



The Reverend David Killian is our Celebrant and preacher at the 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Service, Rite II, this Sunday, September 8th. Child Care will be provided.

## THIS WEEK

Sunday, September 8

- 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II
- 5:00 pm OA Group Meeting (DiMauro Hall)

Monday, September 9

- 6:30-8:30 pm EfM Meeting (Loring Room)
- 7:00 pm Bowen Parent Orientation (Lower Hall)

Tuesday, September 10

- 9 am-4:30 pm Newton Watercolor Society (DiMauro Hall)

Wednesday, September 11

- 9 am-4:30 pm Newton Watercolor Society (DiMauro Hall)
- 7:30-9 pm Boundless Way Zen (DiMauro Hall)

Thursday, September 12

- 9 am-4:30 pm Newton Watercolor Society (DiMauro Hall)
- 4:45-7 pm Red Fire Farm CSA (DiMauro Hall)
- 7:30-9 pm Choir Rehearsal (DiMauro Hall)

Friday, September 13

- 9 am-4:30 pm Newton Watercolor Society (DiMauro Hall)

Saturday, September 14

- 5:30-7:30 pm Bowen Back-to-School Picnic

Sunday, September 15

- 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
*Potluck Luncheon*
- 5:00 pm OA Group Meeting (DiMauro Hall)

Please invite a neighbor, friend, or colleague to join you for worship at Saint John's.

If you have any announcements for this bulletin, please contact Josh Caudill ([admin@saintjohnschurch.com](mailto:admin@saintjohnschurch.com))

For additional news and more information: [saintjohnschurch.com](http://saintjohnschurch.com)

Parish Office Hours  
Tuesday - Thursday: 8am-2pm

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## PARTICIPANTS IN THIS SUNDAY'S SERVICE

Eucharistic Minister: Tim Strayer - Philemon 1-21  
Lector: Carmen Pancerella  
- Deuteronomy 30:15-20  
Gospel Reading: Luke 14:25-33  
Acolyte: Toby Gilpin  
Altar Guild: Bryn Wood  
Ushers: Nancy Bowler-Goeselt & Tom Wood  
Coffee Hour: Bowler-Goeselt Family  
Collections: Kate Reeder

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### Farewell to Bridge Priest and "Backpack Sunday" Sept 8

At the 10:00 am Holy Eucharist and during the social hour we bid farewell and thank you to the Rev. Dr. David A. Killian, who has served as our Bridge Priest since February. We thank him for being our pastor and spiritual guide working with our Vestry and lay leaders to prepare the transition to a Priest in Charge. Also, during today's service we will encourage young and old to bring their backpacks or work bags to receive a blessing and small gift as we all enter the new season/school year. Email Nicky Chapman (nutternicky@hotmail.com) with the name of your college students who are away so they can be included.

### Welcome to new Priest in Charge and Homecoming Sunday on September 15

Please join us for the 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist on September 15 as we welcome our new Priest in Charge, the Rev. Eric Litman, and welcome back the Choir. Potluck to follow the worship service.

### St. John's Bulletin Board

The bulletin board in the hallway leading to DiMauro Hall is getting a fresh new look! We are transforming the board into a space to share all the wonderful things happening at St. John's. If you would like a section for your group to post announcements, pictures, or updates, please reach out to Kate Reeder at katherine.reeder@gmail.com or Josh Caudill at admin@saintjohnschurch.com.

### Thank you!

Thank you to Alec Schoeck for his great work as chef, to Kate Reeder for donating the new grill, and to all who brought food, helped set up and take down the tables and chairs at last Sunday's fabulous outdoor barbeque. Very enjoyable!

### Church School at St. John's:

Church school, for school aged children, will now begin on September 22, allowing us all to participate in welcoming our new Priest in Charge in church on September 15. If you would like to register for church school, have questions and/or are willing to volunteer, please contact Jan Gilpin (churchschool@saintjohnschurch.com). Childcare is provided for young children not attending Church School.

### Church School September Schedule:

Sept. 8: "Backpack Sunday" 10am  
Sept. 15: Welcoming our new Priest-in-charge 10am  
Sept. 22: First week of church school 10am  
Sept. 29: Cakes & Cookies for the Cathedral, 10am

### Request for Info on St. John's Youth

With the start of the new school year we are hoping to collect a little information on the youth members of our church and where their interests lie. If your family has members who are 21 or under, please take a moment to fill out [this form](#) to aid us in our planning and to help us connect the youth members of our church.

### Request for Articles for *The Eagle*

Please send articles and announcements for the fall edition of *The Eagle*, St. John's quarterly newsletter, to Bryn Wood bryn.wood@comcast.net by Monday, September 9. Please let Bryn know if you have any questions about the Eagle.

### St. John's Book Group

The St John's Book Group will have their first monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 17th at 7:30 pm. We meet in the Loring Room, and we will be discussing our summer selection, "Pachinko" and author, Min Jin Lee. We would love to see some new faces in our group. Please come and join us and bring a friend! Maybe you've read some interesting books over the summer that you'd like to talk about, and possibly recommend for our October gathering! Contact Paula DiMauro (paularuthd@aol.com).

### To keep in our prayers

...remembering especially Rev. Robert Hammett, Sally Hammett, Edwin Matuzek, Devon Merrick, Diane Joyce, Joan Schmid, Sara Winslow Adams, Phyllis Dumas, Margaret Fitzgerald, Cathy Gallant, Philip Lanyon, Hank Ullman, Ann Olson, Suzanne Seckel Rodkey & Grant Rodkey, Betsy, Peggy Mills, Nick, Alyssa, Tom Rieley, Gus Romero, Karen Medin, Lee Barstow, Judy Stanton, Phoebe, Barbara, Gary Ruppert, Peter, Richard, Charlotte, Peter, Nathaniel, and Karen Harris.