

St Stephen's News

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A parish in the classical Anglican tradition

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FROM MITCH & DEVON ROCK

Join us for the Bible's advice about managing your money

Join us for Financial Peace University, a presentation of Dave Ramsey's video series. Financial Peace University changes lives through wise money management focused on building wealth and eliminating debt. Learn how God's principles for finance can make a difference in your life and improve your relationships.

There are over 2000 verses in the Bible that relate to finances. 16 out of the 38 parables deal with money. God has something to say to us. Are we listening?

The average person taking this class pays off \$5300 and saves \$2700. Join us to learn together how God can impact you and those around you to experience financial peace.

The class will be hosted by Mitch and Devon Rock beginning on Thursday, May 25th at St. Stephen's. The class will run every Thursday for nine weeks.

Classes will be offered completely free. However, optional materials which you may find helpful may be purchased from daveramsey.com after the first class.

For Information regarding this opportunity at St. Stephen's, call Mitch and Devon at (443) 761-1880 or follow this link online:

<http://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/classes/1041723>

For additional information and videos about Dave Ramsey's approach to finances go to: www.daveramsey.com. On the radio listen to Dave Ramsey's call-in program weekdays from 3:00 to 5:00 pm on AM 1230-WRBS

BRITISH GARDEN PARTY NEWS

Gross receipts from the Garden Party totalled

\$4,900 -- an extraordinary performance

considering the far less than perfect weather, The will be a full report on the event in our next issue.

FROM THE RECTOR

Remembering the parish's unforgettable characters

This is my 28th year as rector of St Stephen's which, doubtless, explains why the years seem to rush by at an increasingly rapid pace – so fast, in fact, that many parishioners have never heard of the people for whom various rooms in the church are named.

For instance, Tom Cadwalader, whose stern visage presides over the coffee urn in the room that bears his name, is probably known only to people who joined the parish at least a dozen years ago.

And the same is probably true of Elizabeth and Al Quimby, Joyce Holmes, Mary Stuart Barnhart, Jim Peters and Bill and Harriet Downey, and a whole host of others.

This is a great pity because St Stephen's has been the church home of some truly remarkable people and it is sad to think that they might be forgotten.

It thus occurs to me that it would be worthwhile to devote an occasional column to telling you about them. And because his is the first photograph that greets you when you enter the church, I shall begin with Tom Cadwalader.

Tom, who passed away in 2007, was a remarkably modest man. With typical diffidence, he left instructions that his funeral service should be a simple, unadorned Office for the Burial of the Dead without sermon or eulogy.

It was, perhaps, something of a blessing that Tom vetoed a funeral eulogy. His life was filled with so many notable

achievements that a mere summary of them would have taken an unconscionable time for folks sitting on hard oak pews.

He was born on November 18th, 1912, at the home of his parents, Thomas Francis Cadwalader and Elizabeth Middleton Read Cadwalader, on West Mount Royal Avenue, Baltimore.

He hailed from a distinguished lineage – a direct descendant of Arthur Middleton, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, and General John Cadwalader, a friend of George Washington and the commander of the Pennsylvania troops in the 1776 campaign.

Tom attended Calvert School on Chase Street and graduated in 1930 from the Gilman Country School. He received his bachelor's degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1934 and the degree of Chartered Life Underwriter from the American College of Life Underwriters in 1953.

An enthusiastic sportsman, Tom won his letter with the Gilman soccer team and went on to play freshman soccer at university. His Baltimore heritage was evident when he earned his university letter for lacrosse 1932, 1933, and 1934.

In his youth Tom was a keen horseman. He grew up largely at Joppa in Harford County where he rode almost daily and for two years hunted with the Carrollton Hounds. He also helped organize

Parish Prayer List

Our Prayer Chain offers prayer daily for people on the Prayer List as well as the guests of the Joseph Richey Hospice. To add a name to the prayer list, or to the visiting list, or to join the Prayer Chain, ring the parish office on 410 560 6776.

FOR RECOVERY: Timothy, Peter, June, Hilarie, Sarah, Betsy, Edie, Alan, Terry, Helen, Jim, Linda, John, Judy, Neal, Aida, Stephen, Nathan, Hobie, Betty, Helen, Eunice, Tom, Robert✘, David, Jan, Susie, Sophia, Bobby, Lee, Cary, Courtney, Marie, Joanna, Kendall, Ian, Gloria, June, John, David, Adrian, Michell, Aida, Mai, Al, Kathy & Don

FOR LIGHT, STRENGTH & GUIDANCE: Stephen, Melba, Sam, Vinnie, Doug, Ian, Lisa, Carey, Cindy, Jacob, Casey, Beth, Erin and Aubery

FOR THE DEPARTED: Canon Forrest Wayne Burgett Jr

FOR THOSE WHO MOURN: Mrs Janie Burgett & fsmily

ON ACTIVE SERVICE: Lt Alex Bursi, Capt. Charles Bursi, Lt Nicholas Clouse, USN; Lt Col. Harry Hughes; MSGT Michael Holter, USAF; Cpt Fiodor Strikovski, US Arm

the Harford County Horse and Pony Show at Olney, the home of J. Alexis Shriver, through the 1920s and '30s.

