

MARCH 8, 2020 – MARCH 14, 2020

CASTING OUR NET

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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We ask for continued prayers:

Coronavirus Patients, Chris, Irma, People as they vote; Lisa, Sally Gerard, Mike, Bob & Judy, Melissa, Margaret, Dottie, Ruthie, Colin, Amanda, Emely, Mary, Mason, Dan, Tom & Odessa, Sally, Scott, Jane, Pat, John, Sharon, Linda

And for those serving in the Military:

E.B. & his Platoon; Alex, James, D.J., Caitlyn

And for safety in travel for:

Truck Drivers, Airline Personnel, Reid

And we pray for those who have Died:

Victims of the Nashville Tornado; Erika's Grandma

Blessings:

Our St. Stephen's Family

For those who celebrate Birthdays in March:

March 4 – Reid Staubit
March 7 – Liz Mumford

Anniversaries in March:

And for those serving in our Diocese, including Bishop Jennifer Baskerville-Burrows, our Companion Diocese Brasilia, their Bishop Mauricio, and the People and Diocese of Haiti and St. Andre's in Mithon



ANNOUNCEMENTS & Community Events

New Harmony Kiwanis
Marty Crispino's
Famous Baked Ziti Dinner
March 10th from 5-7 pm
Community Center, N.H.
\$12 at the door
Children half price



BE A LIGHT

IN THE DARKNESS

A community education series
at St. Stephen's Parish House

OPIOIDS & NARCAN

Wed, March 11th at 6:00 p.m.
Light refreshments available

New Harmony State Historic Site

SUN DIAL TEA PARTY

March 14th, 3-5 pm

Indianamuseum.org

812-682-3702

\$10/members; \$15/non-member

St. Patrick's Day DANCE

March 17th 10 am – 12 pm

Mt. Vernon Senior Center
611 W. 8th Street, Mt. Vernon

RSVP 812-838-4656

Free to the Public!

Snacks will be provided



FOOD PANTRY DELIVERY

First Wed of the month at 7:15 am, and the Distribution on the third Thurs of each month from 3:30 pm – 6:00 pm

(Volunteers needed)



RED DOOR DOINGS



**Serving Sunday, March 15, 2020
Morning Prayer with Cindy**

Music: Liz & Bish
Worship Leader/Opener/Prayers and Closer: Bish
Lector: Richard
Greeters: Gary & Mary Ellen
Coffee Hour: St. Stephen's
Counters: Hope & Linda



EDUCATION

Here is the liturgical calendar for this week, as well as a link to Bible studies for those who would like to go a little deeper.

Exodus 17:1-7 Psalm 95
Romans 5:1-11 John 4:5-42

<http://episcopaldigitalnetwork.com/lessons/liturgical-calendar/>



**Seamen's
Church
Institute**

**MOR – Ministry on the River
Pastoral Care**

As members of the team of first responders on the Mississippi River system and the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, SCI's Ministry on the River (MOR) chaplains take their responsibilities in a crisis very seriously. MOR ministers the only network of pastoral care on the American inland waterway, and it operates around the clock, every single day of the year. Because of SCI's expertise and personal experience, chaplains are particularly adept in facilitating the healing process for those employed on the river.

MOR places a full array of services and resources at the mariner's disposal. They perform pre-marital counseling, wedding ceremonies, funerals, and baptisms. They are trained in suicide intervention, career counseling, and parental education. They christen towboats, drydocks, and dredges. They connect mariners to mentors and peers. Chaplains even offer a network of attorneys willing to work with mariners pro bono to prepare wills and powers-of-attorney.

Perhaps most importantly, MOR ministers stand shoulder-to-shoulder with the mariner on a daily basis. SCI Chaplains, "go wherever the river flows" and means overcoming obstacles alongside the mariners, and attending to their interests, large and small.

Founded in 1834 and affiliated with the Episcopal Church, the Seamen's Church Institute of New York & New Jersey (SCI) is the largest, most comprehensive mariners' agency in North America. Annually, its chaplains visit more than 3,000 vessels in the Port of New York and New Jersey and along 2,200 miles of America's inland waterways. Through its Christmas at Sea program, SCI delivers 16,500 knitted gifts hand-crafted by volunteers to mariners. SCI's maritime education facilities provide navigational training to 2,700 mariners each year through simulator-based facilities located in Houston, TX and Paducah, KY. The Institute and its maritime attorneys are recognized as leading advocates for merchant mariners by the United States Government, including the Congress, the U.S. Coast Guard, the Department of Homeland Security, as well as the United Nations, the International Maritime Organization, the International Labor organization and maritime trade associations.

<https://seamenschurch.org/article/active-ministry>