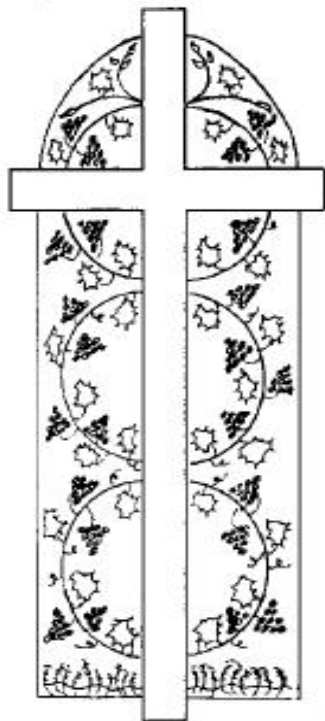


# TIDINGS

## FROM THE RECTOR

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For over a year now the diocese of Massachusetts has had a pilot program geared toward attracting young adults to the church. Those participating in the program are called Relational Evangelists and they have the interesting and challenging job of trying to create a Christian community where one has never been before, or working to connect young adults to the church in a different way. Whenever I speak to young adults, in our parish and at the college chaplaincy, it is the word “evangelist” that always stops them in their tracks. “Why do they have to call it that?” is often the question that arises. Being an evangelist today unfortunately has a completely different meaning than how we imagine Paul and the first Christians. In many ways the word has become a way to describe a certain style of Christian, one who is monolithic in his or her theology and is rigid in his or her thinking about Jesus and the Bible.

As Bishop Gayle has said before, we had the word first! It is a shame that churches with a Pentecostal influence are called Evangelical churches, because shouldn't every church be an evangelical church? Was the church finished when Paul was martyred and now no more evangelism needs to be done? Are we not worthy of being evangelists ourselves because we have been told that mainline Protestants are not “real” Christians? Of course not. Through our Baptism we are called to not only be disciples but to be evangelists, too. And you are doing that work already. When you invite a neighbor to church, when you welcome a visitor on Sunday morning, when you start thinking about church growth as deepening our spiritual life together with the side benefit of having more people joining us in worship, you are evangelizing.

Let's reclaim that word. We are evangelists, and even though the word may make us squirm at first, this is exactly what Jesus has called us to do as his body in the world. We have so much to offer the world – it is time we let the secret out!

Your friend in Christ,

Julie

## **RECTOR (CONT.)**

### **FELLOWSHIP MINISTRY**

The month of November has two celebrations at Coffee Hour. The first is a Baptismal celebration and that is on Nov. 1. The second one is St. Andrews Day, Nov. 15. We will enjoy scones, muffins and all the Scottish fixins, even the Bagpiper will join us. Please mark your calendars as we will be having a "Sign-Up" sheet on what you would like to bring. Please join in the fun.

Mid-week Bible Study. Beginning on Tuesday, November 10th at 3pm a new monthly Bible study with the rector will begin. Many people have asked for more opportunities for Bible Study during the week, so join us in the library and bring your favorite Bible (or borrow one from the church). We will begin with reading the Gospel according to Luke as we prepare for Advent, and enjoy a chance for prayer, study, and fellowship. Let Julie know that you will be attending. Interested in joining but the time or day is inconvenient for you? Let Julie know and perhaps an evening group can be formed, too.

### **PROPERTIES MINISTRY**

#### **A New Sign to be installed**

Thanks to a generous gift in memory of a former parishioner, a custom wooden sign for St. Andrew's will soon be erected outside the Narthex. Our current sign is difficult to read from the street, and with so much traffic passing by our building each day we miss out on the opportunity to show our welcoming nature and our vitality. We hope to have the sign installed and dedicated before winter.

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### **SR. WARDEN — GEORGE HULME**

DEAR FRIENDS:

At a recent vestry meeting, after a review of where we stand versus our estimated budget, it was unanimously decided to put a freeze on all spending that is not absolutely necessary. All commissioners have been notified and I'm pleased to report are doing their best to help us out. We have taken this action with hopes of minimizing our deficit at the end of the year as well as controlling our very weak cash position. Payment of pledges are a bit behind and necessary capital projects (being paid mostly from campaign money) have been necessary. We want to keep from tapping into the endowment during this time, even if they are to be paid back in the near future, while the market appears to be on an uptick. It will be CRITICAL to next year's budget to have a successful 2010 Stewardship Campaign. Even though we are in a bit of a financial conundrum, it is heartwarming to know we have a great faith community. We are certainly not in spiritual trouble! Peace to all and please contact me if you have any question.

