

St. John's of Lattingtown

A window into the life of our parish...



ANNUAL REPORT

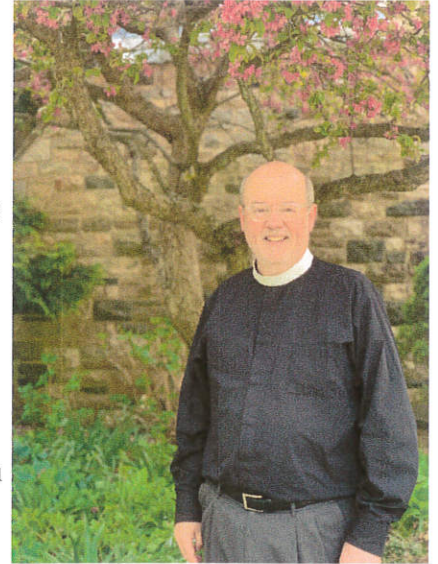
May 7, 2023

RECTOR'S LETTER

Dear friends,

Welcome to the 106th Annual Meeting of the Parish of St. John's of Lattingtown, once again I am pleased to report we continue to be a growing and thriving Episcopal Church here on the North Shore of Long Island. Our future ministries in this congregation and community appear to be very bright.

God continues to bless this church in so many ways, and as your Rector I am grateful to serve along-side such a talented group of volunteers and staff members. I feel very fortunate to help lead this congregation. As faithful Episcopalians, I am certain you will stand with me this year and say, "thank you gracious God for all that you provide for us!"

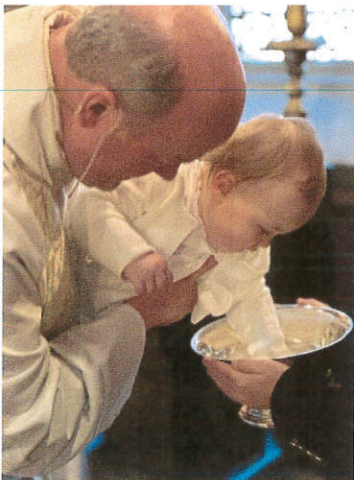


It is such a privilege to serve with such a tremendously talented ministry team: Mother Catherine Wieczorek (Curate), Courtney Callahan (Children & Outreach), Mary Syracuse (Business Administrator), Mat Stimola (Sexton); Ruairaidh Sutherland (Organist & Music Ministry); and our amazing Mary Savin (Parish Administrator). They log many, many hours for the people of this church and go way beyond anything anyone could possibly ask. Thank you!

This year, Ian Gumprecht and Harold Bollaci served as our vestry wardens and I am personally grateful for their wisdom and guidance. For St. John's to thrive and move confidently into the years ahead, we must continue to have a clear vision of ministry from our leadership.

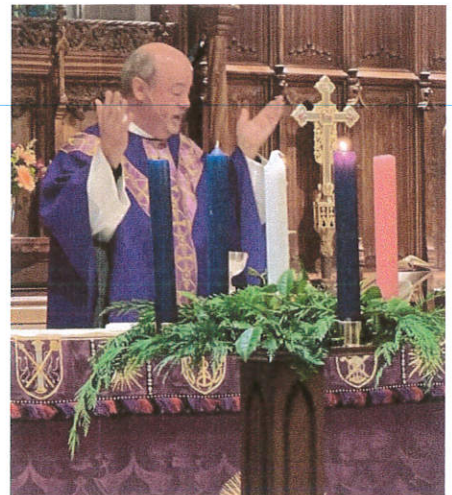
If you see St. John's of Lattingtown as your spiritual home, and continue to dream and pray for our future ministries, then you and I have an important role right now, and that is to help shape the goals and expectations for others who are seeking to find Christ in this community.

If you wish to see music, youth, seniors, rich, poor, black, white, gay, straight, become more and more a part of this congregation, and that means who we are and what we stand for, then now is the time: "to be the change you wish to see!" But now, we should all agree that no one is here to be curators of a beautiful museum; rather we are here to become disciples of Jesus Christ.



As Rector, I need your help to be this change!
But, most importantly, God needs you,
because, together we are the Body of Christ!

Respectfully submitted,
The Rev'd Mark L. Fitzhugh



CURATE'S LETTER

Dear St. John's of Lattingtown,

Grace and peace to you all in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ. As we come together for our 2023 Annual Meeting, I would like to express my gratitude for the opportunity to serve as Curate here at Saint John's for a third year! I am continually encouraged and inspired by each and every member of our St. John's community.

We were overjoyed to offer the ALPHA Course to our community last Spring. Alpha is a series of conversations focused on the questions of life, faith, and meaning. Each session includes a time to connect with others, enjoy a meal together, then hear a talk on some element of faith, and then offers a chance for people to share their own questions and perspectives with the group. We are offering this course again this Spring with classes running from May 3rd - June 21st from 6:00-8:00 pm. It is not too late to join us! To register, call 516-671-3226 or email catherine@stjlat.org.



This past year, we also began an adult Bible study at the Curate's Cottage that was attended regularly by approximately ten people each week. The study was developed in connection with the book *Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices* by Scott Gunn and Melody Wilson Shobe. The purpose of this program was to help St. John's members go deeper in our understanding of our Christian faith, learn about foundations of our life as Episcopalians, and join together for some much-needed fellowship, coffee and treats each week. We plan to resume our Bible study again this coming Fall.

In addition, we have continued to provide seasonal adult formation offerings. This year, our journey through the Lenten Season followed the theme of "The Work of Lent." This course made use of our new set of the Stations of the Cross that was created during last year's Lenten Art Project. We followed a contemporary version of the Stations liturgy, and enjoyed a meal and discussion around the many tasks of Lent, including prayer, fasting, almsgiving, and sacrifice. Following our study session, participants enjoyed a beautiful, candle-lit Compline service with Ruairaidh Sullivan and the Choral Scholars.

