



WEEKLY SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

SUNDAYS

10:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST

10:00 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

WEDNESDAYS

7:30 PM BIBLE STUDY

NOVEMBER 4: OUTREACH SUNDAY AMERICAN FRIENDS OF THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF JERUSALEM

The Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem, part of the Anglican Communion, was established in Jerusalem in 1833. The Diocese currently employs more than 1,500 people and provides services in Israel, Palestine, Jordan, Lebanon, and Syria. Diocesan schools, hospitals, and institutions for those with disabilities offer healing and hope for the future. Through its institutions, and its 24 parishes, the Diocese spreads a message of mutual respect and cooperation, working to bring peace and reconciliation to this conflict-torn region.



Since 1988 American Friends of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem (AFEDJ) has worked to support this humanitarian work of the Diocese in which politics play no part. Through their schools, hospitals and institutions the Diocese is living the Gospel in the place where it was written. Respect for

differences and tolerance are core values that are an integral part of each interaction with those who receive the services of the Diocese regardless of ethnic, religious, or economic background. AFEDJ has become a regular part of our St. Barnabas Outreach program, and we hope everyone will give generously on Outreach Sunday to this great humanitarian cause.

MIDNIGHT RUN, NOVEMBER 17

Despite the unusually warm fall we have been enjoying, winter—and cold weather—is sure to come! With that in mind we need sweaters and jackets for the November run, as well as the usual jeans, t-shirts, sweatshirts, long-sleeved jerseys, sneakers and casual shoes. We can also use sample size shampoos, soaps and toothpastes. There is always a sign up sheet for the Run the week before, so please sign up to either go on the run or help prepare food and set up the lunch bags.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD BOXES DUE NOVEMBER 12

If you have taken a box, please fill it and bring it to the church by November 12. It's important that you read and follow the instructions regarding what items are considered appropriate or inappropriate for children overseas and for the purposes of shipping. Samaritan's Purse manages the logistics of preparing the boxes for

shipment to countries around the world and distributing them to needy children for the holiday. The \$7 they request for each box is to help defray the costs off sorting, shipping and distribution.

INTERFAITH CARING COMMUNITY ANNUAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE SUNDAY NOVEMBER 19, 4-5 PM

The Annual Interfaith Thanksgiving service is always a joyful prelude to the Thanksgiving holiday. Current events notwithstanding, we have much to be thankful for in our country and our community. We are free to find and practice our own personal pathways to God. We are blessed to have food and shelter and to be able to help those who do not. At St. Barnabas we have a caring church family to support us through our trials.

The service this year is being sponsored by South Presbyterian Church, 343 Broadway in Dobbs Ferry, and it will take place Sunday afternoon November 19 from 4-5 PM. There is ample street parking near the church. Please come and bring your children, friends and family with you. Refreshments will be served following the ecumenical service.

South Presbyterian will be happy to accept donations of non-perishable food items, household cleaners and laundry detergents at the service.

DINE OUT FOR DOBBS FERRY FOOD PANTRY

On October 18 ten people from St Barnabas participated in the Dine Out event held at Sam's Italian Restaurant in Dobbs Ferry. As they did with the past dinners, the restaurant donated 15% of all food orders to the food pantry. The St. Barnabas diners meanwhile enjoyed a convivial evening out.



ST, BARNABAS CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE DECEMBER 1 and 2

Can you believe it—we just finished our Fall Attic Sale and now it's time for the Christmas Boutique! So, please start thinking about how you can help. If you are looking to donate goods, we can use NEW gift items for the home or personal use and NEW children's toys and games. Other items that are in demand are jewelry, Christmas decorations, holiday clothing in very good condition, and items for entertaining that are also in very good condition. We don't need electronics or hardware for this sale. Lastly we need baked goods to sell. Only two people baked goods for the Fall Attic Sale, and we could have used more. Set up for the sale will start at 5 PM on November 26 and continue during the week. This is the Sunday and the week following Thanksgiving, so think of it as a way to burn off some of those calories you didn't mean to consume on the holiday! Donations for the sale should be brought to the church before November 26.

THE FALL ATTIC SALE, OCTOBER 27-28

The first day of our Fall Attic Sale was pretty quiet and everyone was concerned about the low turnout. However Saturday made up for everything and we made \$3400 from the sale (with some more payments still due to come in). We thank everyone who worked LIKE DOGS to make the sale a success and are happy to report that everyone is still alive! (Well almost.) We also thank Dunkin Donuts for contributing 100 donuts which kept the Boy Scouts stoked while they helped set up the back room.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- November 2: Vestry Meeting
- November 17: Midnight Run
- November 19: Interfaith Thanksgiving Service, South Presbyterian Church.
- November 26: set-up for Christmas Boutique
- December 1&2: Christmas Boutique