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### **STEWARDSHIP — MELANIE LEVESQUE**

*"Using the gifts that God has given to us to do the work that God is calling us to do"*

Dear Fellow Members of the St. Andrew's Family,

If you were at the services on October 18th, I think you would agree that Lori's sermon explaining the Rite 13 process was very informative. I found it truly moving to be present as the young members of our church continued on their spiritual journey to adulthood. What a wonderful feeling they must have to know that we are all supporting them and their families as they continue to grow and learn about their faith.

Our parish is blessed with many families that enjoy and benefit from all our programming for children and youth. Volunteer effort is always needed by the director of Christian formation to sustain our wonderful education and social programs, but a healthy operating budget is imperative in providing the religious formation our young people deserve. Consider the thousands of dollars it takes to run a healthy

***Stewardship (cont. from pg 2)***

Church school and youth program, and imagine how many young lives are nurtured by the generosity of others.

Sunday, November 15 will be Stewardship Sunday at St. Andrew's— the day when all of us have a chance to pledge our time, talent and a portion of our earthly wealth to support the continued growth and mission of our church. We thank you for your commitments to St. Andrew's over the past year in terms of your time, talent and financial contributions. As we plan for 2010, we need your help even more to ensure that the programs that we love will continue.

***Reflect on your abundance...Reflect on your blessings***

The intentional act of pledging brings both joy and a sense of communion with the spiritual home that we have created. Please pray about your pledge response. The grace, love and commitment of our parishioners remind that this church is a rock upon which we can rest and depend. Expanding the understanding of stewardship, giving and community will help us to build a strong church in every aspect. On behalf of the Vestry, I thank you in advance for your support. Your friend in Christ.

**ADULT FORMATION — BONNIE SCHAFFER**

**9AM on November 1st**— Melanie Levesque will be speaking to us about Stewardship.

**9AM on November 8th**— Come and experience the process of a Theological Reflection as learned in EFM (Education for Ministry) and lead by a mentor leader, Chris Walter. To all you former EFM people, here is a chance to have that experience again. To all who have not experienced it, here is a wonderful opportunity. Also, if you do not know what EFM is, come and learn about it. Hear what former EFM people and Chris have to say.

**9AM on November 15th**— Rev Julie Carson will talk about the Saints in the Episcopal Church. Saints are role models that have led exemplary lives for us to admire. After the 10AM service, we will be celebrating our own saint, St. Andrew.

**ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20 AND SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21**, THERE WILL BE A WOMEN'S RETREAT CALLED "WASTING TIME WITH GOD" AT THE MARIST HOUSE IN FRAMINGHAM. All women of all ages are invited. This is for you. Come and spend the entire day with us, or whatever time your schedule permits. See details posted in Church Bulletins and a large Poster at Church. Sorry to the men. If there is interest for a men's Retreat, let us know.

**9AM on November 22nd** we will be hearing the report from the Diocesan Convention. Our representatives are Fan Pope, James Ferguson, Julie Carson and Lori Mills-Curran. Let's hear what is going on in the broader Episcopalian world, beyond the parish of St Andrew's.

**9AM on November 29** there is no Adult Formation or Sunday school because many families may not be back from Thanksgiving celebrations. However, this is Advent I Sunday, so there will be Advent Wreath making after the 10AM service.

**VESTRY HIGHLIGHTS— CAPTURED BY  
PATTY DER GARABEDIAN, CLERK PRO TEM  
(AND EDITED BY SARAH LARSON, CLERK)**

At its meeting on October 13, 2009, the Vestry discussed the following:

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Presented by Jack Cahill.

Cash crunch continues. Pledge payments are still down vs budget. Of greater concern is the growing expectation of pledgers unable to fulfill their commitment; shortfall is about \$6000 and may be growing.

