

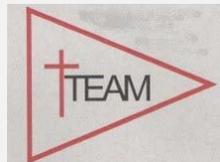
The Salter

*You are the salt
of the earth.*
Matthew 5:13

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Please remember:

T.E.A.M.

The need continues to grow.

Please be generous!



Friday Lunches

Lunches are held on the first and third Friday of the month at 12:00 p.m. The dates for this month are October 5 and 19. (Please sign-up to attend)



Blessing of the Animals
Sunday, October 7,
at 12:00 p.m.



ECW
Vendor Fair
Saturday, October 20,
from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Vision and Mission

Our vision for St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church is to build and to sustain a vibrant and diverse community centered around common worship, fellowship, service, and education.



The mission of St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church, a parish for all people, is to extend God's gracious love and hospitality to each other and to the community by providing worship that inspires, opportunities for service and growth on life's journey, and a sacred place in the heart of Florissant where people can find wholeness and strength.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

October 7 'Blessing of the Animals'
October 27 'Trunk or Treat'
November 3 Holiday Dinner
November 4 All Saints Day
November 21 Thanksgiving Eve Eucharist
November 22-23 Office closed



Just a Word...

Greetings!

Whether you have been traveling, enjoying a St. Louis summer with family or friends, or avoiding the summer heat, 'Welcome to a new program year!'

Many of you read our Senior Warden's excellent article in last month's issue regarding our new Sunday schedule. We've tweaked the start time of Christian Education to begin at 8:15 a.m. This semester the group is studying the Gospel of Matthew and everyone is invited to join in on the discussions. If 8:15 a.m. on Sunday mornings is too early then join us on Thursday mornings for Bible Study ('Gospel Musings' explores the upcoming Sunday gospel passages) at 10:30 a.m. Inquirer Classes will begin shortly and will be scheduled according to the wishes of the group and all are invited to join us! Of course, there will be the usual regularly scheduled meetings and annual events such as 'Fill the Ford', the Blessing of the Animals, the E.C.W. Vendor Fair, 'Trunk or Treat', and more!

Don't see anything that piques your interest? Then we invite you to bring YOUR ideas to the table as part of your stewardship! Would you like to see a book club or movie nights? Let's start them! Want to get together with others for Morning or Evening Prayer? Let's set it up! Want to do more outreach in the community? Let's explore what is out there and/or find other ways to be more present to our neighbors! Tired of seeing empty pews? Then make a commitment to be more present and bring a friend or neighbor with you! We invite YOU to be part of our journey together.

Speaking of stewardship, we will soon enter the "official" stewardship season. We ALL have something to share. One of the worse things we can do as a parish is to rest on the past and not look toward the future! How will you use your time, talents, and treasure? How might we make better use of our resources and gifts within the Body of Christ, the larger community and within our diocese?

God's continued blessings to you and yours!

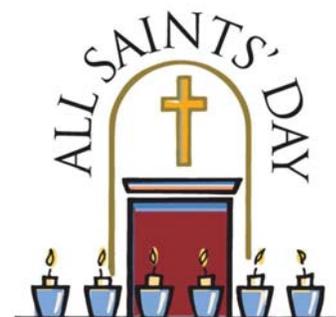
Your sister in the Redeemer,

Rev. Renee+

All Saints Sunday November 4, 2018

If you would like to include your loved ones in the memorial display for All Saints Day, please bring in your pictures between Sunday, October 28 and Thursday, November 1. We will be setting up on Friday, November 2. Please have pictures in table top frames. Please leave your pictures in the box provided in the Narthex. Pictures may be picked up following the November 4th service. Pictures not picked up following the service will be returned to the box in Narthex for pick-up.

Please call Diana Howarth if you have any questions.



Women of the Church - ECW

What are YOU doing Saturday, October 20 between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.? I will give you some place fabulous to go. You have been there many times before. In fact, it is one of your favorite places! How do I know this? I see you most Sundays at this fabulous place where there is much love and respect for each one of you. The hospitality cannot be beat! The music is heavenly. The friendships last forever.

The place will be St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in the fabulous newly redecorated parish hall. What's going on there? Thanks for asking. There will be an exciting vendor fair. That's right. An exciting vendor fair! Come, browse, and buy from the vendors who have been with us for the past four years. Come and meet new vendors that are with us for the first time. Bring a friend. Bring a family member. Just come. Proceeds from the sale will go to St. Barnabas and our outreach organizations. Please support your church and charity organizations at the same time.

Refreshments will be available for purchase during your search for that perfect gift.

