



St. Barnabas Parish Notes Sunday, August 27th, 2006

Welcome to Saint Barnabas Church and this service of worship. We are truly pleased that you have chosen to worship with us today. Here at St. Barnabas, we believe that everyone who enters these doors is God's guest. Page numbers refer to the red Book of Common Prayer, and hymns are found in the blue Hymnal 1982. If you are seeking a church exclusively for today, we thank you for celebrating with us and may God be with you as you travel. If you are searching for a new church community and home, we wish to respond, either today or on your next visit, in whatever manner you prefer. Please introduce yourself to one of our parish clergy as you depart. We invite you to complete one of the cards in the pew rack and simply hand it to a person of the clergy.

Curt Zimmerman will conclude his ministry among us with Sunday Eucharist on September 10th (there will be one service that day at 10 o'clock. Members of the Vestry are hosting a pot-luck supper on Saturday evening, September 9th, beginning at 5:30 p.m. to thank him for his contributions to St. Barnabas, wish him a happy journey, and for us all to say our good-byes. Everyone is welcome, and Curt particularly hopes our children and youth will be there. Potluck menu: Last names beginning with A-L main course, any type; Last names M-Z salads, fruit, vegetable or greens. Desert and beverages provided by the Vestry. Please RSVP to Jim Gallaher, Parish Coordinator, jgallaher@stbbi.org or 842-5601, ext 0.

"Do you have children? If so mark your calendars for Up and At'em day because that is THE day for sign-ups for the first Sunday school session which runs, tentatively, from September 17th through November 5th. The Formation commission especially asks that you indicate your interest this year by formally registering to participate so that the teaching teams know who they will have, particularly their ages. This year the teaching teams (we have three but could use one more) are committing to preparing and running the five to six week sessions and formation, in turn asks that the parents commit to attendance for those five to six weeks. You can register anytime by emailing or calling John at 842-5601 or jsweeney@stbbi.org or Jim Gallaher the parish coordinator jgallaher@stbbi.org.

Summer Fun for Parish Young People. This summer the young people ages 3 (potty trained) to 10 are invited to the library to do a "fun" activity from 10 until it is time to join the 10:00 services for the Eucharist. Sometime the activity will be watching one of the new Bible story videos and DVDs that are in the library, other times, it will be outdoor activity. Different parish members will host Summer Fun on the 1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays, while the 2nd Sunday will be the Intergenerational Service. For information, contact gillianallard@earthlink.net or call 780-2390.

Sunday School Teams: The Christian Formation Commission has put together the Sunday School teaching teams of two people through the Advent season. They need one and a half more teams for these five/six week commitments. Mara Hilderman has graciously stepped forward and needs a partner for one session in the winter or spring, either Epiphany or Easter. Similarly one more teaching team is needed for Epiphany or Easter. All the curriculum materials are available and Barb Ellis is leading the training and support for Sunday School 2006-7. Barb is going to go over the materials for teachers during the first half of Formations September 11th meeting in the library at St. Barnabas. Teachers mark your calendars and please join us.

The Up and At'em opening of the fall activities has been moved to September 17th due to Curt's final service being on the 10th. All ministries should contact Pat O'Morchoe about setting out their booths in the parish hall for presentation after the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. services

Calendar this week...

Sunday, August 27th

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Church)
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Church)

Monday, August 28th

11:00 a.m. Group Reunion (Parlor)
12:45 p.m. Humble Abode Cancer Support Group
(*RWV & SOMETIMES Parish Hall)
7:30 p.m. Al Anon (*RWV)

Tuesday, August 29th

7:00 a.m. Mindfulness Meditation (*RWV)
11:00 a.m. St Barnabas Day School All School
Welcoming Picnic (Battle Point Park)
6:15 p.m. Evening Prayer (Sanctuary)
7:00 p.m. Vestry Meeting (Parish Hall)

Wednesday, August 30th

Noon - Staff Meeting (*RWV)

Thursday, August 31st

9:15 a.m. Healing Eucharist (Church)
10:30 a.m. Devotions by Father Web Barnett
(Wyatt House)
3:00 p.m. Devotions by Father Web Barnett
(MARC)
7:30 p.m. AA (*RWV)

Friday, September 1st

Saturday, September 2nd

8:00 a.m. Bible Study (The MARC)
2:00 p.m. Erskine/Boucher Marriage Blessing
(Hall)

Sunday, September 3rd

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Church)
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Church)

***RWV = Room with a View**

Nursery Care provided for 10 o'clock service