

News You Can Use

October 1, 2015

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Family Episcopal Church

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Our Staff:

The Rev. Michael Galvin, Rector
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Office Hours:

Monday-Wednesday 9 AM - 2 PM

The Vestry:

Senior Warden Bryan Luce, **Junior Warden** Dan Chillemi;
Treasurer Betty Bogeman; Abby Galvin (youth), Wade Nichols,
Ginny Olsen, Ben Paden, Lauren Hendrickson, Elaine Pickens,
Marty Blake, Doug Tannas, *Clerk* Ruth Everett

*The next vestry meeting will be held at 7 PM on
Tuesday, October 20th. All are invited to attend.*

Serving This Sunday, October 4:

Celebrant: The Rev. Michael Galvin
Homily: The Rev. Michael Galvin
Deacon: The Rev. Cathy Scott
Music Director: Bethany Paden
Greeter: Joe Spangler
Ushers: Joe Schrock, Paul Mundie
Readers: Wade Nichols, David Emerson, Patrick Burke, Bob French
Prayers: Sandra Cline, Barb Spangler
Chalice: Skip Thomas, Lauren Hendrickson, Holly Forman
Acolytes: Bryan Luce, Abby Galvin, Lexi Burke, Shannon Luce
Healing: Nancy Thomas, Patrick Burke
LEV: Patrick Burke
Almoners: Dan Chillemi, Bryan Luce
AG Sat. Set Up: Cathy French, Kris Brown
AG Bread: Paul Mundie
AG Set Sun. 10 a.m.: Ginny Olsen, Amy Mundie
AG Clean Up: Cathy French, Kris Brown
Hospitality: Holy Family Choir members

Christian Education & Child Care

Sunday School:

Hillary Blake

9 AM Adult Forum:

Sabbatical Presentation by Father Mike and
Rachelle Galvin

10 AM Childcare: TBD



Sunday's readings:

First Reading Job 1:1;2:1-10 **Psalm 26** **Second Reading** Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12 **Gospel** Mark 10:2-16

Our Mission

We bear witness to the Light of Christ by serving as the heart and hands of Jesus, nourishing people and transforming lives.

Worship and Feast Days

Pet Blessing: Join us for our annual Pet Blessing **this Saturday, October 3rd** at 3 PM in the Holy Family outdoor shelter. This custom is conducted in remembrance of St. Francis of Assisi's love for all creatures.

25th Anniversary services: Please join us on October 11th as we celebrate the 25th anniversary of Holy Family with special services at 8 and 10 AM.



Christian Education

9 AM Adult Forum: Please join us during Adult Forum **this Sunday, October 4th at 9:00 AM** to enjoy a presentation by Mike and Rachelle Galvin, providing highlights of their family sabbatical adventure to Scotland, England, Wales and Ireland this past summer! That's right . . . the Galvins are pulling out their vacation pictures to share with you! We hope to see you there.



Outreach Opportunities



Care Package Ministry: Earlier this year, a group of volunteers began a care package ministry to reach out to members of our congregation who were away from home. Cash donations are being accepted on an ongoing basis to help pay for shipping costs. You may access the sign-up sheet for current items by clicking [HERE](#). **Items for our fall care packages are due now.** Please see Jolene Johnston or Annette Harling for more information.

Exodus Refugee Immigration: Holy Family will host a diocesan-wide and interfaith "Welcoming the Stranger" event **TONIGHT, October 1st at 7 PM** in the sanctuary. Refugee Immigration will be on hand to share about Syrian families they have already resettled here in the Hoosier state, as well as how we can assist in meeting the needs of refugees expected to arrive. This is also a Kitchen Shower event for Indiana refugees! Bring new or lightly-used kitchen items or gift cards to help. More on the Syrian Refugee Crisis at www.indydio.org.

Coats for Kids: There's a chill in the air! Channel 13 is joining forces again with Tuchman Cleaners and the Salvation Army to collect new or gently-used coats for children in need. Please return gently-loved coats and jackets to the collection bin in the Narthex **this Sunday, October 4th**.

Crop Walk: **October is Crop Walk Month.** Our Disciples class students will lead the way with this year's Crop Walk Against Hunger in Carmel **this Sunday, October 4th** at 2 PM. People of all ages (and dogs!) are invited to participate. This is a great way to spend time with your family in the great outdoors while raising money to help feed hungry people in our community. Please consider becoming a walker, donating money to sponsor a walker, and praying for our walking team and those they serve. **Please join our team or make a donation [ONLINE](#).** Please see Rachelle Galvin for details.



Feeding the hungry in Hamilton County: The youth of Holy Family are going to demonstrate their creativity and build a canned food sculpture on Sunday, October 18th. Jesus fed the 5,000, we are going to see how large of a canned food sculpture we can build and how many people we can feed with the donations that make up the sculpture. Help us build a huge sculpture by donating canned food! We need all types and can sizes for building blocks. We can also use boxed pasta to add to the design. After being on display the food from the sculpture will be donated to the Delaware Township food pantry. Thank you for your support.

Fellowship Gatherings

Youth Group Dinner: Youth group members and teachers will be gathering for fellowship and lessons on October 4th from 6:30 PM-8:00 PM. We will be meeting at the Delaware Township government center (9094 E 131st Street in Fishers) during our parish expansion construction. We will be meeting every other week until usable space is available at HFEC. Please see Marty Blake for more information.



Breakfast Buddies: Join us for our adult meal group gathering beginning at 8:30 AM on Saturday, October 10th at the Roost in Fishers. No cooking, no clean up!

Canoeing & Camping for Youth Group: Join us in God's splendid outdoors on Saturday-Sunday, October 17th-18th at Mounds State Park for tent camping and a canoeing trek down the White River. Instead of a lock-in this fall, let's do a get-out weekend! Cost for the weekend is \$25. Please see Mrs. Everett to RSVP or to get more information.



Other News

Choir Rehearsal Moved: Choir rehearsal tonight, October 1st will be held at the Paden residence at 7 PM. Please contact Bethany Paden for directions. jjohnston@hfec.org

Acolyte Training: Due to the recent power outage, our acolyte training will be rescheduled.



Insanity Workout: Youth group members and parents are invited to attend "Insanity" group exercise class at the Fishers YMCA (9012 E 126th Street) in the group exercise room from 12 PM-1 PM on Sunday October 4th. Please bring a water bottle and loads of energy! If you are a member of the Y, please bring your membership card. If you are not, a guest pass will be provided. Please contact Marty Blake for details.

Senior Brunch: High school seniors are invited to our next gathering on Sunday, October 11th at 12 Noon at the Blake residence. This month's topic is college preparation. Please contact the church office to RSVP. admin@hfec.org

Brotherhood of St. Andrew: All men of the church are invited to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew meeting on Tuesday, October 27th at 7 PM. We will begin with prayer, have our monthly meeting, then gather for fellowship.

Thanks Be to God

- Lauren Hendrickson, Cheryl Burke, Jolene Johnston, Susan Stahly, Bryan Luce, and Dan Chillemi for their work in organizing the Community Block Party; congregation members who worked on the food vendor committee and to prepare other items in advance; all volunteers who worked at the event; everyone who loaned out the use of their tents, lights, plastic tubs, and electrical cords
- Marco's Pizza, Pure Eatery, Archer's Meats, and YATS for staffing food tents at the Community Block Party



Thank You!!!



Carol Bruns	October 1
Daryl Ewick	October 4
Jennifer McGuire	October 7

Happy Anniversary

Chris & Jennifer McGuire	October 4
Jonathan & Linda Gosser	October 7