



# The Ascendant

A Newsletter by and for Members and Friends of Church of the Ascension

April 2016

## Youth Sunday is April 10th



Please plan now to attend one of the church services on April 10 as our Youth (6th-12th grade) will lead all aspects and our high school seniors will deliver the homilies. It is a wonderful opportunity to see and hear from the students. Prayers and task assignments are being developed during Youth Group.

Please contact Angie with any questions at [agela.hightwalker@gmail.com](mailto:agela.hightwalker@gmail.com).

We will rehearse on Saturday, April 9 at 4:00 p.m. in the Main church.

## Pledge Thank You Luncheon

All parishioners who have made a financial pledge are invited to a free, buffet luncheon on Sunday April 10 from 1:00-2:00 p.m. in the Undercroft Commons. The food will be catered by California Pizza Kitchen. Formal invitations were mailed to parishioners in March with lunch menu details. Contact Kathy Van Arnum at 301.948.0122 or email at [office@ascensionmd.org](mailto:office@ascensionmd.org) to RSVP by Monday April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

## FROM THE RECTOR

*So we are ambassadors of Christ... - 2 Cor. 5*

The other night leaders of children and youth formation met with Iman Green, Missioner for Youth of the Episcopal Diocese of Washington. She was interviewing us as part of the survey of education ministries for the new regional structure adopted at the most recent diocesan convention. When we were done she exclaimed, "There's a lot going on here!" I said, "I suppose, when we talk about everything in one conversation, there does indeed seem to be!"

When you're in the middle of something it's hard to see yourself, and so it helps to have people mirror back to you what they perceive. It was a very affirming meeting. Busyness and big numbers are not the sole criteria for measuring the congregation's ability to fulfill its mission, but they have their place. There is a lot going on here and it is generally a happy community with Spirit driven things going on, despite anxiety about money and attendance (the latter seems to be trending upward as I write, however).

Our children's classes are small, but the quality, passion, and commitment of our teachers is exemplary, as is the quality of our curricula, especially compared with the rather dry and doctrinaire programs we offered to Episcopalian children when I first entered ordained ministry.

We continue to work with what we have to fund a lean and mean parish ministry, and are fortunate to have reserves with which to offset our deficits and maintain the momentum of the programs and leadership that we have. We can't and shouldn't continue this for long. This challenge is endemic among mainline congregations, with a few notable exceptions. The key is to discern and focus on mission, rather than maintenance. And so that is what your leadership, locally and in the larger church, is about. The key questions for Ascension (and all churches) are "what is the heart of our mission? What is our unique calling? What is our spiritual DNA? What can we let go of in order to grow into what God is inviting us to be?"

Clues are to be found in surveying the ministries of Ascension that display energy and passion and life.

### *Music!*

Music makes a liturgy, in my opinion. Music is as important in this community as it can possibly be with volunteer vocalists and (now) instrumentalists. Ascension is not the kind of parish where we hire section leaders for the choir and offer a classical vocal concert every quarter. But we are a singing congregation and we have as able and committed a group of musicians as you are likely to find anywhere!

It was a shock to the system when Paul Kelley, our beloved Organist and Choirmaster for over 22 years, announced that he was moving to Atlanta to pursue his dream "day job" by the end of June 2015! He was courted and received an offer he couldn't refuse! The way that this came to pass for him, and the way in which we were led to two fine interim musicians - Carl Schwartz for 9 o'clock and Karina Gomez for 11:15 - and then to our new Minister of Music, Jerrold Tidwell, was as spiritual an experience as I have ever had as a priest of the church. All along the way I and others who were engaged in the process of discernment for finding a

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leader for this vital ministry felt led by the Spirit. God is indeed ready to accompany and guide us on a path, if we give our consent.

We didn't know if we could find one person to do what we needed someone to do: uphold the classic, Anglican tradition of choral music and hymnody (and play the organ), *and* lead the contemporary service at 11:15 into its full potential. But we did, thanks be to God.

