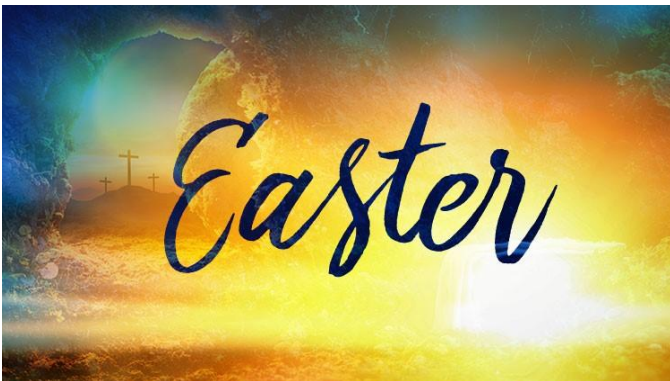
## COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Join us!



## Schedule

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED	
March 1	Justina & Mary
March 8	Fran
March 15	Mitzie K.
March 22	Cyn
March 29	Barbara Sauter
April 5	
April 12	
April 19	
April 26	



**MONTHLY BREAKFASTS ARE BACK! THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH NOW THROUGH MAY AT 9:15AM**





Remember when cleaning out clothes closets, please bag unwanted items and put in Community Aid box in back of church parking lot. The church benefits from donations when put in this Community Aid box. Thank you

**Easter Egg making – April 3-4. Order forms available throughout the church. Deadline to order is March 29. Pick up date 4/5/20 after 10:30am service.**



*Christian Stewardship is grateful and responsible use of God's gifts in the light of God's purpose as revealed in Jesus Christ. Christian stewards, empowered by the Holy Spirit, commit themselves to conscious, purposeful decisions.*

*Stewardship teaches us that all that we have and all that we are is a gift from God. We are, therefore, stewards of God's gifts during our lifetime. Discerning and carrying out God's purpose is the primary purpose of our lives. The gifts we have been given, time, talent, and money, are to be used for that purpose.*





## *Pole Allen Diaper Pantry*

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The diaper pantry continues to work with the United Way. Goal is to be able to make easier access to diapers by having other local providers to disperse.

We will still need continued donations throughout the year. The average amount of diapers given out each month ranges between 2000 and 3200. We covered 64 bottoms in January & 74 in February.

The diaper pantry is always looking for volunteers.

**Donations of wipes, pull-ups and sizes 3-6 are appreciated.**

**Upcoming Diaper Pantry Dates: Saturday, March 7 and April 4, from 10 am - 11:30 am. Volunteers welcome, we begin bagging at 9 am.** Any ideas or questions, please contact Connie Kistler at [kistinpa@ptd.net](mailto:kistinpa@ptd.net).



## **His Disciples Food Pantry**

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The Food Pantry continues to grow with more people each month.

Our supply of food has become low due to increases in requests for help and we would be thankful if our church family & friends would donate canned goods of fruit, peanut butter or jelly.

We're always very happy & thankful to accept your food donations as well as monetary gifts throughout the year.

We package our bags on the Friday before pantry around 1:30 pm. Food Pantry is the last Saturday of each month. You don't need to ask about coming to help; just come! Hope to see you there. Your continued support is so important.

We thank our parish and all others who continue to support us in this very much needed ministry. Please continue to pray for our ministry **His Disciples Food Pantry**. **The next Food Pantry will be held March 28 and April 25, 9:00-11:00 a.m.** Any questions, contact Nancy Shipman at 570-286-0430.



*You're invited to a*

***Spring Auction & Social***  
**Saturday MAY 2, 2020**  
**in our parish hall**  
**Social hour 5:30 – 6:30pm**  
**Bidding begins at 6:30!**

***Please consider donating an item such as:*** *Antiques, collectables, theme-baskets, spring & summer items, gardening items. Please bring donations to the church prior to the event.*

***AND***

*come out and enjoy the evening with great food and refreshments.*  
*Bring your friends or family!!*

*\*A \$5 donation per person taken at the door will be deducted from your auction purchase.*

*Questions? Please call Cyn 570-452-1811, or Fran 570-259-1789.*



### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

3/10 Aaron Persing  
 3/10 Nancy Shipman  
 3/12 Taylor Fazzini  
 3/14 Nancy Rohrbach  
 3/15 Brianna Kerstetter  
 3/17 Carol Blanchard  
 3/22 Mary Newcomb  
 3/30 James Jaegers

### MARCH/APRIL

NONE TO REPORT

### APRIL BIRTHDAYS

4/1 Nathan Blanchard  
 4/1 Anita Freeze  
 4/5 Fran Zartman  
 4/6 Carol Ries  
 4/7 Mary Ann Loftus  
 4/8 Olivia Sanduta  
 4/11 Terry Shipman  
 4/15 Kathy Kresen  
 4/25 Martha Bohner  
 4/25 Pete Kistler  
 4/29 Tom Culver

March 2020						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 1 <sup>ST</sup> SUN. IN LENT	2	3	4 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 6-9M	5 NO MASS YOGA 7PM	6	7 COLE ALLEN DIAPER PANTRY 10AM-11:30AM
8 2 <sup>ND</sup> SUN. IN LENT	9	10	11 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 6-9M	12 NO MASS YOGA 7PM	13	14
15 3 <sup>RD</sup> SUN. IN LENT Discretionary Env. In bulletins VESTRY MTG. 9:15	16	17	18 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 6-9M	19 NO MASS YOGA 7PM	20	21
22 4 <sup>TH</sup> SUN. IN LENT	23	24	25 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 6-9M	26 NO MASS YOGA 7PM	27	28 HIS DISCIPLES FOOD PANTRY 9AM-11AM
29 5 <sup>TH</sup> SUN. IN LENT	30	31				

April 2020						
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			1 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 6-9PM	2 NO MASS YOGA 7PM	3	4 COLE ALLEN DIAPER PANTRY 10AM-11:30AM
5  10:30 SERVICE ONLY	6	7	8	9 Maundy Service 7pm NO MASS 	10 Good Friday Service 12 noon 	11 Easter Vigil 7pm 
12  10:30 SERVICE ONLY	13	14	15	16 NO MASS YOGA 7PM	17	18
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