



hungars parish path

CHRIST CHURCH, EASTVILLE - HUNGARS CHURCH, BRIDGETOWN

EASTER

MAY, 2022

Tidings from your Rector



“Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.”

- *Romans 12:2*

Easter is a time of rebirth and renewal as we look forward with the renewal of Christ’s sacrifice for us that we may go forth and spread the Good News.

This first week of May, I will be renewing my mind and spirit at Pendle Hill, A Quaker Wisdom School, in Wallingford, Pennsylvania. We will be exploring how the Light of God within illuminates divine reality to send us forth to witness to that truth with integrity.

So that I may fully immerse myself and be renewed, Brother Lee Davis will be guest preaching on May 8th, and I will officiate. He shared his wisdom with us last November and I know that his words will be an inspiration to us again.



I am excited to have you all join me in my **Celebration of New Ministry, Tuesday, May 10th, 5:00p.m.** at Hungars Church. Your Bishop, The Reverend Susan B. Haynes, will be officiating, The Reverend Linda Rogers, will be the Deacon, The Reverend Canon Roy Hoffman, will cantor. My friend, The Reverend Jan Wiersma will be coming down from Rochester Minnesota to preach, and we will be treated a wonderful organist Mike Regan, from Norfolk’s Larchmont UMC. I hope that you will be able to be a part of this special day and have a chance to meet your Bishop if you have not already at the reception in Hungars ’s parish house following the service.

Yours in faith and hope,

Rev. Janet †

OUTREACH COMMITTEE

The Outreach Committee researches ways to use the financial resources that are budgeted by the vestries of Hungars Cure. We also seek opportunities to use the time and talents of our parish members. There are recurring events, such as the Exmore Soup Kitchen, Dos Santos work, and the Red Cross Blood Drive. We use our monthly meetings to discuss needs and explore means to help neighbors in our community.

Next Red Cross Blood Drive



Thursday, May 5th, from 1 pm – 6 pm, we will have our semiannual blood drive. There are still spaces for blood donors, but you must register

in advance. Register online at RedCrossBlood.org, location Hungars, or contact Sue Thatcher for more information. (757-678-6947) suethatcher1@gmail.com

Exmore Soup Kitchen

Hungars Cure has 4 teams who take turns providing one meal each month. If you're interested in helping, more team members are always welcome. If you're not a chef but would like to offer occasional help, the soup kitchen would welcome your help with serving and/or with clean-up on Wednesdays. Please contact Nancy Gonzalez (nancyg3161@verizon.net or 757-678-7562) or Megan Rose-Jensen (rosejensenm@gmail.com or 757-442-3927).



Welcome Visitors

Several people are working on ways to make visitors feel welcome when they attend services at Hungars and Christ Church. Tom Gonzalez has been working on creating a welcome booklet that introduces visitors to each church. Gloria Colgan has been putting together bags of gifts and quiet activities for small children who attend church, which can be offered to families by the ushers.

Teacher Appreciation Week



May 2nd Diane Crockett is making arrangements for our Cure to provide lunch for teachers and staff at Kiptopeke Elementary School.

EMS Appreciation Week.

On May 17th, we'll be supplying lunch to EMS providers to celebrate them.

Arts and Craft Supplies

During the month of May our congregations are invited to donate (using the collection bins in each church) for the 2 local summer camps that provide so many good opportunities for children and for special populations. Both Camp Silver Beach and Camp Occohannock on the Bay maintain wish lists via Amazon if you care to look at them for ideas. (Please visit <https://bit.ly/OOTBWishlist>) Some suggestions are:

- Construction paper
- Boxes of crayons and markers
- Pipe cleaners

The Citadel (a.k.a Heritage Hall)



Ruth Gates, the activity director, will be speaking with us on Sunday, May 29th - the fifth Sunday in May.

We are tentatively planning a “Christmas in July” collection of small gifts for residents during June.

Ruth has told us that a simple worship service offered on regular basis with familiar music for residents –is very wanted and needed. Please contact Nancy Gonzalez (nancyg3161@verizon.net or 757-678-7562) with ideas and/or interest in participation.

