

# St. Stephen's News

St. Stephen's Traditional Episcopal Church, Timonium, Maryland

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## FROM THE PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE

### Six weeks to go to the Garden Party and Fete

THERE are just six weeks to go until our Annual British Garden Party & Fete, which takes place on Saturday, May 1st. This means time is running out for you to join the ranks of the nobility by signing up as one of our patrons.

There are four levels of patronage and you will receive a visible sign of recognition for your support an exclusive "gong" which is a lapel pin with tri-colored ribbon attached.

■ Imperial Crown \$100 will have a crest befitting the category

■ House of Windsor \$75 will have a neat little unicorn

■ House of York \$50 will have white rose motif

■ House of Lancaster \$30 will have a red rose motif

Why not sign up? The Garter King of Arms awaits.

There are also all sorts of things we need to help make the event a success. We are looking for:

**Cakes for the Cake Stall:** Last year your cakes were so absolutely scrumptious, we sold out despite the weather. Please redouble your efforts -- because it is all in a good cause.

We also need **tea cakes and dainties** for our Tea Room.

Rosa Halbert could use all the help she can get to provide mouthwatering teas for our guests.

Also on our wish list are **tea pots** -- not the George II sterling silver heirloom that you inherited from the Custis side of the family, but the pretty little pot that Aunt Mabel gave you a couple of Christmases ago would do very nicely.

We are also still in the market for **superior quality jumble** for our White Elephant Stall. This is your opportunity to at last get rid of the zither Uncle Thomas used to twang at family gatherings and the cage that once was home to Cousin Ebenezer's parrot. Please search your cupboards, attics, cellars and fallout shelters for salable treasures.

We also need **volunteers** to help set up on Friday, April 30th, and to man the stalls and side shows on Party Day, Saturday, May 1st.

And don't forget to bring along your family and friends to Baltimore's only and only absolutely British Garden Party & Fete. Tell them they'll not see anything like it this side of the pond.

We will be taking them back to the good old days when this annual event of **color and pageantry** took place in churchyards and village greens all over England. Entice them with a promise of a fabulous traditional English Cream Tea.

Enter our **Glamorous Grandmother** competition where you will have the chance to be crowned on a beautiful throne. Dads and grandads are not left out as they can enter our **Knobbly Knee** competition and walk

Please join us to hear  
St. Stephen's Choir of Men & Boys  
sing  
A SERVICE OF LESSONS &  
ANTHEMS FOR PASSIONTIDE  
at 6.00 PM  
on Palm Sunday, March 28th  
at the Parish Church

off with the much desired title. For the children there will be many, many games and competitions for them to enter as well as a **Bouncy Windsor Castle**.

The theme chosen for our prize winning competition for **Floral Exhibits** - "British Pubs". Further details will soon appear. Mark your calendars for Saturday, May 1st!

## FROM THE VESTRY

### Annual Meeting, May 9th

ST. STEPHEN'S Annual Parish Meeting will take place between the 9.15 AM and the 11.15 AM services on Rogation Sunday, May 9th. Members attending the meeting will hear the Rector's report on the state of the parish, the reports of the Treasurer and Wardens and elect candidates for the Vestry. Nominations for the vestry and their biographies will be published in the next issue of the newsletter.

## ✠ PARISH PRAYER LIST ✠

OUR Prayer Chain offers prayer daily for people on the Prayer List and guests of the Joseph Richey Hospice. To add a name to the list, or to the visiting list, or to join the Prayer Chain, call the office at 410 560 6776.

**RECOVERY:** Laura, Linda, Robert, Nancy, Earnie, Sharp, Edithann, Robert, Nancy, Perry, Amelia, Shirley, Adrian, Kimberly, Dean, Barb, Tanya, Jane, Brook, Val, Helen, Joseph,

## The Holy Week Schedule

**PALM SUNDAY, March 28th:** 8 AM, 9.15 AM & 11.15 AM, Palms & Holy Communion;  
6 PM, The Choir sings Evensong

**MONDAY BEFORE EASTER, March 29th:** 6 PM, Holy Communion.

**TUESDAY BEFORE EASTER, March 30th:** 6 PM, Holy Communion.

**WEDNESDAY BEFORE EASTER, March 31st:** 6 PM, H.C & 7 PM.

**MAUNDY THURSDAY, April 1st:** 7 PM Choral Eucharist, followed by Vigil

**GOOD FRIDAY, April 2nd:** NOON, The Seven Last Words From The Cross  
3.30 PM, Children's Way of the Cross ✠ 6 PM, Communion from the Reserved Sacrament

