

TODAY'S CALENDAR

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:15 a.m. Bell Choir Warm-up
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Church School
11:30 a.m. St. Nicholas Singers
5:00 p.m. Twilight Rite: Holy Eucharist

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TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The May, June, July issue of *Forward Day by Day* is now available on the tract rack.

First quarter pledge statements are ready to be picked up from the table by the front entrance of church. Help us save postage!

The Lawn Rangers need your help! The Lawn Rangers are men and women who cut and trim the grass at Church of the Epiphany. This is a rewarding and fun thing to do for everyone from teenagers to senior citizens. Each person has a partner, and they cut the grass 3 or 4 times during the growing season. If you are interested, please call Tom Seils at 247-1401.

Mother's Day is May 11th, and we're planning a slide show of photos of our moms and mother figures. Please email your electronic files to Mother Nancy (nancy.stevens@epiphanygatesny.org) or bring your photos to church by Sunday, May 4th. We'll scan them, then return them to you.

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CALENDAR

Monday, April 21 7:00 p.m. Youth Committee
Tuesday, April 22 11:00 a.m. Rector's Office Hours
(until 2:00 p.m.)
Wednesday, April 23 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday, April 24 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:45 a.m. Bible Study
12:30 p.m. Staff Meeting
6:45 p.m. Bell Choir

Saturday, April 26 10:00 a.m. Westside Churches Rehearsal

Sunday, April 27 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:00 a.m. Teen Bible Study
9:15 a.m. Chancel Choir Warm-up
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Church School
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Teen Bible Study

Ages: Rite-13, J2A, High School

Sunday, April 27th 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Who is your unknown god?

Bible discussion: Acts 17:22-31

Find the cost and the promise to live,
move and have your being in God.

A smoothie and coffee bar will be available

Questions? Call Mrs. DeRose at 723-3616

The Men of Epiphany (MOE) will gather on **Thursday, May 1st** at 6:00 p.m. for food and fellowship. Please sign-up on the bulletin board. Come, bring a friend, and enjoy!

Diane Mancini will host an event for children on Sunday, May 4th during Children's Worship time (10:00 a.m.). The children will stuff teddy bears to donate to children affected by war and natural disasters throughout the world. This event will help sick children as well as Diane as she works to achieve her Girl Scout Silver Award. Please come and help if you can. Thank you.

The Women of Epiphany (WOE) will visit our homebound members during the **week of May 4th - 10th**. Visits may be made during the day or the evening - please call ahead to set up a time to visit. Plants will be available for pickup beginning on Sunday, May 4th. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board. Our homebound members really look forward to our visits.

WOE's Ice Cream social will be on **Thursday, May 8th at 7:00 p.m.** Please indicate on the sign-up sheet if you need sugar-free selections. We will be asking for volunteers to be on the Allocations Committee (which decides how our rummage sale proceeds will be disbursed). If you are interested in taking part on this committee, please speak with Pam Metzinger.

The Rite-13 rehearsal dinner will be on **Saturday, May 10th at 6:30 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall.

Red Wings Concessions: Once again this summer the parish will be staffing Rohrbach's and Dip 'n Dots stands at Red Wings baseball games to raise money for our church! Each game will be sponsored by one of our ministries; we encourage participants in those ministries to help on those nights.

The dates are:

Friday, May 9th	J2A Pilgrimage Fund
Friday, May 16th	Music
Wednesday, May 28th	Stewardship
Monday, June 2nd	JVB Scholarship Fund
Friday, June 27th	J2A Pilgrimage Fund
Friday, July 4th	Stewardship
Saturday, July 5th	Fellowship
Sunday, July 27th	Youth
Friday, August 8th	Music

Friday, August 22nd	Service
Tuesday, August 26th	Formation
Friday, August 29th	Fellowship

Sign-up sheets are posted in the hallway by the Auxiliary Room. Please check your calendars and plan on helping us out - it's really fun! Contact Don Metzinger with any questions.

RAIHN: Our next week to work with the Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network (RAIHN) at Trinity Emmanuel Lutheran Church is **May 11th - 18th**. A sign-up poster is in the hallway. Please stop by and see how you can help out! Please call Marsha Pulhamus (352-0149) with any question you may have.

Don't miss the 8th Annual Ecumenical Concert sponsored by the Westside Coalition of Christian Churches on **Sunday, May 18th at 7:00 p.m.** at Pearce Memorial Church (4322 Buffalo Road in North Chili near Roberts Wesleyan College). **Musicians from our congregation are an active part of this group**, which has raised over \$8,000 for charity. The concert is free; a free will offering will benefit St. Francis Outreach Ministries, a local effort to help those in need who "fall through the cracks" with donations of food, household items and emergency cash. Come, and bring a friend to this special event!

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COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

A reminder: Don't forget to sign up by April 25th if you wish to attend Bishop McKelvey's retirement reception on May 10th at Steamboat Landing. Call Kathy in the Parish Office at 247-4190, or sign up on the bulletin board.

Creation Camp will be held June 29th - July 4th at Camp Koinonia in Middlesex, New York. Creation Camp is a creative arts camp for children ages 11 (or finishing 5th grade) up to 18. This year's theme is *Rejoice in Our Journey*. Registration packets and more information is available on the youth bulletin board.

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