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Sunday Services

Sunday, January 1, 2017

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II

Regular Sunday Schedule will resume next week, January 8, 2017

Ministers of Liturgy

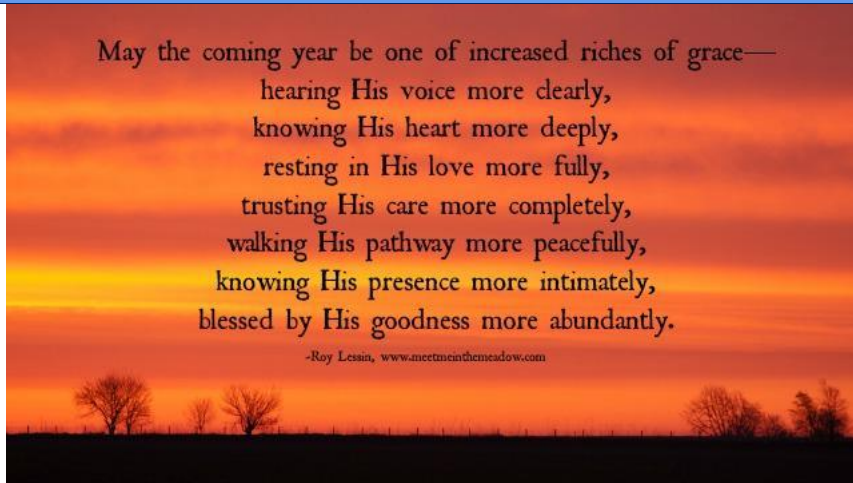
Johanna Canonica, Donna George, *Eucharistic Ministers*
Adrian Bogart, Ford Harrington, *Acolytes*
Johanna Canonica, Stephanie Clark, Wayne Chambless, *Lectors*
Herman Hertweck, Edward Chesnick, Calryle Dunaway, *Ushers*
Suzanne Dillenbeck, *Greeter*

Barbara Podesta, JoAnn Browne, Mary Williams, Dawn Stiegelbauer
Altar Guild

Please note:

Monday, December 26th-Monday, January 2nd
OFFICES CLOSED for Christmas Break

**Wishing you and your family a
Blessed and Happy New Year**



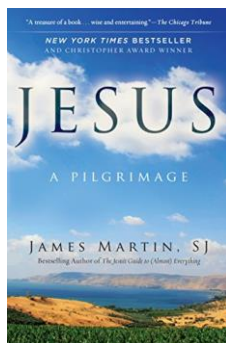
THISTLE & SPOON

Outreach Ministry



Please join us again on **Sunday,**
January 15th when we serve dinner at
the **Glen Cove Men's Shelter**
4:00 pm- cooking at St. John's kitchen
6:00 pm- serve dinner at the shelter

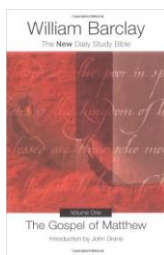
Please email courtneycallahan@yahoo.com for details



NEW BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, January 4th 11:00
a.m. * Guild Room
We will read and discuss
Jesus - A Pilgrimage
by James Martin, SJ

ALL ARE WELCOME!



FAITH MATTERS

Meets each Sunday, at 9:30 a.m.
* Parish Hall

THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW, VOL. 1
based on The New Daily Bible Study by William Barclay

SCHEDULE:

Jan 8 - Chapter 4

"The Temptation of Christ"

Jan 15 - Chapter 5

"Sermon on the Mount"

Jan 22 - Chapter 6

"The Father in Heaven"

Jan 29 - Chapter 7

"No one should judge"

Feb 5 - Chapter 8

"The peace of the presence"

Feb 12 - Chapter 9

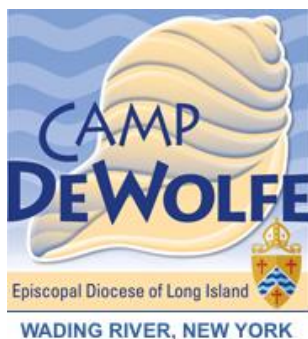
"Get right with God"

Feb 19 - Chapter 10

"The messengers of the King"

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

Look for photos and details of our Christingle
Pageant and Holy Eucharist next week!



CAMP DeWOLFE

Register now for Winter Camp at Camp DeWolfe! Winter Camp is open to all youth ages 10-17 years old. Youth will spend a weekend reconnecting with old camp friends and making new ones by spending time together in fun and fellowship. Winter Camp takes place Friday,

January 20 at 6 pm through Sunday, January 22 at 1 pm. The

registration fee is \$175. Register before January 7
at www.campdewolfe.org.

