Junior Warden Report

August 23, 2023

- Wardens' meetings with rector
- Thanks to Mark Stahr, Deacon Sue, Brian Connelly, Jill and Bob Speelman, Kati Webb, and Deanna Soulis for helping with Pride Day July 8 at Doub's Woods
- September Commission reports due Monday, September 18, to Melonie, Pieter, and Jr. Warden
- Meeting was held July 22 with Commission Chairs/liaisons, Fr. Todd, Deacon Sue, and John Sabine to plan for 2023-2024 calendar. Calendar to be published by end of August for distribution. Suggestion to be on website
- Quarterly meeting with Commission Chairs/liaisons August 20 to keep all commissions abreast as to what is happening or will be in the future.
- At vestry work day in July, discussion pursued about lack of communication among commissions and church members due to covid and gathering as a body. Therefore, it was decided we would return to having commissions meet the first Wednesday of each month at 7 pm in STM's C per usual. It is not necessary for all members to attend. Each commission is asked to have a representative present to share and gather information for better communication. Commissions may still meet at their designated times according to their preference.
- Porchfest is a city sponsored activity Saturday, September 23, from 11am-5pm on S. Prospect St. The church will be open for tours. Snacks, greeters, signage, docents, etc. will be available. The more hands the better and less times for volunteers if you are willing to help. A great way to get our name in the community.
- St. John's Day is September 10. There will be one service at 9:30 am. You are asked to bring a friend(s) to the service and a parish sponsored brunch in TH. Activities have been planned for all ages. Sign up sheet for food is outside the choir room. Let's make this a special celebration for being in the community 250 years!
- Support Oma’s German Dinner Oct. 6 in TH to benefit Brooke's House

Respectfully submitted,
Deanna Soulis

