



Calendar of Events

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Bring food for Bread+Belonging Campus Ministry Tuesday Suppers

Dear Friends.

This week you'll see some changes with this email. We plan to shift to every other Monday, and the top will include the calendar during that time, with links to more information as appropriate. Every Friday we will still send an email with the information about Sunday worship.

For this coming Sunday, if you plan to access the Visioning Meeting with Trestle Strategy Group, the links for that will be in the Friday email on October 7. We're looking forward to seeing you at that meeting.

We try to balance how many emails we send with the desire to have information accessible and available. If you have comments, please let us know (you can always reply to this email.

Faithfully, M. Mary Kate Rejouis+

- Thursday-Friday, October 5-7 Diocesan Convention in Grand Junction.
- Sunday, October 8, 2023 Congregational Meeting with Trestle Strategy after 10am church
- Tuesday, October 10 and 17, 7-8:15pm First Session of The Art of Gathering (see below)
- Sunday, October 15 Gospel Music Sunday with Eric Smith

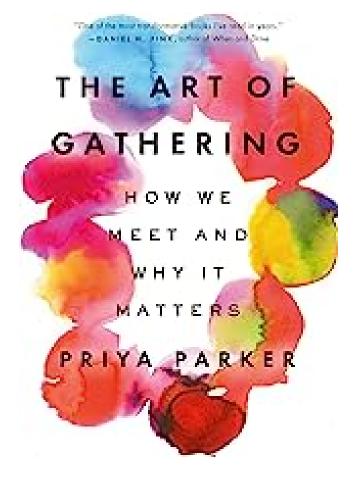
The Art of Gathering—A Study together

Beginning on Tuesday, October 10 from 7pm to 8:15pm you're invited to come join a study of The Art of Gathering, by Priya Parker.

Start at 7pm with Compline with the B+B Community in the Chapel at 7pm and plan to stay until 8:15pm. All ages are welcome--if you need nursery care, let me know and we'll have it staffed.

If you don't have time to read the book, or haven't started it yet, this podcast with Brene Brown and Priya Parker (60 minutes) is a good start.

The first section of this will be offered Tuesdays October 10 and 17 and November 7.



136th Annual Convention October 5-7 in Grand Junction: CALLED

Our diocesan annual convention is our opportunity to gather to accomplish the canonically required work of the church as well as find inspiration in our journey with God and each other. We will gather and pray together as we face our current realities and lean into our shared future in leading our diocese. We are called to gather together, as Christ's body, to worship God, serve in Christ's name, and invite one another more deeply into our baptismal ministry. Through our transformation of mind, heart, and action, we go into the world to share Good News of God's love.

St. Aidan's delegates this year are Mother Mary Kate Rejouis, and lay delegates Kandace Einbeck and Nancy Jordan. They will go to Grand Junction for the in-person Convention. Also attending from St. Aidan's are Bal Patterson, Front Range Regions Missioner and Donna Colville, member of the Standing Committee.

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Free COVID Tests

Starting today, households may now order free tests again--use the website www.covidtests.gov. A reminder to pay attention to community care as we enter flu and cold season, that if you feel sick or have symptoms of a cold or flu, please be careful and stay home.

Sign up for our biggest fundraiser--volunteers needed!

For three more weekends in the fall we host CU Football fans as they tailgate and then attend each game. There is a sign-up sheet in the Gingy Pat Hall - please join us if you can! The next home game is FRIDAY, October 13 with an 8pm kickoff--volunteers needed from 3pm on. Contact Bal Patterson:

720 938-5250 or by email.

St. Aidan's Parishioner and CU Professor Sarah Sokhey is offering a weekly series on Ukraine--all are welcome to join and learn.

CIVIL SOCIETY & UKRAINIAN RESILIENCE



WEEKLY SERIES ON UKRAINIAN EXPERIENCES AND WORK DURING WARTIME

FRIDAYS, 10-11AM EST

<u>SEPTEMBER 29-NOVEMBER 3</u>

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St. Aidan's Writing Group

This group and others in the Parish submit their writing and share with our congregation. This group has been meeting together for more than two years now. Curious? Email Paul Voakes for information.

• Make new friends by Marty Coffin Evans



St. Aidan's Book Group on Wednesdays

This group meets by Zoom Video on Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 am. All are welcome, friends and neighbors too! The reading schedule is on the church

Monday Night Prayer at 7pm by Zoom

The Healing Team invites you to a quiet time of praying silently and voicing the requested prayers of our community. The prayer room is also open for individual, calendar.

