

# PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, June 9, 2019

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

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Summer Worship Schedule: Services will continue at 8am and 10am in June and July. We will move to one service at 9am beginning August 4<sup>th</sup> to September 1<sup>st</sup>.

## K – grade 4: Fun Summer Activities!

**6 Summer Fun 1/2 Days, 2 locations: *Explore the world God has made!***

9:00-Noon, vegan snack, cost = donation

Week 1: **July 8, 9, 10**, at St Paul's, Newburyport, focuses on planets & stars;

Week 2: **July 15, 16, 17**, at St James, is all about plants, animals & the sea!

**Contact** Linda Siess if you're interested, or register now.

Youngsters from both parishes are invited to both churches, to enjoy these two weeks of fun!

## Summer Camp at Barbara C. Harris Camp & Conference Center:

How will your children spend their summer? How about hiking, boating, campfires, swimming, learning, archery, arts & crafts, worship, challenge course, dance, theater, music, camping, and so much more with other youth in the Diocese?

Registration is open for Summer Camp at Barbara C. Harris Camp & Conference Center. And be sure to check out the revamped programs for senior campers--Leadership Base; Sports Base, and Outdoor Base. Remember that the sooner you register, the more likely you will get the schedule you want! Scholarship support is available. To register or see more information, visit the website at <http://www.bchcenter.org/bchcamp>.

Our Neighbors' Table: We are collecting non-perishable foods and drinks for the summer months ahead for Our Neighbors' Table. Personal items are always in need. Items may be left in the basket at the back of the church.

June Vestry Meeting: The St. James' Vestry will meet on June 12th (the second Wednesday) at 7:00pm in Fr. John's office. All are welcome to come and observe our Vestry in action.

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**A St. James Outreach Initiative**  
**Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Fast approaching! Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**A St. James Outreach Collaborative with Habitat for Humanity**

Come join St James on Saturday June 22<sup>nd</sup> to lend a hand for Habitat for Humanity. This outreach opportunity is for a build day at a site in Salisbury.

Can you help? **Please sign up today!** The sign-up sheet is in the Parish Hall. We need to let them know within a few weeks how many volunteers will be participating. Details are as follows.

A standard work day (helping hands) begins with registration from 8:15-8:30, then work is assigned. Lunch begins at 12pm. After lunch (1:00pm) work resumes until 3:30, then clean from 3:30-4pm.

- Bring snacks and water with you.
- Be prepared to work outdoors, as we will be working outdoors
- Be prepared to work rain or shine.
- Bring a hat and work gloves if you have them.
- Wear boots or sneakers – no-open toed sandals or shoes.
- Safety equipment and tools will be provided, as will training for whatever task you do.

Although Habitat for Humanity builds homes, please be aware that tasks can change and/or be limited due to weather or the stage of the construction. At times, the required work may be unskilled but necessary. Volunteers between the age of 16-18 must be accompanied by an adult (21+ years old). No one under the age of 16 is allowed on the active build-site. If you have questions, please contact the office.

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Seize your summer with  
**ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH!**

We're here to support you in service to all people,  
 our communities, environment and the world.  
*That's how we serve God – through service to one another.*  
 And you don't need to be a believer to be a helper.

What do you envision? How can we help?

**What are some of the things I could do at St. James this summer?**

† Help lead one or two weeks of ½ day summer camp at St. James and St. Paul's, Newburyport in July. Help with planning now!	† Work with others on our Building & Grounds, keeping everything working well and looking great.
† Join us at Habitat for Humanity building this summer! Sign up today.	† Brainstorm ways, big and small, to make the world a better, safer, cleaner and more excellent place: dreaming and doing, with the support of people who respect you! <i>Let us help you be a change for the good!</i>

**Youth will earn community service hours!**

Email me, Linda Davis Siess at [stjames.christianeducation@gmail.com](mailto:stjames.christianeducation@gmail.com) to start a conversation. I look forward to hearing from you!

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