Our children and youth also continue to be an important and vibrant part of the life of St. John's. We are so proud of the ways these young people have worked to make the love of Christ known in our communities. Each member of our 2023 Confirmation Class completed a variety of community service projects with NOSH, the local Men's Shelter, and DUO (our "Do Unto Others" Youth Group), to name a few. We also provided training and coaching for our many acolytes throughout the year, and even led our first "Acolyte Retreat" this past winter!

It truly is an exciting season at St. John's of Lattingtown! There are so many ways to get involved and our incredible staff is always ready to help you get connected! May we all give thanks to God for the many blessings of this wonderful faith community, and may we continue to go forth, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Peace and blessings,

Mother Catherine+

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS – St. John's of Lattingtown

Children and Families:

- ♦ Jr Acolyte Program membership now has 24 kids!
- ♦ Confirmation class will present 11 candidates in June 2023.
- ♦ NEW! Sunday School Dad's Ministry – Dads are active participants and facilitators in the Sunday School classes each week.
- ♦ NEW! Religious Ed for Kids - full year program, held every Tuesday at 3:45 pm - 19 children enrolled!
- ♦ NEW! DUO (Do Unto Others) - St John's own Youth Group began in October! The group focuses on community service projects.
- ♦ Monday Night Lights Program last summer had an average attendance of over 40 kids! New season begins June 19th.



Outreach:

- ♦ NEW! Full Circle Ministry - includes shared activities with Glen Cove Senior Center!
- ♦ NEW! Helping Hands Ministry- sending cards and notes to parishioners to celebrate milestones, express compassion, and communicate with those who cannot leave their homes.
- ♦ NEW! Greening of the Church Ministry- the talent of Gina Tomenson helped to update our beautiful Christmas decorations, with support from many generous donors, including our "Twelve Dads of Christmas".
- ♦ NEW! Painting for Penny- celebrating the extraordinary life of Penny Doerge, one canvas at a time, and donating these art works to community organizations!
- ♦ Thistle and Spoon prepared dinners for Mammias House, the Glen Cove Transitional House, and the North Shore Men's Shelter.
- ♦ Back Pack Giveaway and Old Fashioned Christmas Party – annual events held for children from Glen Gardens Public Housing with food, presents, music, continued again!
- ♦ NOSH—founded by Courtney Callahan and friends (with the support of many St John's volunteers), continues to help feed the food insecure and just celebrated their three year anniversary!
- ♦ Friends of St John's also continued the Soap for Hope toiletry bags, the Thanksgiving boxes, Christmas boxes and Easter boxes for families in our community.

Music:

- ♦ NEW! We welcomed Ruairaidh Sutherland—our new Director of Music Ministry!
- ♦ NEW! Scratch choir was added to this year's Christingle service.
- ♦ NEW! Coffee, Cakes and Hymns- singing traditional hymns at coffee hour for all parishioners!
- ♦ The return of the St John's Choir began in March at the 10:30 am service!
- ♦ Choral Scholar Program continued with a Lenten Songs concert on April 2, 2023. Choral Evensong will be held on May 14th at 4:00 pm.

Spiritual:

- ♦ NEW! ALPHA comes to St John's! Led by Mother Catherine, this Adult multi-week course was designed to equip and serve the church in its mission and to help people to discover and develop a relationship with Jesus. We had 18 participants, and will offer this again beginning May 3, 2023.

- ◆ NEW! Adult Bible Study with Mother Catherine - Wednesdays at 6:00 pm in the fall and winter.
- ◆ NEW! Wednesday Night Lights- Adult Retreats on the first Wednesday of each month, with many interesting topics.
- ◆ Nurture (Prayer) Group- meets weekly on Mondays at 10:00 am, and Faith Matters (adult Bible Study) meets on Sundays at 9:30 am.

Wellness Ministry:

- ◆ Family Counselor on campus and available for parishioners. Our counselor, Patricia Hidalgo, LCSW specializes in children/youth/family support.
- ◆ Individual Spiritual Direction with Mother Catherine
- ◆ AA - we have two weekly meetings (Tues and Sat) - Tuesday group just celebrated 6 years at St John's!

Social Media/Website/IT:

- ◆ Strong social media presence on Instagram and Facebook (over 1,400 followers)
- ◆ *Friday with Fitzhugh* - Fr Mark's weekly offerings- continues to grow! (our new media superstar)

Fundraising

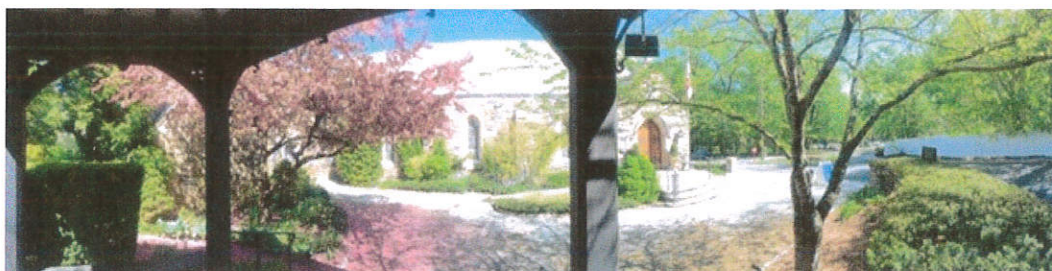
- ◆ Summer Soiree at Piping Rock Club - a "welcome back party" after the pandemic, attended by over 150 at the beautiful Piping Rock Club.
- ◆ 69th Annual St John's Country Fair was highlighted by an outstanding Opening Night party, and included many new games, rides, vendors, etc. This fabulous community event continues to be our strongest source of revenue to support local community groups!
- ◆ Our Spring Dinner Dance 2023- for the first time the event will be held here at St John's on May 6th, 2023!