THRIFT STORE UPDATE



You shared your opinions by email, by voice mail, by completing the survey, and in person. The consensus is an

overall affirmation of the Thrift Store Ministry, coupled with a few concerns about the Cure owning a building, and the associated costs with operating a building. Now that we have collected your opinions, the Thrift Store Task Force will continue to investigate options for housing the ministry. We will be back in touch as soon as we have news to share. Please continue to share your ideas with us. Thank you!

-Dixon Leatherbury and Susan Harris

MEDI TASK FORCE



As many of you know our Task Force has been hard at work creating a church directory that includes pictures and contact information for most of our active parishioners. We have been able to

do all of this without using an outside company. The last directory was done in the early 90's and we used a photography company. Many of us purchased photo packages which offset the price of producing the directory. With this Covid climate and our financial situation, we felt doing this ourselves was the best method and we had the ability to do so.

We have been clicking pictures with our iPhones since October and meeting together to figure out the best method to produce the directory. Our own, *Sarah Morgan* is an experienced commercial artist and volunteered to put it together for us.

The price of the directory will be \$10 to cover the printing costs without adding to the Cure expenses. More information will be sent as we get closer to completion. Thank you for all your cooperation with picture taking and contact updating!

- Mary Floyd
Media Task Force Chair

CELEBRATION OF NEW MINISTRY



Please join us Tuesday, *May 10, 5:00 p.m.* at Hungars Church as Bishop Susan Haynes officiates to install Reverend Janet Wheelock as our new rector.

Come and support her as she has supported us this past year. Let us build this relationship to the glory of God and continue to reach out into the community with Christ's love of the Eastern Shore.

WORSHIP MUSIC

It takes a Village to find a new minister of music!



We are still working diligently to cover the worship services at Hungars and Christ Church.

A special thank you to all that have helped us out, Don Ruthig, Jerry Freund, Elle Gordon, Lee Jordan Anders, Arianna Ship, and Carlo Balmoria.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! If you have friends at other churches or musical venues, please send us referrals! This includes music friends in the Tidewater area, churches, colleges, etc.,. We would be so grateful for names to follow up on.

Please keep the music and our worship in your prayers in both churches.



The Orchestra of the Eastern Shore will perform its final concert of this season on May 15th at 4:00 pm at Hungars Episcopal Church in Bridgetown. The concert, entitled **Classical Sensibility**, will include: Boccherini's Symphony No. 1 in D Major; Respighi's Balletto from Ancient Airs and Dances; Mendelssohn's String Sinfonia No. 2 in D Major, and Skoryk's Melody. The final piece will be Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 23 in A Major featuring Lee Jordan-Anders as soloist. Admission is free however donations are appreciated.

The Orchestra of the Eastern Shore
Dr. Paul Sanho Kim, Music Director
presents

Classical Sensibility

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Respighi	Balletto from Ancient Airs and Dances
Mendelssohn	String Sinfonia No. 2 in D Major
Skoryk	Melody
Mozart	Piano Concerto No. 23 in A Major <i>Lee Jordan-Anders, soloist</i>

Friday, May 13, 2022, 7:30 p.m.
Historic Cokesbury Church, Onancock

Sunday, May 15, 4:00 p.m.
Hungars Episcopal Church, Bridgetown

Free admission — Donations welcome

Town of Onancock | United Way | VIRGINIA CONNECTION

CHRIST CHURCH WORSHIP CANDLES



The worship candles at Christ Church are in poor condition and in need of replacement. Nobody seems to know how long the candles have been in use, but they are leaking, look shabby and are discolored. The candles are expensive to replace; 15 inch candle is \$80 each and an 11 inch candle is \$65 each. We are asking for contributions from the Christ Church congregation to help augment this expense. We will be listing the donations in the June Parish Path newsletter. Please give prayerful consideration for a donation in whatever amount you feel moved to give.

- Thank you, Altar Guild

Please mail donations to
 Christ Church
 P.O. Box 367, Eastville, VA 23347

Memo: Candles

Please include a note if you would like this to be in memory of anyone

There will also be donation forms at the back of Christ Church.

NEW ALTAR CANDLES

NEEDED Two - 15" Altar candles, \$80.75 each
 Eight - 11" Candelabra torch candles, \$65.43 each

YES, I would like to contribute to the cost of the new candles.

