



St. George's
Episcopal
Church

The Third Sunday of
Easter
April 18, 2021

9 am Holy Eucharist Rite II

You are welcome at
St. George's Church:
Regardless of race,
nationality,
sexual orientation,
gender expression,
or tradition.

April 18, 2021

The mission of the Church is to restore all people to unity with God and each other in Christ.
- Book of Common Prayer, pg. 855

Welcome to St. George's!

Whether you are worshiping online or in person, we are glad you are here.

Connect with Us

During this time of staying apart, we are finding new ways to connect. If you'd like to find out more about St. George's, please fill out an online Newcomer Card on our website at: bit.ly/stgnewcomer.

To stay up-to-date on the latest news and events, sign up for our weekly e-newsletter, The St. Georgian: bit.ly/stgnews.

Request Prayer

We share in each other's joys and concerns. Send us your prayer requests at: bit.ly/stgprayer.

Giving

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Your generous gifts help fund our ministries and serve the community. Thank you. You can make a one-time or recurring gift electronically or text to give (send a text message with the dollar amount [e.g. \$50] to: 540.701.4133). You can also mail a check to the church office. For assistance, contact Business Manager [Ben Hicks](#).

Your Gifts at Work

Recently, your gifts to St. George's have helped us to:

- Share Easter joy with children and their families during our distanced egg hunt
- Offer a funeral service in-person and online
- Reach hundreds of people through our Holy Week and Easter services online and in person.

These and many other ministries happen because of your generosity. Thank you!



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Formation for All Ages

**“Make me to know your ways,
O Lord; teach me your paths.”
Psalm 25:4**

Learning and Growing in Christ

No matter where you are on your faith journey, there's a place for you here.

We offer a number of faith formation opportunities for all ages. You are invited to visit or join at any time.

Please note that our worship schedule changes next week. The updated schedule is included later in the bulletin.

Children Formation Videos:

<http://bit.ly/stgchildrenvideos>

For Youth Ministry offerings, please contact Hecti Musa (hecti.musa@stgeorgesepiscopal.net).

What Are You Looking For?

We'd love to get to know you and to hear your story. Contact the church office (office@stgeorgesepiscopal.net).

Worship Schedule:

Sundays:

9 am: This livestream service features liturgies from the *Book of Common Prayer* and *Enriching Our Worship*. It premieres on YouTube Live at 9 am and is posted on Facebook after the service ends.

10 am: In preparation for Presiding Bishop Curry's visit with St. George's at the end of this month, join us to reflect on his latest book, 'Love is the Way: Holding on to Hope in Troubling Times', a memoir and testimony to the power of Divine love in our world. This is part 1 of a two-part series.

www.zoom.us/join or call

929.205.6099

Webinar ID: 392 738 239

Password: 107758

11 am: Virtual Coffee Hour (same login as Adult Forum)

Distribution of Holy Communion in the narthex for those who have participated in the online service. The church will also be open for private prayer.

5:30 pm: 3rd Sundays Celtic Evensong. It premieres on YouTube Live and is posted on Facebook after the service ends.

8 pm: Sung Compline on Facebook Live via our [Compline Facebook page](#).

Wednesdays:

Noon Prayer via [Facebook Live](#)

The Third Sunday of Easter April 18, 2021

from the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP), and *Enriching Our Worship*, supplemental liturgical materials approved by the Episcopal Church.

We invite you to prepare for worship by observing silence or taking time for private prayer.

Greeting and Welcome

Prelude

Opening Hymn 208: "The strife is o'er"
sung by the choir

Victory

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

**1. The strife is o'er, the battle done,
the victory of life is won;
the song of triumph has begun.
Alleluia!**

**2. The powers of death have done their
worst,
but Christ their legions hath dispersed:
let shout of holy joy outburst.
Alleluia!**

**3. The three sad days are quickly sped,
he rises glorious from the dead:
all glory to our risen Head!
Alleluia!**

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: Christ is risen indeed. **Alleluia.**

The Celebrant says

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**4. He closed the yawning gates of hell,
the bars from heaven's high portals fell;
let hymns of praise his triumphs tell!
Alleluia!**

**5. Lord! by the stripes which wounded
thee,
from death's dread sting thy servants free,
that we may live and sing to thee.
Alleluia!**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Hymn 191 (St. 1): Alleluia, alleluia!

