

THIS WEEK AT ST. VINCENT

Sunday, April 23, 2017

Second Sunday of Easter

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

In May, we will elect representatives for 3 open seats. Please prayerfully consider serving in this role or asking others to be nominated. There are two open seats for 9:30 Mass reps and one for 11:45. Schedule is:

April 30: Nominations; **May 7:** Additional nominations;

May 13: Online voting available; **May 14:** Elections

AN OCCASIONAL CONVERSATION

This parishioner initiative, led by 9:30 Mass attendee diaedre, offers us the opportunity to engage in dialogue on topics the group considers critical issues of our day. Each event will screen a film as a prompt for the dialogue.

First Event: *Cracking the Codes: The System of Racial Inequity* is on **Saturday, May, 13 @12:45- 3:15 PM** in St. V's classrooms. For more about "An Occasional

Conversation" and this upcoming screening go to stvchurch.org or see flyer in Gathering Space.

'UNITED NOT BLIGHTED' RALLY & PETITIONS

As members of the 20/20 campaign by United Workers, St. V's Peace & Justice Committee is asking the city to put \$20 million in the bond budget for deconstruction of vacant homes, greening, and environmental sustainability projects, and \$20 million for permanent affordable housing via community land trusts. **TODAY** you can sign a petition in the back of church and on **Saturday, May 13 @ 2-5 PM** you can join 20/20 for a rally and march to City Hall starting at Baltimore War Memorial (101 N. Gay St.). You will hear about the problem of blighted housing and the vision for community-driven, equitable development.

SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER

More than 750,000 working Marylanders must go to work sick or stay home without pay because they do not have sick leave for themselves or to care for sick family members. Governor Hogan plans to veto the Healthy Working Families Act, which offers a partial solution to this problem. For more information and to petition him to sign the act into law, go to: www.earnedsickdaysmd.org

These are actions that support Catholic social justice teaching to be taken as a community or individually. Send your ideas to social-action@stvchurch.org.

IT'S A POTLUCK, HONEY! This Friday, April 28

@6:30 PM Baltimore Foodmakers will host a honey-themed potluck dinner and a talk by master beekeeper and St. V parishioner Steve McDaniel in our classrooms. Steve will speak on how to save the bees and encourage pollination. He can answer questions about starting or maintaining your home beehives He will also have his natural honey products for purchase. RSVP with your dish and the number of people to Caroline Umana at umanacaroline@gmail.com. Note: There is no Game Night this Friday. Please consider attending this instead.



Fred Jorgensen is collecting Rice Bowls after 9:30 Mass. If you are attending another Mass, please give it to a staff member. If you forgot it, bring it next week.

PURSES FOR PROJECT PLASE – Donations of bags are being accepted this Sunday ONLY. If you brought in one, put it in the basket in front of the choir. This organization that supports homeless individuals sells these bags as a fundraiser at Flower Mart on **May 5-6**.

YOU WATCHED A CONFIRMATION at Easter. Now what about you? Have you been thinking about being baptized? Becoming a Catholic? Are you a Catholic who's never been confirmed? Haven't decided? That's OK. If you're thinking about it now, let's talk about it now. Contact Anne Maura English, eam.english@earthlink.net.

CLIMATE JUSTICE SPEAKER - St. Ignatius (740 N. Calvert) will host Rev. Fletcher Harper, episcopal priest and executive director of GreenFaith, this **Wednesday, April 26** at 7:30 PM. See flyer in the Gathering Space.

FRIENDS OF ST. VINCENT CEMETERY will host its annual Spring Clean-Up Event at our cemetery (2401 N Rose St. in Clifton Park) on **Saturday, May 6 @ 9 AM-1PM**. See flyer in the Gathering Space for details or contact Stephanie Town at rakeleafs@yahoo.com.

ANNUAL ST. V RETREAT: MAY 19-21

A Weekend with Thomas Merton:

A Light Shining in the Darkness

Retreat Director: Dr. Monica Weiss, SSJ

Sign up now for this weekend retreat in Pennsylvania! Find registration forms and a full schedule of events in the Gathering Space and on the website.

MUSIC FOR 9:30 AND 11:45 MASS

Opening: Jesus Christ is Risen Today	Worship #442
Gloria: Missa Una Santa Fe	
Psalm: Psalm 118: Alleluia, Alleluia	Gather #101
Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia with verse	
Preparation: We Walk by Faith	Gather #414
Acclamations: This is the body of Christ, broken that we may be whole. This cup as promised by God, true to God's word, cradles the Lord. Food for the good of the soul.	Mass or Renewal (Stephan)
Communion: Eye Has Not Seen	Gather #450
Post-Communion: Hallelujah	
Recessional 9:30: Today 11:45: Joyful, Joyful We Adore You	9:30: Handout 11:45: Worship #525
Gather - Blue Worship - Red	

SCRIPTURE READINGS: SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Today: Acts 2:42-47; I Peter 1:3-16; John 20:19-31
Next Sunday: Acts 2:14-28; I Peter 1:17-21; Luke 24:13-35

MASS MINISTRIES

7:15 Lectors: Peggy Shouse	4/29: Teresa Payne
7:15 Eucharistic Minister: Eve Prietz	4/29: Frances Winder
Lectors: Cathy Bunting, Lauren Carpenter	4/30: Sylvia Eastman, Mary Jane Daley
Liturgy Planner: Fred Jorgensen	4/30: Liz Hassan
Eucharistic Ministers: Phil, Peggy S., Brian, Codie, Joan K, Colleen, Andrea, Charles	4/30: Gerry F., Colleen, Kevin D., Geri S., Janice, Sub.
Altar Dressers: Charles and Andrea Chapman	4/30: Joan Fulton, Mary Lynn Myers
Liturgy of the Word: R. McMullin	4/30: Volunteers Needed
Cup Washers: Judy Ulrich	4/30: Schaefer
Set-up/Clean-up: B, and P. Ball/F. Jorgensen, M. K. Fries	4/30: M. Shea, C. McKnight & family/M. Weiss and family, J. Smith-Robinson
Food: Waldman, Meier	4/30: Asquino

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location
Sunday	April 23	11 AM 4 PM	Faith, Fun, Fellowship AA Meeting	Various Undercroft
Monday	April 24	12:30 PM 7 PM 7 PM	Food Bags Given Women in Ministry Bible Study	Breezeway Cathy Bunting's Home Classroom
Tuesday	April 25			
Wednesday	April 26			
Thursday	April 27			
Friday	April 28	5 – 6:30 PM 6:30 – 8:30 PM	Breaking Bread With the Hungry Honey Potluck and Bee Talk	Undercroft Classroom
Saturday	April 29	7 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft
Sunday	April 30	4 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft

Stewardship Last Week: Attendance: 360; Offertory: \$5,566.79.

Additions to the prayer list: Gail Williams, Mary Medland

MORE INFO: For questions about any ministries, call the parish office at **410-962-5078**, or go to our website at stvchurch.org. See our monthly bulletin for staff and committee contacts. Also find us on Facebook at facebook.com/stvchurch or to get our weekly e-newsletter **This Week @ St. Vincent** by subscribing on our website. To submit an item to the weekly bulletin, send it to bulletin@stvchurch.org by Wednesday, at 10 PM.