The Barn:

- ◆ Third year as a "Thrift Shop" continues to be a tremendous asset and a beloved Sunday experience!
- ◆ Strong Instagram and Facebook sales continue all year round.

Buildings and Grounds:

- ◆ Lel Gimbel Cloister Garden dedication was held on October 16, 2022. Beautiful landscaping and flowers, and the refurbishing of our Gilles fountain have enhanced this iconic area, in honor of our beloved Lel.
- ◆ Renovations to Little Learners Nursery Program from damages of Hurricane Ida have been completed- new sheetrock, flooring, painting, etc.
- ◆ Diocesan Real Estate experts have assisted with completion of HVAC Engineers report, to address the boiler issues. Additional projects in 2023 include the roof and parking lot.
- ◆ Choir loft lighting was completed and improved.
- ◆ NEW! Choir room with custom made desks on the second floor of the offices.



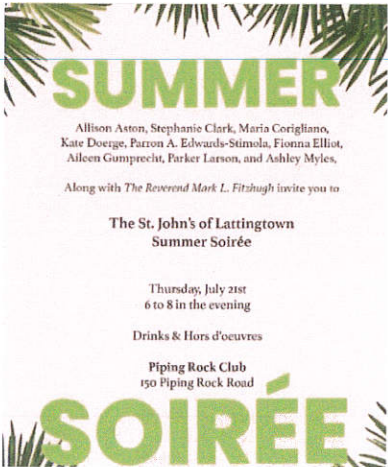
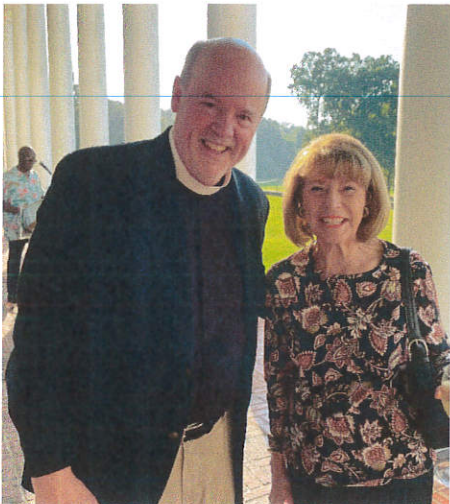
OUR OUTREACH

SAVE THE DATE!
THE ST. JOHN'S 70th ANNUAL COUNTRY FAIR

Friday, September 23rd – Sunday September 25th, 2023



Photos from St John's Country Fair 2022
(above) and Summer Soiree (below)





Full Circle Ministry

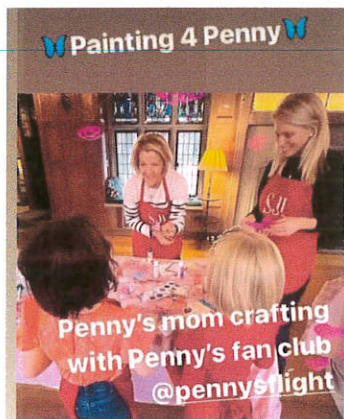
10 YEARS SERVING AT THE MENS SHELTER



Thistle & Spoon Ministry



Children's Apple Ministry



Painting for Penny

The most devoted parishioners and the best Outreach team anywhere have made our outreach programs a significant agent of transformation in our community.

Our love for our Savior gave us the strength, stamina, courage, compassion to serve during the pandemic. Not only did we serve well, we have grown our programs far beyond what we thought possible.

NOSH Emergency meals (Allison Aston, Sarah Blundin, Claudine Baldwin) in its first three years has delivered nearly 1/2 million meals to under resourced families with St. John's parishioners serving on the board, packing NOSH bags, delivering meals and running food raisers!

Painting 4 Penny (Julie Zarou, Gina Tomenson, Sarah Cooney, Bliss Smith, Asia Baker Stokes) mission is to paint the world the color of Penny Doerge's love and we have done that sending our children's paintings to patients at Glen Cove Hospital and HSS as well PAAS egg coloring kits to 670 under under resourced families from Roslyn to Glen Cove to Bayville to Hempstead.

Our Full Circle Ministry (Maria Corigliano and Fiona Elliot) connecting children and seniors in our community) Children's Apple Ministry (Ashley Nesi) teaching the fundamentals of outreach to our youngest parishioners, St. John's Of Lattingtown Holiday Meal Boxes (Lindsay Fox and Nitika Moran) delivering festive boxes filled with groceries for a holiday dinner to over 100 local families, and our beloved Thistle & Spoon Ministry (Diana Fredericks) has been comforting and nourishing the homeless and hungry for a decade. Our Community Lights Ministry (Shannon Vulin) hosts our annual Old Fashioned Christmas Party and annual Backpack Giveaway for over 160 families partnering with Grenville Baker and Glen Cove Boys & Girls Club as well as Bayville Library and our local school systems.

Our new "Bundles" model for outreach events has made a huge impact on the way we serve, grow and bond as a parish with so many new members and families moving out of Manhattan. By holding creativity and compassion based events with up to 3 or 4 ministries at the same time – we have brought considerably more people through the doors of St. John's. The impact of these events has also blessed thousands and thousands of people in our greater community from hospital patients to seniors to families struggling with inflation and housing.

Finally, let me thank our SJL Outreach Committee - Diana Fredericks, Lindsay Fox, Sarah Blundin, Julie Zarou, Ellen McMillin, Vicky Fox, Melissa Worth, Maria Corigliano, Sarah Cooney, Ashley Nesi, Shannon Vulin and Doug Johnson. - Courtney Callahan, *Director of Outreach and Children's Ministry*

WARDEN'S REPORT

It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

[Isaiah 25:6-9]

Easter greetings, and Alleluia! The Lord is risen!

