

# The Coracle

St Davids Cullowhee



January 17, 2021

Called to embody God's love by welcoming everyone who enters and by empowering all who stay to make a difference in the world.

## News from the Vestry

by Jessica Philyaw

Vestry met on January 11<sup>th</sup>, more as a check-in than a full business meeting. We discussed the awful reality of the assault on the Capitol, as well as the COVID surge, and how each of us is coping and trying to make sense of events. We listened to the [Presiding Bishop's powerful statement](#), and had a prayerful discussion about the meaning of love, justice, reconciliation, anger, and chaos. These were such difficult feelings and concepts to talk about, but it was so needed. I'm deeply grateful to Mtr. Gaelyn for this opportunity to process with each other as a vestry.

It was the final meeting for Gael and Sandy, whose terms on vestry have concluded. I know everyone will join me in thanking both of them for helping guide St. David's over the last several years. It has been wonderful to work with them, and I am grateful for their help, their leadership, and their fellowship.

The Annual Meeting will be held on Zoom on **Sunday, January 24<sup>th</sup> at 12:00**, immediately following the service. The agenda, reports, proposed budget, and other documents will be shared via email several days in advance of the meeting. We hope everyone can attend!

### Service Information

**Sunday, 1/17/2021 at 11 am**

[Facebook Live](#) (Church Service) [Bulletin](#)  
[Coffee Hour Zoom Link](#)

No Internet or Smartphone? Dial +1 929 205 6099 and enter meeting ID number 857 5147 5913 to join in for Zoom Coffee Hour after church.

Lector: June Smith

Prayers: Muff Lyons

Flowers: Muff Lyons

Linens: Gerlinde Lindy

Email prayer requests to [Muff Lyons](#)

### Wednesday Services

**Morning Prayer** 9:30 am on [Zoom](#)

[Facebook Link for Past Services](#)

### Additional Information

Jan 17 Liturgy of the Word 11 am [Facebook Live](#)

Jan 20 Morning Prayer on [Zoom](#)

Jan 24 Liturgy of the Word 11 am [Facebook Live](#)  
followed by Parish Annual Meeting

Jan 28-30 Vestry Retreat at Lake Logan

### Episcopal Campus Ministry WCU

Sign-up for Wednesday Walks with WCU campus missionary Kelsey Davis: 1:1 outdoor walk around campus, no strings attached.

Anyone is welcome. [Walk sign up](#)



### Beans & Rice

Please remember our ongoing collection of rice and especially beans for our Vecinos families and farm workers. Donations may be left in the big containers inside the church doors at any time.



To meet with the rector for conversation or prayer, email her at [rector@stdavidscullowhee.org](mailto:rector@stdavidscullowhee.org).

## Bishop's Class: Episcopal 101

Online classes, Tuesdays at 7 pm starting January 12<sup>th</sup> for five weeks

Click [HERE](#) to sign up.

Offered in the season of Epiphany, Bishop José will lead five sessions on the basics on what Episcopalians believe, how we pray, our history (not just the good highlights but also harder truths we don't like to talk about), how we read the Bible, and how we are organized. All are welcome - no matter how long or short a time you've called the Episcopal Church home - or if you aren't sure yet if it feels like home. This class is also a great opportunity to prepare people for Confirmation.

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## Parish News & Notes

### Birthdays

Jan 18 **Doug Hanks**  
Jan 20 **Chris Wilcox, Elliot Reisinger**  
Jan 21 **Charles Pringle**

### Anniversary

Jan 17 **Karen & Harry Brown**

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### IndivisibleCommonGroundWNC Food Drive for MLK National Day of service

Join us! Collect non-perishable food, personal care items, warm clothes, and blankets for Sylva NC's Free Little Pantry on 31 Allen Street. Contactless drop-off.

Free Little Pantries provide the community an opportunity to give back and to help neighbors in need. Anyone and everyone who has a need for food or personal items or wishes to donate items are invited and encouraged to use this resource!

Suggested donation items: canned proteins such as tuna and meat; canned fruits, veggies, and beans; soups; peanut butter; jams; personal care items such as deodorant, bar soap, feminine hygiene products; small bottles of shampoo and conditioners (travel size); baby diapers; sandwich and gallon sized storage bags, trash bags, zipper baggies; Crayons, tape, pencils, pens, notepads; toilet paper, paper towels.

Bring your donated items during the MLK weekend to Guadalupe Cafe on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday January 15<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> and to Baxley's Chocolate on Monday, January 18<sup>th</sup>. Both businesses are located on Main Street in downtown Sylva!

Thank you!

For more info: [info@littlefreepantry.org](mailto:info@littlefreepantry.org)

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### St. David's Links and Contact Information:

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[St. D's Public Facebook Page](#)

[St. D's Private Group Forum](#)

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**2021 Schedule–St. Clare’s Altar Guild of St. David’s Episcopal Church**

**Please note: Below is the old 2020 schedule! 2021 will be updated month by month during COVID. No in-person services through January 31, 2021. Everyone who asked to be removed during COVID has been removed. We will add members to tasks as the year progresses.**

<p align="center"><b><u>January 2021</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Muff Lyons</b> Faye Jacobson on Jan 31 Linen: <b>Gerlinde Lindy</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>NO IN-PERSON SERVICES</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>February</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Judy Annis</b> Lent begins Feb 17, no flowers Linen:</p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Karen Brown &amp; June Smith</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>March</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>none</b> Linen:</p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Gracia Slater &amp;Muff Lyons</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>April</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Judy Robinson</b> (with team for Easter which is April 4) Linen: <b>Gael Graham</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Muff Lyons &amp;Gael Graham</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>May</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: Linen: <b>Gerlinde Lindy</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Harry Brown</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>June</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Judy Annis</b> Linen: <b>Faye Jacobson</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Judy Annis &amp; Faye Jacobson</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>July</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Muff Lyons</b> Linen:</p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Muff Lyons &amp; Laurie Hulbert</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>August</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Volunteer of the Week</b> Linen: <b>Gerlinde Lindy</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Faye Jacobson &amp; Judy Annis</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>September</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: Linen: <b>Gael Graham</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Laurie Hulbert &amp; Muff Lyons</b></p>
<p align="center"><b><u>October</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Judy Annis</b> Linen: <b>Faye Jacobson</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Judy Annis &amp; Faye Jacobson</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>November</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Judy Robinson</b> Advent Wreath: <b>Judy Robinson &amp; Group</b> Linen: Sunday Communion: <b>Linda Kinnear &amp; June Smith</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>December</u></b></p> <p>Flowers: <b>Judy Robinson</b> (Includes Advent) <b>Muff Lyons</b> (Dec 25) Linen: <b>Gerlinde Lindy</b></p> <p>Sunday Communion: <b>Gracia Slater</b></p>

**MEMORIALS & GIFTS Chart: June Smith will keep track of this.**

## Altar Guild Brunch is not scheduled, but looking with hope to a date in 2021

### Altar Guild Member Directory

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**Faye Jacobson and Judy Robinson are Co-Chairs of the Altar Guild**

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