

INTRODUCE DEAF SEMINARIAN TO WORSHIP AND PARISH LIFE

AUDIENCE: Parish and Newcomers

- Educate how to interact with a service animal.
- Show how assistive tools are helpful in worship and church life.
- Engage visitors looking for a parish with accessibility aids.

SUMMARY: In an email to the parish, we introduced to our seminarian, who is deaf and uses a service animal. We now include images the use of ASL and service animals in our parish communications. Additionally, we now edit auto captioning in our promotional videos for better translation. We provide instructions for use of assistive listening devices in our bulletins,

Metrics: Introductory Email Open Rate: 58.2%, Video: FB Reach: 642

Staff Announcement Aug. 29, 2024



Seminarian Amy Waltz-Reasonover and Harley Quinn

Dear people of St. David's,

My name is Amy Waltz-Reasonover, and I am so pleased to be your seminarian for the next two years! You have probably seen me in worship over the last year with my spouse, two teenagers, and a service dog. To help introduce my dog, Harley Quinn, to all of you, I thought a few facts and tips might help.

For those curious, Harley is trained for seizure alert and Deaf alert. She helps alert me to sounds and people, and can let me know up to 15 minutes prior to the onset of a seizure, giving me a chance to take preventative medications and measures. She does truly life-saving work, allowing me to have a normal life and career.



**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST**
8, 9, AND 11:15 AM



SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

All services in Historic Church

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist/Sagrada Eucaristía
Rite I/Rito I

*Spoken service without music
Servicio hablado sin música*

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist/Sagrada Eucaristía
Rite II/Rito II

*Expansive Language
Lenguaje Expansivo*

11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist/Sagrada Eucaristía
Rite II/Rito II

*Traditional liturgy and music
Liturgia y música tradicionales
Livestreamed/Transmitido en vivo*

Childcare is available during worship services.

8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (2 months to 4 years), 1st Floor



Please ask an usher if you would like to use an assistive listening device in Historic Church.

VISITORS

Welcome! We're so glad you've joined us for worship today. If you'd like information about getting connected at St. David's, please fill out the guest card in front of you, or get in touch with Director of Newcomer Ministry Carter Leer by email (carter.l@stdave.org), call, or text (512.743.0799). We look forward to hearing from you!

Le damos la bienvenida a la Iglesia Episcopal de San David. Desde el año 1848, esta comunidad Cristiana se reúne aquí para adorar y servir a Dios. Para saber mas de nosotros, le invitamos a llenar una de las tarjetas que se encuentran en su banca.



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Guest Card

Para más información sobre San David, favor de llamar a Carter Leer, el Director del Ministerio para Recién Llegados, al 512.743.0799 or por correo electrónico (carter.l@stdave.org). Esperamos escuchar con usted!