It is with a fulfilled sense of being, belonging and purpose – full hearts – that we report that the power and the glory of the Holy Spirit is abundant at St. John's of Lattingtown. The concept of light in scripture is detailed, and St. John's continues to serve as a beacon of the light of Jesus Christ, shining His light brightly and directly into the hearts of so many, into the darkest corners and to the farthest reaches of our community all from our little corner of Old Tappan and Lattingtown Roads.

There has perhaps never been such a vibrant and energized period in the history of our parish as we are witnessing presently. St. John's of Lattingtown continues, day-in and day-out, to spread the word of our risen Lord in so many ways. In just four hours on Sunday, there are five different opportunities to engage with Christ's ministry: an 8:00 Holy Eucharist Rite I, 9:00 St. John's For Kids service, 9:30 Faith Matters Adult Bible Study, and 10:30 Holy Eucharist Rite II with Sunday School. Programming continues throughout the week, with almost daily offerings that include: Our Nurture Prayer Group on Monday mornings, Tuesday afternoon is Religious Education For Kids with Alcoholics Anonymous later in the evening, Wednesday's are Healing Eucharist & Bible Study in the chapel (and zoom), Fridays are Father Mark's "Fitzhugh Fridays" on Instagram and Facebook, and Saturday finds another AA meeting in the Parish Hall. Alpha will be offered again this spring.

Under the leadership of Father Mark and Mother Catherine, members of St. John's participate in no less than a dozen community outreach ministries. NOSH recently served its 500,000 meal! Thistle and Spoon, North Shore Sheltering Program, Full Circle Ministry and DUO all serve those in need throughout our community. This, in addition to Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter boxes.

The extraordinary beauty of our grounds is a daily blessing. Last night for the first time we hosted our annual Spring Gala on our lawn. In September we celebrate the 70th anniversary of our Country Fair.

With gratitude to God we welcomed Ruairaidh Sutherland as Director of Music Ministry. A lay choir has been formed and the coral scholars program continues to grow.

As your Wardens, we would be remiss if we did not celebrate and give thanks for the ministries and leadership of Father Mark and Mother Catherine and their families. Mary Savin and Mary Syracuse continue to bless us with their devotion and hard work. The blessings of our ubiquitous Courtney Callahan impact every aspect of life at St. John's, especially our children. Our Sexton Mat Stimola is a true gift and we continue to be thankful for the ministries of our Vestry Clerk Nancy Sanborn and Treasurer George Stimola. Finally, we give thanks for the General Manager of the Barn, Kate Scefonas and the Barn Cats.

It is our honor to serve as your Wardens. We extend heartfelt thanks and best wishes to our retiring Vestry members: Virginia Apple, Carolyne Dilgard-Clark and Tom Gimbel and retiring Warden Ian Gumprecht. May God continue to bless and shine his light upon St. John's of Lattingtown.

Ian Gumprecht and Harold Bollaci, *Wardens*



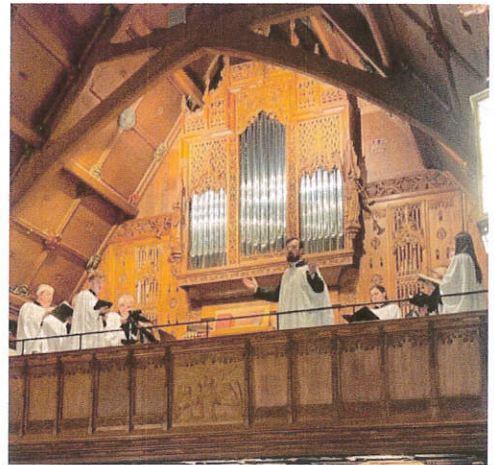
OUR MUSIC

The Choral Scholars continue to be the core of our musical ministry, rehearsing weekly, singing at the 10:30 am Eucharist, and acting as Cantors throughout the year. In January, we said goodbye to long-serving Choral Scholar Meghan Tanella, but in March we welcomed Evan Licari and Hans Kiessling to the program. This May, Kyla Surajbali and Amanda Larsen will be graduating from the program and we look forward to celebrating them as they move to greater things. The Choral Scholars offered a concert on the afternoon of Palm Sunday.



In December, a 'scratch-choir' of adults drawn from the parish sang for the Christmas Pageant, and since March the renewed adult Parish Choir has been singing regularly for Sunday morning services. Four professional section leaders have been appointed – Kyla Surajbali (who will begin in September following graduation from the Choral Scholarship program), Kate Reese-Lerner, Richard Scillia, and Peter Saunders. Our choir will lead us in Choral Evensong on May 14th at 4:00 pm in the church.

During Lent, we began “Coffee, Cake, and Hymns”, singing and learning traditional hymns at coffee hour. This program will continue in September.



In other news, a Choir Room has been identified and completed with a piano and newly built choir rehearsal desks (from our local carpenter, Andy Bialecki), generously donated by Richard Dahling.

In 2023-24, we will be planning Evensong, concerts, recitals, and the formation of two new choirs for youth. A Choir trip in the planning for 2026. We welcome volunteers to join the Parish Choir! - Ruairaidh Sutherland, *Director of Music Ministry*



Members of the St John's of Lattingtown Music Program, 2022–23

Ruairaidh Sutherland, *Organist & Director of Music Ministry*

Choral Scholars

Kyla Surajbali, Amelie Buron, Amanda Larsen, Evan Licari, Hans Kiessling

St John's Parish Choir (*section leaders)

Diane Fagiola, Kate Reese-Lerner*, Manuel Carbajal, Richard Scillia*, George Stimola, Peter Saunders*, Scott Willard, Jay Aston, Chad Doerge

OUR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

SJL Children & Youth Ministry – three new highlights this year!