## *Seminarians*

Kate Siberine, now a deacon in the church, a senior seminarian at VTS, and in her second year at Ascension, was joined by Diana Gustafson, also a senior and in discernment for priesthood in this diocese. Diana's sponsoring parish is St. Alban's, DC, and came to Ascension to further develop her ministerial portfolio.

Kate's actually been involved with Ascension for nearly three years, worshiping with us even in the year before she became a formal field education student. In her second year with us, 2015-2016, her emphasis shifted to deeper involvement with our youth group and the Spanish speaking community. She attended work camp with our group last summer, and offers formation in the context of the Sunday night youth group meetings, which is now our practice. Kate and I will be team teaching confirmation for youth in 2016.

Trevor and Angie Hight Walker continue to journey with the teens of Ascension and have been very supportive of Kate, Diana, Steve Heinig and me as we supplement the existing program with a formation segment. There is still lots of food and fun!

Diana needed more immersion in liturgy and opportunities to preach, which we have in abundance! Her sermons are brilliantly crafted, and she is enjoying getting experience leading so many different styles of liturgy. She is also passionate about social justice, especially pertaining to issues of race, and will offer an adult class on this in Lent, 2016.

Ascension has a long history as a teaching parish, although we are not guaranteed to have field education students every year as there are 150 teaching parishes serving a few dozen seminarians.

## *Adult Formation*

We don't have a regular adult class on Sunday mornings as many parishes do but have had occasional offerings on Sunday morning. We do boast two

high level adult formation groups that meet every week: Education for Ministry on Tuesday evenings mentored by David Mitchell and Bob Owolabi, and the Wednesday Morning Book group, facilitated by me.

## *Renovations*

*Everything* that was being considered for modifying our worship and community space was rendered into visual form by architect Jeffrey Broadhurst. Some were dazzled and some were shocked! What we actually end up doing or not doing will be the result of ongoing conversations and discernment. We have engaged an Episcopal Church Foundation consultant (as we have all along the way since the parking lot project), Leslie Pendleton. Engaging professionals helps insure an effective and sane approach to an undertaking of this potential magnitude and maximizes the probability of success.

Let me review for you, here, what our renovation principles are:

*We would like our church building to make a clear statement of our parish identity. Our core values include radical hospitality and love, whose fruits are in part the diversity of diversities that we of Ascension have for so long cherished.*

*Therefore, the worship space in the main church should be flexible, standing ready to serve a diverse congregation with very varied needs for spiritual nurture. We need a space that can be configured to accommodate both classic liturgical forms and worship in the vernacular.*

*We would like our church facility to help us in building community. We want it to be a space that can be used in a variety of ways - for worship, the arts, and outreach, supporting God's people in all of their activities.*

*We would like the transition from worship to connection with each other to be seamless and have the type of space that would foster this. We want the outward and physical form of our fellowship, work and worship space to express the spirit of hospitality that resides in this faith community.*

*From the parking lot to Ascension House, the Chapel and the main church we want our campus and buildings to assist us in proclaiming that all are welcome here. It should be beautiful, inviting, and instructive of our mission and purpose. We would like a space that is accessible to all, both at the entrance and everywhere within.*

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I look forward to many more discussions of this with you all.

### *Social Media*

We are really blossoming with our online presence. We maintain a Facebook page (with over 500 followers), a weekly e-mail and electronic newsletter (with over 400 subscribers), a Twitter and Instagram account, and our web site is undergoing a major revision by a professional web designer. We are by no means trailblazers as far as churches go, but for an *Episcopal* church we're not too shabby. Everybody church shops on line now. A parishioner once asked me how anybody would know if we had an exciting new worship space. I said, the same way they know about Ascension at all: the Internet. Advertising in print media is no longer the way to go. A social media presence is an integral part of any church growth strategy.

### *Caring for Our Community*

Ascension still maintains vital partnerships with many outreach ministries, and is moving more into advocacy as well through organizations like Action in Montgomery, which is engaging our members with Gaithersburg Elementary students, for example. I continue to be involved in Interfaith ministry, and have a chance to go to Israel with a rabbinic colleague in November 2016 to study and advocate for a peace initiative.