Heating contractor has been paid \$22k with \$9k due to be borrowed from endowment to make the payments with no significant new Cap Campaign payments since last meeting.

Endowment continues to beat its benchmark at \$651,826 prior to disbursements. Diocesan assessment is \$33k, down from \$40k in 2009.

A **MOTION** was made by George Hulme and seconded by Chris Daniele to approve the treasure's report. The motion **PASSED**.

**BUILDING AND PROPERTY ISSUES:** Presented by Dave McConnell.

The building is looking good. Most items on the Capital Campaign list have been completed.

New heating system has been installed just waiting for the plumbing inspector's approval.

Discussion of lower level floors was held. Ideas to paint the new baseboards in the lower level were discussed; possible future Eagle Scout project or possible "painting party" TBD.

**COMMISSIONER'S AND WARDEN'S REPORTS:**

**Senior Warden's Report:** Presented by George Hulme:

George reported on his findings on the church's insurance status as related to the Healthcare Ministry.

Spending freeze email was sent to ministry chairs and will go into Tidings.

The nominating committee met to discuss Vestry openings.

**Junior Warden's Report:** Presented by Chris Daniele

The "Rad Tech" Club (radiological sciences students) at Mass Bay is interested in doing a project for the homeless--possibility of working with Outreach.

**Outreach and Communications:** Presented by Ellen Patterson:

Ellen will be putting information regarding the women's retreat in the paper.

A new group of people from St. A's has successfully taken over the Salvation Army dinners and working with a group from the Lutheran church on this project.

We will be hosting families through the MetroWest Interfaith Hospitality Network in December. The Outreach Committee theme based on the One Campaign and considering a pot luck supper in mid-November.

**Children's Ministries:** Presented by Patty Der Garabedian.

Seven new children enrolled in church school. Rite-13 group is going well. A lot of excitement for all of the activities they have planned.

**Adult Formation:** Presented by Valerie Gaines:

- The Lemon Tree will be discussed on 10/18/09 at 9:00 am.
- Shaheen Akhtar, a guest speaker, will discuss perspectives on the Muslim religion on 10/25/09 at 9:00 am.
- Melanie Levesque will be presenting an informational talk on Stewardship at 9:00; 11/1/09.
- There will be a women's retreat on 11/21/09 – 11/22/09 at the Marist House. The schedule for the retreat is very flexible so that women can attend any or all of it.

**Stewardship:** Presented by Melanie Levesque.

200 copies of the Stewardship Brochure mailed this week. Melanie presented the brochure to the Vestry and received many compliments on it. She will speak at the 10:00 service.

**DEACON'S AND RECTOR'S REPORT:****Deacon's Report:** presented by Lori Mills-Curran.

- There are 3 new Acolytes!
- There will be a big Veteran's Day service for student veterans at Framingham State College.
- There is interest from the Youth for a "modern music group".

**Rector's Report:** Presented by Julie Carson.

- Monitoring the protocols of the Diocese as well as National Church regarding H1N1, if there are any changes to be made during the Eucharist she will let us know.
- Recently met with various groups such as the Worship Committee, Altar Guild, Choir and others to discuss the service, worship and sanctuary.
- Possibly removing pews to allow handicapped access from the side entrance. This will also complete the shape of the cross.
- Full training for all people involved with the service for consistency.

**New Business:**

- December 5th will be a parish pot luck supper for holiday fellowship.
- The Snow Ball will be held on March 6, 2010.

Vestry meetings generally occur on the second Monday of the month (excluding July and August) and begin at 7:30pm in the Library; all meetings are open to anyone.

**\*\*\*\*The November Vestry Meeting will be held on November 9, 2009\*\*\*\***

Please contact the Rev. Julie Carson at least one week in advance if you wish to present an item on the agenda.

