



THE CATHEDRAL CHIMES

The Monthly Newsletter of the Cathedral of Saint John the Evangelist

Empty Bowls

Raising a secure neighborhood, one bowl at a time



Saturday, November 4
St. John's Cathedral
6pm

Please join a conversation with Dr. Kent Hoffman at our annual soup supper. Dr. Kent Hoffman—who has recently co-authored a new book *Raising a Secure Child*—together with the Rev. Cn. Karen Schomburg, will facilitate a lively conversation on generational poverty and helping families in West Central Spokane, whatever their circumstances. West Central Episcopal Mission serves Spokane's West Central neighborhood, but Hoffman's insights apply to all communities, all families. This fundraiser will support the Dinner Table ministry throughout 2018.

When: November 4 at 6pm
Doors open at 5:30pm

What: Homemade Soup, bread and dessert with No-Host wine bar and non-alcoholic beverages

Where: St. John's Cathedral, Great Hall

For tickets, reserving a table or additional information, contact Ann Harder: annharder@gmail.com, 994-8938 or Debra Park: debrapark05@comcast.net, 443-6395

Seating will be limited. Order your ticket early!

Campaign Continues

By Russell Werkman

As you know, we kicked off an endowment campaign in honor of Bill and Beth Ellis's service to the Cathedral. We are moving forward with some updates to the eponymously named Ellis Conference Room and have raised over \$50,000 through anchor gifts for an unrestricted endowment that will contribute a yearly sum to the Cathedral budget's bottom line each year. It was Bill's wish that this endowment be unrestricted so that his legacy would help the Cathedral continue to do its spiritual work in perpetuity.

We will close this fund in December so that we can put up a plaque in the conference room with the names of all contributors. We are inviting Bill and Beth back to St. John's in January to bless the new conference room and start a collection of scholarly books so that his generous and intellectual interpretation of the Gospels will be a centerpiece of all deliberations that take place in that room.

My goal is that every member of the Cathedral will have their name on that plaque as evidence of our gratitude for Bill and Beth's time at St. John's and our continued support of its mission. Please join me in this endeavor!

Your contribution to the Ellis Fund is different than your annual donation. Each of the contributors has stretched beyond their Annual Fund pledge. I hope you will do the same. A one-time gift or a three-

year pledge are equally valuable. You can write a check or transfer appreciated stocks to gain a tax advantage. All gifts are deductible to the fullest extent of the law.

If you have questions or would like to talk about your gift, please call me at (509) 828-8854. And please leave a message I don't answer immediately.

Thank you for your contributions, large and small.

Please contact Rosie Banta at 838-4277 for details about a stock transfer or if you want to stretch your gift out over two or three years.

Remember Windfall!

Looking for that perfect item for fall décor? Remember the Windfall!

Cleaning out closets and wondering what to do with those items that are in good condition but just don't fit your lifestyle anymore? Remember the Windfall!

Want to get involved in a volunteer activity that makes a difference? Remember the Windfall!

The Windfall is St. John's non-profit thrift store, located in the South Perry district: 1024 S. Perry. Open Tuesday-Friday, 1pm-6pm; and Saturday, 12pm-5pm.



From the Interim Vicar

By the Rev. Canon Kristi Philip

It's that time again—the fall season—the time when everything in church, in school and in other parts of our lives gears up. It can feel a bit frantic. There is much to do. Add to that a collection of larger concerns and catastrophes in our nation and world that touch our hearts as we watch the evening news: earthquakes, hurricanes, complicated world politics, plus the aftermath of a shooting at one of our high schools. Our plates are very full, indeed. Our prayer lives are full as well.

I'm always interested in how spiritual practice speaks to times like these. We look beyond ourselves for help. Sometimes we have an informal daily prayer routine. Sometimes we pray morning or evening prayer from our Prayer Book. Sometimes we seek a quiet place for a while or take a walk and listen for God's voice and God's peace amid everything that tugs at our hearts and fills our calendars. We try to find our center as we reflect on what is happening.

I've found the writing of Barbara Brown Taylor helpful at times like these. Taylor, an Episcopal priest and gifted preacher and writer, left parish ministry to teach religion and spirituality at the college level and now lives in rural Georgia.

Her book, *An Altar in the World – A Geography of Faith*, looks at twelve spiritual practices that really grow out of every-day experience as ways to shape our spirituality. Things like paying attention, or saying 'no' or feeling pain or getting lost. These are

very down-to-earth things that we all experience, but don't always think of them as woven into our spiritual life. Some of them are a bit surprising. Most of them have to do with cultivating a new awareness.