Lux Eoi

sung by the choir

Alleluia, alleluia!

Hearts and voices heavenward raise:

sing to God a hymn of gladness,

sing to God a hymn of praise.

He, who on the cross a victim,

for the world's salvation bled,

Jesus Christ, the King of Glory,

now is risen from the dead.

The Word of God

Celebrant: God be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Celebrant says the Collect of the Day

BCP 224

O God, whose blessed Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Acts 3:12 - 19

Common English Bible (CEB)

Seeing this, Peter addressed the people: "You Israelites, why are you amazed at this? Why are you staring at us as if we made him walk by our own power or piety? The God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob—the God of our ancestors—has glorified his servant Jesus. This is the one you handed over and denied in Pilate's presence, even though he had already decided to release him. You rejected the holy and righteous one, and asked that a murderer be released to you instead. You killed the author of life, the very one whom God raised from the dead. We are witnesses of this. His name itself has made this man strong. That is, because of faith in Jesus' name, God has strengthened this man whom you see and know. The faith that comes through Jesus gave him complete health right before your eyes. "Brothers and sisters, I know you acted in ignorance. So did your rulers. But this is how God fulfilled what he foretold through all the prophets: that his Christ would suffer. Change your hearts and lives! Turn back to God so that your sins may be wiped away.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's People.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Alleluia 205 (st. 1): "Good Christians all, rejoice and sing" *Gelobt sei Gott sung by the choir*

**Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!
Now is the triumph of our King!
To all the world glad news we bring:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke 24:36b - 48

People: Glory to you, O Christ.

Common English Bible (CEB)

While they were saying these things, Jesus himself stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" They were terrified and afraid. They thought they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, "Why are you startled? Why are doubts arising in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet. It's really me! Touch me and see, for a ghost doesn't have flesh and bones like you see I have." As he said this, he showed them his hands and feet. Because they were wondering and questioning in the midst of their happiness, he said to them, "Do you have anything to eat?" They gave him a piece of baked fish. Taking it, he ate it in front of them. Jesus said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the Law from Moses, the Prophets, and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures. He said to them, "This is what is written: the Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, and a change of heart and life for the forgiveness of sins must be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.

Deacon or Priest: The Gospel of our Savior.

People: Praise to you, O Christ.

The Homily

The Rev. Joseph H. Hensley, Jr.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

That we might become the Gospel we proclaim, and trusting in God's steadfast love throughout this joyful Easter season, let us pray to God as we say, "And we put our trust in You."

For all followers of Christ in every land and nation, for Anglicans around the globe, and for those who seek after God but have not yet been found. That in our words, worship, and work, we will honor the covenant of baptism, we pray to you, O God:

And we put our trust in You.

Faithful God, we lift up Michael, our presiding bishop, Susan, Jennifer, and Porter, our bishops, our clergy and lay leaders, and all the people of St. George's. That the Alleluias of Easter may bring a resurrection of faith in our Church, we pray to you, O God:

And we put our trust in You.

For the nations and peoples of the earth, especially our own, and for all who struggle with attraction to control, wealth, and power. That we may become signs and instruments of the Kingdom where all are free, we pray to you, O God:

And we put our trust in You.

For all who yearn to feast, all who seek someone to roll away the stone, all who have no home but the Kingdom to come. For those sick and suffering in the pandemic, and for those who are alone, and for all others on our hearts, silently or aloud. *Silence*

And we put our trust in You.

God our promised land, in whom all peoples may find a home, we bless you for the Patawomek and Manahoac people who first knew this land on which our church sits. That we may learn to share this earth, which belongs only to You, and to sit at the feet of our elders, we pray to you, O God:

And we put our trust in You.

