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FROM THE BISHOP



APPOINTMENTS ORDINATIONS AMONG US

by

Bishop John Vaughan
Bishop Ordinary

Dear Friends and Brothers in Christ Jesus our Lord;

In an effort to always have continuity, stability and good order in the church, I Rt. Rev. John Vaughan, by the grace of God Bishop Ordinary of the DEUS, wish to inform you of my plans for our beloved diocese. Our diocese has been blessed with many good men called to Holy Orders, and I would like to share my congratulations to all of the newly ordained highlighted in this issue, along with pictures and a commitment to continuing education for all in our ACA DEUS family.

To that end, I have made several appointments after prayerful consideration over the past few months. First I announce my decision to appoint the Venerable Guy Hawtin to be my Vicar General. In that capacity Fr. Guy will be in a position to lead the diocese in the event of my absence, due to illness, resignation, death, or if I am simply out of the country on vacation. Fr Guy will also be there to assist me in the visitations that do not require Episcopal Sacraments, particularly in the Northern parts of the diocese.

This leaves open the position of Archdeacon open so my second announcement is to appoint Canon Michael Kerouac to fill the post of Archdeacon, with specific emphasis on the task of clergy deployment. And developing plans for improvement of clergy benefits. Canon Mike will be a liaison between the clergy and the bishop, between the clergy and the Vicar General and between the clergy and the parish in times of dispute.

It is my intention that St. Patrick's, Port St. John, FL be the Cathedral of DEUS and that St. Stephen's, Timonium, MD continue to be the Pro-Cathedral, again giving a beautiful presence in the Northern part of our great diocese.

What an exciting time we have ahead of us. I ask your prayers for those ordained to the Sacred ministry those appointed to new leadership tasks in our diocese, and for me an unworthy servant of the Lord. And please pray always that the Lord of the Harvest will send more laborers into His harvest.

Blessings to you and yours,

Bishop John Vaughan



Diocese of the Eastern United States

International Anglican Fellowship - IAF

by

Rosa R. Halbert aka Trouble 2

As one of your Diocesan representatives at the ACA Executive meeting in Brockton, MA this April, I agreed to become a steward for the IAF. With the permission of the Executive Director of the IAF, Erv Lischke, I am going to use his words to try to entice you to give your support for the work it does. The International Anglican Fellowship (IAF) is the missionary arm of the Traditional Anglican Communion (TAC) and serves as the conduit for the financial help for missionary work and church building in countries throughout the world. The aim is to spread God's word and influence of the Holy Spirit through our support for building Christ's world both physically and spiritually. Currently funds distributed by the IAF are supporting 1) the training of new priests, 2) Church construction, 3) construction of medical facilities, 4) providing medical supplies and 5) assistance with clergy salaries. Recipients are in: South Africa, India, Guatemala, Cameroon, Canada, Australia, Puerto Rico, Haiti (disaster relief), Japan (disaster relief), Chile (disaster relief) and the U.S. (Lakota Sioux, S.D.). The IAF is going through a period of "reinvigoration" with a new Board of Directors that is committed to making IAF activities transparent. The members include The Most Rev. Samuel P. Prakesh (Primate of the TAC), Rt. Rev. Michael Gill (Bishop of Pretoria and South Africa), Rt. Rev. Brian R. Marsh (Presiding Bishop of the ACA), Mxolisi Nick France Bambo (businessman from RSA) and the Executive Director Erv Lischke (retired pilot from Montana). No positions are paid and the only expenses are those having to do with bank transfer fees. So every dollar you send will go to helping spread the word. As your steward, I am asking every church and mission to place a line item pledge in their budget to send money to the IAF each year. This will make you a sustaining member and eligible for a plaque. I would also ask that you publicize this to your congregations as individuals can also be sustaining members. Please contact me either at 410-825-1592 or by e-mail at jrhalbert@verizon.net if you have any questions. As Erv Lischke sends out newsletters with updates I will be sending them along to you. Feel free to go to their website at www.iaftac.org for more information and pictures.

FROM THE CLERGY WIVES

Please pray for Maureen, as she undergoes more testing.

If you need an updated listing of Clergy Wives of the ACA DEUS, please contact carolyn.kerouac@gmail.com.

✠ ACA DEUS PRAYER LIST ✠

TRAVEL: Bishop Vaughan ✠, Bishop Marsh ✠ All Clergy

RECOVERY: Fr Guy ✠, Rhae ✠, Charlotte, Brice

ALL of those ON ACTIVE SERVICE and ALL Clergy

DAILY PRAYERS: ALL CLERGY, POSTULANTS, THEIR WIVES AND FAMILIES WHO SUPPORT THEM

WEBSITES BEING UPDATED !

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Traditional Anglican Communion



Anglican Church in America

ORDINATIONS AMONG US

St. Patrick's Cathedral, Port St. John, FL
Frank Cossentino ordained a Deacon 2013.



Addressing the altar, Frank is bottom left.



Fr. John Jacobs with Frank kneeling.



Deacon Frankie at his reception, all smiles!

The Rev. Mr. Jason_Ellis ordained to the Priesthood 2013.



