

TODAY'S HYMNS are listed here and on the hymn board above the pulpit and can be found in the blue-covered *The Hymnal 1982* in the pew rack.

1. **Processional Hymn: #321**
2. **The Sequence Hymn: #661**
(vs. 1-2 before the Gospel; vs. 3-4 after the Gospel)
3. **Offertory: #537**
4. **Closing: #550**

LOOKING AHEAD

WORSHIP

Sunday, January 21, 2018.....Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist
ONE SERVICE ONLY at 9AM
followed immediately by the 25th Annual Meeting of the Parish and
the annual meeting of the St. James' Foundation

Sunday, January 28, 2018.....Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist
8AM – Rite I; 10AM - Rite II

Note: The Midweek Eucharist in the Iona Tradition is on hiatus until Lent.

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

- Sunday, January 21, 2018.....St. James' Parish Annual Meeting
and potluck brunch
Sunday, January 21, 2018.....St. James' Foundation Annual Meeting

2018 FREE COMMUNITY DINNER SCHEDULE, 5:30PM

- Friday, January 26, 2018 – Hosts: Irene Novotny and Adele Miller
Friday, February 23, 2018 - Hosts: Eileen Rice & Battenkill Valley Health
Center
Friday, March 23, 2018 – Host(s): TBA
Friday, April 27, 2018 – Host(s): TBA

Please consider taking on the responsibility of hosting one of the remaining dinners in our 2018 schedule. See Joanna Taylor, Patricia Michael or Sue Claro if you have questions.

The St. James' Weekly News
The Third Sunday after the Epiphany
January 21, 2018



The Calling of the Apostles Peter and Andrew; 1308-1311;
Maesta Altarpiece of Siena, Italy; by Duccio de Buoninsegna
National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC; used with permission.

“Jesus calls us o’er the tumult
of our life’s wild, restless sea,
day by day his clear voice soundeth,
saying ‘Christian, follow me;’”

[Hymn #550, v. 1]

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WELCOME

A warm welcome to all and a special welcome to those who are visiting; the addition of your praise and thanks heartens us all. If you are seeking a church home or simply a place to rest for a while on your spiritual journey, we invite you to consider St. James' to be that place. The service leaflet will guide you through the liturgy. In the pew racks you will find the *Book of Common Prayer* (red binding) and *The Hymnal 1982* (blue binding). Please do not hesitate to ask a fellow worshipper for help.

If you are new to St. James' and wish to be included in our weekly e-mails (*This Week at St. James'*), please fill in one of the welcome forms (available on the table in the narthex) and leave it in the offertory plate or with an usher. Restrooms are located in the undercroft on the right-hand wall. There is an elevator located in the narthex for those who need it. **Please do not hesitate to speak to an usher or any church member if you have questions or need assistance.** Whether you are a visitor or a parishioner, if you would like a call and/or a visit please call the office at 375-9952 or send an e-mail to stjamesparishoffice@gmail.com. If you have a need for hospital visitation for yourself or for a family member or friend, **you must call the Parish Office.** The hospitals do not inform us of nor do they make available the names of patients being admitted.

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FATHER JOHN'S OFFICE HOURS are Tuesdays, 9-12. An advance appointment is not required but will be helpful for planning.

TODAY: THE 255th ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL CHURCH in the Diocese of Vermont and parish potluck brunch follows the 9AM service and **THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ST JAMES' FOUNDATION** is today immediately following the 255th Annual Meeting of St. James' Church. Please pick up your copy of the 2017 Annual Report Narrative, the 2017 Annual Financial Report and the 2017 Annual Report of the Foundation if you have not done so already.

SIGN-UP SHEETS for the first community dinner on January 26 are on the bulletin board downstairs. We especially need help with set-up and clean-up. Please check what's needed and sign up! Many thanks to Irene Novotny and Adele Miller for chairing this first dinner of 2018.

SAY HELLO TO Søren Escher Einsig, born January 9, 2018; fourth child and second son of Scott and Breana Claro Einsig; baby brother to Adele, Tatem and Virginia and another grandchild for Sue and Norman Claro. Welcome to the world, Søren; we are looking forward to meeting you in person! Congratulations to all!

THANK YOU, ROB FALEY for three years of dedicated service on the Vestry, as Chair of Buildings and Grounds Committee and as Junior Warden. His term has ended but he has assured us he will continue to help as needed. Thank you, Rob!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For the Sick: Ken Blackler; Jane Bloom; Garrett Brewer; Janet Cassell; Linda Crosby; Vicky Cutler; Peter Garneau; Jo Gillikin; Dot Grout; Thomas Hayton; Eleanor Hanrahan; Esther Jaffee; Jane Jersey; John Laughrey; Alan Mears; Gail McDevitt; Charlie Menghini; Jack Michael; Cecelia O'Brien; Andie Owen; Ralph and Natalia Panelli; Jim Rice; Irene Roth; Suzy Schott; Judy and Bobby Weiss; Dot Whitley; Wilfred Williamson; Ward Wilson; Jeanne Zouck; Barbara; Beth; Bob; Bruce; Celia; Chris; Dennis; Dick; Erika; Helen; Isaac; Jan; Jim; Jim and Dottie; John; John and Judy; Kathy; Kay

For the Departed: All our departed loved ones; all victims of natural disasters, violence, war, persecution and oppression in the United States and throughout the world.

For Those In Need of Our Prayers: Andie Owen and her family; Charles; Anna, Sherri; Alyce; Sue; Sara; Cathy; Alex; Sofia; Eleanor; Wanda; the Kluj family; Hank; Ellen; Estelle; Michael; all who suffer from terrorism, strife, hunger and deprivation throughout the world; the homeless; refugees; for peace and justice everywhere.

For Those Who Celebrate This Week:

Birthdays: 1/25-Steve Smith; 1/26-Virginia Berstene, Patricia McKee

Anniversaries: None this week

Baptismal Anniversaries: None this week

For Those Who Serve in the Armed Forces: Gary Marckres; Margaret; Willow Bucchieri-Sibley

In Thanksgiving For: The ministry and leadership of the Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Ely, Bishop of Vermont; the ministry of the Rev. John M. Miller, Jr., Priest in Partnership; the ministry and service of Rob Faley in all aspects of our life together as the family of St. James'; the birth of Søren Escher Einsig; Angela for her kindness to a stranger on January 17; families and friends; God's love, freely given; the communion of saints; the gifts of faith and hope.

For The Church: For Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Thomas, our Bishop; the people and mission of this Diocese; Lynn Bates, Canon to the Ordinary; the Rev. John M. Miller, Jr., Priest in Partnership; this parish of St. James' and its mission; the Very Rev. Christopher L. David and the Revs. L. Paul Gratz, Sean Lanigan, Scott B. Neal and Keith F. Patterson, priests; Kathleen Moore, seminarian. In the Diocesan Prayer Calendar we pray for the congregation of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Barre; and the Church of Bangladesh (United).