



September 30, 2019

## Anti-Racism Training October 25 & 26, 2019 at St. Peter's, Brentwood



The next anti-racism training, *Seeing the Face of God in Each Other*, will be held on **Friday and Saturday, October 25-26, 2019 at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Brentwood, 4048 Brownsville Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15227**

In a time when the current climate of our political and social life is marked by polarity and fear, our society has great need for the alternative offered by our faith. St. Paul boldly announces that, "in Christ God was reconciling the world to Himself" (2 Corinthians 5:19). The work of the Church, therefore, is the ministry of reconciliation, and nowhere is this more urgent than in the call to heal the wounds of racial injustice that have so marked our history. This workshop gives us some critical tools to begin the work.

This training is required of all elected leadership, lay and ordained, in the Diocese of Pittsburgh, including all candidates for Holy Orders. There is no fee for the training, but a free-will offering will help offset the cost of the food and refreshments.

Schedule:

- Friday: 2 p.m. Registration / 3 p.m. Opening Program / 5:30 pm Dinner / 9 p.m. depart
- Saturday: 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast / Lunch / departing at 4 p.m.

To meet Canon requirements, attendance is required both days.

[Click Here to Register](#)



## 2019 Diocesan Convention Registration Is Now Open

The 154th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Pittsburgh, will be held on November 15 & 16, 2019, at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, 616 N. Highland Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15206

Online and printable registration forms for all deputies, visitors and guests are available on the diocesan web site at [www.episcopalpg.org/resources/2019-diocesan-convention/](http://www.episcopalpg.org/resources/2019-diocesan-convention/)

[Click here](#) for online registration (preferred)

[Click here](#) for printable registration form  
[Click Here](#) for a tentative Convention Agenda

**The deadline for registering is Friday, November 1, 2019**



## **Join Presiding Bishop Michael Curry in Wheeling, WV!**

**St. Matthew's Episcopal Church of Wheeling's 200th Anniversary Celebration  
with Special Guest Bishop Michael Curry**

**Saturday, October 5, 2019, at 3 p.m.  
WesBanco Arena, 2 14th Street, Wheeling, WV**

Doors open at 2 p.m.

Tickets for adults are \$5.00, children under 12 are \$1.00 and all are General Admission

[Click here for tickets](#)

Presiding Bishop Michael Curry, known for his sermon at the royal wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan, is coming to Wheeling to join in celebrating the 200th anniversary of the founding of St. Matthew's.

All proceeds will go to charity.



## **Trinity Cathedral Presents Fall Organ Recitals**



## 2019 Fall organ recitals Wednesdays, 12:30-1 p.m.

October 2

**David Schaap**

Organist/Choirmaster, Trinity Cathedral, Pittsburgh

October 9

**Mark Anderson**

Director of Music Ministry  
Shadyside Presbyterian Church

October 16

**Jon Tyillian**

Assistant Organist,  
Calvary Episcopal Church, Shadyside

October 23


**Chaz Bowers**

Director of Music, St Bernard Parish, Mt. Lebanon

October 30

**Jim Lueers**

Minister of Worship & Arts,  
Memorial Park Presbyterian, Allison Park



Trinity Cathedral is located at 328 Sixth Avenue, Downtown.  
For more information, call 412-232-6404, or visit [www.trinitycathedralpgh.org](http://www.trinitycathedralpgh.org)



## Interfaith Healing Service in Johnstown

As part of its monthly Community Common Prayer series, [St. Mark's Episcopal Church](#), 335 Locust Street, Johnstown, PA, is hosting an Interfaith Healing Service on **Sunday, October 20, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.**

A healing service is a time when we pray for, lay hands on, and anoint with oil, individuals who are in the midst of struggle, asking and trusting God to bring healing.

**October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month.** We extend a special invitation to those who are battling or have battled breast cancer, or any other type of cancer, and those who love them. Everyone in need of healing for themselves or others is welcome.

In addition, there will be opportunities for individual blessings and anointings for all who seek healing.

Refreshments and conversation will be available after the service in the Parish Hall. All are welcome. For additional information about this service or our Community Common Prayer series, please contact the Rev. Nancy Threadgill at 814-535-6797 or [revnancy-](#)







## 2019 CROP Hunger Walks

For fifty years, the interfaith organization [Church World Service](#) has sponsored *CROP Hunger Walks* to raise funds and awareness to combat hunger here at home and around the world.



The diocesan Social Justice and Outreach Committee invites all Episcopalians to join their neighbors to help provide food, water, and partnership in development for those in need. Some contribute by walking, others by sponsoring a walker or their community walk as a whole.

