



Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church

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Spotlight on Grace: Soon to Join the Staff at Grace Church



We are thrilled to announce that we have appointed David Heinze as Associate Director of Music and Church Administration at Grace Church in Providence.

David is a graduate of the Interlochen Arts Academy, Hope College, and Selwyn College of Cambridge University in England (degree granted just last week on May 18!) and is an Associate of the Royal College of Organists.

David is a brilliant musician and a delightful person and will bring so much to the Grace Church community. David will move to Providence in early July and move into one of the newly renovated apartments at Grace. He will officially begin on July 15. Welcome David!!

A Service of Thanksgiving for the Life of Evelyn R (Harry) Campbell

A Service of Thanksgiving for the Life of Evelyn Campbell will take place at Grace Church today (Friday), May 24, at 11:00am. All are invited to attend. May Evelyn's soul, and the souls of all the departed, rest in peace.



Following the service, the burial will take place at Notre Dame Cemetery, Daggett Ave., Pawtucket.

New Weekly Bible Study at Grace

Starting on Saturday, May 4th, Grace Church will offer a weekly Bible study from 9:30am to 11:00am . The study sessions will be led each week by Gale Grey, Jonathan Huyck, Lavonne Seifert, or Hartwell Hylton. For this spring, we'll be starting with the Acts of Apostles. All are welcome to attend anytime they're able.

You are welcome to park in the church lot and enter through the Pavilion entrance.



For this coming Saturday, please note that Westminster Street is scheduled to be closed for a street fair, so approaching the lot from Empire Street or Weybosset Street is recommended. We will meet in the Chafee Room. If you have any questions, feel free to <u>ask the rector</u>. Please join us!

Discover This Gem of the Episcopal Diocese

If you haven't yet discovered the wonderful and welcoming <u>Episcopal Conference</u> <u>Center in Pascoag, RI</u>, we encourage you to consider visiting the campus for their upcoming open house on Saturday, June 22, from 11:00am - 3:00pm.

And did you know that in addition to their beloved camps for families, children and teens, the ECC offers occasional programs for adults that provide both respite from the non-stop pace of modern life as well as meaningful opportunities for fellowship, reflection, and spiritual growth? They've just announced <u>a new adult conference</u> for



September 6-8 called *Standing in the Need of Prayer: Connecting with God, one another, and ourselves.* The conference will be led by our own Drake Douglas and The Rev. Meaghan Brower, and you can register online at this link.

This Week at Grace

Weekly Worship Schedule:

Sunday 8:00am Holy Eucharist Sunday 10:00am Holy Eucharist with Music Wednesday 12:00 Noon Eucharist

Open Doors: Your friendly docents are here to greet you every weekday from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Please encourage your friends or guests to come and visit Grace Church and see the new Pavilion at Grace.

Wheelchair Access and Accessible Parking:

Please find convenient accessible in the Grace Church parking lot with access from Snow Street. The new wheelchair ramp connects directly from



the lot, and you will enter through the new reception entrance of The Pavilion and into the church at ground level.

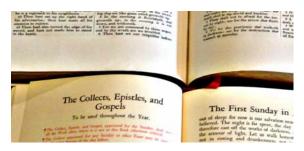
Parking for Worship: Free parking for Sunday worship is provided:

1.) in the lot diagonally across Westminster Street, on the NW corner of Westminster and Snow; and

2.) In the Grace Church parking lot accessed via Snow Street. We ask your kind cooperation in reserving this lot, to the extent possible, for seniors and those with limited mobility.

May 26, 2019 Sixth Sunday of Easter

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



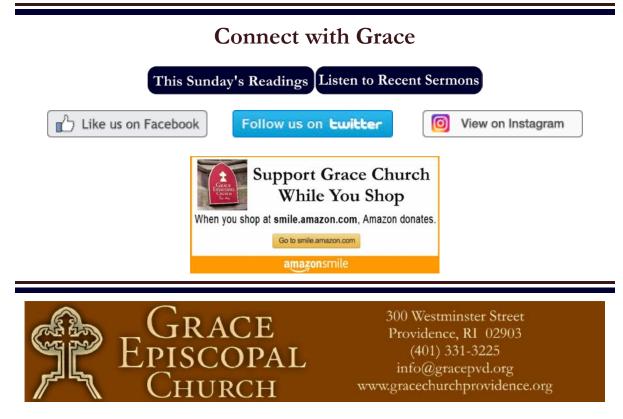
For the text of this Sunday's readings, please click here.

This week from the Episcopal Church: Ascension Day.

<u>Click here</u> for the latest from the Episcopal News Service. And for current news from the Episcopal Diocese of Rhode Island, <u>please click here</u>.

Would you like to add someone to the prayer list? Please click here to submit a name, or call

the church office at (401) 331-3225. Names are kept on the list for a month, and can be renewed at any time. Those received by Wednesday will appear in the same week's bulletin.



The Mission of Grace Church is to build, by the grace of God, a loving and joyful community which lives the gospel through worship, proclamation and service to each other, to downtown Providence, and beyond.