#1 YOUTH GROUP, DUO!

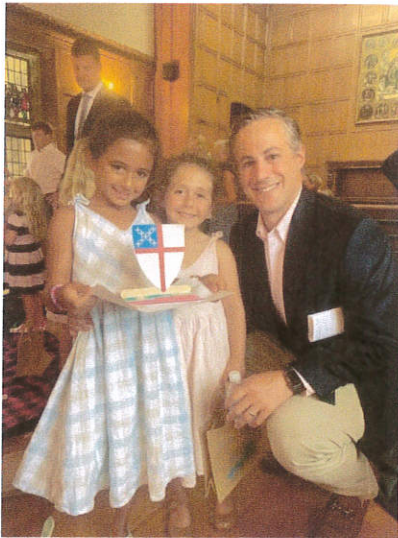
“Do Unto Others”, lead by Sammy Zarou, Tyler Barnett and Eliza Worth for grades 7th - 12th is incredibly inspiring proving nothing is impossible with God! They ran the NOSH food drive at MLK Day in Glen Cove, ran multiple school food raisers for NOSH, helped bring a 90 year old man back to church and Jesus before he died, worked with the men at our local shelter to paint their own canvases for an art exhibit, will run and staff Monday Night Lights this Summer! Thank you Julie Zarou and Melissa Worth our DUO parent leads!

#2 JR. ACOLYTES!

They came out of pandemic ready and sincere about serving our church – 26 kids strong, ages 5 to 16! They really bring so much life and personal witness to our Worship experience!

#3 SUNDAY SCHOOL DADS!

What an amazing group of dads, lead by Colin Morse, Sunday School & Youth Parent Chair, who model and witness their love for and service to the Lord to our kids as they help facilitate Sunday School on a rotating basis, every Sunday at 10:30 am.



Sunday School Dads



DUO - “Do unto Others” Youth Group



Jr Acolytes

Programs for Children and Youth

Outreach Camp - Sundays @ 9:30 am

Sunday School - Sundays @ 10:30 am

Jr Acolyte Program - Sundays @ 10:30 am
(Training ongoing)

Confirmation Class - next class- Oct, 2023

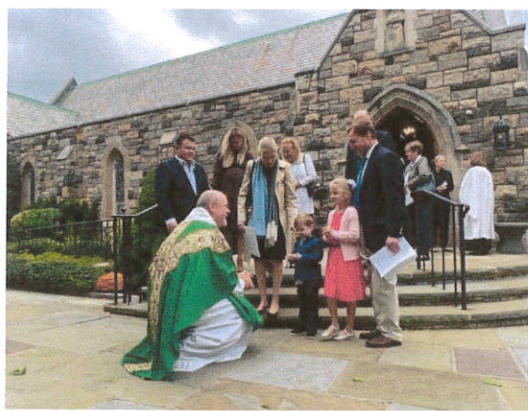
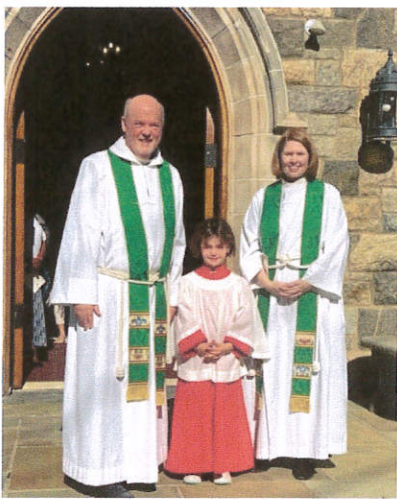
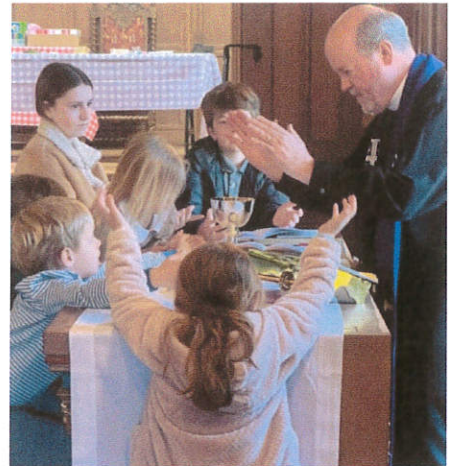
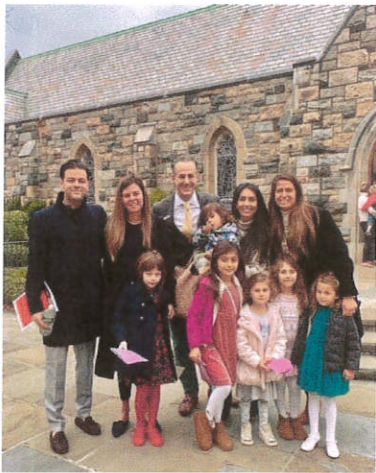
Monday Night Lights - begins June 19th

