

Resource List for St. James' Congregation

Many are concerned about how we can support one another in these times of change and uncertainty. Below are some resources for federal workers and other impacted communities. If you need pastoral or emergency services, please contact the clergy through the office, office@stjamespotomac.org.

Training & Resources for Federal Workers

- State Resources (including unemployment benefit information) dllr.state.md.us/federalworkers
- Resources from Civil Service Strong (Federal Worker Unions) civilservicestrong.org/resources
- Resources from Partnership for Public Service ourpublicservice.org/supporting-federal-employees-through-change
- WorkSource Montgomery: worksourcemontgomery.com
- Montgomery County Public Library Job Resources: montgomerycountymd.gov/library/for-you/job-seekers.html
- Montgomery County Government Jobs: Work4mcg.org
- Local/State Government Jobs: governmentjobs.com
- Employment Rights Under Federal Law: opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/employee-relations/employee-rights-appeals/#url=Appeals
- Accommodation to Qualified Employees with Disabilities: eeoc.gov/federal-sector/federal-employees-job-applicants
- Whistleblower Protections and Accompanying Resources: whistleblower.house.gov/resources/resources-whistleblowers
- Prohibited Personnel Practices Including the Right to Appeal: mspb.gov/ppp/ppp.htm#faq
- Information on Civil Service Law: guides.loc.gov/federal-civil-service-employment-law

Resources for Impacted Communities:

- Gilchrist Immigrant Resource Center: montgomerycountymd.gov/gilchrist
- MCPS Resources for Immigrant Families: montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/osi/immigration-supports
- Services for LGBTQ+ Community Members: mocopridefamily.org
- ICE encounters in public/workplace/school: Immigrant Legal Resource Center ilrc.org has a [two-page fact sheet](#) and [these videos](#).

Mental Health and Food Assistance Resources

- Mental Health Support: montgomerycountymd.gov/opioids/get-help.html
- Food Resources: montgomerycountymd.gov/ofsr/food/index.html