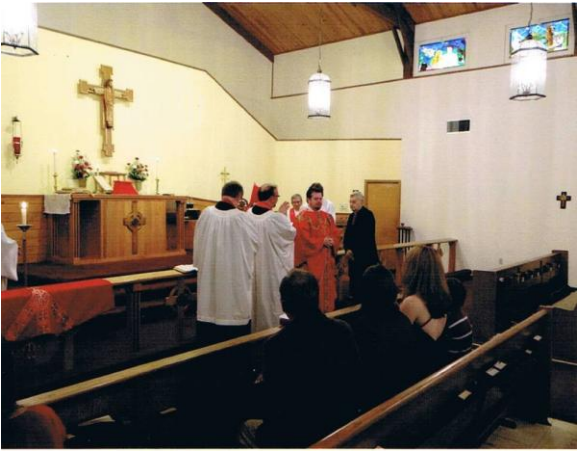
Deacon Jason Ellis lying prostrate before God, preparing to be ordained into the priesthood.



Laying of hands to bless the new priest!



Holy Communion at the Cathedral with new priest Jason Ellis on the left of Bishop John Vaughan.



The presentation of The Reverend Jason Ellis.

St. Stephen's Anglican, Timonium, MD

Michael Belt and John Novicki were ordained as Deacons June 9, 2013 !



Deacon's Belt and Novicki prostrate before God and the Bishop during their ordination at St. Stephen's in Maryland.



Deacons Belt and Novicki on the altar with Bishop Vaughan and Fr. Hawtin after being ordained.



Deacon Michael Belt reading after his ordination, with Bishop John Vaughan, Deacon John Novicki and Father Michael Kerouac looking on.



Deacon John Novicki enjoying a quiet corner on the porch after his ordination.



The reception at the Hawk's residence. Pictured Fr. Mike and Bishop John talking with parishioners.



Father Guy Hawtin scoping out the dining room with SubDeacon Wiley Hawks and his wife Colby.

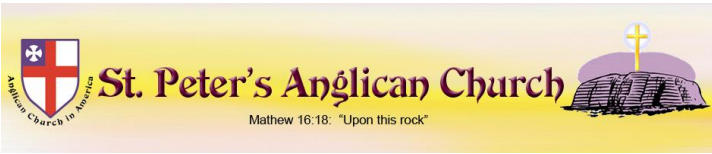


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Delaware, The District of Columbia,
Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana,
Maryland, Mississippi, New Jersey, North
Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina,
Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.
*The Right Reverend John Vaughan,
Bishop Ordinary*



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From Fr. John Jacobs...
St. Peter's is submitting plans to begin construction
at the end of July, with construction anticipated in
August!



St. Stephen's Anglican Church
Timonium, MD



Special Silly Summer Barbecue

Wednesday, July 3rd, 6:30 PM and every
THURSDAY NIGHT UNTIL MID SEPT.

Yes, you can have it all!! You can join us for our
weekly Silly Summer Supper and enjoy a long
Fourth of July Weekend with your family, too.

Come, join us! Delicious Barbecued Chicken,
Coleslaw, and Potato Salad. \$10 PER PERSON

Church of the Resurrection Salem, AL



Canon Richard Waller and his
wife Maureen continue their
mission in the ACA!



MAY BBQ TIME with FATHER FILKINS

Deacon's Corner
God Willing, Tom Cuny will be
ordained a Deacon on August 31, 2013
at St. James Anglican Mission in
Blackville, SC with Bishop John
Vaughan presiding. Prayers requested.

ST. STEPHEN’S Franklin, NC



The "MAIN" altar at St.Stephen’s in Franklin, N.C. We are mainly a hospice and hospital/nursing home ministry. In the summer we use the screened front porch with the great mountain views for services.



A view of the altar at St. George’s Anglican Church, Columbus, GA.

The Anglican Church of SS. Peter and Paul Largo, FL



Father Rovelstad has supported this mission on the west coast of FL for many years, along with his wife Ardis. Please visit them if you are in this area of FL!

From Father Keller.....
St. George's, Columbus, GA will host the 2014 DEUS Synod. St. George's is the only ACA church in Georgia formed shortly after the Affirmation of St. Louis by a small group of local Episcopalians. They first met in a residence and shortly moved into an old laundromat on 1st Avenue. After meeting there for a while the lot next to the laundromat and the house behind the laundromat were donated to the parish. The house was torn down and the current sanctuary on Broadway was built. The parish used the old laundromat for a parish hall for a number of years. About 12 years ago the parish purchased the lot next to our Atrium and built our current parish hall. Being located in the historic district of Columbus we will utilize our historic buildings as well as the facilities at the parish. The new white water course will be available for those

MONTHLY STATEMENT
(If God Should Bill Us)

Due to God, your Father in Heaven and Round about For Services rendered during one month.
30 days of care / supervision, air, light, sunshine, and rain.
240 hours of restful re-creative sleep.
720 hours of physical upkeep of heart, lungs, senses, digestion, locomotion.
90 very satisfying meals.
1 competent mind to analyze and judge, a memory to retain, a will to act.
A family that loves you, rejoices and sorrows with you.
A host of friends who believe in you and overlook your oddities and mistakes.
Neighbors, near and far, who band together to build a better community.
Skies and seasons that bring beauty and grandeur, parks and gardens.
A church that is free and strong, affording you worship, guidance, solace and fellowship.
Love from a God of justice, compassion and forgiveness,
whose plans and purposes were spelled out by His Son, and whose Spirit abides with you.
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