But we also care for one another. I still meet with 6-8 pastoral partners and Eucharistic visitors every other month, and the angels who take altar flowers to those who are home bound or in the hospital still serve quietly behind the scenes. And there is plenty of room or you!

Take a look at the appendix to the Annual Report, (<http://bit.ly/1Uquh9j>) where the "discernment for recruitment" protocol is described. This is how we do leadership development, more and more. The whole Vestry, for example, is involved in identifying prayerfully who may be called into the ministry of leadership.

If one of God's messengers brings such an invitation to you, please do consider it!

Thanks for all that you do as ambassadors of Christ, where you work, play, and rest.

Peace!  
Randy

## CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY

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### Support After-School Programs at Gaithersburg Elementary School

When: Thursday, April 7 at 7:00 p.m.  
Where: Montgomery County Council Building  
100 Maryland Ave., Rockville, MD.

Carpooling is available from Gaithersburg ES at 6:15 p.m. We will also carpool from Ascension.

At least a dozen Ascension members are signed up to read to GES students and at least that many of us joined 200 parents, community leaders, and students for a meeting with County Council member Sidney Katz to show our support for expanded aftercare in the county budget.

By attending the meeting on April 7, we will be showing the County Council that we want free, high quality academic and recreation programs for students in our school, including parent engagement. Please join me by attending this important meeting. It is all about turning out and showing your support.

Contact Randy with any questions at [ral@ascensionmd.org](mailto:ral@ascensionmd.org)

### Men's Shelter Lunch Program

The Men's Shelter Lunch program provides bagged lunches for residents of a local homeless shelter, assembled in the Undercroft Commons once a month. Supplies are donated by Ascension members. Depending on the season, we provide forty to eighty lunches a month. Sign-up for contributions are through an online system and assembly occurs by those present after the 9:00 o'clock service on the third Sunday of the month.

We will meet next on Sunday, April 17. Contact Edith at [esekasi@gmail.com](mailto:esekasi@gmail.com) if you would like to help, or follow this link <http://bit.ly/1DVayRb>.

## WORSHIP

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### April-June Worship Rosters

The April, May, and June worship rosters have been emailed out. There are also hard copies available on the desk outside the office and in the Chapel.



# LIFE LONG LEARNING

## Yoga Classes Resume on Thursday, April 7 at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel

Randy will be teaching while Lucia is on sabbatical. These are gentle, entry level classes anyone may enjoy. No props are needed. There are some mats, blocks and blankets for those who want them. If you have your own mat, bring it to class. Wear loose fitting, comfortable clothing.

## The Listening Heart Community

The Listening Heart Community is Ascension's "monastery of the heart", an intentional group for seekers in all stages of their spiritual journey to explore Benedictine and other contemplative spirituality in community. We encounter scripture and other texts through lectio divina and use contemplative practices to deepen our experience of the sacred in each moment. Meeting dates in April are April 4 and 18 from 7-8:30 p.m. in the library. Contact Lori Perine at lperine@gmail.com if you would like to join us.

## ESOL Class

Free ESOL classes, English for Speakers of Other Languages, are offered at Ascension on Sunday mornings, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in Room 1. Childcare is provided. Contact Luis Pedron if you have questions at 301.922.5610.



The Women's Retreat is back!! Once again Hollywood Retreat Center, near Sugarloaf Mountain, will be the site of our gathering of the women of Ascension for renewal, fellowship and learning from Friday evening, August 19 - Sunday noon, August 21, 2016. Please mark you calendars and plan to join your sisters for singing, hiking, crafts, study and togetherness.

If you are interested in being part of the planning committee, contact Lauren Kingsland at quiltqueen928@gmail.com or Ophelia Magnuson Valley-Ogunru at opiemagz@gmail.com.

## Spanish Bible Study

Javier offers a Spanish Bible Study every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. at rotating locations. Contact Javier at ocampoj@ascensionmd.org for more information.

## Spanish Class

The Spanish Class with Javier meets Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. at Ascension House.

## Baptisms

Baptisms will be held in the Main Church next on May 15, Day of Pentecost, but may be scheduled at any time for a Chapel service.

Contact the Rector for more information at 301.948.0122 ext. 12 or ral@ascensionmd.org.