Apple Ministry - children and youth outreach

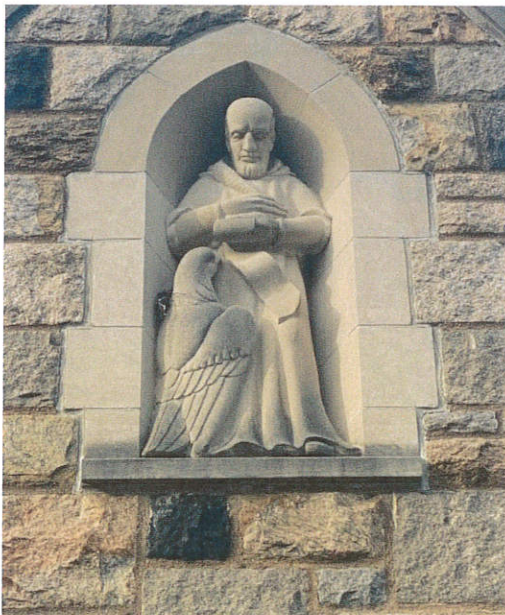
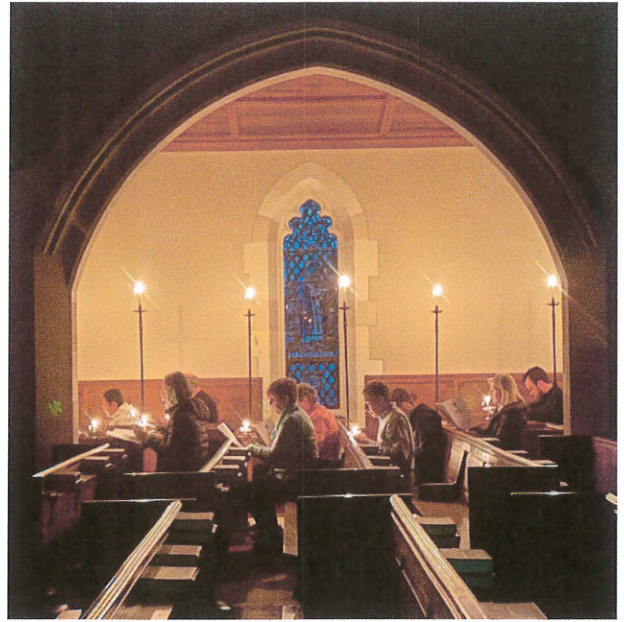
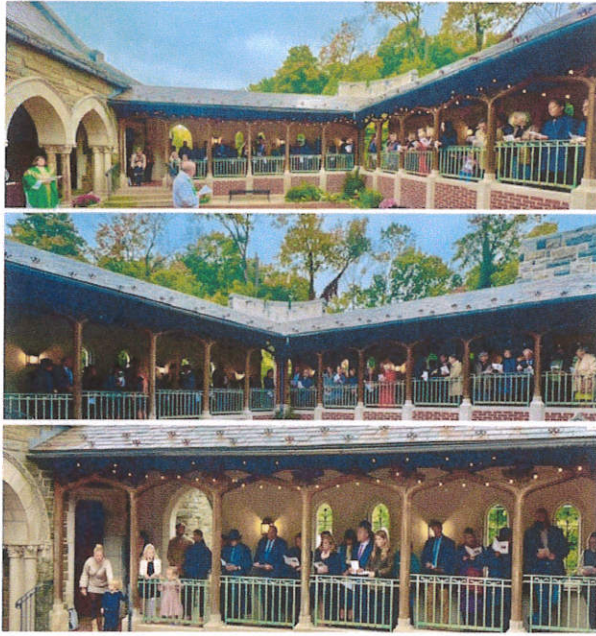
Religious Ed for Kids- begins fall 2023

DUO–Youth Group- Mondays at 6:00 pm

SUNDAYS @ ST JOHN'S



BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS



OUR MINISTRIES



Sunday School Dads



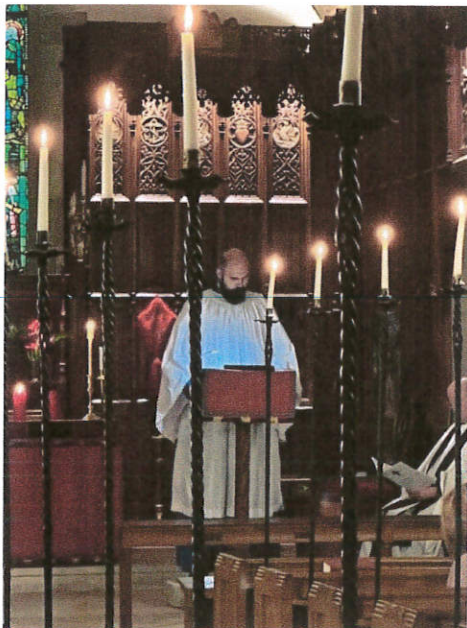
Ushers and Greeters



St John's Vestry



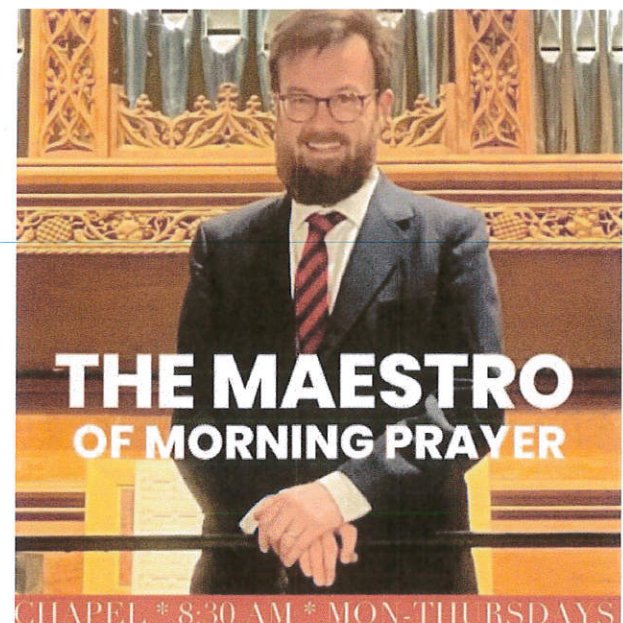
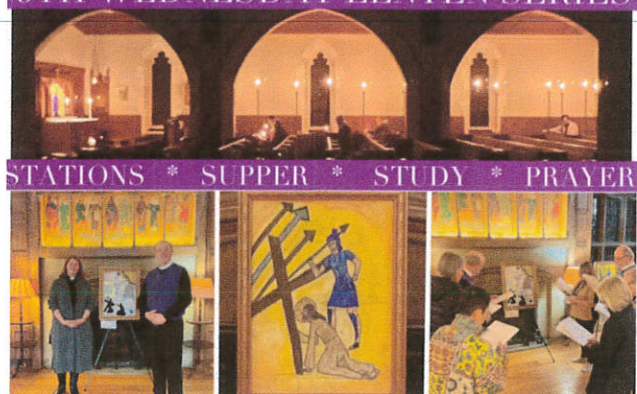
Adult Formation