I never really thought about "getting lost" as a spiritual practice—getting off the beaten path and into a place we do not know. That can work in a literal way or a more metaphorical way and usually teaches us something. And sometimes it feels like wilderness.

I do know, that when I get lost my awareness is notched up. One time I was following a complex map in Florence, Italy, planning to visit the Pitti Palace. The map was detailed, but not accurate and before long I was lost in a maze of narrow, winding streets. I had no idea where I was. It wasn't dangerous, but it was unnerving.

A woman spotted me as I crossed a street and must have noticed that I seemed to be lost. With her few words of English and my few words of Italian we talked a bit. Then she offered to lead me to my destination—a great relief to me.

As I reflected on that afternoon journey, I realized that my getting lost resulted in making a new friend—a stranger whose kindness I will always remember. It reminded me that being off the straight road took me to some interesting places. It taught me that getting lost was not the worst thing that could have happened to me. And I think it made me more adventurous. I'm much more willing to take a new path, explore a new road, visit a place I've never been before. Of course underneath all of that I knew, in my wandering, that I was also in God's hands.

Sometimes what is going on in the world around us—things over which we have little or no control—can feel a bit like wilderness. It can feel like we are lost. Frankly, being a church in transition can feel like that as well. But it can also be an opportunity to reflect on how we meet God as we enter into new territory—those strange, new places that we share with all of humanity and with whom we are all in God's hands.

(If you would be interested in exploring this book, let me know and perhaps we could create a group.)

Living History

We know that our past is valuable and builds a foundation for our future. We have an opportunity to build a record in the Great Hall of the Cathedral's history as we move through our time of transition between deans. We've built a timeline from the 1930s to the present on the wall in the southeast corner of the room, with a piece of poster board for each decade. You are invited to add to this by writing your entries on large post-it notes and attaching them to the proper decade.

Please post some things that you remember or that you believe were significant in the Cathedral's last nearly nine decades and we will all learn a history lesson from one another.

Pastoral Care

Do you have a pastoral care concern? Contact the clergy staff, 838-4277.

Moving? New phone number?
Let the office know:
rbanta@stjohns-cathedral.org

Music at the Cathedral

By Tim Westerhaus, Music Director

October at St. John's Cathedral is bookended by two special feasts, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and the Feast of the Reformation. While neither feast properly falls on a Sunday, we celebrate them in a special way liturgically at the Cathedral.

On October 1, we celebrate God's presence in all creation with the Feast of St. Francis. All are invited to bring animals for a special blessing, and our ritual music gives voice to this through hymnody (Earth and All Stars) and anthems, including John Rutter's **For the Beauty of the Earth**, sung by the combined Junior and Cathedral Choirs. In this liturgy, however, we also recognize the great responsibility to care for God's creation and to pursue simplicity and justice like St. Francis, who cared for lepers and gave away his possessions. We recall the loving source of all creation through a setting of Dante's *Paradiso*, **The Wheel that Moves the Sun and the Stars**, and we go forth with the prayer of St. Francis, "Lord, make us servants of your peace."

On October 29, we join with our Lutheran sisters and brothers in celebrating the 500th anniversary of the Reformation. Today, we rejoice that conversations between Catholic and Lutheran leaders recognize consensus on many points between their faiths ("Declaration on the Way: Church, Ministry, and Eucharist," 2015). We pray that divisions heal and celebrate the rich musical tradition with Ralph Vaughan Williams's **Lord, thou hast been our refuge** and the Chancel Ringers. (For those desiring to continue the musical celebration, consider *Reformation 500: Bach & Beyond*, a free concert

hosted at St. Mark's Lutheran Church on Fri, Nov 3, at 7:30pm.)

In the middle of October, St. John's will hear the Cathedral Choir divide into a treble chorus and a tenor-and-bass chorus for two anthems. On October 15, the tenors and basses offer the Romantic-era **Franz Schubert's setting of Psalm 23: The Lord is My Shepherd**. Similarly, on October 22 the sopranos and altos encourage all "servants of the Lord to sing praise" in **Felix Mendelssohn's Laudate pueri**. May these musical offerings remind of us God's comfort and bring us to praise God with our very life and breath.