## Present Moment, Wonderful Moment: Still Water Mindfulness Practice Group

New and experienced practitioners are welcome on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. in the Chapel. An introduction to mindfulness practice is offered on the last Tuesday of each month, at 6:45 p.m., followed by a guided meditation. Additional resources and program announcements are available via our Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/stillwatermpc>.

For more information, contact Lori Perine at swgaithersburg@gmail.com.

## In Our Thoughts and Prayers

We Give Thanks for the Lives of:



*Edward Gallagher, who died on March 3.*

*Edith Shephard, who died on March 7.*

# LIFE AT ASCENSION

## Ascension's Adventurers to Brookside Gardens

All parishioners and friends are invited to participate in a scenic walk in and around Brookside Gardens on Saturday, April 9. Although the gardens may yet to be in full splendor by early April, we will enjoy viewing the garden's beautiful setting and its early blossoming flora. We will meet in the Ascension House parking lot at 9:30 a.m. to carpool. Alternatively, you can meet us at Brookside's Visitor Center (not the Conservatory) at 10:00 a.m. We would then walk/stroll/sightsee for approximately 1.5 hours. Participants are also invited to join us for lunch at a yet-to-be-selected restaurant located somewhere between Brookside Gardens and Gaithersburg.

For more information see: <http://www.montgomeryparks.org/brookside/> or contact Richard Snay at [rssnay@aol.com](mailto:rssnay@aol.com) or 301.977.5259.

## Living with Serious Illness Group

Dealing with serious illness can be a real challenge. Join Ascension's 'Living with Serious Illness' group to explore ways to continue to embrace life in spite of illness. We meet in Room 1 on the 2nd Monday of each month from 11:30 to 1:00 and bring a bag lunch. For more information, contact Barb Mansfield at 301.963.2214 or email [barbmansfield8@gmail.com](mailto:barbmansfield8@gmail.com).

## Keep Us Informed

If you have a new email, phone number and/or address - please let the office know. You may email [office@ascensionmd.org](mailto:office@ascensionmd.org), leave the information in the basket on the table by the office, or call 301.948.0122.

## Ascension Softball



The men's softball season starts up again on April 18. Games will be Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at local fields in Gaithersburg. Playoffs will be July 25 and 30.

If you are interested and would like more information, contact Ted Bedell at [tedbedell@comcast.net](mailto:tedbedell@comcast.net) or 301.520.8449, or Bill Ward at [William.ward@nrc.gov](mailto:William.ward@nrc.gov) or 301.523.4088.

## Linen Laundering

Have you ever thought about all those nice clean white cloths that cover the tables and the altar and the chalices? We have a team of dedicated people, men and women, who volunteer to do this. But recently we have lost several members of the team, and we could really use some fresh blood. The washing is just like your own wash - throw the cloths in the washer and dryer. Ironing could hardly be easier - they're all just flat pieces of cloth - no sleeves to work around, no buttons to dodge. It's a great way to offer your services to God while you are also watching television. If you think you might be suited for this ministry, contact the office and Kathy will put you in touch with someone to train you. Or contact one of our launderers, Ophelia Yalley-Ogunro at [opiemagz@gmail.com](mailto:opiemagz@gmail.com), Sarah Gallagher at [sarahkristin@verizon.net](mailto:sarahkristin@verizon.net), or Sari Stoddard at [sari.stoddard@verizon.net](mailto:sari.stoddard@verizon.net).

## Movie Night, Friday, April 1



Everyone is welcome to meet up in the Undercroft Commons on Friday, April 1 at 6:00 p.m. to watch the first *Minions* Movie. We'll start off with pizza and whatever else people want to bring. We do ask for a donation of \$5 per person with a \$15 per family maximum toward the cost of the pizza. We'll start the movie at 6:30 and we'll most likely be out and off to bed by 8:30 p.m.

Please bring your favorite beverage, and some to share. Snack foods will not be denied admission. You need not be a child, or have one, to attend! Dolls, favorite toys, sleeping bags and pillows are also welcome!

