

Announcements for 10 June 2018

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Today

Christian Education: Today all of us meet in Rose Hall for the final Sunday School lesson this year. We will be painting kindness rocks to share in our communities.

Outside service: We will meet on the labyrinth for our 11:00 service this morning. Bring your camp chair and a side dish for the picnic afterwards. There will be children's activities for the outside as well. Ginny will have egg shakers for the children to play during the music. Dress comfortably.

Picnic: Hot dogs and hamburgers along with drinks will be provided. Suggested donations are \$1.00 per hot dog or hamburger. Please bring a side dish to share. Also, we need helpers to set up and clean up after the picnic. If you can help, show up at 10:30. Many hands will make it quick.

Parents: Each week a children's bulletin is available. You will also find assorted children's prayer books in that rack that your child is free to use during the service. Please return them to the rack after the service.

Coming Up

Summer Schedule: Next Sunday, June 17, we start our summer schedule of services at 8:00 and 10:00 AM with no Christian Education.

The EYC Adventure Park Trip is rescheduled for June 24 from 3pm-7pm. There are 15 spots available and the cost is \$30. Please let Patti know as soon as possible if you would like to attend!

Mission

Wiggly Ones help: Patti Glowatsky is looking for help with Wiggly Ones which is now being held in the Chapel. If you are interested in helping our community's little ones learn about the rhythm of our worship services in a fun and developmentally appropriate way, please contact Patti at 423-6715 or pglowatsky@ascension-norfolk.org. Wiggly Ones meets on the first and third Sundays of the month.

VBS is right around the corner and volunteers are needed! There are many different opportunities to help in big and small ways. There will be a training session on June 27 from 6-8pm and you will even get a cool t-shirt! If you are interested please contact Patti Glowatsky.

Vacation Bible School: Vacation Bible School will be held here with the help of Talbot Park Baptist July 9-13 from 9am until noon. Both participants and volunteers can register online at <https://vbapro.events/p/events/ascension-talbotpark>. Space is limited. Please let Patti Glowatsky know what VBS items (below) you can donate.

Vacation Bible School wish list (this is a new list; we have what we need from the old lists):

5 BLOW UP POOLS
5 TUG OF WAR ROPES
5 BIG BEACH BALLS
5 SMALL BEACH BALLS
10 HULA HOOPS

Info at a Glance

Thank you: Beth and I would like to thank everyone who so generously gave of their household belongings, clothing, gift cards, cash, etc. a couple of weeks ago to assist my niece Rachael and her 5 children when their home burned.

We packed the truck "to the roof", drove down to Georgia, and I want you to know that when Rachael saw me, and I told her that "All this" was from our people at church, and work, she just broke down and started to cry, because she could not believe that people who had never met her could be so caring and generous.

We have recently seen pictures and her new home is really coming together.

Thank you for your donations. It truly has made a big difference in the lives of 6 people.

With heartfelt thanks, Mel and Beth Phillips

New Wardens: The Vestry has elected Chuck Beers Junior Warden and Susan Motley Senior Warden. Thank you to Bill Willey and Susan Meredith who previously served in those positions. Thank you to Chuck and Susan for their willingness to serve as well.

Just for Fun and Fellowship

ROMEO's (Retired Old Men Eating Out) **and JULIET's** (Just Us Ladies Interested in Eating Together) **together again:** Join us on Friday, June 22, at 11:30 at Mack's Barge for food and fellowship.

And the ROMEO's will meet on Monday, June 11 at 11:30 at the Royal Garden in Ocean View Shopping Center.

Around the Diocese and Elsewhere

Talbot Park Baptist Church will host a free concert by the Virginia Children's Chorus on Monday, June 18, at 7:30 PM in the sanctuary. Join the VCC as they give us a preview of the concert that they will sing at Carnegie Hall in New York. Donations for their trip will be accepted.

Dear Friends in Southern Virginia,

Your Standing Committee is pleased to announce that we are now taking applications for the Search and Transition Committees as we call a new Bishop to lead our Diocese. (The deadline is June 15.) Please see the link below for the application. Working on these committees will involve email, so it's very important for you to submit your application electronically to susan@susangrimm.com.

Please prayerfully consider your application, and together we will seek God's will for our next Bishop of Southern Virginia.

In Christ's peace,

The Standing Committee of Southern Virginia

- The **Search and Nomination Committee** interviews and selects candidates to present to Standing Committee for nomination as the next Bishop of Southern Virginia.
- The **Transition Committee's** key responsibilities include walkabouts, assist in the election process, ordination & consecration in conjunction with the Diocesan Liturgical Commission, and pastoral care of those in the process.

Search and Transition Committees application form:

<http://images.acswebnetworks.com/1/2279/BishopSearchTransitionApplicationFILLABLEFORM.pdf>

This is a PDF form. To complete the form: (1) download the document and save it on your computer; (2) open the saved file, complete it, and save it; (3) email the saved file to susan@susangrimm.com.