



St. Michael's in the Hills Episcopal Church



Worship Schedule

- Nov. 5 10 am** Holy Eucharist with Rev. Robert Gahler
- Nov. 12 10 am** Holy Eucharist with Rev. Robert Gahler
- Nov. 19 10 am** Holy Eucharist with Rev. Nancy Kin

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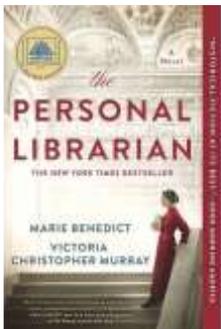
We are so glad you have joined us today! Please take a minute to grab your name tag off the rack before the service. *Need a name tag?* Let us know on the sheet provided on the table in the narthex.

A NOTE FOR FAMILIES

Children of all ages are welcome in worship! Crayons, pencils, activities and a children's bulletin are available in the Children's Corner in the narthex. This area can also be used during the service.

We offer nursery and childcare for children ages 6 months—5 years old during the service. Our student caregivers have gone through extensive training and are looking forward to greeting your child! Ask the Usher for directions to our Nursery.

DINNER + BOOK CLUB



All are invited to enjoy fellowship, dinner and a book discussion! For November, they are reading *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict and Victoria Murray. They will meet on **Monday, November 20th at 6:00 pm** at the home of Nancy Lehmann. Contact Nancy if you plan to attend: nslehmann64@gmail.com or (419) 450-7500.



Common Grounds meets after the 10 am service in the Fellowship Hall for fellowship, learning, and exchange of ideas and coffee, tea, or cocoa. Join us next week!

November 5: "Holy Currencies"

Individually and as a church, we're stewards of six sources of capital, financial capital being just one. Please join us as we explore Episcopal priest Eric Law's concept of *Holy Currencies*, learning how the flow and give-and-take of these currencies sustains and energizes us.

November 12: *Gifts of Time and Talent: What We Do For Love!*

Many of us have been blessed to find "work" outside of our paid professions, either before or after retirement. Let's spend some time celebrating these sometimes little known talents, interests, and gifts to our community. Steve Wipfli, Penny Cobau-Smith, and Anne Morris will each share a story or two of their volunteer "jobs" and what it has meant to them. We hope to have time for many others to share a bit about theirs.



The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by George & Carole Shirk in loving memory of Barbara Shirk and Charles Domansky, resting in peace.

VESTRY TRANSITION COMMITTEE

We hope to spend the month of November getting ready for the Rev. Gayle Catinella's arrival in December! We want to get to know her a little better from afar, and to do what we can to ensure a smooth transition



for her and for us. Rev. Gayle has a wonderful mix of personality traits: She's warm, caring, friendly, and deeply devoted, but at the same time intelligent, creative, honest with herself and others, and an experienced and accomplished parish and community leader. We're excited for everyone to get to know her.

One way you could steal a glimpse into her thoughts and actions is through the public blog of St. John's Episcopal Church in Youngstown, her former parish of ten years. Visit: www.blog.stjohnohio.org. The blog archive goes back many years, and most (but not quite all) posts are from Rev. Gayle. As you'll note, issues of justice are never far from her thoughts.

We have a busy November. We'll be doing little things (assembling an informal parishioner photo directory for her, encouraging everyone to wear nametags) and big things (reflecting on all our practices, making sure we're leaving the past behind us but have learned from it). Please join us, help where you can, pray for our transition, and catch our excitement!

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

November 6

Carolyn Lloyd

Margaret Sagan



Guests & Visitors:

We would love to hear from you! Scan the QR code and fill out our visitor card online, or reach for a pew card available in each row and place your completed card in the offering plate.

We're glad you visited St. Michael's!



SAVE THE DATE: DECEMBER 3



Join us on **Sunday, December 3rd**, as we welcome our new Rector, The. Rev. Gayle Cantinella, and we also celebrate the Advent & Christmas season! Plan to stay after the 10 am service to enjoy our annual Advent Event.

This year, we are inviting the whole community and having a 'Christmas Market' in addition to our Advent activities! Several local crafters will be with us and we can't wait for this festive Sunday. Come enjoy food, fellowship, shopping and greeting our Rector!

Invite your friends & family and take a flyer off the hall and narthex tables!

CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING

This year, we're again collecting gifts for residents at Sunshine Communities. Gift tags are on a table in the hallway for you to choose from. Each gift item should be wrapped & returned to church (with tag attached) by Sunday, Dec. 3rd. *There is also a wish list posted of general items that can be purchased, once the gift tags are taken.* Also, if you're interested in purchasing your item online, we have shopping links for all the items on the gift tags! Simply email the office and we can send you the link for the gift you have selected. Thank you for keeping St. Michael's gift giving tradition going! Feel free to email any questions to office@lovelearnserv.org

FEED YOUR NEIGHBOR

We have a list of needs from the *Feed Your Neighbor* food pantry at Epiphany Lutheran Church. Please check out the sign on the basket in the Narthex and grab a "shopping list" to take with you.