In our area, walks are scheduled in Elizabeth-Forward on September 29; Greensburg on October 6; the East End, South Hills, Penn-Trafford, Murrysburg, and Indiana, all on October 13; and Ligonier on October 20.

The East End walk, starting at 2 p.m. on Saturday, October 13, begins and ends at South Avenue United Methodist Church at 733 South Avenue in Wilkinsburg with a six mile route to Squirrel Hill and back. A shorter one-mile route is also planned.

The money that this event collects benefits the Church World Service, Wilkinsburg Community Ministry and East End Cooperative Ministry. Contacts are Beth Simon, [simon.mbs@gmail.com](mailto:simon.mbs@gmail.com) or 412-953-6620, and Molly Denver, [mollyadenver@gmail.com](mailto:mollyadenver@gmail.com) or 412-952-1289.

Complete information is available at <https://www.crophungerwalk.org/>



## ECW Fall 2019 Grant Applications Available

The Diocese of Pittsburgh's Episcopal Church Women (ECW) will be making outreach grants in the Fall.

The ECW particularly seeks to support hands-on ministries that help children, adults and families in need of assistance with food, nutrition, health care, housing, education and counseling.

The grants are primarily designed for ministries within the diocese and with the goal of even distribution across all districts. It is hoped that these small grants will enable the continuation of existing ministries on the local level. However, the ECW will continue its policy of also awarding grants to some national and international ministries such as Episcopal Relief & Development.

[Click here](#) for the grant application and submission instructions. Applications for the Fall 2019 Grants must be submitted before October 19, 2019.



## ECW Fall 2019 Scholarships Available

The Episcopal Church Women established the Memorial Membership Fund to aid students with educational grants. The fund was begun in 1927 to be used for two missionary training scholarships. In the 92 years of its existence, the scope of the fund has widened to include nursing, theology and other humanitarian fields of study.



Funds are raised through gifts from individuals or groups in memory of a loved one or friend. This money is invested and the interest used for the granting purposes.

Each applicant must:

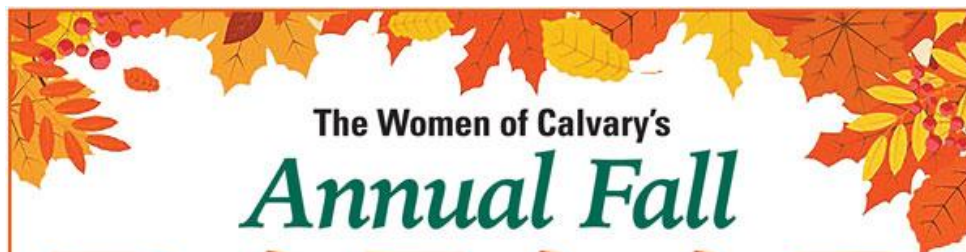
- be an Episcopalian in good standing (active) in a parish in the Diocese of Pittsburgh,
- have completed one year of college or the equivalent,
- be pursuing education in either church or humanitarian related fields,
- submit an application, including a letter stating goals and need, and
- submit a reference letter from their parish priest.

The Memorial Membership Committee will consider each request based on individual need and circumstances. Scholarships are completely unencumbered and may be used as needed to aid the recipient in achieving their educational goals. Each eligible applicant is able to apply once a year for three years.

**The applications must be received by Saturday, October 19, 2019. The application form with submission instructions is available [by clicking here](#).**

For additional information please contact Betty Duckstein at [ducksteine@yahoo.com](mailto:ducksteine@yahoo.com).





The Women of Calvary's

*Annual Fall*

# BAZAAR

**Saturday, November 2, 2019**

**10 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

Please join us for our

## **Gourmet Luncheon**

*Reservations required. \$25 per person. Call 412.661.0120, ext. 111*

Attic Treasures, Silent Auctions, Jewelry,  
Plants, Handmade Crafts, Baked Goods,  
Antiques & Collectables, and more...



*Proceeds benefit outreach to women's and children's groups in the East End*

**CALVARY EPISCOPAL CHURCH** 

315 Shady Ave. (at Walnut St.) | East Liberty 15206 | Off-street Parking

**[www.calvarypgh.org](http://www.calvarypgh.org)**



# Beer, Pop, & Hymns!

Join friends old & new to raise a glass and sing a song!

