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Service Schedule

-Sunday-
Holy Eucharist
8.30 a.m. & 10.30 a.m.
Rite I at 8.30, First Sundays;
Healing Service at 8.30,
Third Sundays

-Wednesday-
Holy Eucharist
6.00 p.m.

-Friday-
Prayer & Meditation
5.30 p.m.

Holy Days as announced.

Calendar

Sunday, 14 July

This Week & Weekend at St Andrew's

Wednesday, 10 July
Pod Open to receive large donations to the Tag Sale
9.00 a.m. - Noon

Holy Eucharist for the Eve of St Benedict
at 6.00 p.m.

A.A. for Women at 7.00 p.m.
(Moved to First Church for the month of July))

Thursday, 11 July

A.A. at 7.30 a.m. (Parish House)
Parish Office Open 10.00 a.m. - 2.00 p.m.
Al. Anon. at 7.00 p.m. (Vestry Room)

Friday, 12 July

Pod open to receive large donations to the Tag Sale
9.00 - Noon
Prayer & Meditation at 5.30 p.m.

Saturday, 13 July

Pod open to receive large donations to the Tag Sale
9.00 a.m. - Noon

Sunday, 14 July

Holy Eucharist at 8.30 a.m.
Bible Study at 9.30 a.m. (Library)
Holy Eucharist at 10.30 a.m.
Iced Tea & Cookies at 11.30 a.m. (Parish House)

Monday, 15 July

Pod open to receive large donations to the Tag Sale
9.00 a.m. - Noon

Tuesday, 16 July

Parish Office open 10.00 a.m. - Noon

Wednesday, 17 July

Pod Open to receive large donations to the Tag Sale
9.00 a.m. - Noon

Holy Eucharist for the Feast of William White
at 6.00 p.m.

A.A. for Women at 7.00 p.m. (moved to First Church)

Bible Study at 9.30 a.m.
(Library)

Friday, 19 July
Vestry Potluck Supper
at 6.30 p.m.
(47 Upper Kent Hollow
Road)

Sunday, 21 July
Vestry Meeting at Noon
(Library)

**Friday - Sunday
2 - 4 August
Annual Tag Sale**

Sunday, 11 August
Bible Study at 9.30 a.m.
(Library)

Friday, 9 August
Music in the Nave
at 8.00 p.m.

Friday, 30 August
Music in the Nave
at 8.00 p.m.

Monday, 9 September
St Andrew's Crafters
4.00 - 6.00 p.m.
(Parish House)

Friday, 13 September
Farewell Gathering at the
Community House
at 6.30 p.m.

Sunday, 22 September
Dylan Mello, the new
Missioner of the NW
Region, will preach at
10.30 a.m.
Farewell Coffee
at 11.30 a.m.
(Great Room)

Sunday, 13 October
**Canon Tolzmann
will preside, preach,
and make a
presentation about the
time of transition
between rectors.**

Saturday - Sunday
26 - 27 October
Diocesan Convention
Connecticut
Convention Center
(Hartford)

Twelve Step Groups

Wednesdays
7:00 p.m.

From the Rector

Dear Friends,

The Reverend Canon Lee Ann Tolzmann, who oversees the transitions process in the congregations of the ECCT, will preside and preach at both liturgies on Sunday, 13 October, and she will also make a presentation concerning the transition process for St Andrew's Parish after my retirement on 1 October. I do encourage all of you to plan to be in church on that morning, to greet her and to hear what she has to say.

Canon Tolzmann has already been in touch with our Wardens, Charmian Place and Christopher Rehkow, and has asked them to arrange for supply clergy to be here for several weeks beginning on 6 October. Although I think that we will be fortunate to have supply clergy helping out frequently if not on every Sunday, there is a clergy shortage throughout The Episcopal Church and it may be that, from time to time, our lay preachers will need to preside at Morning Prayer on Sunday mornings. This will mean that the Sunday liturgies will not be celebrations of the Eucharist (at which a priest must preside), but will rather be the usual 'Morning Service' of the Episcopal Church before Eucharistic rites became as frequent as they have been for the past 35 or so years.