God who gives life to the dead and calls into existence things that do not exist, we pray for those who have died, and those who out of Christ's death and resurrection have been reborn in baptism, that your will for all may be fulfilled. That angels may lead all our beloved into the light of paradise, we pray to you, O God:

And we put our trust in You.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect

Celebrant: Grant, we pray, Almighty God, that we who celebrate with awe the Pascal feast may be found worthy to attain to everlasting joys. Accept the prayers of your people and breathe new life into us as we seek to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Confession

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of Christ be always with you.

People: And also with you.

All are now invited to exchange a sign of peace with a wave or bow.

Announcements

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. We invite you to share your gifts in support of our ministry within and beyond our congregation. You may place your gift in the offering plate. You can also give online (bit.ly/stggive) or text to give (send a text message with the dollar amount [e.g. \$50] to: 540.701.4133).

Offertory Anthem: Instrumental Music

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer A)

BCP 361

Celebrant: God be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth:

The Celebrant proceeds using a Preface of Easter

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus S129

Robert Powell

sung by the choir

Holy, holy, holy Lord,

God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and maker of all.

Jesus stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through Jesus Christ our Savior. By him and with him and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours Almighty God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Celebrant: As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem S154

David Hurd

sung by the choir

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
therefore let us keep the feast.**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Invitation to Communion

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

and may add

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All: Faithful God, in the wonder of your wisdom and love, you fed your people in the wilderness with the bread of angels and you sent Jesus to be the bread of life. Though we cannot consume these gifts of bread and wine together, we thank you that we have received Christ's presence, the forgiveness of sins, and all other benefits of Christ's passion and resurrection. By the power of the Holy Spirit, may we embody your love, be renewed for your service, and be reflections of the awakened and risen Lord. Amen.

The Post-communion prayer

BCP 365

Eternal God, you have graciously accepted us as living members of our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Savior. Amen.

A Blessing for Easter

May the God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Savior Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, make you perfect in every good work to do the will of God; and the blessing of the one, holy and undivided Trinity, the author of creation, the bearer of salvation, and the advocate of life, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Dismissal Hymn 193: "That Easter Day with joy was bright"

Puer Nobis

sung by the choir

1 That Easter day with joy as bright;
the sun shone out with fairer light,
when, to their longing eyes restored,
th'apostles saw their risen Lord.

4 O Lord of all with us abide
in this our joyful Eastertide;
from every weapon death can wield
thin own redeemed for ever shield.

2 His risen flesh with radiance glowed;
his wounded hands and feet he showed;
those scars their solemn witness gave
that Christ was risen from the grave.

5 All praise, O risen Lord,
we give to thee, who, dead again dost live;
to God the Father equal praise,
and God the Holy Ghost, we raise.

3 O Jesus, King of gentleness,
do thou thyself our hearts possess
that we may give thee all our days
the willing tribute of our praise.

The Dismissal

The congregation responds **Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Postlude

Announcements

For details on these events
and more visit
stgeorgesepiscopal.net

Reopening The Table

We are so happy to announce that, as of May 4th, The Table will be back in person. We will gather in Market Square for one session each Tuesday 12 pm – 2 pm. If you've been missing volunteering and missing our shoppers, [please fill out this survey](#).

Avis Harris ECW to meet on April 28

The Avis Harris ECW meets Wednesday, April 28 at 7 pm via Zoom. We invite current and prospective members to join in for a fun presentation on decluttering and downsizing by Mike D'Ostilio from the AARP Speakers Bureau. ECW membership is open to women of all ages, and we look forward to welcoming new members. Join the [Zoom meeting via the link](#): Meeting ID: 836 5735 5799, Passcode: 233316. Or dial in using +1 301 715 8592. For inquiries, contact Vicki Lewis at vlewis007@verizon.net.

Bible Study

Join us for an engaging 6-week bible study on the Gospel of Mark with the Rev. David Casey. Mark invites us to explore themes of grace, suffering, judgment and more! We'll meet on Mondays for 1 hour either online (zoom meeting id: 452 387 1016) or in person on the picnic tables at 820 College Ave (the campus ministry house) at 6 pm starting on April 19 (ending May 24). For more information, please contact [David](#).

