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The Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist

LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY March 3, 2019

Holy Eucharist Rite I 8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite II 10:00am

The Rev. Janet Lombardo, Oversight Clergy



LECTIONARY READINGS <u>Exodus 34:29-35</u> <u>2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2</u> <u>Luke 9:28-36, [37-43a]</u> <u>Psalm 99</u>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meetings Coming up!

Building Committee: Weds March 6 at 4:15pm

Vestry: Weds, March 13 at 5:15pm

Both will be held in the Rectory

Lent and Holy Week Schedule

Ash Wednesday, March 6: Ash Wednesday Liturgy with Imposition of Ashes, 6pm

Sundays in Lent: Regular Sunday Schedule, 8am and 10am

Maundy Thursday, April 18: Maundy Thursday Liturgy with Foot Washing and Stripping of the Altar, 6pm

Easter Sunday, April 21: 8am and 10am with a Festive Coffee Hour between services.

COFFE HOUR

Got 30 minutes for Fellowship? We need Coffee Hour Hosts

Please sign up on the sheet hanging on the Rectory kitchen fridge for March and April. New hosts (especially) encouraged - while light food is welcome, it isn't necessary. Hosting can be as easy as making a pot of coffee for our post-10 am service fellowship.



You might want to try... Lenten Online Learning with a Twist (Begins March 7) Want to be inspired by some saintly souls this Lent and have fun along the way? Join with thousands of Christians across denominations who have discovered the online learning community that is Lent Madness.

With its unique blend of competition, education and humor, Lent Madness allows participants to be inspired by the ways in which God has worked through the lives of saints over the generations. Based loosely on the NCAA basketball tournament of a similar name, this online devotion pits 32 saints against one another in a single– elimination bracket as voters choose their favorites throughout Lent.

Here's how to participate: on the weekdays of Lent, information is posted at <u>www.lentmadness.org</u> about two different saints. Each pairing remains open for 24 hours as participants read about them and then vote to determine which saint moves on to the next round. Sixteen saints make it to the Round of Saintly Sixteen; eight advance to the Round of Elate Eight; four make it to the Faithful Four; two to the Championship and the winner is awarded the coveted Golden Halo.

Yes...it's doesn't take itself too seriously...and it's educational and brought to us by the folks at Forward Movement (publishers of Forward Day by Day).

For more information: <u>https://www.lentmadness.org/about/</u>.

Birthdays this Week

John Daniell, Mar 2 Paula Taggart, Feb 28





Anniversaries this Week

Liz and Dick Jason, Mar 3

Prayer List: Elijah, Jack, Claire, Joanne L., Tim, Sean, Mickie, Janet, Jenifer and family, Paul, Joanna, Martha, Harrison, Nathan, Skip, Jane, Fran, Jeff, Maria, Ashley, Dan, the Walker family, Anne, Joe and Carol, Justin, Sue A. and Jim, Barry, Nancy, Marge, Harry, Ed D., Al, St. John's parishioners, Bob, Julie, Penny, Diane, Becky, Thomas, Sebrina and Tyler, Brandice and family, Richard, Gracie, Mary H., Pat F., Hazel, Casey, Jim & Michelle, Scott and family, Ginny, Wendy, Elaine, the Cavanaugh family, Carol Anne, Don and Nancy, Dave, John, Joanne, Richard, Amos, Tess, Angus, Gary, Kirt.
Military Prayer List:Mark, Jeremy, Colton, Kevin, David, Maxwell.

Please Stay Safe...

With winter weather upon us, Pastor Janet reminded us all: please use common sense in attempting to get to Sunday services in inclement weather. When in doubt, please stay safe.



