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TEN COMMANDMENTS SERIES The two groups meeting to view and then discuss the Ten Commandments video series by Sr. Joan Chittister are over halfway through the course. This coming *WEDNESDAY* at 1:15pm, and *THURSDAY* evening at 7pm, the groups will be viewing Commandment 9 "Thou shall not covet your neighbor's wife" or as Joan has renamed this commandment, "The Law of Self-Control." Please feel free to join either group.

OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP IN COMMUNITY

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER Please consider joining us for a prayer opportunity each Thursday from 12-1pm, meeting in Zig Zag #1. Quietly connect with God's presence in a supportive group environment that prioritizes silence, gentleness, and imagination.

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE
July 12, 2015**

8:00am Eucharist

Lector/Lessons & Psalm Julie Conlee
LEM(s) Julie Conlee & Sandy Dunton
Prayers Sandy Dunton
Greeter Sam Thompson

9:15am Eucharist

Lector Chuck Gray
LEMs Emily Pease & Gary Sandling
Andy McNeil
Prayers Emily Pease
Preacher Melinda Tremblay
Crucifer Clara Wincheski
Candle-bearers Louie Wincheski & Nicholas Kellogg
Gospel Book TBD
Healing Prayers Annabel Ebersole & Melissa Bennett
Greeters Stephanie Castleman-Argue
Ushers Dana & Renee De Jager

11:00am Eucharist

Lector/Lessons & Psalm Anna Wolf & Dick Mericle
LEMs Leslie Cochrane & Ted Lyman
Alan Melton
Prayers Leslie Cochrane
Crucifer Vicky Harder
Candle-bearers TBD & TBD
Gospel Book TBD
Healing Stations lone O'Connor & Carol Haas-Reynolds
Greeters Carol Lynch
Ushers Ed Pease & Tony D'Alessandro

ALL SERVICES

Verger
Counters
Altar Guild
Flower Delivery

8 & 9:15 Parker Burden; 11:00 Linda James
Bonnie & Bill Cooper
Mary Driscoll's Team 1
Shirley & Bob Saunders; Lois Stough

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon. July 13 12:00 pm Benedictine Prayer (S)
5:30 pm AA (S) (per the routine—Mon-Fri)
7:00 pm Women's NA (MH)
Tues. July 14 2:00 pm OSL Coord. Mtg. (L)
Wed. July 15 6:30 am Benedictine Group (S/MH)
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist Rite II
1:15 pm Ten Commandments Series (MH)
Thu. July 16 12:00 pm Contemplative Prayer (ZZ1)
6:00 pm Vestry (MH)
7:00 pm Ten Commandment Series (CR)
Sat. July 18 8:00 am Men's Fellowship Group (MH)
Sun. July 19 8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:15 am Holy Eucharist Rite III
11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite II

WELCOME TO ST. MARTIN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH



Children are always welcome here. We have some toys and books available in the entryway. Please ask an usher to show you.



If you are used to receiving communion in your own church, you are welcome to do so here. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, signal this by crossing your arms in front of your chest. Gluten-free communion wafers are available if required: please tell the priest who is administering communion.



The church has hearing assistance devices. Take a basket from the table in the entryway.



Please take a moment to mute your mobile phone before the service begins. Thank you.

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**What's Happening at
St. Martin's**

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, July 12, 2015

**We offer gluten-free wafers upon request at the altar rail.*

LITURGICAL COLOR = GREEN

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

SPECIAL APPEAL TO ELIMINATE OUR MORTGAGE OBLIGATION In order to advance important ministries, the Vestry and a Fundraising Task Force of parishioners seek to eliminate our **\$73,000** mortgage obligation on our Parish Hall building ahead of schedule through a special appeal. We encourage everyone to help us reach this achievable and liberating accomplishment by mid-September. Thus far, we have reached just over **\$39,160.80** Thank you! Gifts of all amounts earmarked for "mortgage obligation" via check or appreciated securities are earnestly invited, and we encourage those who would like to discuss particulars to contact us via office@stmartinswmbg.org or 757.229.1111. Thank you for your consideration -- and generous action -- in this worthy endeavor.

TREASURER'S UPDATE The year is half over, and we slipped a little in May. Pledges and Givers of Record were under budget for the month by almost \$4,000, dropping our YTD shortfall to over \$16,000. So please stay current over the summer and ensure we stay on budget. On the other hand, a special thanks to all of you who have contributed to the Pay off the Mortgage Fund. We are making great progress, but there is still time to contribute to this important event in the life of our church....full report next month.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

A CALL FOR LEMS AND LECTORS Are you an 8 o'clocker or an 11 o'clocker who is interested in serving as a Licensed Eucharistic Minister or a Lector helping the priests with Sunday service? We are looking for people who are interested in serving in these positions. If you are interested, contact Father Clay or Sandy Dunton. We would like to have you join us in this important ministry.