Since last autumn, we have been occasionally using the office of Morning Prayer as the Liturgy of the Word before celebrating the Eucharist, and our lay preachers have presided at that portion of the service. Beginning on next Sunday, 14 July, we will frequently be using the entire Morning Prayer service as the liturgy of the day at 10.30, and when we do so we will follow it with a much abbreviated Eucharistic rite for those who would like to stay afterwards to make their Communions.

Our lay preachers will preside at Morning Prayer, and I shall begin the Eucharistic rite after the final hymn: if the Morning Prayer liturgy --the Daily Office, *officium*, 'duty'-- is sufficient for your own devotions, please do feel free to leave at the conclusion of the final hymn. If you want also to make your Communion, please do stay for another short while! All of this will allow our lay preachers to become comfortable leading Morning Prayer in addition to preaching, should they need of a Sunday to do both.

As the transition begins, the Wardens, the Vestry, our lay preachers (Randy DiPentima, Janet & Nick Downes, and David Lindley), and our Lay Eucharistic Ministers (Kathy Fricker and Bob McDowell) will assume increasing responsibility for the leadership of St Andrew's Parish until a Priest-in-Charge, an Interim has arrived. Please do whatever you can to support them, to keep them informed of hospitalizations or other needs of which you become aware. All of this is very much part of the discernment process, the beginning of your exploration of who you as a community of faith have the calling to become, and so please enter it with excitement and joy ...!

A.A. for Women
(moved to First Church
until 7 August)

Thursdays
A.A. at 7.30 a.m.
(Great Room)
Al-Anon. at 7.00 p.m.
(Vestry Room)

Parish Staff

The Revd Roger B. White,
Rector

Thomas W. Holcombe,
*Organist & Director of
Choirs*

Margie O'Brien,
*Director of the Children's
Choir*

Heather Scofield,
Parish Administrator

Joan I. Cassel
Financial Secretary

Bill McLaren,
Sexton

Randy Osolin,
Verger

Faithfully,
Roger+

Please Save the Dates!

*The Parish are invited to remember our
lives together over the past (almost) 34
years as the Rector prepares to retire on 1
October.*

*We will gather as a parish at the
Community House
on Friday, 13 September, at 6.30 p.m.*

*On Sunday, 22 September, we will gather
in the Parish House for a special
Coffee at 11.30 a.m.
with friends from the larger Kent
community.*

*The Rector's final Sunday here will be on
29 September,
the Feast of St Michael & All Angels.*

The Annual Tag Sale

THE ANNUAL TAG SALE
is 2 - 4 August

***Donation drop-offs accepted
1 - 29 July.***

***Household goods are received in the
Parish House.***

***Large items, especially furniture and
garden times will be received only at The
Pod only M, W, F, Sat.
9.00 - Noon, or by appointment.***

***Please donate books to the KML summer
sale and clothing to the Quality Thrift
Shop.***

***And please understand that we cannot
accept mattresses, box springs, old***

*computer equipment,
and heavy, upholstered items of furniture.*

*For questions or appointments, please call
Marel Rogers (860.364.0635)
marelrogers@yahoo.com*

**The New Missioner for the NW Region
of the ECCT**

*On 22 September, the Sunday when we
gather for a special Coffee with friends
from the wider Kent Community, Dylan
Mello, the new Missioner for the NW
Region of the ECCT, will be here to
introduce himself and to offer to be of what
assistance he can be during the transition.*

*Dylan is a delightful guy, a Postulant for
Holy Orders in the ECCT, and he and his
family will by then have moved into the
NW Corner. Please plan to welcome him
to our midst on that morning, and please
plan to introduce him to people you know
throughout the town!*

**A Request from FISH
'Friends in Service Here'**

FISH provides rides for those needing to keep
local medical appointments, and

***VOLUNTEERS
ARE VERY MUCH NEEDED,
IN PARTICULAR DRIVERS!
The sudden death of Jim Lovelett has
left FISH very short-handed***

***Please call Edith Altvater
(860.248.0316)
if you can help!***

SUMMER CAMP at CAMP WASHINGTON

The summer camping season is not all that far away, and Camp Washington has published their calendar for 2019.