If you have any questions, please contact one of 'women of the church – ECW'.

Karen Birr



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY BLESSING



Lana Maggart, Dave Palmer, Sylvia Robbins - Birthdays
Jim & Karen Birr - Anniversary

Please remember your pledges!





EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN

Seeking Sharing Serving

Women of St. Barnabas: We have begun our new year with our first meeting held Wednesday, September 12. We held a successful "Dress for Success" with many clothes and items coming from our church family. We had some clothes brought in from our neighbors. The Dress for Success people were very delighted with what we delivered to them.

Every parish in The Episcopal Church throughout the country and across the seas has a core set of women who volunteer in all aspects of their parish and beyond. By doing so, the women volunteer to do whatever is needed within their capabilities by serving their parish with actions; not just words. Are you that kind of woman? Are you a Martha or Mary?

Our purpose is to serve our Lord through close fellowship, spiritual nourishment, and charitable works. Our mission is to help provide for the needs of the church and the community through prayer, assistance, and support in time of loss. Our vision is to become a vibrant blend of all ages by coming together as a healing and supportive part of the parish and to aspire to be a God-spark, shining and sharing the love of Christ.

ALL women of St. Barnabas are welcome to attend the meetings and share the direction of the many things these core women do. You can do this by coming to the meetings held the second Wednesday of each month, September through May.

Our next meeting will be: Wednesday, October 10, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in the parish hall and chaired by Mary Anselmo. The meeting is followed with lunch. If you attend, please bring a sandwich to share. Sylvia Robbins will provide the chips, Holly Garrett the salad, and Mary Anselmo the dessert.

We will be discussing the upcoming vendor fair to be held in the parish hall on Saturday, October 20. If you would like to have a table (costing \$25) please contact Karen Birr for the reservation form. If you would like to come and help set up on Friday, October 19, or help during the fair, please let Karen Birr know. You are more than welcome to serve as Christ as taught us. All proceeds go back to St. Barnabas and our outreach projects.

If you attend the October meeting, it is another opportunity to serve Christ by being with your fellow Christian women friends to help select the upcoming projects. Sunday, February 17, 2019, will be our 'chili cook off.' Look for more details in future Salters and bulletins.

Remember: Wednesday, October 10, at 10a.m. Come to the parish hall for some fellowship.

Blessings to all,
Karen Birr



The Annual Holiday Dinner will be held Saturday, November 3, 2018.

Your Opportunity to Serve the Church Community!

MANY Volunteers are needed to donate and cook turkeys and for set-up, serving, and clean-up the day of the dinner.

There will be sign-up sheets on the narthex table for turkey donations & cooking and for working the day of the dinner.

Please contact Carol Stout with questions regarding turkey donations for the Holiday Dinner.

10 (plus one) "Rules for Respect"

9. I do not manipulate; I will not be manipulated; do not let others manipulate you. Do not let others manipulate me through you. I will not preach "at you." I will leave conviction to the Holy Spirit.

Our St. Barnabas family has covenant with our rector and each other to live by 11 "Rules for Respect." We will highlight one each month in our Salter as a reminder.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Christmas Shoe Box Outreach 2018

St Barnabas will be participating in the program once again. Empty shoe boxes will be available on Sunday, November 4, and the deadline for return and pick up is Sunday, November 18.

This is a short time frame to shop and fill a box. I urge everyone think about shopping for those small treasures in October to save time in November.

Thank you,
Jim Hollenberg



HUNGER SUNDAY October 14

October's theme is **SOUP**.

Suggestions :

canned chili

any canned or dry soups

chicken & dumplings

canned stew

Please keep T.E.A.M. in mind when you do your grocery shopping.

Thank you, Jim Hollenberg

Upcoming-November 11

CROPPETTES



The Croppettes meet every second Saturday in Tudor Hall from 9:00 a.m. til 4:00 p.m.

All crafters are welcome to attend, bring your needle work, rug hooking, card making, scrapbooking, etc.

We are fortunate to have two vendors that usually attend the gatherings:

Stampin Up *Rena Novak – consultant.* usually does a card making class. Preregistration is required for the class. She also brings paper crafting supplies.

Creative Memories & Youngevity *Charlie Roth – consultant.* She brings paper crafting supplies for purchase.