This month, the Cathedral Kantorei begin rehearsals for Bach's sacred monument, the **B minor Mass. On Sunday, November 12** at 3pm, the Kantorei and Collegium Orchestra present this music, which gives voice to our inmost spiritual yearnings and our outward ebullient joys in the mysteries of God's love and forgiveness, the incarnation of God, and the continued working of the Holy Spirit. Due to the size of this undertaking, it is a ticketed event. Advance purchase recommended at

www.brownpapertickets.com.

Soli Deo gloria!

Cathedral Fall Concert

Sunday, November 12, 3pm
J. S. Bach: B minor Mass

Collegium Orchestra, Kantorei Choir
Tickets: www.brownpapertickets.com

Altar Flowers

By Karen Martin

Each week, the High Altar in the Cathedral is adorned with seasonal flowers. These flowers are given by parishioners and their families to honor family members, friends, and to celebrate life milestones. The Cathedral Altar Guild coordinates the donations, invoicing, design and delivery of the flowers.

The Altar Guild is currently making arrangements for weekly altar flowers for 2018. Flowers may be given to celebrate a wedding anniversary, birthday, or life in general, or to honor someone who has passed away.

What makes this special, is that all parishioners, regardless of the service they attend, can share the memory, or the joy, that is associated with each gift, as the messages are printed in the weekly service bulletin.

Many individuals contribute to flowers each week to distribute the costs. Donors contribute from \$20 to \$250, with the average gift being around \$50. Weekly flowers are not part of the Cathedral budget and are 100% funded by donations.

Please consider participating, as we would love to share your celebrations or memories with you.

Please contact one of us to talk about participating: Nina Beegle 624-5509 or Karen Martin 458-4052

Thank you for brightening the Cathedral with your thoughtful gift.

Junior Choir

By Tamara Schupman

Looking for singers! Come join the Junior Choir!

We rehearse Mondays, 4:45pm-6pm. The Junior Choir sings during the Sunday 10:30am service about once a month and for special occasions such as Lessons and Carols and Christmas Eve.

There will be a choir retreat this winter which will include yoga, art, theater and of course, vocal and music theory instruction.

Singers in grades 2 – 8 are welcome!

Questions? Email: tamitoonz@gmail.com

Children and Youth

By Lucas Kulhanek-Arenas
Children & Youth Ministries Director

Sunday Morning Schedule

Every week:

8am

- Building Faith Sunday School (age 2-12)

9am

- Children's Forum (age 1-12)

10:30am

- Building Faith Sunday School (age 6-12)
- Whirl: Lectionary Bible Stories Sunday School (age 2-5)

The Nursery is open 9am-noon.

**Every Wednesday, 6pm-8pm—
Youth Group** (grade 7-12)

**Third Sunday, 5pm-6:30pm—
Young Eagles** (grade 3-6)

Transforming ourselves and our youth by seeking and serving Christ in others

A mentor and leader of a non-profit organization once told me, "many volunteers engage in ministry to serve those that are in need. Little do they know that Christ is working deeply within those volunteers to transform their hearts to come and know Christ." He was right. Charitable giving to those in need is important and holy work; however, the secret of transformation occurs in the hearts of those that serve and engage Christ in others. These words that he shared with me have continued to guide me in my work with our children and youth at the Cathedral.

One of the simplest, but most profound ways for our young people to engage in serving others is through the Lifepax ministry that

the St. John's Cathedral Youth Group has offered for many years. A Lifepax contains a variety of food within a quart-sized bag that can be easily distributed to those in need on the streets of Spokane. They are meant to be handed out when one is driving and notices a person that is hungry. Instead of handing money to that individual in need, food is offered instead.

The gift of this ministry is that we, as a community, learn to engage with people who are often ignored by hundreds of people on a daily basis. We show them the humanity that they deserve and treat them with dignity by giving them food, looking at them, and engaging them in conversation.

In the Gospel according to Matthew (25:35-36,45), Jesus clearly communicates that we must directly serve him through serving others. He states, "for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothes, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me." Jesus then concludes stating, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." As members of Christ's body, we are obligated to serve our brothers and sisters. When we do not serve others, we are denying Christ.

The Lifepax ministry is a source of transformation for young and old alike. It teaches our young people how to encounter Jesus in others, to love our neighbors, and be Disciples of Christ for the transformation of the world.