## **PARISH NEWS AND NOTES**

### **From the Parish Office**

**CHANGE: The new deadline for Tidings will be the THIRD THURSDAY of the month, November 19. for the December issue. Also, we are asking that articles be e-mailed to us in Garamond 12 font. Please make every effort to get your article(s) in on time.**

Address for the son-in-law of Cathy Corcoran, who was recently deployed to Iraq -  
SGT McIvor, Matthew  
HHC 2-69 AR BN MED PLT  
FOB KALSU, IRAQ  
APO AE 09312

**Letter of transfer given to** Judy Ann Tetrault to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church  
Kokomo, Indiana

### **News from the Pews**

#### **Welcome Newcomer**

Andy, Darlene and Parker Umina  
9 Copeland Road  
Framingham, MA 01701

#### **Parish Prayers**

**In thanksgiving** for the Marriage of Patrick Boggs and Mary Sedakowski in St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Greenwich, Rhode Island on Saturday, October 11.

# MEMORIAL ALTAR FLOWERS

Flower Offerings may be made at any time of the year to the Glory of God, in thanksgiving for a specific  **blessing**  or in  **memory**  of a loved one. The flowers and plants  **enhance the chancel** , remind our parishioners of a  **specific blessing or memorial** , and after the services the flowers are  **delivered to sick/shut-in parishioners** . This weekly occurrence is a wonderful St. Andrew’s tradition and we hope that every family (from newcomers to long time parishioners) will make a flower offering this year. Call the church office (508-875-5095) or Ellen Patterson (508-545-1301) for requests or information and mail the form, which can be found on the tract rack in the Memorial Room, along with your donation to the church.  **We are in particular need of flower offerings for the Sundays in November and December.**

**Please note: The weekly flower offering – suggested donation is \$30,**  which is necessary to cover the cost of the flowers during these times of rising costs and decreasing number of donors. Each weekly offering may include multiple names. Thank you.

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I would like to have flowers on the altar on

Date

They are given to the Glory of God and in memory of:

list christian names(s)

or

in thanksgiving for:

donated by:

Donation enclosed

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mark checks (“altar flowers”)

## ST. ANDREW'S OUTREACH COMMITTEE— ANNE O'CONNELL

**Next meeting: November 8<sup>th</sup>, 11am**

**All are welcome!**



### ***November is a very important month for Outreach!***

Please join us at our activities this month or stop by the Outreach table in Harris Hall for more information. The holidays are a traditional time for giving – and we give you many opportunities!

**Dinner and ... discussion of International Mission.** Please join us on Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm for simple dinner, provided by the Outreach Committee, and a discussion of El Hogar, a school and Orphanage in Tegucigalpa, Honduras. Liz Kinchen, Executive Director will join us that evening. Dinner is free, the program is suitable for school-aged children, and the company will be terrific! What more can you ask for?

### **Are you in holiday spirit? It's time for Christmas Giving Tree.**



Beginning on Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, we will have paper ornaments available for you. The ornaments represent children and adults from local social service agencies that need a holiday gift. The ornaments list gift ideas and colors, sizes, etc. Take one (or two!) and begin to feel more in the spirit! The gifts are due back to St. Andrew's by December 6<sup>th</sup>. Many thanks to the Levesque family (508-877-9750) for coordinating this project.

**Holiday Bread Sale to support the homeless.** We will again be taking orders for cakes, supplied this year by Dancing Deer Bakery, in support of MA Coalition for the Homeless. The cakes cost \$12 each and you have your choice of "maple pumpkin cranberry cake" or new this year, "chocolate espresso cake". We will begin taking orders on November 22<sup>nd</sup>. The cakes will be delivered on December 14<sup>th</sup>. Contact Anne O'Connell (508-872-0361) for more info.

**Food Pantry Collection.** For many years, we have been collecting non-perishable goods for the food pantry at St. Tarcisius Catholic Church in downtown Framingham. The focus foods for November are **soups**, **spaghetti**, and **saucers**. Our main collection day this month is November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please pick up a grocery bag in the collection area in the vestibule of the Parish House.

**Advance billing – Alternative Gift Fair.** We will again be conducting an Alternative Gift Fair on December 6<sup>th</sup>. For a donation of any amount, you will receive a card that can be given in lieu of a gift.

### **Many thanks!**

To all who contributed to *United Thank Offering* in October. Also thanks to Fan Pope for coordinating this annual effort.

To Fhiwa Ndou who constructed the shelving at the entrance to Harris Hall as his Eagle Scout project. He should be home from Bowdoin College for Thanksgiving so please thank him then.