Children's Camp (ages 7 - 12) will be from 30 June - 7 July & from 4 - 16 August. The one-week camp costs \$575 and the two-week camp \$1300.

Mini Camps (ages 5 - 10) will be from 14 - 16 July & from 17 - 19 July for \$275. There will be a Mini Day Camp from 15 - 19 July for \$300.

Please visit the Camp's website for more information and to register: www.campwashington.org or call 860.567.9623.

A Prayer for Change

This prayer has been used several times since this summer at Eucharist and several of you have asked that we reprint it again. It was developed by The Women's Prayer Circle of St John's Church in North Guilford, as a reflection on the state of the world and how to bring God's love. Their hope is, as more people and churches use and share it, the prayer will create an energy that will be a force for loving change.

A Prayer for Change

*Loving God,
You have made the whole of human life in your image;
each one of us shaped in love.
Your goodness is ever-present within us all.
But, there is so much evil and pain in our world,
it comes at us from every direction.
Teach us how to rediscover Your love within us,
to use that love as a force for good.
help us to turn our hearts toward the world in hope,
Praying for each other, regarding each other as treasure.
Join us all together in prayer, that we might be the light which
darkness can never overcome;
through Jesus Christ we pray.
Amen.*

The Homily from Pentecost IV

*Please click on the link below in order
to hear or read
the the Rector's Homily for 7 July
[HOMILY](#) for 7 July*

The Lections this Week

The Fifth Sunday

After Pentecost
14 July
Proper 10, Year C
Deuteronomy 30.9-14
Psalm 25.1-9
Colossians 1.1-14
Luke 10.25-37

Refreshments after the 10.30 a.m. Liturgy

From 30 June through Labor Day, we will once again be having iced tea and cookies after the 10.30 liturgy, and donations of cookies will be gratefully received. Please leave them on the pass-through into the kitchen!

St Andrew's Crafters

With the **Annual Christmas Bazaar** fewer than six months away, the St Andrew's Crafters will next meet on

Monday, 9 September
in the Parish House

and will continue to meet on the First Monday of the month through November.

Needed by The Kent Food Bank

This month, The Kent Food Bank is especially in need of
coffee, tea, sugar, nuts,
hot & cold breakfast cereals, canned soups,
canned or bottled fruit juices.

Please remember that the Food Bank accepts pet foods as well!

Also: the Bank is interested its selections for personal care including supplies for adult incontinence, soaps, toothpastes, feminine products, etc.

Donations may be dropped off in the basket in the narthex, to the left of the doors. And please: do try to make certain that the 'Best by ...' dates are not past!

The Annual Reports for 2018

The Reports presented at the Annual Meeting on Sunday, 21 January, are available in hardcopy form in the narthex or in the Parish Office, and may be view online by clicking on [Annual Report 2018](#)

Announcements

The Bible Study will meet

... on Sunday, 14 July, at 9.30 a.m. in the Parish Library.

A request from those who count the collection monies:

The counters ask us to help them by tagging our cheques so that they are certain as to how to receive them: as Pledge, as donations to the Capital Fund, donations to the Discretionary or Mission & Outreach Funds, etc.

Please remember that the loose offering on the first Sundays of the month

... is given to the Parish Discretionary Fund for those in any kind of need.

The Quality Thrift Shop

... at The First Congregational Church is very much an effort of the whole of our community to provide affordable clothing and household necessities to those who need them.

Members of St Andrew's Parish and of Sacred Heart Church help out there, and more help is urgently needed! Whatever hours you can give will be appreciated, and so please call 860.927.3287 if you are able to assist!