The need for this ministry in Spokane is expanding. More and more of our Lifepax are being handed out on a daily basis from our St. John's Cathedral family. Our youth group gave Cup of Cool

Water, a day drop-in center for homeless youth in Spokane, 50 Lifepax that they handed out in three days.

This ministry is organized by our youth group and is funded by donations. A single Lifepax costs \$2 and can be purchased at the coffee cart. Financial gifts to support this ministry are also welcome.

Please contact Lucas Kulhanek-Arenas, Director of Children and Youth Ministries, for more information.

Dance & Potluck

Join us on **Friday, October 6**, for our monthly Contra Dance. The evening begins at 6:30pm with a potluck dinner followed by dancing, 7pm-8pm—all in the Great Hall. These dances are open to adults, children, families, and singles. Susan Dankovich teaches the dances so that you can learn as you participate.

Questions? Talk to Lucas Kulhanek-Arenas, 838-4277.

Yoga in the Cathedral

Join instructor Lisa Silvestri Wehr for a one-hour yoga class in the Cathedral at 3pm on **Sunday, October 22**, and the fourth Sunday of each month during the program year.

For all experience levels; bring a mat if you have one.



Printed black & white photo directories are now available in the Welcome Center. If you'd like an electronic color version sent to you, email: secretary@stjohns-cathedral.org

Thanks to everyone who submitted a photo!

The deadline for the November newsletter is **Monday, Oct 30**
secretary@stjohns-cathedral.org

St. John's Forum
Sundays 9:15am-10:15am
In the Great Hall

October Schedule

Oct 1: Catholic Charities of Spokane: Scott Cooper, Parish Social Ministry Director

The mission of Catholic Charities: "Catholic Charities affirms the dignity of every person, partnering with parishes and the greater community to serve and advocate for those who are vulnerable, bringing stability and hope to people throughout eastern Washington."

Oct 8: What Mission and Outreach do we do at St. John's?

A look at the mission and outreach that is currently undertaken at St. John's Cathedral, including conversation with those who are actively involved in these ministries.

Oct 15: Localized Mission and Outreach at West Central Episcopal Mission

What does Episcopal Mission and Outreach look like in Spokane? West Central Episcopal Mission, located at the historic Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, serves the West Central neighborhood, one of the poorest neighborhoods in the state of Washington.

Oct 22: NONE [Convention Weekend]

Oct 29: Mission and Outreach and the Ethics of Serving by Dr. Ron Large

Join us for a presentation and conversation with Dr. Ron Large of Gonzaga University as we talk about the ethics behind the work of doing mission and outreach in our communities.

Estate Planning Workshop

By David Walker

In cooperation with the Diocese of Spokane Foundation, the Foundation for the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist is presenting an estate planning workshop in the Guild Rooms of the Cathedral on **Thursday, October 19**, 2pm-4pm.

The presenter is Ms. Stephanie Taylor of the Spokane law firm of Randall-Danskin. Ms. Taylor is a member of the Bar in the states of Florida, Washington and Idaho, earned her J.D. from Gonzaga University in 2001 and her LL.M in Taxation from the University of Florida in 2002. She is also a member of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel as well as an Adjunct Professor of Law at Gonzaga University specializing in Estate Planning.

Ms. Taylor will provide an update on important issues impacting individual's decisions relative to their estate plans including wills, trusts, powers of attorney and health care considerations.

This presentation is one of several that are being scheduled throughout the Diocese over the coming year to help members of our congregations get the important information they need as they consider how best to handle the technical and personal issues involved with one's estate.

The workshop is *free* and is scheduled for the mid-afternoon so attendees don't have to deal with driving in the dark as the days are getting ever shorter.

If you have questions, please call the office at St. John's or email the Rev. David Walker at dbwalk56@yahoo.com.

Save trees and reduce costs—subscribe to the emailed *Chimes*: secretary@stjohns-cathedral.org



Save the Date!

Christmas Faire & Bazaar

Saturday, November 11
9:30am-3pm

Time for some Christmas shopping! Free admission.

Homemade cookies & breads, candy, Champagne mustard, jam & jellies. Handcrafted Christmas ornaments, lavender bath items & candles, gifts for all ages, warm knitted slippers, White Elephant vintage bargains. Gently used Christmas items from The Windfall thrift store.

Lunch: homemade soups, sandwiches & pie.

Take your photo with St. Nicholas. Child care and child craft area provided.

