



Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church

July 12, 2019

## Spotlight on Grace: Two New Places Called Home

The culmination of a months-long project principally coordinated by our Buildings & Grounds Committee Chair Liz Wheeler, we now have two beautifully refurbished apartments in the top two floors of the East wing of Grace Church.

The aged parquet floors were sanded, stained, and sealed to anchor the spaces with their rich color and texture. And the plentiful light shining through the east-facing windows bring in a light and airy feel.



Both apartments are now occupied. The lower unit is now the home of our new Associate Director of Music and Administration, David Heinze. With the energetic help of volunteers from the Grace Church Choir, David moved into his apartment at Grace this week, and officially joins the staff of Grace Church this Monday, July 15. Please join us in extending a heartfelt welcome to David. We are thrilled to have him here.

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## 120 Voices in the Church July 28

On July 28, we will venture back into the church for a very special celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 10 AM. Our choir will consist of the 120 voices of the Royal School of Church Music Newport Course, being held from July 22 to 28.

The service will likely be a bit longer than our typical Sunday morning Eucharist, but so worth it for the musical treats that are in store!



## 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:

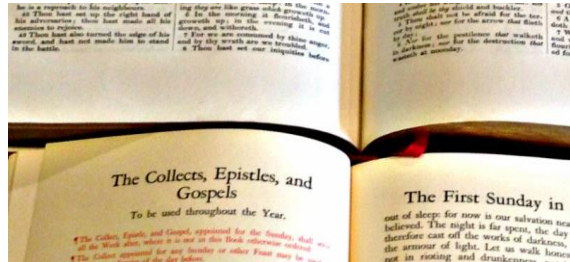
 Free parking for Sunday worship is provided:

- 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.



## July 14, 2019 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.



For the text of this Sunday's readings, [please click here](#).

This week from the Episcopal Church: [Constable Fund Grants](#).

[Click here](#) for the latest from the Episcopal News Service. And for current news from the Episcopal Diocese of Rhode Island, [please click here](#).

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.

## Discover This Gem of the Episcopal Diocese

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 [a new adult conference](#) 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](#).