At nearby Camp Washington

190 Kenyon Road, Lakeside campwashington.org
860.567.9623

SECOND SUNDAYS at Camp Washington at 4.30 p.m.

Guest clergy will offer a short program, followed by worship and then a simple meal, at Camp Washington on the second Sunday of the month. Those interested are asked to make reservations at 860.567.9623. and a \$10 donation for the meal is welcomed.

Further information is available at campwashington.org

'Guatemala: Faith in the Face of Betrayal'

Join us at Camp Washington Sunday, July 14th at 4:30 pm - for a reflection and discussion with The Rev. Diana M. Rogers,

Priest-in-Charge
Church of the Holy Advent, Clinton

PLEASE RSVP (860) 567-9623

\$10.00 suggested donation for dinner.



Welcome Camp Washington has been nurturing exploration and transformation for over 100 years! Established in 1917, Camp Washington's beautiful 300 acre campus in the Litchfield Hills welcomes people of all faith traditions to find God in nature, to relax and learn, to have fun and make life long friends! Camp Washington is the official camp and retreat center of the Episcopal Church in Connecticut.
Camp Washington, a place of acceptance, joy and renewal for all God's people.

Summer Camps

CHILDREN'S CAMP (AGES 7-12) • JUNE 30 - AUGUST 5 & AUGUST 4 - 16
TEEN CAMP (AGES 12-16) • JULY 7-12 & JULY 21- AUG 2

All of the fun and excitement of summer camp in an open and nurturing environment. Hiking, campfires, arts & crafts, swimming, canoeing, theater, sports, exciting field trips & more! Camp offers age appropriate opportunities for exploration and growth.

MINI CAMP (AGES 5-10) • JULY 14-16 & JULY 17-19
MINI DAY CAMP (AGES 5-10) • JULY 15-19

Mini Camp is a fun filled program geared towards campers new to overnight camping. Campers will gain confidence in our fun and supportive community.

If you are not ready for an overnight experience, Mini Day Camp is for you! Join us as we pack in all of the camp fun between 9am - 4pm, including an exciting mid-week field trip!

Specialty Camps

WILDERNESS CAMP • JULY 14-19
TRACK 1, AGES 7-12 & TRACK 2, AGES 12-16

Wilderness Adventure Camp blends traditional camp with essential outdoor skills. Tent camping, outdoor cooking, and flashlight tag are just some of the Wilderness Adventure Camp activities that will foster a strong connection for you with both nature and God!

SERVICE LEADERSHIP CAMP (AGES 13-16) • JULY 14-19

Service Leadership Camp is a unique opportunity to give back and live God's mission of service. SLC campers will depart from Camp for three days to perform community outreach. Previous campers have volunteered at Shepherd Meadows Therapeutic Riding Center, The Salvation Army Hartford North End Corps, Hands On Hartford's Faces of Homelessness, and many others. Campers return each day, record their experiences with friends and counselors and further enjoy their camp experience on our beautiful campus. A CERTIFICATE FOR 30 HOURS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE WILL BE ISSUED UPON COMPLETION.

campwashington.org
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Music in the Nave

THE SHERMAN CHAMBER ENSEMBLE

Summer Concert Series

**Friday,
9 August
8.00 p.m.**

'Mendelssohn's Last'

Beach - Theme & Variations for Flute & Strings, Op. 80
Handel/Halverson - Passacaglia for Violin & 'Cello
Wertheim - Three Preludes fo Lancelot
Mendelssohn - String Quartet in F Minor, Op.84

**30 August
8.00 p.m.**

'Questions of Travel'

Mendelssohn - Venetian Boat Song for Piano
Hemenway - Questions of Travel for Flute, 'Cello, & Piano
Selections from Woodwork for String Quartet
Ponce - Barcarola Mexicano 'Xochimilco' for Piano
Elgar - Piano Quintet in A Minor, Op.84