For information or to be an exhibitor, contact Linda Finney, Service League President
838-4643 or
lindatfinney@gmail.com



Help the Hungry

2nd Harvest Food Bank is in need of donations of nonperishable food. Canned meats, soups, pasta, peanut butter, and jelly are some of the items that can be donated. Bring your donations to the boxes in the hallway outside the Great Hall!

Sock It to Spokane

We invite you to donate socks for those in need. There are baskets in the Welcome Center and Cathedral in which to place your sock donations. A pair of new socks is a precious gift to someone living on the streets!

From the Priest Associate

By the Rev. Nic Mather

I first served as an acolyte when I was 4 years old. It was at St. John the Baptist in Ephrata and it meant so much to me that I got to be a part of the service, to dress in the robes, to be responsible for something. At St. Martin's in Moses Lake, I joined the acolyte corp when I reached 9 years of age (that was the minimum age at the time), and I'll always remember what the priest said to me that first morning: "There's an old saying I like to share with new acolytes: if every one of us does everything perfectly throughout the service, we'll all immediately be taken up to heaven...I've been doing this for over 30 years and haven't seen that happen yet!"

This saying has stuck with me because it speaks deeply to the level of attention, detail, and intentionality that should be expected of those who serve, coupled with the understanding that we all make mistakes, and it's especially easy to make one when you're 9 and serving in your first service. This is a saying that I have passed on to many acolytes throughout the years, and is a saying I will continue to pass down as I move from place to place.

Here at St. John's, we have a wonderful opportunity to raise up acolytes (whom we often refer to as servers) to perform their duties in a place and manner that asks for an intentionality and attention to detail that is not often asked of them outside of these walls. As we practice a liturgical style I like to call "West Coast High Church" (that is: Anglican High Church without all the stuffiness), we have the opportunity to train up acolytes and servers to be a crucial part of the liturgical beauty that we present each week.

This is where you come in: we need more people willing to serve as

acolytes/servers!

We are looking especially for people who are willing to be dedicated to learning this craft and helping this place put on liturgy for the larger community that lives into our High Church sensibilities with intentionality and commitment to detail. We hope that those as young as 7, or as old as 77 (or older), and anyone in between, may find a calling to serve in this place, in this role. So, if you have a child who may be interested in serving, let us know! If you remember fondly your own days as a server, and want to get involved again, let us know!

We will be holding two **training sessions** this fall, one on **Sunday October 15**, 12:30pm-3:30pm, and one on **Sunday November 12**, 12pm-3pm. The training sessions will include acolyte training, free pizza lunch, and acolyte olympics! We would hope potential servers could make both, but the expectation is that you will make **at least one** of the trainings. Following the trainings, we will produce a schedule rotation, with the goal that you will **commit to one Sunday a month**, and then be able to pick up extra roles on non-assigned Sundays as you wish. Contact Fr. Nic to RSVP for pizza, with any questions or to get involved!

Mustard!

The Altar Guild will again offer Champagne Mustard at this year's Bazaar on November 11.

If you plan on buying more than 6 jars, we will accept your pre-order so your mustard can be set aside. We will accept pre-orders until November 6.

Order forms are in the Welcome Center. You can leave your completed form in the Altar Guild mailbox in the hallway by the Ellis Conference Center.

Bookstore News

By Karen Byrne, Volunteer Manager

Stop by the Book and Gift Shop to browse our wares! We have a new book by Paul-Gordon Chandler, *In Search of a Prophet*, on the spiritual legacy of Kahlil Gibran. We have pocket labyrinths, Episcopal rosaries (accompanied by a lovely collection of prayers which our own Youth Group assembled) jewelry, many other books, and gifts galore. We will soon have 2018 calendars, and will look forward to Advent as well!

We are open Sundays after church, and have new volunteers who will help us expand our hours. Please watch the service leaflet for announcements!

Passages

Memorial Services—

September 16: *Ann Rayner Wood*, 8/13/1918-7/19/2017 & *Charles Edwards Woods*, 4/18/1919-12/28/2016

September 28: *Thomas Lewis Jefferson V*, 11/21/1949-9/1/2017

October 7 at 2pm: *Martha Jane Adams True*, 6/7/1922-6/30/2017

Baptism, September 2—*Oliver Lionel Heagy*, born on March 4, 2017 in Spokane to Robert Anthony Heagy and Alyssa Noreene Heagy. His sponsors are Dave and Hannah Thompson.

