



## **Calendar of Events**

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A word from Seminarian Intern Amanda Barker

This past year has truly been a formative year for me at St. Aidan's! Thank you for welcoming me as your Seminarian Intern and seeing me through my activities and experiences. I was able to preach several times and was



involved in liturgical planning throughout the year. I taught and facilitated adult formation using Kate Bowler's Bless the Lent We Actually Had. I was honored to attend the partnership team and Vestry meetings. Our centering prayer group was a weekly anchor for me to study scripture and sit in group prayer. These relationship-building experiences are exactly what I need as I prepare for ordination!

With some needed rest this summer, I will take classes, travel, and worship at St. John's Cathedral (my sending parish). I am attending the Episcopal Preaching Foundation's Preaching Excellence Program next week. I will return for a second internship year at St. Aidan's during my final year of seminary at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific.

I pray for you and your summer travels and plans. Thank you to all my friends at St. Aidan's.

## --Amanda Barker

Photo of Amanda's Lay Preaching Committee - Jackie Sturm, Carina Julig, Fran Zankowski, and Kim Keffeler. Deanne Stokes is not in this photo but has served on the committee.

P.S. (from MMK) Remember **if you can read another language**, let me know you can read the Gospel on the **Feast of Pentecost**, **Sunday**, **May 28 at 9:30am** worship (the first Summer Sunday Schedule). Send me an <u>email</u> to let me know what language you'll read, and look up <u>John 7:37-39</u> in your language and bring it with you or on your phone. It doesn't matter if you're fluent, rusty, or just starting out, let's hear the Gospel in many voices.--MMKR+

## Take Faith Home for 7 Easter May 21 2023

BREAD+BELONGING

Big Bon Voyage

LUTHERAN CAMPUS MINISTRY AND ST. AIDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

PLEASE BRING a salad and/or some delicious bread

# WE'LL PROVIDE

cheese and beverages

Please rsvp by May 21 to office@saintaidans.org

# TUESDAY MAY 23 5-7PM

Come celebrate Pastor Zach Parris and Megan Fry and their many years of ministry among us!

# DOCUMENT SHREDDING AVAILABLE!

## Available until May 25

- Containers in Meeting Room B
- Please insert documents into containers (do
- not leave full boxes of documents) Please take boxes with you or out to the
- recycling dumpster next to the trash If the containers are full, we will swap them out-
- -please let us know (click this image to email).

Suggested donation \$10 Leave in office or in the offering plate on Sunday MURIEL SIBELL WOLLE GALLERY AT ST. AIDAN'S PRESENTS

## SEEING DEEPLY

## PORTRAITS AND LANDSCAPES BY PADMA WICK

## MAY 22 THROUGH JUNE 2023

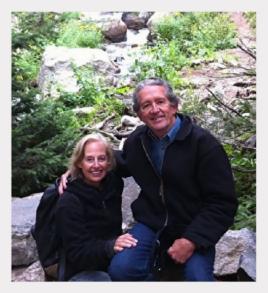
### ARTIST STATEMENT

"I DRAW AND PAINT FOR THE JOY OF LOSING MYSELF IN A CREATIVE PROCESS AND EXPRESSING THE BEAUTY I SEE WHENEVER I OBSERVE SOMETHING CLOSELY. FREQUENT VISITS TO THE CALIFORNIA COAST, HIKES IN COLORADO AND UTAH, AND OTHER TRAVELS BECOME SUBJECTS FOR MY WORK. THE LOVE OF MY FAMILY, THE EPHEMERAL NATURE OF MY GRANDCHILDREN'S EARLY YEARS HAVE INSPIRED DRAWINGS AND PAINTINGS. I ESPECIALLY LOVE PORTRAIT PAINTING BECAUSE IT ALLOWS ME TO SEE AND DEEPLY UNDERSTAND MY SUBJECT. THE CONSTANT IN MY PROCESS HAS BEEN THIS FASCINATION WITH THE WORLD I SEE. AND THE OPPORTUNITY THAT ART PROVIDES FOR UNDERSTANDING AND PARTICIPATING DEEPLY IN THAT WORLD."