In Memory of _____

In Honor of _____

_____ I wish to remain anonymous

Given By: _____

Put in offertory place or mail to: Christ Church, P.O. Box 367, Eastville, VA 23347
 A list of Memorial / Honor gifts will be published in the June PARISH PATH

MOTHER'S DAY IS MAY 8TH



Saturday, May 7th at 9:00 a.m.

Christ Church, St. Cecilia's is having a plant sale. Bring your extra plants for sale and buy some to take home.

Hungars Church will be giving out carnations to all women attending church on Mother's Day.

Prayer for Mothers

*We thank you, O Lord,
 for the gift of Motherhood.
 May those blessed with children
 be granted the gifts of courage,
 perseverance and good health.
 May they face each new day with
 faith and hope in your abiding love.
 May all families find in the strength
 of your love
 The priceless gift of peace
 And so bear witness to your glory.*

- Amen



LATE AFTERNOON AT HUNGARS

We parked the car and walked, I felt on
hallowed ground,
To where the ivy-covered walls rose
straight and still.
The late sun stretched its fingers,
lingering until
The windows lit in gold response from
arch to sill.
The old pink brick laid long ago in
Flemish bond
Shone warm and bright in patches of
the filtering light,
The light that sifted in and out among
the tombs,
And touched the names of those long gone
to say goodnight.

A moment then of quacking pulse and
thoughts of those
Who planned, and built, and prayed, all
passing through this door.
It was as though they sat in silence
to assure
That we are all a part of what has gone
before.
Through the arching doorways, down the
aisle they came as
We. In fancy I could see the rector rise
and stand,

His hands held out in blessing, and the
choir
Stood too, robed in the vestments given
by Queen Anne.
I thought I heard the strains of that
first organ,
Whose pipes long since the laymen melted
into shot.
How many loyal to the crown forsook this
parish.
Still the Revolution left it on this spot.
We turned to leave in holy mood. Our
shadows
Leaped ahead like ghosts upon the floor.
The lord preserves what is His own, I
thought.
It was a comfort so to think. We closed
the door.

*-Katherine Roberts Wescott, Author
Provided by, Claiborne Dickinson*



HUNGARS CURE 400TH B-DAY

We are recruiting members to meet and plan the 400th birthday founding of Hungars Cure Parish. We are focusing on activities during the weekend of Founders’ Day 2023. Please come *Thursday, May12, 11:00 a.m. at Christ Church Parish House* and help us plan for this exciting time of celebration.



Prayers for
Hungars Cure Parish

George Bryan
Sara Childs Craven
Gloria Colgan
Johnny Downing
Ronni Gallichio
Nancy Gonzalez
Tom Gonzalez
Rita Henning
John Henning
Rick Hubbard
Kathy Kutz
Elizabeth Moore
Hill Moore
Bill Robertson
Justin Smith
Mary Trower
Ron Veldhuisen
Ruth Veldhuisen
Frank Young

May Birthdays

11 – Jim Arnold
15 – Nancy Gonzalez
15 – Mike Rouke
16 – Susan Enzastiga
22– Joan Bryan
30– Quincy Dix



*For changes to the prayer list,
please call or email.
757-678-7837.
hccparish@gmail.com*

SERVANTS SCHEDULE

MAY 2022

Please call the Parish Office (678-7837) with changes and substitutions for this roster. Every effort will be made to see that the newsletter and the Sunday worship guides are accurate.

CHRIST CHURCH

Altar Guild

Laura Vaughan and Bev Leatherbury

Lay Reader

MAY 01 John Crockett
08 Pres Trower
15 Susan Enzastiga
22 Charles Boss
29 Dixon Leatherbury

Usher

MAY Ralph Dodd

REMINDER

Fifth Sunday, May 29th

CHRIST CHURCH
10:00 a.m.

HUNGARS CHURCH

Altar Guild

Joan Wehner, Monika Bridgforth
Ellie Gordon, Patty Kellam

Lay Reader

MAY 01 Croxton Gordon
08 Ellie Gordon
15 Joyce Holland
22 Jim Long
29 N.A.

Acolytes

MAY 01 Kobe Walker
08 Walter Childs
15 Kobe Walker
22 Megan Rose-Jensen
29 N.A.

Ushers

MAY 01 Jack Wescoat and
Gloria Colgan
08 Ashby Taylor and
Cindy Walker
15 Mary Floyd, Sue Thatcher
22 Nancy Bisker, Joan Wehner
29 N.A.