This is a Family Friendly Event

ALL ages welcome

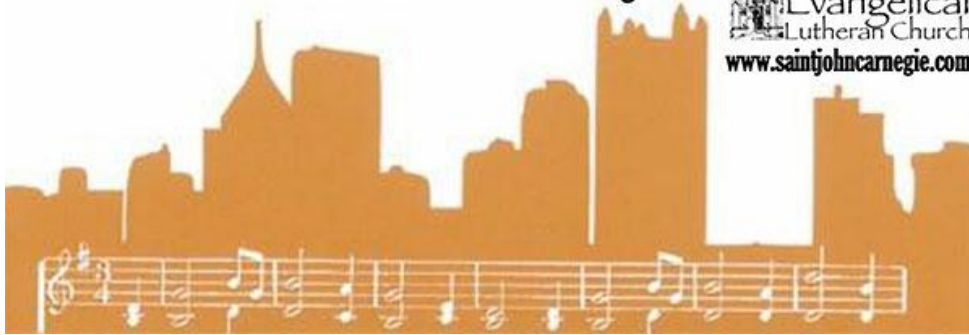
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**Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 7–9 p.m.**

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335 East Main Street – Carnegie PA

Hosted by  
**Saint John**  
Evangelical  
Lutheran Church  
[www.saintjohncarnegie.com](http://www.saintjohncarnegie.com)



## The Very Rev. Richard Pocalyko, 1946-2019

Dean of Trinity Cathedral, 2000-2004

The Very Reverend Richard (Rich) Peter Pocalyko, 72, of Atlanta, passed away at home on August 21, 2019.



Rich was born on November 15, 1946 in Palmerton, PA, to Peter and Ruth Norwood Pocalyko. Rich is a graduate of Lehigh University (1968) and Virginia Theological Seminary (1971). He attended Princeton Theological Seminary and Fuller Theological Seminary for doctoral studies.

Rich was ordained to the Episcopal priesthood at Washington National Cathedral in 1972. Rich served as Assoc. Rector of St. Andrew's (College Park, MD), Assoc. Rector of St. Luke's (Atlanta, GA), Rector of St. Dunstan's (Atlanta, GA), Canon for Stewardship Development and Associate for Pastoral Care at the Cathedral of St. Philip (Atlanta, GA), and Dean of Trinity Cathedral (Pittsburgh, PA).

Rich is survived by his wife of 50 years, Cynthia Austin Pocalyko; son, Stephen Pocalyko; daughters and sons-in-law, Jennifer and Todd Latz, Lara and Jeff Walker; grandchildren, Alex, Sophie, and Gaby Latz, and Preston Walker; brother, Barry L. Pocalyko and sister-in-law Betty Austin Lewis.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to The Cathedral of St. Philip Endowment Fund or The American Cancer Society.

Condolences may be sent to Cynthia Pocalyko, 415 Stone Mill Trail, NE, Sandy Springs, GA 30328



# 2020 Visitation Schedule Now Available

Bishop McConnell's 2020 visitation schedule is now available for download and printing [by clicking here](#).

The 2020 Diocesan Cycle of Prayer will be available in October.

These documents, along with many others, are available on the Diocesan website under the [Resources tab](#).



## Around the Diocese

### Bishop Price's Visitation Schedule:

**October 5:** St. Bartholomew's, Scottdale (Saturday)

**October 6:** St. Francis-in-the-Fields, Somerset

**October 20:** St. Paul's, Kittanning

**October 27:** Christ Church, Indiana



**Parish leadership is reminded to complete and submit [this form](#) at least two weeks in advance of their visitation.**

**Part-Time Sexton Position Open:** Calvary Episcopal Church, located in Shadyside, is looking for a responsible part-time sexton to maintain a clean and safe facility.

#### *Responsibilities Include:*

Emphasis on general housekeeping; room set-ups and breakdowns as scheduled; assist in general maintenance of grounds; building security; additional duties as needed.

#### *Qualifications:*

Must be flexible - available days, evenings and some weekends, punctuality is expected; good communication and organizational skills; work independently and/or as a team member; attention to detail and conscientiousness a must; Act 33/34 clearances and federal background check required; able to lift 50 lbs.; reliable transportation.

Compensation based on experience. Please no phone calls. Interested/qualified applicants should e-mail their resume to: [jgubash@calvarypgh.org](mailto:jgubash@calvarypgh.org)



All submissions to the *Grace Happens* newsletter and the diocesan web site are welcome and should be sent to [amuhl@episcopalpgh.org](mailto:amuhl@episcopalpgh.org). When possible, the copy should be in a Word document and all original logos, pictures and artwork should be attached separately. Please be sure to include your contact information with any submission.