Let Debbie Palmer know if you want to be on the email list for the vendors



HUMMUS bi TAHINI

One 15.5 ounce can garbanzo beans (chickpeas), drained, liquid reserved.
 3 tablespoons tahini
 2 garlic cloves, crushed through a press, or more to taste
 1 teaspoon ground cumin
 1/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil, plus more for garnish or to taste
 1/4 teaspoon ground hot red (cayenne) pepper
 Paprika for garnish

1. Combine beans, lemon juice, tahini, garlic, and cumin in a food processor and puree. With the processor running, add 1/4 cup of the oil, then enough of the bean liquid (about 1/4 cup) to make the hummus smooth and fluffy. Season with salt and red pepper. Transfer to a bowl, cover, and refrigerate to blend the flavors, at least 1 hour, or up to 3 days.
2. Mound the hummus in a serving bowl. Using the back of a table spoon, make an indentation in the center, and fill it with a spoonful of oil. Sprinkle paprika over the top.
3. Serve at room temperature.

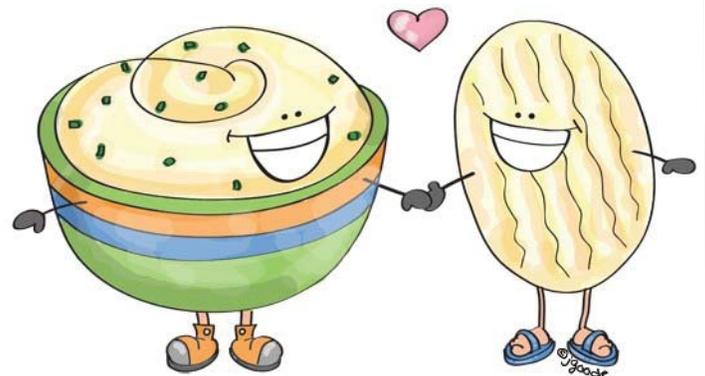
- ♦ *Herbed Hummus': Omit the cumin. Add 2 teaspoons chopped fresh thyme or rosemary or 2 table spoons chopped fresh basil or cilantro to the humus.*
- ♦ *Red Pepper Humus: Puree 1 roasted, peeled, and seeded red bell pepper.*

LARA'S ONION DIP

3 OR 4 large white onions
 1 cup mayonnaise
 1 cup sour cream (add a little more than the mayo)
 A little salt
 A bit more pepper than salt

Pour enough oil into a skillet to cover the bottom of the skillet.
 Heat oil to medium and add the onions. Cover with the lid and cook for 20 minutes until sweated. (NO PEEKING)
 Take the lid off and continue to cook until the onions are golden brown. Put the cooked onion in a bowl and add the other mixture. (LAYS WAVY chips are very tasty with this dip.) *ENJOY!!*

*Both submitted by
 Caroline Moore*





5TH ANNUAL VENDOR FAIR

Sponsored by the *Episcopal Church Women (ECW)*
of St. Barnabas Episcopal Church

Saturday, October 20, 2018

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church

2900 St. Catherine (Florissant)

(Across from McCluer North High School)

A few of 2017 Vendors:

Jewelry by "The Girls"; Sew Fine Designs; Salsas, Sauces & Jellies;
PartyLite; Norwex & Lemongrass Spa; LuLaRoe;
Painted Wood Birdhouses; A&C Creations; Crafts by Steph;
Pampered Chef; Premier Designs Jewelry;
Keys with a Twist/Crocheted Items;
Thirty-One Products; BabyalittleExtra

Who will be the 2018 Vendors? Come and find out. You won't want to miss the opportunity to purchase some items for yourself or as Christmas gifts.

Bring your children, grandchildren and neighborhood children to
St. Barnabas' Fourth Annual

Trunk or Treat

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27
5:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.



We appreciate your candy donations! Please drop them off in the church office. If you are interested in distributing candy for Trunk or Treat, please sign up on list outside Tudor Hall.