Please RSVP by Midnight Thursday, March 31. We need 10 confirmations to make Movie Night happen...

Sign up here: [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/70A0A4CABA82DA75-seeminions](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/70A0A4CABA82DA75-seeminions)

# VESTRY DIGEST

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*Vestry Digest, February 2016*

Present: The Rev. Randy Lord-Wilkinson, Betsy Hasegawa, Rose Buck, Gordon Donnelly, Janet King, Lauren Kingsland, Avin Lalmansingh, Denise Lionetti, Gary McLaughlin, and Treasurer Howard Holland. Absent: Enid Cole, Najma Stubblefield, and Paul Whitmore.

The meeting opened at 1:35 p.m., with an African Bible Study, concluding at 1:55 p.m.

Consent Agenda: Rose moved that the consent agenda be adopted as presented; Avin seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

As part of additions to the Consent Agenda and committee reports, Betsy asked how expenses for Altar Guild purchases are made, such as the recent purchase of goblets. It was explained that purchases for permanent Altar Guild items are made using monies from the Memorial/Worship Fund. In addition, Randie reported that three new musicians have joined the ensemble playing at the 11:15 a.m. service, and noted Music Minister Jerrold Tidwell's impact and leadership on the music program to date.

## New Business

Solar Power, Inc., Presentation. Given the attendance of Dennis Satnick, from Solar Power, Inc., the Vestry shifted to the New Business portion of the meeting to allow Mr. Satnick to make his presentation sooner on the agenda.

Mr. Satnick provided a short general overview of Solar Power, its business model, locations and its work with faith communities, nonprofits, and others to provide for organizations' electrical needs through solar power and renewable energy sources. Vestry members then highlighted specific issues for Mr. Satnick to address, including potential cost savings and environmental impact of how the company provides energy.

Mr. Satnick proceeded to cover in more detail the company's energy generation process, which is based on purchasing open farm land and installing solar panels on them based on the expected electrical needs of the client organization. Doing so would lower Ascension's electrical costs would be approximately 20% less because the per kilowatt hour cost of the electricity purchased would be lower. These savings would increase over time.

Vestry members then asked a series of questions about what would be involved in entering into a contract with Solar Power, costs required upfront, and time frame for

beginning to draw electricity from Solar Power if the Vestry decided to proceed.

Next steps are to further evaluate Solar Power's proposal and then decide whether to sign a non-binding letter of intent that would allow Solar Power to prepare more detailed information for the Vestry to consider.

Request for Mentors for 2016 Confirmands. The Rev. Deacon Kate Siberine, one of Ascension's seminarians, spoke with the Vestry about this year's confirmation process and steps leading up to the confirmation service this spring at the Cathedral.

She encouraged Vestry members to consider their own formation in faith and how they learned to be disciples of Jesus. How does each of us know when we are employing tools of discipleship? Rev. Siberine stressed the importance of intergenerational relationships and their role in Christian formation, a subject she's exploring in her senior thesis at Virginia Theological Seminary.

She then asked if there were any members of the Vestry who might agree to be mentors for this year's confirmands. Lauren, Avin, and Betsy volunteered to do so.

## Old Business

The Vestry then turned to its list of agenda items under Old Business.

Photo Directory. Plans are proceeding to produce a new Ascension photo directory. Randy will contact the individual who helped coordinate the process when the parish last produced a photo directory, with late May as the expected time frame for parishioners having their photos taken.

Parish Life Chair and Committee Recruitment. Vestry members discussed the challenges they're encountering in recruiting a new chair and other ways that the position may be filled and/or the duties of the position handled. Betsy suggested making a list of expected duties and scope of activities to be carried out. The Vestry will invite prospective candidate(s) to its meeting on April 24 to discuss further. Lauren volunteered to hold a workshop on organizing Ascension parish life activities to help with the process.

Pledge Thank You Dinner. Vestry members discussed next steps in planning the dinner. Avin suggested that the Vestry serve as hosts, and he and Rose volunteered to explore catering options and report back to the Vestry on choices available.

## New Business

The Vestry next turned to the remainder of its New Business items.