BUILDING & GROUNDS VOLUNTEERS There are three ways parishioners can help B&G: (1) join the commission--it meets the 1st Monday of the month from 7-8:30pm; (2) turn out on spring and fall half-day work days; and (3) help with episodic events that call for first

responders like:

- Mopping flooding in Coop and Choir Room due to torrential rains
- Moving things from one part of our campus to another
- Help level brick/paver walks and Memorial Garden plaques.
- Join the list of folks with special skills such as painting * parking lot striping * power washing * HVAC systems * asphalt/concrete walkways/driveways repair * all types of engineers * upholsters * and anyone who is not height adverse to replace sanctuary and Miles Hall light bulbs.

You are invited to join the B&G Commission to help once or twice a year or more often if you can. Get in touch with Satoshi Ito, Junior Warden at itoathome@cox.net. (He's hoping to hear from YOU.)

FLOWER DELIVERY VOLUNTEERS Do you enjoy being social and helping others? We have just the perfect fit. Our flower delivery ministry is seeking additional members. These folks disassemble our floral arrangements and personally deliver smaller flower arrangements to fellow parishioners following Sunday's 11am church service. Please consider volunteering to help with this. Contact Gayle Mapp at 757-784-5984 or email at gaylej1964@cox.net. (Did you call yet?)

ST. MARTIN'S FOOD MINISTRY @ ST. PAUL'S NEWPORT NEWS For those interested in supporting an important outreach program, please consider supporting St. Martin's food ministry at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Newport News. On **Saturday, 15 August**, a group of St. Martin's parishioners will prepare, serve, and share a meal at St. Paul's with local residents for whom this meal is important. This is a rewarding outreach experience for all parishioners—including teenagers. The St. Martin's contingent normally leaves the church about 9:30 am; serves the meal at noon, and is back in Williamsburg by about 1:30 pm. Anyone who is interested should contact Cindy Jordan (757-784-1678). (Great opportunity!)

PLEASE PRAY FOR MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY Please pray for all those who hurt or are in need of healing, especially Peggy Donohue-Cope, Stephanie Alexander, Becky Garrison, Chauncey Burgazli, Ed Morgan, Donna Keating, Connie and Chris Harris, Janet Adair, Sue Ducibella, for those serving in our Armed Forces, for all who have returned home injured and for the homeless and those in transitional housing. Lord Jesus Christ, Good Shepherd of the sheep, you gather the lambs in your arms and carry them in your bosom. We commend to your loving care our friends who are receiving hospice support, especially Carole Opel.

CONTINUING CONCERNS Please also pray for Richard McGrew, Carol Haas-Reynolds, Cap Neilson, Tyler, Henry White, Fay Hardman, Jeff Jones, Helen Miles, Keith Muschlitz, Josh, Pamela Berry, Kathleen, Bill McKinnon, Gary Osborn, Barbara Macri, Bill and Kandy Burks, Joseph, Grace Hatfield, Elliott Hopkins Joachim, Ralph & Joyce Cobb, Wayne Connors, Abe Gardner, Nancy Contos, Don Ennis, Ruth Connors, The Marshall family, John David, Tommy Robinette, Rob

Hawkes, Fran and Cathie, Florence Page, Robbie, Mason Taylor, Gigi Kramer, June Connor, Evelyn Berge, Joanne Cheves, Chancellor, Rose, Kathy Sweeley, Laura and Al Tersigni, Wesley Dudley, Maureen, Carole Falter, Amanda O'Donnell, Mary Catherine Palmer, Emily Martin, Dale D'Alessandro, Mackenzie Shuler, Ruth Hay, Louis, Martha Dowling, Alex Haislit, Brenda Minnick, Liz, Mal Hunt, Pam Ramage, Pete Vermillion, Shirley Damon, Chauncey Burgazli, Emma Hagaman, the Ducibella family, Dorothy Fortney, Pamela Berry, Meador-Wolfe family, Jim and Marcia Weatherstone, Fran Kibler, Jack Molloy, Amanda Hail, Christine, Christopher Maye, Jennifer AxteLL, John and Carol, Catherine Gormley, Ken McKinney, Ellen and Daron Woodley, Barbara Leigh, David Dry, Candace Jordan, Lissa Arruda, Rebecca Edwards, Lucinda Dudley, Elaine Benedict, Jackie Livingston, Cathy Stanke, Betty Tyrell, Aubrey, Joan Baumbach, David Crockett, Julia Mixon, Mary Hawthorne, Helen Turner, Christina Rutherford-Luntzer, Brian Canady, Richard Weiman, Glenn Brown, Holt Perry, Eva David, Vicky Surface, Hank Beazlie, Stephanie Castleman-Argue, Richard, Ann Youngman, Daniel Caruso, Lou Wagner, Dustin N., Nancy Mehegan, Bud, Frances Drake, Douglas Lee, Al Kirby, Bryan Arruda, Donna & Mel Vogelsang, Rick Lemmon, Katherine Witten, the Hayes Family, Joan Edwards, Norman Pease, Linda Loyd, Ed Beckheimier, Pam Davey, Donna Tillage, Martin Vought, Cary Holland, Jason Melton, Clara Coleman, Doris Yates, Christopher Lloyd, Carol McGill, Kay Russell

