MONTHLY MEETINGS

THIS WEEK AT GRACE February 26– March 5, 2017

Please also check the website, display tables, and bulletin board for more information about other activities in which you might want to participate.

Communications

Last Tuesday, 6:30 pm

Finance Committee

Friday before Vestry, 7:00pm

Garden Committee

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Grace Church Choir

Wednesdays,

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Grace's Kitchen

Last five days of the month (excluding Sundays) 11:30 am-1:00 pm

Healing Service

3rd Sunday after Eucharist

Health Ministry

2nd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Investment Committee

2nd Monday of March, June, September & December

Men's Guild

3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Starfish Food Collection

1st Sunday

Stewardship

1st Monday, 7:30 pm

Vestry

3rd Wednesday, 7:30pm

Women of Grace

3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Worship Commission

1st Sunday, 12:30 pm



SUNDAY, MARCH 5— FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

STARFISH FOOD COLLECTION

RECOGNITION OF MARCH BIRTHDAYS

8:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite 1, All Saints Chapel
10:00 am	Lighthouse Chapel International, All Saints Chapel
10:30 am	Choral Holy Eucharist Rite II, Church
12:15 pm	Worship Commission, Rector's Office
12:15 pm	Garden of Grace Committee, Grace's Lounge
4:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Friendship World Outreach, All Saints Chapel &

Grace Lounge

Monday, March 6

7:00 pm - 8:15 pm ESL Classes

7:30 pm Stewardship Commission, *Grace Meeting Room*

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm AA, *Knickle Hall*

Wednesday, March 8

7:00 pm - 8:15 pm ESL Classes

7:00 pm -7:30 pm Soup Dinner, St. Andrew's Church,

New Providence

7:30 pm - 8:30 pm ChurchNext Speaking Our Faith, St. Andrew's

Church, New Providence

Friday, March 10

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross, *Church*

SUNDAY, MARCH 12— SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite 1, *All Saints Chapel*

10:00 am Lighthouse Chapel International, All Saints Chapel

10:30 am Choral Holy Eucharist Rite II, *Church*

12:15 pm Health Ministry, *Grace Lounge*

4:00 pm - 9:00 pm Friendship World Outreach, All Saints Chapel &

Grace Lounge

Next Sunday's Readings: Second Sunday in Lent

First Lesson: Genesis 12:1-4a Psalm 121

Second Lesson: Romans 4:1-5, 13-17 **Gospel**: John 3:1-17

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please take this bulletin home since it has some important information about upcoming events

- Please pick up one of the special Lenten Offering cards on the table at the back of the church.
- Please consider making a donation to Grace's Kitchen, our community outreach program that helps feed needy, hungry people in our neighborhood. If you can contribute, please complete the form found at the back of the church or on the table outside of Knickle Hall and put it and your donation into the attached envelope and place it in the Sunday collection basket. You can also send your donation by mail to Grace's Kitchen, 600 Cleveland Avenue, Plainfield, NJ 07060. Please make out all checks to Grace's Kitchen. Your donation is tax deductible.
- The Garden of Grace Committee meets today in Grace Lounge after the 10:30 Eucharist. Anyone interested in joining, please attend this meeting or contact Deacon Ted Moore at tmoore12@comcast.net or Barbara Nichols at tbmee@aol.com.
- The Worship Commission meets today in the Rector's Office after the 10:30 Eucharist...
- If you are interested in being trained to serve as an Acolyte, Lector, or Lay Eucharistic Minister (LEM), please contact Deacon Ted Moore at tmoore12@comcast.net or Karen Moore at kfomoore@comcast.net.
- The 2017 Sanctuary Candle Chart is on the wall by the Parish Office. If you would like to give a Sanctuary Candle, please write your name and the name of the one to be memorialized in the appropriate space. The candle will burn for the week in memory of your loved one. Suggested donation for the sanctuary candle is \$10.
- The 2017 Flower Chart is on the wall by the Parish Office. If you would like to dedicate flowers, pick an open date and write your name and the name of the one to be memorialized in the appropriate space. The office will confirm with you the week before. The cost of altar flowers is \$50.

FRIDAYS
DURING
LENT



7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

St. Andrew's Church invites you



to ChurchNext's "Speaking our Faith"

A five-session, video-based discussion group during Lent

March 8: Why is it hard to talk about faith?

March 15: How do you know what you know?

March 22: Who is the God that you know?

March 29: Faith in action.

April 5: This I believe.

7:00 pm Soup Dinner

7:30 pm - 8:30 pm Discussion

419 South Street, New Providence NJ

HOLY WEEK AT GRACE



SUNDAY OF THE PASSION: PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 9

8:00 am: Eucharist Rite I

10:30 am: Choral Eucharist with Procession of the Palms





MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 13

7:30 pm: Solemn Eucharist with Foot Washing

9:00 pm: The Watch in the Garden

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 14
St. Mark's Church, 1340 Park Avenue, Plainfield

Noon: Stations of the Cross and The Service of Good Friday with The Veneration of the Cross & Holy Communion

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 15
7:30 pm: The Great Vigil of Easter

EASTER SUNDAY, April 16 8:00 am: Eucharist Rite I

10:30am: Festive Choral Eucharist





¢ents Bargain Clothes for Kids



600 Cleveland Avenue, lower level (corner of Sixth Street) 9 a.m. to noon every Saturday

Check out ¢ents Bargain Clothes for Kids, a new thrift shop selling new and gently used children's dresses, pants, sweaters, sneakers, shoes, coats and other clothing.

For more information, call Joyce Smith at 908 756-7897

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Wardens

Lawrence Ishmael (2017), Jason Algeo (2018)

Vestry

Carol Taitt (2017), Timothy Mann (2017), Conrad Roberts (2017) Brenda Loncke (2018), Winsley Rudder (2018), Selma Cato (2018) Trevor Forbes (2019), *Clerk*; Ivor Blair (2019); Amanda Garcia (2019)

Convention Delegates (2017)

Ken and Victoria Blenman, Gloria King

Alternate Delegates (2017)

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