300th Anniversary

On April 30 and May 1, we will celebrate the anniversary when St. George's parish was officially established. We will welcome the Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, the Most Rev. Michael B. Curry for two events. On April 30, from 7 - 8:30 pm, we will gather on Zoom for an interactive conversation with the Presiding Bishop. [Register here](#). On May 1, at 11:00 a.m. we will unveil the new National Register of Historic Places plaque outside the church with a proclamation from the Mayor. We are postponing our commemoration Eucharist until a time when we can gather more fully in-person.

St. George's Preschool's Spring Scholarship Fundraiser

Please join us in supporting our little Dragons' scholarship fund by sponsoring our flower garden this year. Our preschool families, both current and alumni, are busy creating art flowers for us to turn into an art collage. Large flowers can be sponsored for \$100, small flowers for \$25 and leaves for \$10. Our fundraiser will run through April 20 and donations can be made to St. George's Preschool by check mailed to St. George's Episcopal Church, PO Box 7127, Fredericksburg, VA 22401 or online. All proceeds will benefit the preschool's scholarship fund. For more information and to take a virtual tour of our preschool, please visit <https://sgpreschool.wordpress.com>.

Worship Schedule Changes

For updates and details visit
stgeorgesepiscopal.net

We are pleased to share our updated worship schedule with you. We look forward to safely gathering for worship and fellowship as a parish family, gradually implementing our regathering plan, approved by the Diocese.

Our permission to gather indoors is still contingent on COVID case numbers staying below 25 new daily cases per 100k people (rolling 7-day average) in our area (Fredericksburg, Stafford, Spotsylvania). Each Thursday, we will check the latest data and cancel in-person worship if needed for that Sunday, notifying everyone who has registered. We will still have our livestream worship and distribution of communion from the narthex from 11 am - 12 pm.

April 18:

9 am: Rite II with Holy Communion - Worship in-person in our Nave. The service will also be livestreamed via [YouTube Live](#). [Reserve seats here](#).

10 am: Adult Formation via Zoom: www.zoom.us/join or call 929.205.6099
Webinar ID: 392 738 239; Password: 107758

11 am: Virtual Coffee Hour (same Zoom login as adult formation)

11 am - 12 pm: Distribution of Communion in the narthex for those who have participated in the prior online service.

5:30 pm: Celtic Evensong with Holy Communion in-person in our Nave. The service will also be livestreamed via [YouTube Live](#). [Reserve seats here](#).

April 25: Our Spring-Summer Schedule Begins!

7:45 am: Rite I with Holy Communion - Worship in-person in our Nave. [Reserve seats here](#).

9 am: Adult Formation via Zoom: www.zoom.us/join or call 929.205.6099
Webinar ID: 392 738 239; Password: 107758

10 am: Rite II with Holy Communion - Worship in-person in our Nave. The service will also be livestreamed via [YouTube Live](#). [Reserve seats here](#).

11 am: Virtual Coffee Hour (same Zoom login as adult formation)

11 am - 12 pm: Distribution of Communion in the narthex for those who have participated in the prior online service.

Our Celtic Evensong will be offered on the 3rd Sunday of the month at 5:30 pm.
[Reserve seats here](#).

St. George's Prayer List

"Prayer is powerful"
James 5:16

Regarding the Prayer List: We strive to extend the power of the congregation's prayer to those who feel they would benefit from its embrace. Please submit prayer requests in writing. New additions this week are in italics. For rehabilitation, concerns, and grace and assistance lists, we keep a name on the list for 1 month, unless asked to do otherwise. If a name is removed that should still be on, please contact the church office to have their name returned to the list.

Pray for our leadership:

For our bishops, Justin, Michael, Susan, Porter, and Jennifer; for Joe, Areeta, Will and David our clergy; for those who are priests and pastors in our community; for our staff—John, Ben, Jan, Nicholas, Amy, Danielle, Lisa, Achim, Hecti, Laurel, Barbara, Emily, and Riley; and for our Vestry.