A Christmas Message from Bishop Provenzano

(Transcript of video released on Wed., Dec. 21)

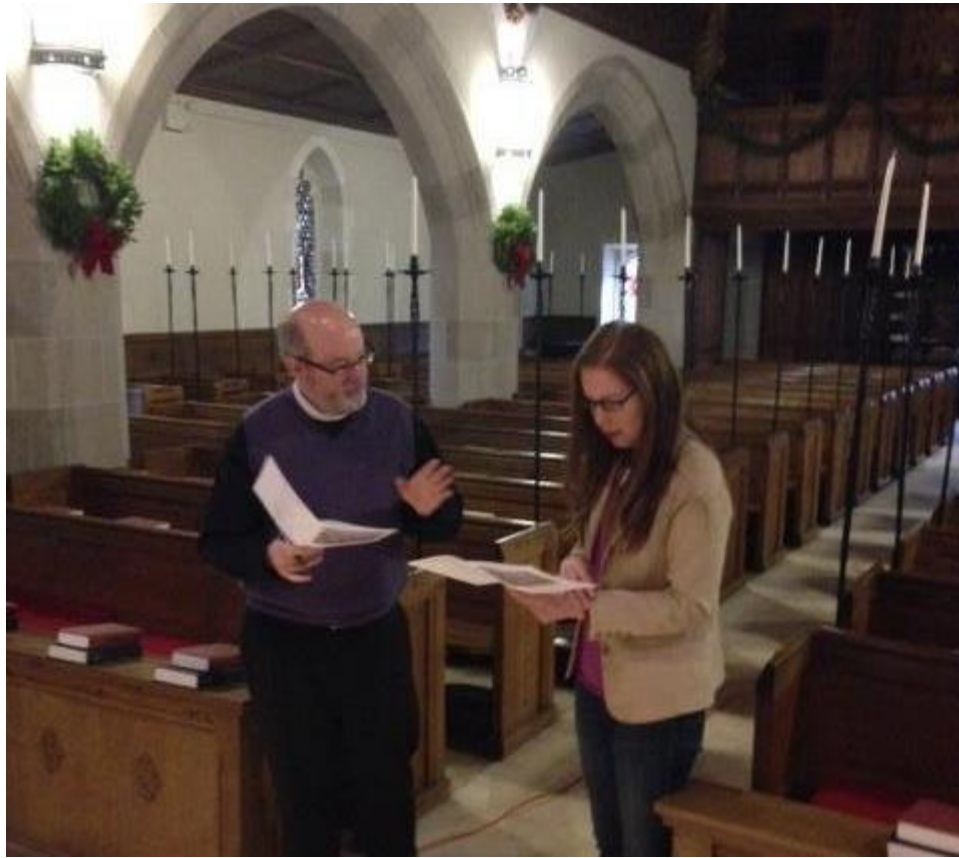
As the Church begins to celebrate the Christmas season, I thought I would take a moment to send a message from the staff of the diocese and my family to all of you across the diocese to wish you a happy and blessed Christmas and a holy and peaceful start to the new year. I have a friend that continually reminds me that Jesus was born in the midst of the mess of the world, that God's love incarnate in Jesus Christ came in the midst of the setting of the world in its time. Today as you and I celebrate Christmas, that same love needs to be incarnate in the midst of the people with whom we live and move and have our being. We are given the opportunity at Christmas to share God's love with the people around us, in our homes, in our neighborhoods, in our families and to celebrate the incarnate love given to us in Jesus Christ. Have a blessed and holy Christmas and a peaceful and holy start to the new year



SCENES FROM ST. JOHN'S



Donna and John George finish the greening of the
creche



Fr. Mark and Courtney prep for Christingle

Upcoming Dates

Sunday, January 8, 2017

8 am Holy Eucharist Rite I
9:30 am Faith Matters
9:30 am Choir Practice
10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rite II
10:30 am Sunday School
11:30 am Coffee Hour

Monday, January 9th

Nurture Group at 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 10th

Staff Meeting at 10:30 am
AA Meeting at 8 pm

Wednesday, January 11th

Bible Study at 11:00 am
Healing and Holy Eucharist at 12 noon

St. John's Contact Information

The Reverend Mark L. Fitzhugh, Rector
Frmark@stjlat.org

Staff

Courtney Callahan, Director of Children's Ministry
Dr. Hosun Moon, Interim Organist
Mary Savin, Parish Administrator
Kate Scefonas, Sexton
Mary Syracuse, Financial Officer

Office Hours

Monday thru Friday - 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
516-671-3226

The Vestry

Michael Powers, Senior Warden (2018)
Victoria Fox, Junior Warden (2017)
John Fredericks, Clerk (2018)
George Stimola, Treasurer (2017)

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| Jay Aston (2019) | Carlyle Dunaway (2017) |
| Martha Busconi (2019) | Thomas Gimbel (2019) |
| Johanna Canonica (2019) | Jackie Powers (2017) |
| Wayne Chambless (2018) | Judy Wohrle (2018) |
| Henry Davison (2019) | Julie Zarou (2019) |

For information regarding Sunday School, please send an email to
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