Marriages—

September 10: *Kimberly Ann Marie Arghittu* and *Timothy William O'Connell*

September 22: *Mara Michell Hazeltine* and *Christopher Michael Jordan*

September 23: *Amy Bornholdt* and *Ryan Currie*

JOY!

Shelby Ellert, born on September 19 to Grant and Maranda. She joins big sister Sky.

Henry David Sheets Byers, born on September 24 to Charlie and Nicole. He joins big sister Virginia.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8a Worship 9:15a Forum 10:30a Worship <i>Blessing of the Pets</i> <i>Bloodmobile</i>	2 4:45p Junior Choir 6p Youth Sym 7p Commonplace	3 7a Brotherhood 9:15a Staff 12p St Nicholas 5p Stewardship 5:30p Prayer 6p Scouts	4 10a Worship 10:45a Bible Study 5:30p Handbells 6p Youth Group 6:30p Al Anon 2	5 7p Choir	6 6p Al Anon 6:30p Potluck & Dance	7 12p L'Arche 2p True Memorial Service 5:30p Worship
8 8a Worship 9:15a Forum 10:30a Worship 12p Altar Guild <i>Family Promise</i>	9 4:45p Junior Choir 5:30p Service League 6p Youth Sym 7p Commonplace <i>Family Promise</i>	10 9:15a Staff 12p Brotherhood 4:30p Finance 4:30p Conn Conn 5:30p Prayer 6p Scouts <i>Family Promise</i>	11 10a Worship 10:45a Bible Study 5:30p Handbells 6p Youth Group 6:30p Al Anon 2 <i>Family Promise</i>	12 LC Tours 5p Property 7p Choir <i>Family Promise</i>	13 12p Bishop's Guild 6p Al Anon <i>Family Promise</i>	14 10a New Beginning Planning 10a Mustard 12p Integrity 5:30p Worship <i>Family Promise</i>
15 8a Worship 9:15a Forum 10:30a Worship 12:30p Acolyte Training 5p Young Eagles	16 4:45p Junior Choir 6p St Monica 6p Youth Sym 7p Commonplace	17 7a Brotherhood 9:15a Staff 10:30a UCC 5:30p Prayer 6p Scouts 6:30p Chapter	18 10a Worship 10:45a Bible Study 4:30p Foundation 5:30p Handbells 6p Youth Group	19 2p Estate Planning 7p Choir 7p Book Club	20 12p Landscape 6p Al Anon	21 5:30p Worship 5:30p Campfire
22 8a Worship 9:15a Forum 10:30a Worship 3p Yoga	23 4:45p Junior Choir 6p Youth Sym 7p Commonplace	24 9:15a Staff 12p Brotherhood 5:30p Prayer 6p Scouts 6p Dean Call	25 10a Worship 10:45a Bible Study 5:30p Handbells 6p Youth Group 6:30p Al Anon 2	26 7p Choir	27 6p Al Anon	28 9a Soup 5:30p Worship
29 8a Worship 9:15a Forum 10:30a Worship 2p Halloween Party 4p Fireside Group	30 4:45p Junior Choir 6p Youth Sym 7p Commonplace	31 9:15a Staff 12p Brotherhood 5:30p Prayer 6p Scouts				

St John's Java — Sunday • Tuesday & Wednesday, 9a-12p

Bookstore — Sunday

Tours — Sunday • Friday & Saturday (2nd & 4th), 11a-2p

The Windfall, 1024 S. Perry — Tuesday-Friday, 1p-6p • Saturday, 12p-5p

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*Our Mission: To be a Christian community that invites people into a life where
through liturgy, outreach, hospitality and education
we all discover what it means to be beloved children of God*

Pet Blessing

The 10:30am service on **Sunday, October 1** will include our annual Blessing of the Animals in honor of St. Francis' day. Dogs, cats, horses, birds, goldfish and reptiles are just a few of the animals that have attended in the past. This liturgy is a wonderful way to celebrate the joy of God's creation and the loving companions God has provided for our enjoyment.

Any pets that are difficult to control or apt to become prey for larger animals should be kept in cages. If you are unable to bring your pet, or do not have one, you may bring a stuffed animal or picture of your animal for the blessing.



Worship Services

Sunday

8am Holy Eucharist Rite I
& Sunday School
9:15am Forum
10:30am Holy Eucharist Rite II
& Sunday School

Wednesday

10am Holy Eucharist Rite II

Saturday

5:30pm Holy Eucharist Rite II