For more information, please contact Anne O'Connell (508-872-0361; anneoc@rcn.com)



St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Framingham, Massachusetts

# Christian Education News

## November: Busy, busy, busy!

Questions? Concerns? Contact  
Deacon Lori @ 508.836.3160;  
lmills-curran@standrewsframma.org

### A series of Special Sundays!



#### All Saints Day:

An interactive workshop for all age kids (Fledglings

attend with parents) will be held Nov. 1. Activity stations set up in Room 2-4 will teach our kids that "WE are all saints." Students will be released early to witness baptisms (at least 3!). Our students will prepare a special musical offering for St. Andrew's Day, too

#### St. Andrew's Day:

Our kids will be "fishers of men," with a special musical performance on Nov. 15, and St. Andrew's

Day lessons in each class.

#### Acolyte Installation

All our acolytes (and there are a lot of newbies) will vest, process as a group and be thanked for their stalwart service on Nov. 22. I already have some of them wondering about a D.C. trip!

#### Advent I Wreath-

making is always tough. It usually falls on Thanksgiving weekend, which it does this year, Nov. 29.

## November 2009

We don't have church school and people don't want some big event. So, we will be having a low-key event at coffee hour, with a Advent Resource Table for adults and kids, including supplies for making your own wreath here or at home. We will save our energy for Dec. 5, our **new/old Christmas Potluck**, for all ages, at which St. Nicholas will visit!

## Christmas Pageant Revamp Nov. 17, 7pm

**Beloved traditions get tired.** Last year, our Christmas Pageant limped to the finish line. There was some disappointment: the kids weren't prepared and were embarrassed to perform. We held it casually downstairs. Most parents got word, but some didn't, and missed it. The crux of the matter was that the old model of "the church school will do it" does not work anymore.

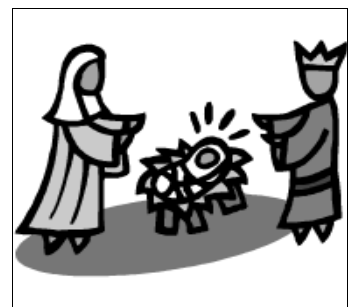
Patterns of church school attendance, even from "committed families," is not what it once was. The diocese estimates that now even "committed families" attend two Sundays per month, so relying on class time alone to rehearse isn't helpful. That's what happened last year; one day of snow wiped us out, and I pulled the plug the morning of the pageant

rather than subject anxious kids to public embarrassment.

#### **This year will be different!**

We are going to ask for a little more commitment up front and provide for specified rehearsal times. We will ask for more help from parents, including some lunches. The pageant itself will be less demanding for most and a bit more demanding for a few. All this will be hashed out at a

meeting Nov. 17 with the Church school teachers. We hope the meeting will be short and sweet, and that a few new parental faces will be around the table!



## Take a Bow . . . . Thanks to:

- **Sarah Larson DiPalma** for hard work on the Families with Young Children Halloween Party.
- **Kari Fabbri**, for unwavering commitment to understanding some of our special needs kids' requirements..
- **Marsha Savilonis and Ruth Noble**, for flexibility and clear-eyed assessment that our Christmas Pageant needed help.
- **Vanessa McGrath** for lending me her professional expertise to clarify CORI requirements.
- **Lynn Berman, Patty DerGarabedian, and Jim Ferguson**, for taking the day to get Safe Church training.
- The **Rite-13 families** for responding to my plea to put on a cost-free Rite-13 pot-luck banquet, and even staying to do the dishes!