We are currently reading "Look Homeward, Angel," by Thomas Wolfe

If you are interested and are not currently receiving book group emails, please email Jim Paine to receive the weekly Zoom meeting ID and password, and other information about the schedule and readings (and for any questions).

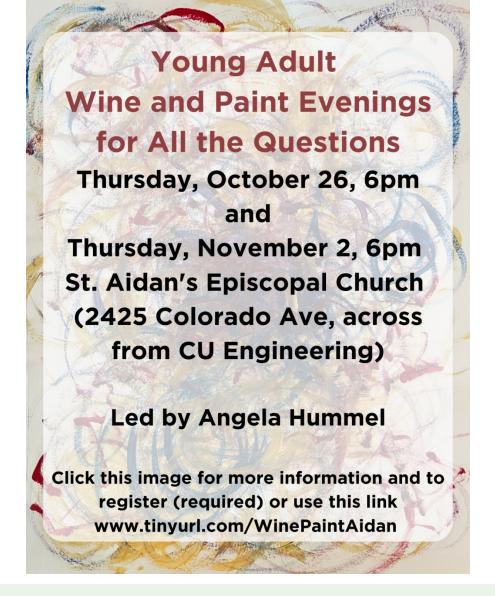
confidential prayer. http://www.tinyurl.com/aidanmeet1



Coming in the next few weeks......

NAACP Continuing Community Conversation around <u>The Sum of Us by Heather Mcghee</u>

Interested in joining a community conversation about racism and anti-racism work in Boulder County? See here for more details on an event taking place at Pine Street) in Boulder on Saturday, October 28th from 2-5pm. Sponsored by the Religious Affairs Committee of Boulder County's NAACP.



Visioning & Discernment Update

The question before us is this: what is God calling St. Aidan's to be, to do, and to look like 75 years from now?

Our Partnerships Team has been quiet over the summer, as we pause to work closely with <u>Trestle Strategy Group</u> for our property analysis and program study.

It is time for our gathering on Sunday, October 8 after 10am church with Danica Powell and Marine Siohan of the Trestle Strategy Group. This will be one of the primary congregational opportunities to hear an update on the property analysis and also share ideas for our needs over the next decades.

Questions? Email Committee Co-Chairs <u>Bal Patterson</u> or <u>Pam Greene</u> or <u>Senior Warden</u> <u>Paul Voakes</u>.

Worshipping Christ, and shining His light to CU, Boulder, and the world.

Commended to our Prayers

Prayers for Healthcare Workers & those working at high risk jobs: Danielle and Grant Muller, nurses at Denver hospitals, Cameron Muller, first responder and EMT for Denver Metro fire station, Michelle, Mike Murphy, Mike Greenwood, Edith Presler, Jen Watkins, Dowell Williams, Ryan, Marty Gilkey, Caitlin Fischer, teachers, those who work in schools, and caregivers in day care centers.

For our CU Campus, and especially the Bread+Belonging community and the LCM Board during this time of transition.

For the Long-term Recovery of Boulder County and surrounding areas after the Marshall Fire.

For those in need of bodily healing: Roy Faverty, Kay Gibson, Troyanne Thigpen, Bob Moore, Dowell Williams, Ruth, Lou Patterson, Mike Metzdorff, Greg Smith, Pat Galvin, David Huff, Kelly Boyer and family, Nancy Costello, Kevin Costello.

For those seeking God's guidance and strength all who seek employment, Patrick Costello and family, Diane Hayes, Luke, Barb Williams, Travis, Jonathan Nelson, Barbara Metzdorff, Heidi, Derek and Lauren Huff, Tyler, Jack, Jennie, Christianne.

For those in need of prayers for our mission abroad: Richard and Catherine Ranger, former parishioners of St. Aidan's, are missionaries with SAMS, (Society of Anglican Missionaries and Senders) and serve Uganda Christian University (UCU).

For those who serve in the US Military, especially: Parker Rost (Marine Corps), Commander Michael Stengel, for soldiers deploying and their chaplains and families.

For those who have died: Richard Hunter, William Borman, Harmony.

For those celebrating birthdays: Barb Williams (10/1), Laura Menard (10/1), Anna Sophia Wolniewicz (10/2)

> Take Faith Home Proper 21 Sunday October 1, 2023

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