In 1940, as Lieutenant in the National Guard, he ran the 100th Field Artillery Horse Show. Among the exhibitors were horses owned by then Colonel George S. Patton and ridden by Patton's daughter.

Tennis was the sports enthusiasm of his later life. Upon his retirement in November 1972, he took up in earnest the game that, until then, had been a vacation pastime.

He played all year round – indoor courts in winter and outdoor courts in more clement weather – until his 94th year. His commitment to the sport earned him medals in tennis at the 1999 Senior Olympics, an achievement that, typically, he kept exceedingly quiet.

Upon leaving college, Tom enlisted as a private in the Maryland National Guard and shortly thereafter set out on a career in life insurance. He joined the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company as

an agent in May 1936, and retiring as a principal with the Wooton and Addison Agency of Penn Mutual. He was a member of the St. Elmo Club of Philadelphia, a subscriber to the Bachelors Cotillion and a member of l’Hirondelle Club in Ruxton.

In July 1938, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in Artillery of the National Guard and in 1941 was called to active duty with the famous 29th Division. From October 1942 to September 1945 he served with the 110th Field Artillery Battalion.

By the invasion of Europe in 1944, he had been promoted to captain and on D-Day he served on Omaha Beach, Normandy, as the artillery liaison officer with the Second Battalion 115th Infantry. He was wounded in action next day while acting as forward artillery observer and was awarded the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart.

In 1946, he married Phyllis Jane Clegg Norrie of St. Hellier, (the capital of Jersey, one of the British Channel Islands) whom he met while stationed in England. The couple settled in Roland Park, Baltimore, and raised three children – Robert Norrie Cadwalader of Linthicum, Elizabeth Jane Cadwalader Baron of Mount Washington, and Sophia Frances Cadwalader Hayes of Joppa.

Tom remained with the National Guard after the war, retiring in 1958 as a colonel. In 1946, he helped reorganize the 110th Field Artillery Battalion and served on the 29th Division staff as Assistant G-4 and chemical officer. He also organized and commanded the 6832rd Anti-aircraft Nike Battalion and was

awarded the Maryland Distinguished Service Cross in 1974.

However, Tom’s service to the community did not end there. He worked for the Community Fund both before and after the Second World War. He served the Benevolent Society of the City and Council of Baltimore as secretary and board member. And he was secretary and a board member of St. Paul’s School for Girls from 1956 to 1964. He was also a trustee for the Sophia G. Cox Charitable Trust Funds in Drifton, PA.

In addition to all of his other commitments, Tom travelled to Philadelphia once a week to assist his father with the administration of trusts. His father died in 1970, but he continued this undertaking until 1978..

Tom was a member of the vestry of a number of Baltimore’s Episcopal Churches, and, from 1970 to 1978, acted as a trustee of St. James’ Episcopal Church in Drifton, PA. He was a founding member of St. Stephen’s Church and served as a vestryman from 1984 to 1990 and again from 1995 to 1998.

Tom was the parish's "grass root." He could always be relied upon for good counsel, thoughtful advice and rock-steady support. To use an expression that has a lamentably antique ring to it, Tom was a true Christian gentleman. He was generous to a fault, unfailingly kind, a devoted churchman and a faithful friend – qualities that, unfortunately, are becoming increasingly rare. He is greatly missed by those of us who knew him. GPH✕

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The Rev. Michael Belt, The Rev. John Novicki and
The Rev. Robert Ludwig, Associate Rectors
The Rev. M Wiley Hawks, Pastoral Care Chaplain
Mrs Happy Riley, Director of Pastoral Care & Wedding Coordinator

SUNDAY SERVICES

8am: Said Eucharist
9.15am: Choral Eucharist (with Nursery & Church School)
11am: Choral Mattins (1st Sunday: Sung Eucharist)
6pm: Choral Evensong (as announced) –
evensong.ststeve.com

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Wednesday, 6pm: Evening Prayer
Friday, 12 noon: Healing Eucharist
Saturday, 5pm: Family Eucharist

Calendar of Events

WEEKLY

Monday, 6.30pm: Bridge Club
Tuesday, 7am: Fellowship Breakfast (Nautilus Diner)
Thursday, 10am: Knitting Circle
Friday, 10.30am: Bible Study

MONTHLY & SPECIAL

Parish Youth Play Group

Saturday, May 13th, 2.00 pm - 4.00 pm

Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, May17th, 7.00 pm

Ladies Who Lunch

at the Razorback, Dulaney Valley Road
Wednesday May 17th 12.00 pm - 2.00 pm

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