Welcome to all newcomers and visitors!

Please sign our guest book and take a gift bag from the table in the church entrance. Join us in the parish hall for fellowship and some light refreshments after the 10:30 service.

TODAY

The Rose on the Altar is in celebration of the birth of Rowyn Shan on June 21, step-great-granddaughter to Tracy Lively.

Feast of Saint James Pickup Choir: Sing with us!

We invite anyone and everyone to join us in the choir area for a pick-up choir at 10:30 worship. We'll start rehearing at 9:45 a.m.

#SummerCamp @ St. James' Sunday School!

This summer, we are kicking back and enjoying some fun in Sunday school. This week, Barry Thompson will be teaching us about butterflies. Our summer chapel Bible story will be "How Peter Served Jesus." Sunday school is held 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the undercroft; summer childcare for infants and toddlers is 10:00 a.m. to noon in the undercroft.

FaithTalk, 9:15 a.m., parish hall meeting room FaithTalk will discuss today's lessons. All welcome!

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Parish Picnic Today, Cabin John Park!

Join us for a "bring your own" picnic after the 10:30 worship service as we celebrate our patron saint! We'll gather at the private picnic area, Cabin John Regional Park, 7701 Tuckerman Lane, Bethesda. This is a new location for us. More information is on our website calendar and flyers in the church entrance.

A Thousand Mornings: Book Club, 6:45 p.m.

After the picnic today you may be ready to just sit somewhere cool and relaxed, and hear some interpretation discuss of a little book of poetry: *A Thousand Mornings*, by Mary Oliver. You don't know that you'd have anything to add to the discussion? No matter; simply come, listen, and enjoy the company of this varying group of readers. All are welcome in the parish hall library at 6:45 p.m.

The August 26 meeting of the Book Club will discuss Celeste Ng's Little *Fires Everywhere*.

COMING EVENTS



Backpack Drive Stuffing Party, Sunday, July 29

This is a fun and quick family project! Come after services to the parish hall to fill many backpacks with school supplies. The backpacks will be donated to children in our area who need them.

Special Music on Sunday, July 29

Music at the 8:00 a.m. worship service will be provided by our own Jim Rathvon. At 10:30 we will welcome Brass Traditions, the brass quartet that is with us for our Christmas and Easter celebrations.

St. James' Summer Tai Chi Class, Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m.

Join us on Tuesday evenings from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the undercroft for quiet, meditative movement. Our instructor Dr. Douglas Pratt, a pediatrician with FDA, has been practicing Tai Chi for over 20 years. Build strength, balance, and peace of mind. All welcome. \$1-5 offering suggested to cover utilities.

Large print Eucharist booklets available

Copies of the Eucharist from the *Book of Common Prayer* are available in large print; ask an usher.

Today's Readings available

Readings aren't printed in the bulletin during summer, but some copies of the day's readings are available in the church entrance; ask an usher.

St. James' Finances: June, 2018



Income Expenses Gain/Loss June \$70,616 \$71,648 (\$1,032)

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Year to Date

Summer Office Hours

This summer the parish office will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.