### ABOUT THE ARTIST

PADMA WICK LIVES IN LONGMONT, COLORADO WITH HER HUSBAND, SHE ENJOYS GARDENING, HER FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND NATURE, HER LIFELONG PRACTICE OF INTEGRAL YOGA AND ZEN PERMEATES ALL ASPECTS OF HER LIFE.

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## Coming soon at St. Aidan's

# St. Aidan's Visioning and Partnerships

What we've done in a year
What's coming next
How you can be a part of our future

Sunday, June 4

after 9:30 Worship

ST. AIDAN'S IS STARTING SOMETHING NEW....

# Whatever Night Live

6pm EAT + 6:30pm FORMATION + 7:15pm PRAYER

Nursery Available

## NEXT GATHERING: Thursday, June 8 6pm

A mid-week chance to gather with your church community. Formation may include Bible Study, conversation about a podcast, or a book.

Bring something to share and eat!



# Vacation Bible School

July 10-14, from 9am to noon

St Johns Episcopal Church, 1419 Pine Street, Boulder

Ages

5 - II

Children will be peacemakers for the week; making new friends, learning new songs, exploring STEM activities, creating art and meeting peacemakers from the bible!

For more info and registrations please visit: stjohnsboulder.org



### **Creation Care**

In September you spoke with your heart and star stickers that Care for Creation is a top priority at St Aidan's. Now we need specific ways to save energy, or to reduce waste, or to care for our surroundings, or to reverence nature or . . . Find the slips of paper on the tables in the parish hall. Write down your idea. Post it on the bulletin board with the pledge.

Thank you for caring. Thank you for participating.

## 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 <u>Paul</u> <u>Voakes</u> for information.



- The Axe by Paul Voakes
- <u>To commit, or not</u> by Marty Coffin Evans
- Say What? by Paul Voakes

## St. Aidan's Book Club

This group meets by Zoom Video on Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 am. All are welcome, friends and neighbors too! We are reading The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald.

If you are interested and are not currently receiving book group emails, please email **Jim Paine** at to receive the weekly Zoom meeting ID and password, and other information about the schedule and readings (and for any questions). The schedule is also on the church <u>calendar</u>.

## 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, confidential prayer.





## Visioning & Discernment Update

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

The **Partnerships Team** is transitioning now to beginning outreach to potential partners of various kinds, from ministry and program partners to development and financial partners. Watch for an update sometime in late spring and early summer. Questions? Email

Committee Co-Chairs Bal Patterson or Pam Greene or Senior Warden Paul Voakes.

Resources previously shared:

- <u>Resurrection Episcopal Church, Arlington</u>
- Arlington Presbyterian Church.
- Pres House, at the University of Madison, Wisconsin and here
- St. Clare's Episcopal Church, Ann Arbor, Michigan (an interfaith partnership)
- St. John's Cathedral in Denver planning forward
- A congregation in Seattle gave to the community for affordable housing.
- Golden Community Commons, connected to Calvary Episcopal Church, Golden
- A Brooklyn, NYC 10.5 acre urban village
- Little Rock, Arkansas, Vine and Village a faith-public-private-non-profit-partnership
- Large-scale urban visioning in Denver
- A Capitol Hill church in Denver that wants to build affordable housing
- In the Episcopal Diocese of Newark (NJ), the <u>Cathedral</u>, and the <u>Office of the</u> <u>Bishop</u> are changing.
- What is the future for houses of worship across the country? Read about the Congress for New Urbanism in this <u>article</u>.
- What to consider when considering your property . . . an<u>article</u> from another denomination.

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

## Make a Pledge Commitment to St. Aidan's for 2023

## 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, Pastor Zach, Hannah and Zelma and the LCM Board during a 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, James Gregory Brown, Joanna, Dowell Williams, Ruth.

For those seeking God's guidance and strength all who seek employment, Patrick Costello and family, Diane Hayes, Luke, Barb Williams, Travis.

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: Edgar Smith, Margaret (Peggy) Lewis.

For those celebrating birthdays: Dowell Williams (5/22), Barbara Voakes (5/24), Melanie Sokhey (5/26)

Ordinary Time Summer Schedule

8am Zoom Morning Prayer\* 9:30am Holy Eucharist with Music \*livestreamed to YouTube

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