Lectors



Altar Guild



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Membership, Attendance and Services of the Reporting Congregation

Active Participants in the Reporting Congregation

Anyone of any age who is active in the congregation regardless of baptism or membership status

1. Total Active Participants: 400

2. Of the total active participants, how many are in each of the following age groups? #

Children (ages 0-12)	<u>80</u>
Youth (ages 13-17)	<u>20</u>
Young adults (ages 18-34)	<u>25</u>
Middle adults (ages 35-64)	<u>210</u>
Senior adults (ages 65 and older)	<u>65</u>
(this should add up to the Active Participant total)	
Total	<u>400</u>

3. Of the total active participants, provide the number and percentage that are in each of the following racial/ethnic categories. If you do not collect this information, it is not required in order to complete your report. If this is not information already available for your congregation, we suggest a survey to allow individuals to self-identify.

	%	#
American Indian/Alaska Native (non-Hispanic)	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
Asian (non-Hispanic)	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>
Hispanic or Latino(a)	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
White (non-Hispanic)	<u>95</u>	<u>388</u>
Multiracial	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
(Note that percentages should add up to 100%)		
Total	<u>100</u>	<u>400</u>

Active Baptized Members of the Reporting Congregation at Year-End:

Using the 2021 Parochial Report, record the Number of Baptized Members Reported as of December 31, 2021.

M21 (See your 2021 Parochial Report, Box M21) Members Reported Last Year in 2021 = M21 581

4. **Increases during year** All members added to the baptized members section of the congregation's Membership Register during 2022 by: baptism, confirmation/reception, or transfer, and those persons restored from inactive status, or not counted in last year's membership count. + 20

5. **Decreases during year** All active baptized members lost by death, transferred to another congregation, removed to inactive status in the Register of Church Membership and Rites, removed for other reasons, or not removed from last year's membership count. - 12

Add the increases entered in line 4 to Box M21. Then subtract the decreases entered in line 5 for the total active membership as of December 31, 2022

M22 **Total Active Baptized Members (end of report year 2022) = M22 = 589**

Communicants in Good Standing of the Reporting Congregation

Baptized members of the reporting congregation, who "have received Holy Communion at least three times during the preceding year" and are faithful "in corporate worship, unless for good cause prevented," and "in working, praying, and giving for the spread of the Kingdom of God."

6. Adult communicants in good standing (age 16 and over)	<u>476</u>
7. Youth communicants in good standing (under age 16)	<u>113</u>
8. Total communicants in good standing	<u>589</u>

Review of Database:

9. When was the last time the congregation's database of participants was reviewed and adjusted? 02/01/2023

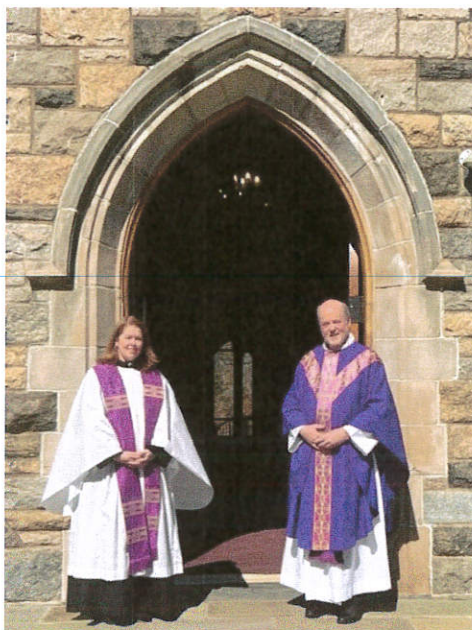
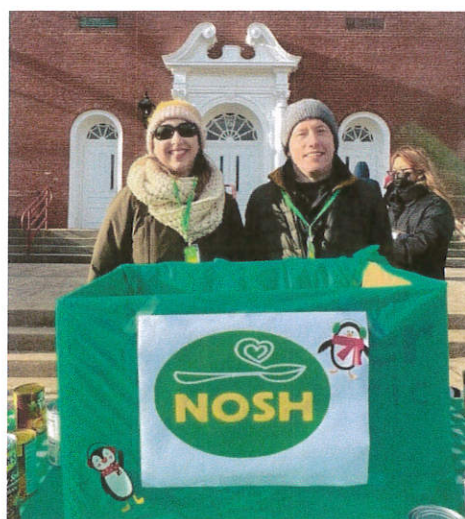
10. How frequently is the congregation's database of participants reviewed and adjusted?