Pray for those expecting babies:

Andrea Wilkins and Thomas Cunningham, daughter of Marsha Wilkins; Katie and Eamonn Sheil, daughter of Mary and Bob Ryan; Philip and Peyton Carter, son of Bob and Laurie Carter; Michael and Lucy Monte; Emily and Colin Walthall, daughter of Mark and Joyce Steele; Nicholas and Brianna Gregory; Jenny Neff-Norman and Matt Norman.

Pray for those recently died:

Annie Maliszewski Hall, Tom Pugh, Sally Thomson, mother of Holly Clark, Ezzen Naqvi, Montgomery Cox, Geordie Beddoe, Margaret Freeman.

Pray for All who are affected during the COVID-19 pandemic, including:

All those sick with the novel corona virus and their loved ones, those who have died, health workers and chaplains, undertakers, food workers, internet service workers, educators, social service providers, families at home adjusting to new routines and roles, homeless neighbors with nowhere to shelter, government and community leaders, all who are out of work, and so many others.

Pray for healthcare workers and first responders:

Dr. Betsy Schinstock, Dr. Heather Masters, Cameron Simmons, Elizabeth Anderson, Morgan Ellis, Leilani Blose, John Gleason, Brad Houck, Jeffrey French, Susan Larson, Randi Thompson, Robin Rose, Zach Rose, Suzanne Simmons, William McNitt, Heidi Taft, Charlotte Martin, Philip Pendleton, Dr. John Chinault, Dr. Mark Macedon, Dr. Jeniffer Huhn, Dr. Joe Lee, Amy Bogardus, Kristen Brandford, Dr. Matthew Whitehurst, Trish Stenger, Cindy Hales Tyler.

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Pray for those serving our country overseas:

Ian Patrick Hume, Andrew Rodriguez, Robert BP Thompson, Jr.

Pray for homebound parishioners:

Bill Poole, Judy Barton, Betty Stephens, All persons in care facilities who cannot receive visitors right now, Anne Brooks Brauer.

Pray for those in rehabilitation or in convalescence:

Al Sharp, Kathleen Pool, Dottie Davis, Barbara Willis, Rev. Anthony Parrish, Cary Montague, Deloris Smith, Marion Zimmerman, Jean Jarosz, Judy Thomson, Bob Bratton, JimBob Brown, Jennifer Cornell, Margaret Freeman, Donald Wykoff, Cayce Boyles, Dori Eglevsky, Hurley Bogardus, Cynthia Ferguson, *Cayce Boyles*.

Pray for those with ongoing concerns:

Arya Holmes, Molly Myers, Wayne and Dot Morris, Scott Boyd, Paris Swisher, Pam Allen, Just Thompson.

Pray for those who need God's grace and assistance:

Neda Beal, Susan, Arrington Mixon, Dick Roth, Frances O'Connor, Sarah Joseph, Rivers Family, Heather Bigwood, Noel Ljubicic, Lovely George, Annemarie Fitzpatrick Mulholland, Terry, Archie, and Hugh Hall, Sheila Wyly, Tom Thompson, Tom Rotella, *Jenn Funes, Nancy Wood, Charles Wood, Nell Childs*.

Pray for those in discernment: Kris Boyd.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for: St. Mark's, Richmond, St. Patrick's, Falls Church.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for: The Church of Ireland

Pray for: Our Little Roses (Honduras); Notre Dame Parish and School (Port-au-Prince, Haiti), Père Frantz Cole; Red Door Young Adult Ministry; SAWS Virginia; Rev. Ōshin Jennings, No Barriers Zen Temple; Micah Ecumenical Ministries (our work to do justice, love, mercy, and walk humbly with our God along with other congregations in Fredericksburg).

Pray for: St. George's Preschool.

Pray for: Stephen Ministers, St. George's lay pastoral care visitors, and their ministry of spiritual and emotional support for others in the congregation.

Pray for our Diocese: On Saturday, April 24, representatives from all congregations in the diocese, including St. George's, will gather for a special convention on Zoom pass a budget to fund Diocesan ministries. Please pray for God's wisdom and guidance.

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