## November 2009 Christian Ed Calendar

Date (Sundays in bold)	Event
<b>Nov. 1</b>	<b>All Saints Day:</b> Joint church school program for Fledglings (with parent) thru Gr. 5 in Rooms 2-4.
<b>Nov. 8</b>	Regular Class: Veteran's Day project in Age 4- Gr. 5 classes.
Thurs. Nov. 12	<b>International Mission Dinner and Discussion:</b> Free dinner (6:30) and event suitable for school-age kids on up. A review of the El Hogar Orphanage in Honduras, which will , we hope, be a High school mission trip site someday soon!
<b>Nov. 15</b>	<b>St. Andrew's Day:</b> Regular class, church school children sing at 10 AM and Brunch!
Tues., Nov. 17	Church School Teacher's Meeting, 7 PM: first half hour devoted to Pageant Revamp
Fri./Sat. Nov. 20-21	<b>Parish Women's Retreat:</b> Come as you are, come when you can, come for free!
<b>Nov. 22</b>	Regular Class and <b>Acolyte Installation @ 10 AM</b>
<b>Nov. 29</b>	No class: Thanksgiving weekend. Advent Wreath-making @ 11:30 AM!
Sat. Dec. 5	<b>New/Old All-Parish Christmas Pot-Luck, 5:30 PM:</b> Fun for all ages at a festive social time. Includes a visit from St. Nicholas!
<b>Dec. 6</b>	Regular class

# Parish Potluck

We hope you will join us for a Parish Potluck on  
**Saturday, December 5, 2009,**  
for some fun and fellowship!

Please let us know if you will be coming and what type of dish you will be bringing; signups will be available on the Parish Events bulletin board across from the kitchen. There is no charge, but we do need to know how many people will be coming so that we can plan accordingly.

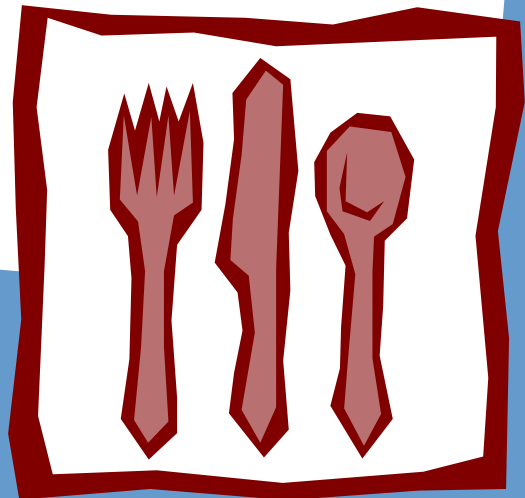
**Date: 12/5/09**

**Time: 5:30 P M**

## Let's do a Yankee Gift Swap!

Anyone who would like to can participate in a Yankee Gift Swap—bring your unwrapped gifts and join the fun!

Gifts must be maximum value of \$5.00.



## St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 508-875-5095 or [events@standrewsframma.org](mailto:events@standrewsframma.org)

## Your help is appreciated!

We appreciate anyone's help in staying after and cleaning up. Many hands make light work!

# Veteran's Day

Wednesday, Nov. 11, 2009

7:30 pm

Heinemann Ecumenical Center  
(the old St. John's Episcopal  
Church)

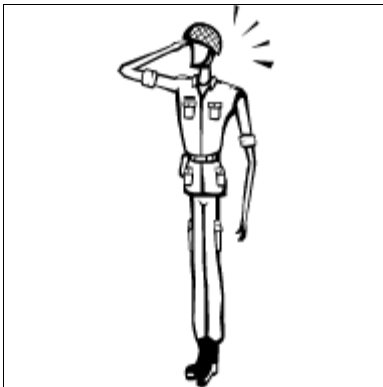
Framingham State College

## Service of Remembrance and Healing

Sponsored by: The Protestant Chaplaincy and  
Framingham State Protestants

Hospitality and vet's gifts provided by:

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church and the Episcopal Diocese  
of MA



St. Andrew's is now the center of Protestant  
ministry for Framingham State College!

Julie Carson, our rector, has been appointed  
Chaplain by the University and the Bishop.

Two student clubs are involved with this  
service: the "FSC Protestants" and a new  
chapter of Student Veterans of America which  
has just been founded at FSC. St. Andrew's  
will present each student vet with a "prayer  
scarf" (a winter scarf that has been blessed),  
and one of Cathy Corcoran's hand-crocheted  
"protection angels" which she and her family  
present to active duty service members to  
carry in their pockets. St. Andrew's will also  
present the SVA with their own greatly-  
desired American flag. (They are currently  
saying the Pledge of Allegiance to a tiny 3x5  
flag that someone found on a lawn!) There are  
estimated 100 student vets on campus. Two  
SVA members are recovering from serious  
injuries incurred in training and Afghanistan.