Vestry Retreat Planning. Randy confirmed that parish consultant John Johnson will help lead the retreat. Randy is discussing topics with him, but expects that the retreat will focus on Ascension's mission and confirming key activities for the parish.

"Reshaping Ascension". Closely related, Ascension needs to develop a plan for going forward considering the parish's deficit, including activities potentially to prune and creation of a small group to talk about Ascension's mission and ministry. Questions for the group to consider would be what is at the "core of Ascension's DNA" and what will serve the parish best in living into that identity.

## Open Mic

- Lauren noted her interest in seeing the women's retreat being held again and the interest that other women have expressed in again holding the retreat. Lauren offered to call the Hollywood Retreat Center to find out about dates available. Janet moved that Lauren be empowered to explore retreat options on behalf of the Vestry and collect information for the Vestry to consider formally. Denise seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.
- Betsy thanked Lauren and Gordon for their service on the Vestry and noted their contributions both to the Vestry's work and the wider parish community. Members of the Vestry joined in offering their thanks and accolades for Lauren's and Gordon's efforts.
- Janet noted the need for a Capital Campaign Steering Committee to address where efforts stand and future communication with the parish.
- Rose raised the issue of Ascension's mailing list and taking steps to correct addresses that aren't good and result in mail being returned.

Adjournment: At 4:30 p.m., Gary moved that the meeting be adjourned. Gordon seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Howard Holland on behalf of Sari Stoddard, Clerk of the Vestry

# CURRENT FINANCIAL STATUS

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## *Financial Update, February 2016*

As we reported last month, the Vestry adopted a budget for 2016 at its February 7, 2016, meeting. We continue to address implementing the budget for the year based on the budget as adopted, and the income and expenses projected. Doing so will require addressing the deficit between income and expenses and how best to address Ascension's needs going forward.

As we do so, we are also taking a final look at the end-of-year numbers for 2015, while reviewing income and expenses for both January and February. It will be important to assess trends early in the year and whether the projections we've made for 2016 appear on target. Given the deficit budget adopted, we need to carefully track income and expenses so that we can take further action, if required.

## February Financial Figures

January and February income figures are so far tracking close to expectations, with Facilities expenses that were largely weather related pushing up expenses in that area.

- Total income for February was \$37,166. We received \$3,704 in Plate receipts and \$31,177 in Pledge income. These numbers are consistent with what we usually see in February, especially considering winter kept a firm hold during the month! Rental income was \$1,350, and Miscellaneous Unrestricted income was \$935.
- For February, our total expenses were \$51,153. As mentioned, given weather related expenses, our total expense figure for the month was higher than it otherwise might have been. Facilities expenses were \$6,520 for the month. Our Utilities expenses were also higher than planned, at \$4,743. We will need to monitor both areas very carefully as we move into the spring.
- Based on February income and expenses, we had negative net income of \$13,987 for the month. Year to date, we have income of \$75,316, and expenses of \$105,064, for a total deficit to date of \$29,746.

Finally, the balance in the Endowment Fund was \$458,086 as of February 29, including \$153,827 being held in the cash portion of the Fund. The balance in the Capital Improvements & Building Repairs fund remains at \$19,639.

Howard Holland, *Treasurer and Chair, Operations and Finance Committee*, [hhollbike@verizon.net](mailto:hhollbike@verizon.net).



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Children's Music Leader	Howard Hanson
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	Samuel Munguia
Sexton	Betty LaVern
Nursery Director	Giséle Lachance

## Sunday Services

7:45 a.m.—Holy Eucharist  
*"Meditative" service, no music - Main Church*

9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
*Classic sacred music of the Church accompanied by Choir and Organ—Main Church*

10:15 a.m.—Eucharist for Young Children and Families  
*Storytelling of the Gospel with children's songs—Chapel*

11:00 a.m.—Eucharist in Spanish  
*Songs and prayers in Spanish—Chapel*

11:15 a.m.—Holy Eucharist  
*Music and liturgy in the vernacular accompanied by instrumental ensemble—Main Church*

5:00 p.m.—"Last Chance Church" Eucharist  
*Informal service with music blending Gospel and jazz influences—Chapel*