RESIDENTS OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES: Chambrel Becky Garrison **Heritage Commons** Charlie Cooke **Morningside** Rubye DeWitt **Spring Arbor** Hilda Offutt, Mary Catherine Palmer, Myrtle Engs, Venita Terrien **Walter Reed** Gladys Wright **Woodhaven** Barbara Rockwell

EXTENDED FAMILY & FRIENDS DEPLOYED IN THE MILITARY: Travis Connell, Christopher Carlen, Kristin Hand, Matt Hand, Robert Terrien, Timothy Haney, Sean Kirkpatrick, Kate Porter, Andrew Breeckner, and Daniel Viejo.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW SPIRITUALLY

FORWARD DAY BY DAY The Forward Day by Day booklets for August, September, October arrived and are in the round rotating table in the Narthex.

MEN'S BREAKFAST GROUP This month's meeting date will be Saturday, July 18th, at 8am in Miles Hall. *Please join us. Questions about the organization? Please contact Dave Holtgrieve at 603-918-8900 or email at dbleuedog@gmail.com.*

ROB BELL COMING TO RICHMOND Rob Bell (well-known pastor, featured guest on Oprah's "Super Soul Sunday," author of "Love Wins" and producer of the Nooma video series (both of which SMEC have used in the Adult Forum) is coming to The National, 708 E. Broad Street, Richmond, on Tuesday, July 21 at 8:30pm. On his "Everything is Spiritual" tour, Rob Bell does what he does best, making surprising

connections between the universe you're living in and the life you're living, showing us how science and spirituality are long lost dance partners. You may purchase your tickets (\$20-balcony & \$25 orchestra) at <http://robbell.com/portfolio/tour/>. If you want to join a group going from SMEC, please call the office and ask to have your name put on the list.

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY... FPU We all need a plan for our money. **FPU** is that plan! It teaches God's way of handling money. Through video teaching, class discussions and interactive small group activities, FPU presents biblical, practical steps to get from where you are to where you've dreamed you could be. This plan will show you how to get rid of debt, manage your money, spend and save wisely, and much more! **FPU is fun!** Not a stuffy economics class, you'll laugh as you learn money skills and participate in entertaining activities. **It's easy to understand!** Each lesson is broken down into simple baby steps. **It's going to change your life!** Learn how to take control of your money, invest for the future, and give like never before.

Classes are Sundays, Sept 20 through Nov 15, 4 to 6 PM, at St. Martin's Church Choir Room. Class size is limited. Cost of materials: \$93 per couple. To register, contact Cindy Albert 229-2020 or email CinAlbert@aol.com

VBS IN NEED OF CRAFT SUPPLIES UPDATED "Children Called by God: Building Faith Brick by Brick" is the theme for the area's Episcopal churches' Vacation Bible School. Hickory Neck is hosting the Williamsburg area Episcopal churches, August 3-7, 9:00am to noon. St. Martin's is actively looking for volunteers to act as helpers to those in charge of the various centers during VBS. There is a place to volunteer on the back of the registration form. Forms are available in the Narthex on the children's worship aids table. Contact Ann Meyer at 229-1111.

CURRENTLY COLLECTING for VBS crafts: Clear plastic water bottles with caps, baby food jars with tops, empty cereal boxes, styrofoam produce trays, plain plastic headbands, washed handkerchiefs, masking tape (new or like new, not gummy), washable markers, solid-colored wrapping paper or bulletin board paper, jumbo-sized plastic pretzel/cheese, puff/snack mix containers and lids, spray paints, round or rectangular plastic take-out containers with lids (not clamshells), building toys: LEGO, Duplo, MegaBlock, and other building blocks. Past enrollment indicates we need a minimum of 100 of each of these.

CHRISTIAN IN A SECULAR WORLD EFM is a distance-learning program, for adult Christian formation through theological education and reflection offered by the Beecken Center of the School of Theology at the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee. It encompasses Old Testament, New Testament, church history, and theology over a 4-year period (you register for one year at a time). This seminar program invites participants into small, mentored groups that provide the framework for understanding life and sharing actions as Christian faith is deepened. There is a new group beginning at St. Martin's in September. The group meets during the academic year on Thursdays from 7-9 pm. We have scholarships available. To find out more, please call Ann