Join us for a service of  
remembrance.

Student vets will receive a thank-you gift  
from those who honor their sacrifice,  
learn about local spiritual resources for  
vets and meet six St. A's vets from all  
service branches. Prayers for physical  
or spiritual healing can be requested.

Still needed from the parish:

Baked Goods for the reception  
afterward.

People to man a healing station if healing  
prayers are requested.

A Marine!

Email Lori if you can help: [lmills-  
curran@standrewsframma.org](mailto:lmills-curran@standrewsframma.org)

# November 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1 All Saints' Sunday 8:00AM HE 9:00 AM Joint CS/Y/AF 10:00AM HE &amp; Bapt. 11:30AM Property Mtg</p>	<p>2 7:00PM Alanon &amp; Alateen 7:00PM Alanon Grp Reps 7:30PM AWOL</p>	<p>2 12PM Staff Mtg. 7:30PM Gateway Camera Club 7:30PM Choir</p>	<p>4 6:00PM Garden Club 7:30PM Chaplaincy Compline (FSC)</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6 Office Closed</p>	<p>7 7:30 Men's Bible Study 8 AM Women's Bible 10AM Vetrn. Acuptr.  Diomass Convention</p>
<p>8 Pent 23 8:00AM HE 9:00AM Regular CS/Y/AF 10:00AM HE 11:30AM Outreach Mtg. 2:30PM Altar Guild Meeting</p>	<p>9 7:00PM Alanon &amp; Alateen 7:30PM Vestry 7:30PM AWOL</p>	<p>10 10:00 Guild of St. Clare 12PM Staff Mtg. 3:00PM Bible Study 7:30PM Gateway Camera Club 7:30PM Choir</p>	<p>11 OFFICE CLOSED 11:30AM HE &amp; Lunch No school – Vet 's Day  7:30PM Chaplaincy Veteran's Service (FSC)</p>	<p>12 6:30PM Outreach Dinner &amp; discussion on Mission</p>	<p>13 Office Closed</p>	<p>14 7:30 Men's Bible Study 8 AM Women's Bible 8:30-3:30 Safe Church Training, Cambridge 10AM Vetrn. Acuptr.</p>
<p>15 Pent 24 Stewardship Sunday St. Andrew's Day Giving Tree Launch 8:00AM HE 9:00AM Regular CS/Y/AF 10:00AM Festival HE 11:30AM Luncheon 1:00PM Canning 2:00PM TBPA</p>	<p>16 7:00PM Alanon &amp; Alateen 7:30PM AWOL</p>	<p>17 11:00PM Staff Mtg. 12:30 Deanery Clergy 7:00PM Teachers Mtg. 7:30PM Gateway Camera Club 7:30PM Choir</p>	<p>18  7:30PM Chaplaincy Thanksgiving Meal (FSC)</p>	<p>19 Tidings Articles Due</p>	<p>20 Office Closed 4:30PM Soup Kitchen at the Salvation Army  Parish Women's Retreat (Marist)</p>	<p>21 7:30 Men's Bible Study 8AM Women's Bible 8AM-6PM Gateway Camera Club (HH) 9 AM All Day: Parish Women's Retreat (Marist) 10AM Vetrn. Acuptr.</p>
<p>22 Last Pentecost 8:00AM HE 9:00AM Regular CS/Y/AE 10:00AM HE/Acolyte Installation 4-6 PM FYC Dinner</p>	<p>23 7:00PM Alanon &amp; Alateen 7:30PM AWOL</p>	<p>24 12PM Staff Mtg. 7:30PM Gateway Camera Club 7:30PM Choir</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26 Office Closed Thanksgiving</p>	<p>27 Office Closed</p>	<p>28 7:30 Men's Bible Study 8AM Women's Bible 10AM Vetrn. Acuptr.</p>
<p>29 Advent 1, Yr. C 8:00AM HE 9:00AM No CS/Y/AE 10:00AM HE 11:30AM Wreathmaking</p>	<p>30 7:00PM Alanon &amp; Alateen 7:30PM AWOL</p>	<p>Notes: CS = Church School Y = Youth Group AF = Adult Formation</p>				