

May 12th Worship Information
Sunday Morning Service @ 10:15 am

Following Service:

Full audio available on YouTube
 youtube.com/stjohnsucclansdalepa
Sermon available on Spotify
 “St. John’s UCC Lansdale Sermons”

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Focus Scripture: Psalm 1

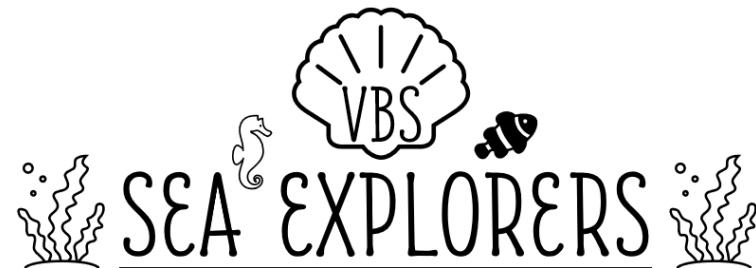
Worship Assistants

Hospitality: *Bill Leslie*, Bob Bertolette, Margie Jewell, Gale Linderman, Rick O’Connor, Scott Vanderburg
Elder of the Morning: Chriss Bodde
CD Technician: Griff Francis
Chancel Flower Ministry: Tracey & Mark O’Neill
Driver: Jo-Ann Sine
Greeters: Marcia Stacy

Chancel Flowers

Happy 96th birthday on May 13 and Happy Mother’s Day to Lorene K. Ahrens from her loving family
 In memory of their mothers, Ruth Ekberg and Mae Brown, from Sandy and Scott
 In memory of Marie Evans from Jeane, Robert and Beth Fritz
 In memory of Mary Fritz from Robert, Jeane and Beth Fritz
 In memory of Lillian Wurster’s birthday and Mother’s Day from her daughter, Christine Wiley
 In memory of Nancy Schultz on Mother’s Day from her daughter Merle Anne Morcom and Walter Hawkins
 In memory of Mary Franks from her parents, Donald & Suzanne Franks
 In memory of George Ruth’s May 15th birthday from Chriss Bodde and family
 In memory of Daniel Elliott on our May 15th wedding anniversary from his wife, Elizabeth

As of April 30, 2024	
Budgeted Monthly Income for April	\$35,736.67
Actual Income for April	\$39,802.31
Total Income Difference	\$4,065.64
Budgeted Monthly Expenses for April	
Budgeted Monthly Expenses for April	\$52,243.60
Actual Expenses for April	\$58,791.21
Total Expense Difference	\$6,547.61
YTD Budgeted Current Income for April	\$154,061.00
YTD Actual Current Income for April	\$156,697.28
Total Current Income Difference	\$2,636.28
YTD amnt. needed to fulfill OCWM pledge	\$15,896.00
YTD Actual Offering for OCWM	\$16,527.21
OCWM Difference	\$631.21
Weekly amount needed for Current Income 2024	\$7,884.62
Weekly amount needed for OCWM 2024	\$798.00
A Look at the Week of April 1, 2024	
Offering For Current Income	\$10,923.50
Offering For Our Church’s Wider Mission	\$965.50
A Look at the Week of April 8, 2024	
Offering For Current Income	\$5,100.20
Offering For Our Church’s Wider Mission	\$757.00
A Look at the Week of April 15, 2024	
Offering For Current Income	\$10,984.10
Offering For Our Church’s Wider Mission	\$997.00
A Look at the Week of April 22, 2024	
Offering For Current Income	\$3,233.16
Offering For Our Church’s Wider Mission	\$450.00
A Look at the Week of April 30, 2024	
Offering For Current Income	\$4,455.29
Offering For Our Church’s Wider Mission	\$250.00



A monthly Carry-Out Connection program during June, July, and August with an in-person gathering at the end of each month for one hour.

May 19th Worship Information
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Pentecost Sunday

Focus Scripture: Acts 2:1-21

Worship Assistants

Hospitality: Mark Methlie, Jen Gilbert, Sarah Hogan, Bonnie & Walt Weber
Elder of the Morning: Susan Fitzpatrick
CD Technician: Matt Rivett
Chancel Flower Ministry:
Driver: Scott Vandenburg
Greeters: Joyce Huisenga

Chancel Flowers

Congratulations to Sandy and Scott Brown who will celebrate their 49th wedding anniversary on May 24

Basket Raffle Is Back!

If you signed up to donate a basket for the raffle, please bring your completed basket to church by May 10.

Each basket should be wrapped in clear cellophane with a sign attached identifying the theme and contents.

The baskets will be displayed at church on Sundays from May 12 through June 2, at Lansdale Day on June 1, and at the Church Picnic on June 9.

Dates To Remember

May 5-10 – Completed Baskets Due at the Church

May 12 – Ticket Sales Begin!

June 9 – Church Picnic & Basket Drawing!

If you have questions, please contact **Judy Johnston** at (215) 896-9381 or twostitches@comcast.net

ANNOUNCEMENTS



When: May 11, 2024 at 9:30am
Where: St. John's Church Library
Presenter: Rev. Addie Stong

*Light refreshments will be served.
 All women are welcome!*



Bike & Brew



Help us send Dale off in style at the "Bike and Brew" on **Saturday, May 18**. Gather at 1:00PM at the Colledgeville trailhead by Troubles End Brewing brew pub to bike, walk, or run along the Perkiomen trail, then return for an informal social at the brew pub to raise a glass and toast to Dale's happy retirement. Details and sign-up sheets in Narthex and elevator lobby. Hope to see you there!



VFW Post 32 in Lansdale will be retiring American Flags that are done their useful life. There is a kitchen size trash can in the church library. Please put yours there. Rickie Sands will be taking them to the Post for proper disposal with ceremony and burning to be done on June 14, Flag Day.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- May 11 9:30am Women's Retreat Library
- May 12 **Seventh Sunday of Easter**
Enlightener Due Date
 9:00am Connect 3 Activity Room
 10:15am Sunday Morning Worship
 New Member Sunday
 11:30am Elders Library
- May 13 7pm Council Zoom
- May 14 6:30pm Girl Scouts Activity Room
 7pm AA Assembly Hall
- May 15 **Wednesday Night Live**
 5-7pm Community Meal
 5:30pm Family Worship
 6pm Adult Education
 6:45pm Adult Handbell Ensemble
 7:30pm Chancel Choir
- May 17 7pm LSB Graduation
- May 18 1pm Bike & Brew
- May 19 **Pentecost Sunday**
Rev Dale's Last Sunday 😞
 9am Connect 3 Activity Room
 10:15 Sunday Morning Worship

Acknowledgements

To the GEM fund in memory of Grace Ehly's May 15th birthday from her daughter, Dean Meacham

On February 18, representatives from The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. John's cherished mission partner, shared their ministry of charity and justice with us during worship and during a question & answer session.



Currently, the balance of the Good Samaritan Emergency Fund, from which we make a quarterly grant to SVdP, is getting low. If you would like to donate to the Emergency Fund, please note that on an offering envelope or the memo section of your check. From this fund, St. John's has helped countless neighbors, and members of St. John's, who have found themselves in financial hardship.

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