

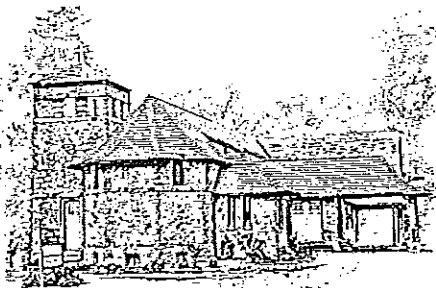
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St. James Mission Statement

We are called by God to become a growing community of hope centered in Jesus Christ for the benefit of the wider communities in which we live. We seek to bring the power of that hope to those around us by Spiritual Renewal, Service to Youth and Children, Outreach, Stewardship Education, and Congregational Growth.



St. James Episcopal Church

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Worship Services:

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Contemporary Worship
 Sunday 8:00 a.m. - Rite I
 Sunday 10:15 a.m. - Rite II

THE THREE DAYS OF EASTER

**CHRIST HAS DIED: CHRIST HAS RISEN:
 CHRIST WILL COME AGAIN**

**Maundy Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Liturgy of the Lord's Supper,
 April 2 Foot Washing, Stripping and
 Washing of the Altar**

**Good Friday: 11:45 a.m. Community Way of the Cross
 April 3 begins at Middletown Friends
 Meeting**
 1:30 p.m. Community Closing Devotions at
 Langhorne Presbyterian Church
 7:30 p.m. **The Liturgy of the Passion**

**Holy Saturday: 7:30 p.m. THE GREAT VIGIL
 April 4 First Eucharist of Easter**

NOTE: All worship is in the Church, except the Easter Vigil, which begins in the Education Building and concludes in the Church.

**Easter Day: 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rt. I
 April 5 (with hymns)**
 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rt. II Festival
 Celebration (with music)
 (Child Care)

(No Church School or Adult Forum)



Who Is Graduating?

Please advise the Parish Office, in writing, by phone, or by e-mail, of those graduating from High School, College, Technical training school, or Military training, and their future plans.



Save The Dates...

Sat., April 18th WILL BE OUR NEXT ventures to St. MARKS SOUP KITCHEN.

We meet in the St. James parking lot at 6am and car pool to St. Marks. We return about 10am.

LOOK FOR THE POSTER to sign up to help.

Chicken & Kale is on the menu for April.

Tasks include - cutting bread, set up & take down tables, serving soup, replenishing table settings, talking to the patrons.

Hoping to see you. ?? CHRIS PARKER-215-741-1279



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Article Submission Deadline Dates:

Newsletter, see weekly bulletin

For weekly bulletin announcements, articles are due by the morning of the Tuesday before.

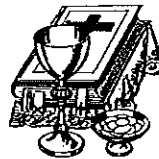
Beth Williams, Parish Administrator
Parish Office Hours:
8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Monday thru Thursday

Address for Nick Frisch in Kuwait:

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Altar Guild

The Altar Guild at St. James is a "behind the scenes" group responsible for the preparation of the church for all services; this includes weekend Eucharist, weddings, baptism & funerals



We will gather in the sacristy on Saturday, March 28th @ 9AM to prep for Easter.

I'm pleased to announce that we've had several new members join us in the past year, there's always room for more so I invite you to join us. Interested in learning more? Please call Chris Parker. (215-741-1279)

Chicken & Kale Soup

3 medium onions, chopped
3 medium carrots, chopped
4 stalks celery, chopped
2 cloves garlic, minced
3/4 lb kale, chopped
8 cups low sodium chicken broth or stock
1 1/2 lb cooked diced chicken
2x 15 oz cans cannellini or other white beans
1/2 tsp each dried oregano, basil, parsley, rosemary
1 tsp dried thyme
1 tsp black pepper
1 cup small pasta (acini de pepe, ditalini, or similar)

Sauté onions, carrots, celery, garlic, and kale in pot until onions are translucent and kale has cooked down. Add chicken broth, chicken, beans, herbs, and simmer until heated through. Add pasta and simmer until tender. Add salt or herbs to taste if needed.

Makes 12 servings.

St. James Preschool

A Christian Cooperative Program

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Providing morning classes for our

Parent Cooperative programs

Pre-K, 4 year old,

And 3 year old classes

Afternoon Enrichment Programs

4's, Pre-K, Kindergarten

FLEA MARKET THANK YOU!



Many thanks to those who helped in the setting up and operation of the St. James Flea Market on March 7th. It does take a number of people to make it happen. Unfortunately the snowy weather did not help the effort this year. However between the flea market and the basket raffle over a \$1000 was raised for the parish.

A committee is being formed to review the operation and planning of the flea market and make suggestions for improvement for next year, as well as ways of involving more people in the operation. If anyone is interested in being part of this committee please contact the parish office and leave your name.

FROM THE YOUTH GROUP

A good time was had by all at the 1st Annual Kids vs Adults Game Extravaganza.

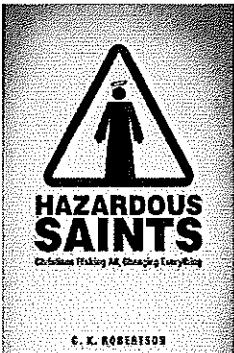
Final Score: Kids 66, Adults 60.

See the Trophy in the church library and plan to join us next year.

Thank you all for coming out!



NEXT ADULT FORUM: HAZARDOUS SAINTS



The next Adult Forum series will begin on Sunday, April 19 at 9 am with a 6-week DVD series titled "Hazardous Saints: Christians Risking All, Changing Everything." Each of the individuals examined - Barnabas, Francis of Assisi, Thomas Cranmer, Sojourner Truth, Dorothy Day, and Oscar Romero were change agents in their time. This study helps us consider how we, too, can reflect the love of Christ in creative and intentional ways. It is narrated by the Rev. Dr. C. K. Robertson, and Episcopal Priest who serves as Canon to the Presiding Bishop and Distinguished Visiting Professor at the General Theological Seminary. We meet in the Parish Library. All are welcome, whether for one session or all six.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Save the date: July 6 - 10, 2015 will be the week of fun-filled Vacation Bible School activities from 9 am to noon. We are recruiting teachers and helpers now - see Rev. Kelley for more details.



ANNUAL MEETING - MAY 3

Our parish annual meeting is Sunday, May 3 at 11:45 a.m. A light lunch will be provided. At that time we will be electing new members to the Vestry and Deanery/Diocesan delegates. If you are interested in running for election or wish to nominate someone, please see Rev. Kelley, Chris Parker (Rector's Warden) or any member of the Vestry for further information.

