



ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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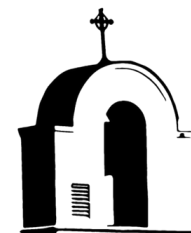
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NEWS & EVENTS



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SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2026

Welcome to St. Mary's!

Whether you're new to St. Mary's or have been walking with us for years, we're so glad you're here. This is a place to belong, to grow, and to serve.

If you would like more information about St. Mary's or need assistance getting connected, please fill out a connection card.

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

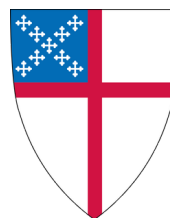
5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

9:00 a.m. Contemporary Family Worship

11:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II



Meet Our Welcome Coordinator, Yvette Odom



We are delighted to introduce Yvette Odom, who helps people feel at home at St. Mary's. She connects guests and members with ministries that speak to their gifts and passions through personal conversations, phone calls, and thoughtful follow-up.

Her role is to help you get plugged into the life of the church and build meaningful relationships along the way. You'll often see her on Sundays and at church events, ready to welcome you and help you take your next step. If you're new or looking to get more involved, we invite you to connect with her; she would love to meet you. yvette@stmarys-stuart.org

Mother's Day Baskets

It is time to **Reach out with Love** for Mother's day to new and expectant mothers in our community who are walking incredibly difficult paths. Last year we provided 158 gift bags with personal care items and uplifting messages via 7 Outreach partners. Each **\$25** donation (**by May 3**) supports a gift bag, sending the message that these moms are loved, Christ cares, and so do we! Questions or to help assemble/deliver bags: JGumbinner@gmail.com. Please reference "Mother's Day" on checks or follow the QR code for online payment.



Special Town Hall Financial Meeting

Sunday, May 3rd | 12:30 pm | Smith Hall

Join us as we come together to reflect on where we've been and look ahead to where God is leading us.

We will review the 2025 results and share an overview of the 2026 budget. This is an opportunity to hear updates, gain clarity, and be part of the ongoing conversation about the life and future of St. Mary's.

Your presence and voice are valued as we continue growing into Jesus and reaching out with love together.

Interfaith Lunch & Learn

Wednesday, May 13th | 12:00 pm | Ross Hall

Imam Fahad Mirza, Father Christian Anderson, Rabbi Matthew Durbin, and moderator Darcy Weir will lead a thoughtful conversation on angels and demons through the perspectives of an imam, priest, and rabbi.

Come be part of this meaningful interfaith discussion as we explore faith, tradition, and understanding together. Use the QR code or call the office 772-287-3244.



St. Mary's Concert Series Season Finale Concert!

St. Mary's is pleased to welcome Artists-in-Residence, Trio Paradigm, for a special lunchtime concert on **Wednesday, April 29, 2026**, from **12:00-1:30 PM**. Enjoy a delicious buffet-style lunch beginning at noon, followed by a beautiful live performance at 12:30 PM. **Tickets are \$35** in advance and include lunch, or gather a group and reserve a table for 8 for \$250. Don't wait—tickets are limited and all sales are final. Contact Brandon@StMarys-Stuart.org for more info.



Upcoming Featured Events

- May 1** Hats & Heels Fundraiser Event
- May 3** Crowning of Blessed Mary in The Courtyard
- May 3** Financial Town Hall Meeting

Hats & Heels Tickets Now on Sale!

Join us on **May 1st at 5:00 PM** in the Pittenger Center for the HCMC **Kentucky Derby-themed Hats & Heels fundraiser**, their largest event of the year! Put on your best hat and heels and enjoy an unforgettable evening featuring festive Derby flair, exciting auctions, raffles, and a community celebration, all in support of the Healing Center's vital mission. Tickets are **\$60 per person**, and **all proceeds directly benefit the Healing Center**. Sponsorship opportunities are available. www.hcmc.tofinoauctions.com/hatsandheels



Kanuga Youth Trip - June 14th

Middle and high school youth! Kanuga's Youth week will be **June 14-19th** and the **deadline to sign up** for transportation is **May 1**. Experience a week of fun, friendship and prayer through small group discussions, conference wide gatherings, music, prayer, and play. **Scholarships are available;** contact Sarah to apply. If you have any other questions, please email Sarah@stmarys-stuart.org or call **772-287-3244**