**St. Barnabas Episcopal Church
Annual Holiday Dinner
Fund Raiser!**

Saturday, November 3, 2018, from 4:00 to 7:00

Turkey Dinners with all the trimmings

\$8.00 adult, \$4.00 child, Hot Dog plate \$2.00

Eat-in or carry out

October 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 7:00 p.m. N.A. (u)	2 10:00 a.m. Al-Anon (th)	3	4 10:30 a.m. "Gospel Musings" (Bible Study)	5 12:00 p.m. Parish Luncheon	6 9:00 a.m. Weekly Maintenance
7 8:15 a.m. Christian Education 9:00 a.m. Choir 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 12:00 p.m. Blessing of the Animals	8 7:00 p.m. N.A. (u)	9 10:00 a.m. Al-Anon (th) 7:00 p.m. Worship Team	10 10:00 a.m. ECW (th) 7:00 p.m. Vestry Meeting (th)	11 10:30 a.m. "Gospel Musings" (Bible Study) 12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Cornerstone (th & n)	12 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Cornerstone (th & n)	13 8:30 a.m. Croppettes (th) 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Cornerstone (u & n) 9:00 a.m. Weekly Maintenance 1:30 p.m. Bridge Group (th)
14 8:15 a.m. Christian Education 9:00 a.m. Choir 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Cornerstone	15 9:00 a.m. – 4:00pm Cornerstone (th & n) 5:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (th) 7:00 p.m. N.A. (u)	16 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Cornerstone (th & n) 10:00 a.m. Al-Anon (u)	17	18 10:30 a.m. "Gospel Musings" (Bible Study) 6:30 p.m. Bunco (th)	19 ECW Vendor Fair Set-up	20 7:00 a.m. ECW Vendor Fair 9:00 a.m. Weekly Maintenance 6:30 p.m. Gourmet Group (off site)
21 8:15 a.m. Christian Education 9:00 a.m. Choir 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist	22 5:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (th) 7:00 p.m. N.A. (u)	23 10:00 a.m. Al-Anon (th)	24	25 10:30 a.m. "Gospel Musings" (Bible Study)	26 7:00 p.m. Dollar Dish @ Mike & Sally Boyd's	27 9:00 a.m. Weekly Maintenance 5:30 p.m. Trunk or Treat
28 8:15 a.m. Christian Education 9:00 a.m. Choir 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist	29 5:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (th) 7:00 p.m. N.A. (u)	30 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Al-Anon Mtg & Potluck (th)	31			

October 2018 Serving Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Worship Leaders</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Greeter</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Altar Guild</u>	<u>Bursars</u>	<u>Babysitter</u>
10/7 <u>10:00 a.m.</u>	Ron Grames Lana Maggart	Mary Dobbs Clark Burton	C-1 Dave Sinclair	Lynn Grames	Vivian Hartsfield Janetta Roberts	Diana Howarth Terry Toolen	Dusty Hassler Dennis Haefner	Ryden Grames Sheron Howe
10/14 <u>10:00 a.m.</u>	Holly Garrett Carol Stout	Dennis Haefner Harry Goff	C-1 Dusty Hassler	Lynn Grames	Jim Hoefener David Sinclair	Arbie Hollenberg	Dennis Haefner Dave Palmer	Ryden Grames John Palmer
10/21 <u>10:00 a.m.</u>	Lynn Grames Diana Howarth	Sharon Love Nancy Heinze	C-1 Ethan Grames	Lynn Grames	Andrea Bogue Lana Maggart	Carol Stout Nancy Heinze	Dave Palmer Jim Howe	Ryden Grames Arbie Hollenberg
10/28 <u>10:00 a.m.</u>	Harry Goff Lana Maggart	Lynn Grames Harry Ragland	C-1 Dave Sinclair	Lynn Grames	Nancy Heinze Carolyn Stout	Diana Howarth Terry Toolen	Jim Howe John Palmer	Ryden Grames Gwen Ragland
11/4 <u>10:00 a.m.</u>	Dave Sinclair Clark Burton	Ron Grames Andria Sinclair	C-1 Dusty Hassler	Harry Goff	Jim Hollenberg Arbie Hollenberg	Vivian Hartsfield Janetta Roberts	John Palmer Dave Sinclair	Ryden Grames Julie Manton

Please contact the office at 314-837-7113 to report any schedule changes, so the bulletins will be correct. Thank You!

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Vestry

Senior Warden: Dennis Haefner (2018)
Junior Warden: Kelly Snider (2020)
Clerk: Debbie Haefner

Vestry Members:

Sally Boyd (2019)
Clark Burton (2021)
Dusty Hassler (2021)
Diana Howarth (2019)
Susan Oris (2020)
Deb Palmer (2020)

Convention Delegate
Debbie Haefner (2020)

Alternate Delegate
Diana Howarth (2020)



**Please remember our members who are
unable to attend:**

Betty Hoefener, Jeanne Geise, Yvonne Jones,
Sara Henry, Cornelius Manuel, Rosalie Cox, and
Kiernan Murphy

Kiechlin-Smith	Kathy	1-Oct
Grames	Meredith	3-Oct
Dobbs	Michael	9-Oct
Lappin	Joy	10-Oct
Stout	Carolyn	13-Oct

Happy Birthday to you all!

We are updating our records. Please let the office know if anyone was missed on the list!