**HOLY SATURDAY, April 3rd:** 7 PM, The Great Vigil and First Eucharist of Easter

### EASTER DAY (Sunday, April 4th)

8 AM: Said Holy Eucharist.

9.15 AM: Choral Eucharist, (followed by an Easter Egg Hunt for children aged 7 and under).

11.15 AM: Choral Eucharist

**THE SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR  
EASTER DAY**

being Sunday, April 4th, 2010

8.00 AM. 9.15 AM & 11.15 AM  
HOLY COMMUNION

The Epistle: Colossians 3:1-4  
The Gospel: St. John 20:1-10

FOR YOUR MORNING OFFICE

The Psalter: Psalm 93 & 111  
The First Lesson: Isaiah 25:1-9

The Second Lesson: St. Matthew:28:1-10,16-20

Joshua, Rachel, Frank, Carl, Charlotte, Cal, Catherine, Sam, Ruth, Kristi, Paul, Sue, James, Patty, Antonio, Lauren-Michelle, McKayla, Randy, Jack, Grace, Bob, Fran, Doris, Carolyn, Ken, Serina, Wyatt, Bobby, Alexander, Erlene, Kathleen, Earle, Judy, Katherine, William, Betty, Cal, Wendell, Trisha, Peggy, Linda, Millie, Walt, Bruce, Cienna, Tracy, Tom, Leliliah, Jennifer, Miriam, Karen, Steve, George, Eliza, Mel, John, Randy, James, Sarah, Linda, Suzanne, Marian, Edith Anne, Steven, Jeanne, Tammy; Ellen, Jim, Patricia, Bonnie, Mary Ann, Robert, Christine, Dee, Brian, Barbara, Gillian, Eileen, Matthew, George,

Bryan, Jason, Jane, Joan, LFrances, Ernie, Pat, Lynn, Michael, Ray, Leslie, Brandon, May, Scott, Stephen, Robert, Danny, Billy, Betty-Ann, Mildred, D'Metrius, Laura, Stacey, Frank, Alma, Christine, John, Henry, Naomi, Pam, John, Ben, Kevin, Gwen, Elizabeth, Gloria, Lee Emily, Elsie, Bruce, Regina, Lewis, Madolin, Eudora, Linda, Carol, Bernie, Charlene, Josephine, Margaret, Mackie, Jody, Sheila, Jo Anne, John, Geradine, Thomas, Jeanne, Sister Catherine-Grace, Maxine, Ann Sharon, Dennis, Mae, Anita, Marilyn, Lawrence, Rebecca, Dorothy, Joanne, Albion, Martha, Jackie, Charles, Tony, Edward, Kim, Vivian and Debbie.

**LIGHT, STRENGTH & GUIDANCE:** June, Jean, Garrett, Ned, & Stephen, Rachel, Robert & Renee, Lydia; Richard, Melba, Debbie, Phyllis, Georgetta, Carolyn, Suzanne, Tony, Erik, Doris, Drake, The Norris family; Gillian, Beverley, Adrienn, Jhana, Marla, Matthew, Joan, David, Laurie, Ellen, Lynn, Mildred, Sarah Lee, Tom, Susan, Debbie, Kathy, Owen, Douglas, Amy, Jo Anne, Mary, Gregory, Isabel, Bobby, Dorothy, Darren, Scott, Rebecca, William, Charles, Joyce, Asfa, Eleanor, Kathy, Linda, James, Barry, Ann, Evelyn, Jeanette, Elizabeth, Virginia, Mildred, Chris, Micki, Stephen, Carol, Sandra, Elsie, John, Mary, Michael and David

**ON ACTIVE SERVICE:** Col. Scott Taylor, LTC. R. J. Lytle, PFC Charles E. Heintz, IV, U.S. Army, Alex Bursi, US. Navy; Capt. Charles Bursi & LTC Harry Hughes, U.S. Air Force.

**FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL:** Owen Nugent.

**FOR THOSE WHO MOURN:** The Nugent Family.

**Easter Flowers for St. Stephen's Altar**

Here is a selection of beautiful spring flowers to decorate the church for Easter. Please make your choice and return this form to the church office with your check. Flowers may be taken home after the 11:15 am service.

	# of plants		# of plants
Lilies Small elite 6" 4-6 blooms @ \$10	_____	Keepsake Azalea @ \$14	_____
Hydrangeas Four plus Blooms @ \$15	_____	Hyacinths @ \$8.50 (6"pot)	_____
Daffodils @ \$8.50 (6"pot)	_____	Tulips @ \$ 8.50 (6" pot)	_____

Your Name: .....

My gift is made IN HONOR OF, IN MEMORY OF, IN THANKSGIVING FOR (please circle).....

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**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
8.00am -- Holy Communion  
9.15am -- Holy Communion (Nursery & Church School)  
11.15am -- Morning Prayer (Nursery)  
(1st. Sun. of the month: Holy Communion at 11.15am)

**WEEKDAY SERVICES**  
Wednesday: 6.00pm Evening Prayer  
Friday: Noon: Healing Eucharist  
Saturday: 5.00PM Family Eucharist.

**COLLECTS FOR PALM SUNDAY &  
MAUNDY THURSDAY**

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who of thy tender love towards mankind, hast sent thy Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, to take upon him our flesh, and to suffer death upon the cross, that all mankind should follow the example of his great humility; Mercifully grant, that we may both follow the example of his patience, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *AMEN.*

ALMIGHTY Father, whose dear Son, on the night before he suffered, didst institute the Sacrament of his Body and Blood; Mercifully grant that we may thankfully receive the same in remembrance of him, who in the holy mysteries giveth us the pledge of life eternal; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who now liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit ever, one God, world without end. *AMEN.*

*Book of Common Prayer, Pages 134 & 152*

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