☐ Quarterly ☒ Twice a year ☐ Annually ☐ Other

IMPORTANT DATES

May – December, 2023

May 3	ALPHA classes begin
May 7	Annual Meeting – 10:30 a.m.
May 14	Choral Evensong – 4:00 pm
May 21	Vestry Meeting – 12 noon
May 28	Pentecost – Whitsunday
June 3	Confirmation at the Cathedral– 11:00 am
June 11	Outdoor Summer Services begin – 9:30 am – Memorial Garden
June 11	Vestry Meeting
June 19	Monday Night Lights begins
June 24	ALPHA Retreat
June 25	Music Recital– Ruairaidh Sutherland
July 16	Vestry Meeting
August 20	Vestry Meeting
September 17	Vestry Meeting
September 22– 24	St John's 70th Country Fair
October 1	Blessing of the Animals – 4:00 p.m.
October 15	Vestry Meeting
November 5	All Saints Sunday, Daylight Saving ends
November 10	Diocesan Convention, 9:00 a.m.
November 19	Vestry Meeting
December 3	First Sunday of Advent
December 24	Family Christmas Service, 4:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Services, 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m.



MINISTRY CONTACTS

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Acolytes, Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors.....	Mary Savin
Jr Acolytes.....	Donna Landers George, Rodes Ponzer
Altar Guild	Hannah Burns
Building and Grounds.....	Harold Bollaci
DUO Youth Group.....	Julie Zarou, Melissa Worth
Eucharistic Visitors	Nancy Roenfeldt
St. John's Country Fair.....	Cynthia Murray
Finance.....	George Stimola, Mary Syracuse
Flagpole.....	Rich Hagner
Friends of St John's.....	Lindsay Fox, Nitika Moran
Full Circle Ministry.....	Maria Corigliano, Fiona Elliot
Helping Hands Ministry.....	Donna George, Ann Vessalico
Holiday Boxes	Jennifer Argenti
HR Committee.....	Evan Bollaci
Investment Committee.....	Michael Powers
Memorial Garden.....	Mary Syracuse
Music.....	Ruaraidh Sutherland
New Member Committee.....	Alexis McAndrew
Nurture Group.....	Vicki Fox
Outreach.....	Courtney Callahan
Painting for Penny.....	Julie Zarou
Parish Library.....	Judy Gallagher
Sunday School.....	Courtney Callahan
Sunday School Dads.....	Colin Morse
Stewardship.....	Jackie Powers
Ushers & Greeters.....	Peter Marshall
Vestry.....	Harold Bollaci
Wardens.....	Ian Gumprecht, Harold Bollaci

MISSION STATEMENT

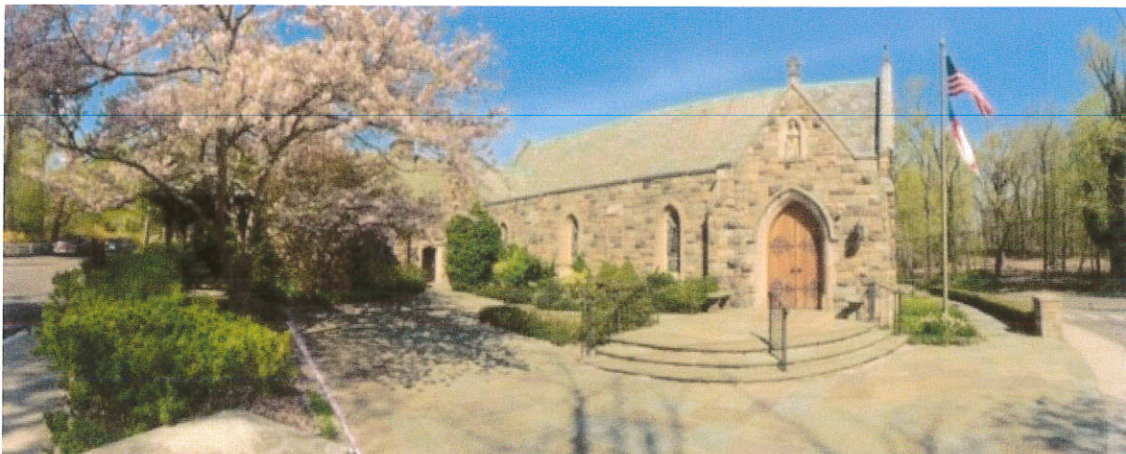
As the Episcopal Parish of St. John's of Lattingtown, we are called to the Body of Christ in our time and place by sharing with others the Gospel of Christ and by giving expression to God's love in the world through our giving and caring. Therefore, we seek:

- * To offer our lives to God's service through regular worship,*
- * To deepen our relationship with God and nurture our fellowship through openness to God's word as revealed in studying Holy Scripture,*
- * To reach out to the needs of all people, and*
- * To be faithful stewards of all we have received.*

We believe that the beautiful church in which we worship is symbolic of the advantages we have inherited which must be used to further the work of Christ throughout the world.

A BRIEF HISTORY

Welcome to our church! It was consecrated for use in 1916. A few years later the delicate woodwork designed by Scottish architect Sir John Lorimer was installed to create a warmth within that has enhanced our parish life ever since. The offices began as a residence, completed in 1919 and the Parish Hall, designed to recall the social life of medieval England, was added in 1927. The Sunday School building was constructed in 1954, and the church was expanded in 1957. The echo of prayer and music in traditional form continue to grace our worship.



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Kate Scefonas, *General Manager, The Barn*

Mat Stimola, *Sexton*

Ruaraidh Sutherland, *Director of Music Ministry*

Mary Syracuse, *Finance Administrator*

YOUR ST. JOHN'S VESTRY

Ian N. H. Gumprecht (2023), *Warden*

Harold Bollaci (2024), *Warden*

Nancy Sanborn (2024), *Clerk*

George Stimola (2024), *Treasurer*

Virginia Apple (2023),

William Bales, (2024),

Robert Copp (2025),

Carolyne Dilgard-Clark (2023),

Chad Doerge (2023),

Diana Fredericks, (2025),

Tom Gimbel (2023),

Peter Marshall (2025),

John Sheldon (2025),

Shannon Vulin (2024).