

# What's Happening: December 30, 2021

## We hold in our prayers this week:

**For the repose of the soul:** Linda Yingling, friend of Joanne Hull

**Parishioners in need of Prayer:** Sally Scovill, Linda Purdy, Dottie O'Neill, Jo Oldenburg, Peggy Zimmer, Harold Babbit, Rick Nash, Jennifer Carlson, Bob Lewis

**Homebound Parishioners:** Joanne Calkins, Kay McKelvey, Sheena James, Molly Simon, Doug Bradfield, Ed & Marlene Wilkinson, Clara Mae Cain, Mildred Bittel, Deb Sefcek, John & Mary Etta Bitter, Margo Tennant

**Parishioners' Friends and Family:** Edward Hout (Dan & Matthew Hout-Reilly), Mary Rappach (Joanne Hull), Michael Yancey (Amanda Chambers), Betty Carter (Ron Stach), Kirby Lee (Jeff Tennant), Rhett (Anna Norton), Evie Morris (Martha Taylor), Mike Kaczmarek (Jan Madigan), Mary Anne Barnes (Emily Malquest), Suehana Kieres (Liz Crosby), Phil Vandrask (Brad Vandrask), Cindy Check (Fred Purdy), Emily Evans, Ruth Zimmer, Mardelle Evans (Peggy Zimmer), Allan Lester, Charlie Speake (John Keller), Don Aukerman, Julie, Karen, Gordon and Graham (Ann Bish), Charlotte Handley (Tucker Handley), Gloria Morgan (Sam Morgan), Richey Ruscin (Linda Purdy), Rudy and the Capece Family (Jeff Gardner), Joe Nero (Don & Mary Blesse), Alberta Valente, Jayne Matthews, Joan & Chuck Bulf (Anida Balmer), Debbie Wodzisz, Andrew Horner (Kathy Woolner)

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**Join us for Sunday Worship...**  
**in person at 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.**  
**10:00 a.m. ONLINE**  
**The Rev. Sally Goodall, Interim Rector**

The Service will be live streamed beginning at 9:50 a.m., and the recording will subsequently remain available by going to:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5r-XEvAg8xKiE12jnl\\_s7g?](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5r-XEvAg8xKiE12jnl_s7g?)

Everything you need for worship can be accessed at

<http://www.stpeterslakewood.org/news/sunday-worship/>

Welcome to St. Peter's! If you are attending services, please use the back glass door off the parking lot (where the elevator is located) or the front door to enter the church. At this time, the other two entrances will remain locked. If you need any assistance, please see one of the ushers or Tom Newman, St. Peter's Sexton. Masks are required in building at all times. Thank you for your cooperation.

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Dear People of St. Peter's,

I hope you are well and enjoyed some Peace and Joy on Christmas Day. COVID certainly presented us with some challenges, but I want to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped make this Christmas weekend at St. Peter's work. I thank you all for your flexibility and willingness to help out in so many different ways. I wanted to mention everyone individually but I am sure I will miss someone out, so please

know that I am grateful to you all, choir, musicians, chancel guild, ushers, acolytes and those who stepped in to fill roles they did not anticipate filling. And Christmas came and once again we remembered the birth of Jesus, and God's gift to us all.

With thanks for your faithfulness and for the gift of the Incarnation; and may you all have a very happy and blessed New Year.

*Sally+*

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### **Remembering Desmond Tutu**

Desmond Mpilo Tutu died on December 26 at the age of 90. He was a South African Anglican bishop and theologian, known for his work as an anti-apartheid and human rights activist. He was Bishop of Johannesburg from 1985 to 1986 and then Archbishop of Cape Town from 1986 to 1996, in both

cases being the first black African to hold the position.

As we mourn his passing and celebrate his wonderful and courageous life, you may like to read the following article written by the Dean of the National Cathedral.

<https://cathedral.org/press-room/in-celebration-of-the-life-of-archbishop-desmond-tutu/>

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Emily & Jake Dillon's Nativity! Parents, Kelly and Jordan had fun assisting with the St. Peter's Advent Project. Great job Dillon Family!

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Keep in mind that **December 31st** is the deadline to make charitable donations for 2021. Envelopes must be postmarked by USPS on or before **December 31, 2021** to be eligible for a U.S. 2021 tax deduction. Donations processed after this date won't receive a tax deduction for the tax year 2021. St. Peter's thanks you for your continued support and generosity.



**Join us as we celebrate Epiphany/Twelfth Night!  
Thursday, January 6 at 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel**

Epiphany, or the 12th day of Christmas, falls on January 6 and marks the official end to the festive season for many Christians. Until the 19<sup>th</sup> century, the Twelve Days of Christmas were celebrated and Epiphany was just about as big a celebration as Christmas Day.

The word 'Epiphany' comes from Greek word meaning "manifestation" or "appearing" referring to Jesus being revealed to the world. Epiphany combines three commemorations; the visit of the Magi led by the star of Bethlehem, the Baptism of Jesus and Jesus' first recorded miracle, changing water into wine at the wedding in Cana.

Christians have been celebrating Epiphany since the end of the 2nd century. In the West, Epiphany is usually associated with the visit of the Wise Men to Jesus. In the Episcopal Church we now celebrate the Baptism of Jesus on the first Sunday after Epiphany, and the miracle at Cana on the 2nd Sunday after Epiphany.

Join us as we celebrate Epiphany on Thursday, January 6, with a service at 5:30 pm in the chapel, followed by soup and fellowship.

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or via email at [revsallyg76@gmail.com](mailto:revsallyg76@gmail.com).*

*Also, if you would like to put someone on the prayer list,  
please contact the office at [office@stpeterslakewood.org](mailto:office@stpeterslakewood.org)*

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The Office is will close for the New Year's holiday on Thursday, December 30<sup>th</sup> at noon and re-open on Tuesday, January 4<sup>th</sup>. We wish everyone a very Happy New Year.

