



The Signpost Weekly

June 2, 2019

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Fr. Zac Harmon, Vicar

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Calendar

Sunday, June 2

- 8 and 10:15 Services
- 9:15 Adult Formation, where theology meets difficult situations –
- 10 a.m. Sunday School

Monday, June 3

- 9 a.m. Yoga

Tuesday, June 4

- 9 a.m., Morning Prayer
- 9:30 a.m., Exodus Bible Study

Thursday, June 6

- 7 p.m. Eucharist/Bible Study

Saturday, June 8

- 2 p.m. Rhythms of Grace

Sunday, June 9

**DAY OF PENTECOST
GRADUATE SUNDAY**

- 8 and 10:15 Services
- 9:15 Adult Formation – END OF SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR PARTY, and Supersoaker Fest

St Christopher's Spring/-Summer Clothing Drive to benefit Sonshine Soup Kitchen, Derry

Do you or your family have any Children's, Women's, or Men's summer clothing in good condition that are no longer being used? *Bring them to St C's on Sunday June 2 and/or Sunday, June 9, place them in a box marked "Clothing Drive", and I will see that they are put to good use by the Soup Kitchen guests in Derry. Our winter drive for Sonshine was such a success, and we thank you very much.* Corinne Dodge

Something new ... Sounds Like Fun!! Cornhole Tourney Coming to St. Christopher's. What's that? Check this out.

St. Christopher's will be hosting a cornhole tournament on Saturday, August 3rd. We need your help. To run a successful event, we will need **cornhole boards and bags**. Typical board dimensions are 48" x 24", with back of platform sitting 12" off the ground. *If you have a cornhole set...or know someone who does with the approximate dimensions listed above can you let us use them for the day of the tournament?*



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Of course, if you don't happen to have a corn hole set to lend us, perhaps you would consider building one, ... or two. Here's how ... [How to Build a Cornhole Set from DIY Network](#). They say, building a set is a fairly easy woodworking project that you can tackle in a day. Here's a video on YouTube: "[How to Build Cornhole Toss Boards - A Fun and Easy DIY Project.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=41tZPYkAFvE)" <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=41tZPYkAFvE> We appreciate your help making this a fun and



successful event. More information on the tournament to follow. Stay tuned!

Do you speak another language?

Pentecost is just around the corner (June 9th) and this year we are including reading a couple Scripture verses from different languages at the 8AM and 10:15 AM services. If you speak another language and would like to offer your skills, please let Fr. Zac know (vicarstchristophers@gmail.com). We will be aiming for a vibrant sound of God's Word in as many languages as we can bring together to remember that first Pentecost Day.

Graduate Sundays June 9th and June 16th

This year we have a lot of graduates to recognize and it has not been easy to coordinate everyone's schedule. Thus, we are recognizing our college and high school graduates on two different Sundays this year. 8th graders will be included as well. It is an important accomplishment in life, and we want to recognize this as well as encourage everyone to know that St. C's is still here for support going forward too, wherever God may lead them. Special thanks to the

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and first commandment. The second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Parish Life Committee for coordinating two different receptions this year for our graduates. Thank you so much!

Good News.

An exciting piece of news came in, our very own Br. David Gerns, OSB Abbot has been elected to be the new abbot of the [Companions of Saint Luke](#) religious community at their meeting this week. Congratulations!

End of Sunday School Year Party & Supersoaker Fest June 9th. Pentecost is going to be a full day which includes the end of the Sunday school Year. Special thanks to Brooke LaMonica and Corinne Dodge for coordinating Sunday school this year. Thanks as well to Jean Sanders, Jane Roth, Michelle Christian, Brady Mason, Kym Schuler, Chrissy Mason and Noelle Schreiber for their help this year in Sunday School. Celebrations will begin after the service pizza, ice cream and a 'priest vs. Sunday school' water fest. *Kids are welcome to bring their own super soakers and water balloons to participate.*

New Hampshire has just repealed the death penalty. You can read the Bishop's response [HERE](#).

We've been telling you about the Bake Off the Parish Life Committee wants to hold this fall. The response so far has been great. Let one of the Parish Life Committee members know if you would like to participate, or if you need more information about what is involved. Email us and let us know. Karen at karen7078g at comcast.net, Emily at ecbacall at gmail.com, Joyce at jmrtrl at yahoo.com, Peggy at pbaker10948 at yahoo.com. We'll give much more detail when we start the contest but will be happy to answer any questions you may have when you email any one of us. We're excited and anticipate a fun time. So don't forget to email us! *Parish Life Committee*

Pride Evensong at St. Peter's Londonderry Sunday June 2nd at 4 p.m.

St. Peter's in Londonderry is holding its 2nd Annual Interfaith Pride Service with special guest preacher, the Rev. Kate Harmon Siberine (Curate, the Church of the Good Shepherd in Nashua), and guest musical act Soundscape Quartet. Reception to follow. All are welcome!

Yes, Virginia. We ARE holding a Yard Sale this Fall as part of the 4 Annual Hampstead Town Wide Yard



Sale on October 12. Things will be like last year where you can set up your own table, or get your friends and neighbors to set up their own Table (for a small fee going to [Community Caregivers of Greater Derry](#)) Maggie Heyer and Lyn Rockwell are spearheading this year sale.

Prayers of the people

Prayers for Ginette's grandson, **Chase**, and his parents in the face of long-term medical disabilities. Pray for **Angie McCurdy** and her family; please pray for **Lincoln**, Christine Collins' cousin's young son who is ill; and for **Aaron, Alex & family** in their time of grief. Prayers for **Zach**, a relative of a parishioner; **Ellie McCabe**; prayers for **Bob Gleason, Lucille Gigeure**. for **Deb**; for **Roy Jeffrey; Ann Donovan; Kate; Brayden; Matty; Ian**; prayers for **Howie**; for **Cheryl**; for **Ryan**; for **Jacqueline**; for Natalie's brother **Lorin**; for Mark and Ingrid's son **Eric**, and their daughter, **Lisa**. Pray for the repose of **Anita Pauley**, and prayers for her son **Brian Shankey**. **Prayers for Alex Handel.**

Serving in the Military: For Pam Vazquez's son, First Lt. Nicholas J. Vazquez, an Officer in the 82nd Airborne Division at Fort Bragg, NC; for Del's cousins, Daniel, Matthew and Sandra.

Parish cycle of prayer: Oliver and Mary Ford; Natalie Gallo; Br. David and Ann Gerns

Attendance

5/21, 9:00am, 6; 5/23, 7:00pm, 9
5/26, 8:00am, 17; 10:15am, 27

ST ANNE'S ECUMENICAL FOOD PANTRY
is in dire need of canned pastas with meat, soups,
juice boxes, canned chicken, cereal, saltines, Ritz
crackers and baking goods.