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FROM THE RECTOR:



What's Lighting You Up?

The other evening I stood in the glow of the setting sun. In our baptismal identities we stand in a lineage of witnesses to God's light. We are called to be light-bearers to each other, our families and to the world. How have you and I been a light to each other this week? How can you and I think, act, and pray more deliberately toward fulfilling God's desire for us to be lights in the darkness?

My thoughts turn to the Annual Meeting and Dinner. I give thanks for the light shed on our collective desire for deeper belonging and connection. I remember it was said at the meeting, "And lights will be installed to shed light on the church at night." Or something like that.

What are the darkneses you and I confront as individuals, in our family systems, in our community and in our society? How do you and I face into our own darkness to bring forth God's light?

Go in the Peace and Light of Christ to love and serve the world.

And Stay warm.

See you Sunday,
Gareth

Office Hours:

Call the office (914) 591-8194 to make an appointment or if you need Pastoral Care.

Please note that the Rector's Sabbath Day (Day off) is Friday

ANNUAL DINNER: Great Success!

Thank You!

We had over 100 attendees at our Annual Meeting & Dinner this past Sunday! Thank you to all who attended. If you missed it, please check out the photos on our website:

[Annual Meeting Slideshow](#)



A NEW CALL: REV. ALLISON MOORE

Allison Moore, our former Interim, would like all of us know that she has been called to be the Interim Priest in Charge of Christ Church in Manhasset, Long Island.

Please remember her in your prayers as she moves next week.



UPCOMING

CLOTHING SALE GRANT APPLICATIONS: Due March 3rd

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!



Deadline: e-mail completed application (click [Here](#) for application) no later than Sunday, March 3, 2019 to Hanna Gyory at laurahanna50@gmail.com. Paper copies of the grant form are available in the binder in McCormack Lounge

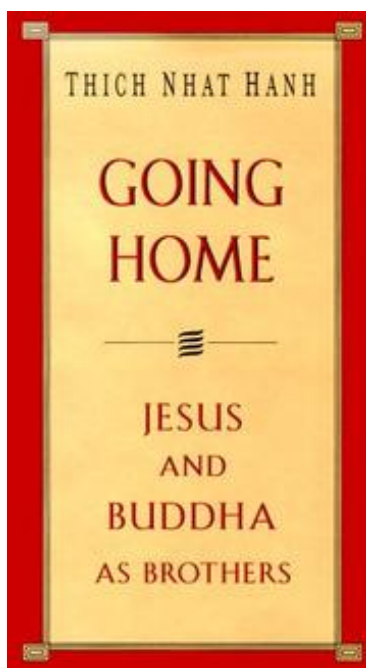
Grants application decisions will be announced at the Clothing Sale Dinner on Wednesday, March 27, 2019; and disbursed in April.

GRANT GUIDELINES:

The St. Barnabas Clothing Sale Outreach program is designed specifically to extend the charitable outreach of our parishioners, so we solicit requests from our faith community for worthy non-profit (501c3) organizations that benefit our community. In order to be eligible for grant consideration, at least one St. Barnabas parishioner must volunteer or be connected to the organization. Further, the requested grant (most grants are between \$500 and \$1,500, rarely more than \$5,000) must meaningfully impact on the program and the community.

ONGOING

WEDNESDAY BOOK GROUP



The Wednesday Book Group meets every Wednesday from 11:30 - 1:00. We are currently reading *Going Home* by Thich Nhat Hanh. All are welcome and the group is set up so that people can 'pop in and pop-out' - no previous reading required.

If you have any questions please email Sue Robinson at susanbriggsrobinson@gmail.com



Service Times

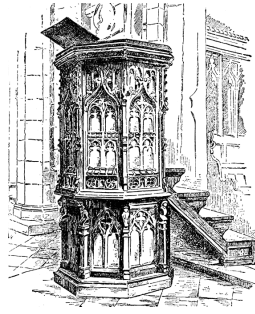
Sunday, February 3rd

8:00 am

Holy Eucharist, Rite I

10:00 am

Holy Eucharist, Rite II



The Readings

- **Jeremiah 1:4-10**
- **1 Corinthians 13:1-13**
- **Luke 4:21-30**
- **Psalm 71:1-6**



Goings On

Friday, February 1st

7:30pm - 8:30pm

AA in Roane Room

Saturday, February 2nd

9:30am - 10:30am

AA in Colwell Hall

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