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Greetings!

Here's what's happening @ StB's!

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**WORSHIP @ StB's**



**First Sunday after Easter**

April 12, 2026

8:00 am - Holy Eucharist Rite I  
10:00 am - Holy Eucharist Rite II  
11:00 am - Social Hour in the Parish House

*The Rev. David M. Rider, Preacher*

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## Faithful Reflections

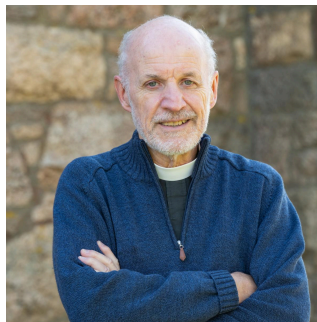
Welcome to the Fifty Days of Easter! Thanks again to all who attended and supported our many liturgies during Holy Week and Easter. A lot happened in one week. I love the fact that we call this coming Sunday the Second Sunday of Easter, not the first Sunday after Easter. This simple prepositional difference reminds us that we live into resurrection joy for an extended time. It's not one and done. In the coming weeks, we will reflect on what it means to be a resurrection people in a turbulent world.

To begin this exploration, this week's 9:00 Sunday Forum explores the resurrection witnesses from Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. Did they express a common vision, or do their nuanced differences shed light on emerging debates within the Early Church—debates with repercussions to this very day? Trivia question: in total, how many Jesus resurrection stories do we find in the New Testament? Extra credit question: Besides Jesus, how many other resurrections are included in the New Testament? Join us as we answer, once and for all in 45 minutes, what resurrection means.

As we live into the Easter season, I invite you to join our Tuesday 4:00 contemplative prayer service in our chapel. Whether you attended in Lent or are a first-time member, Rev. Perry will make you feel at home in serene community and solitude.

I bid you God's blessings this Easter season and coming Spring!

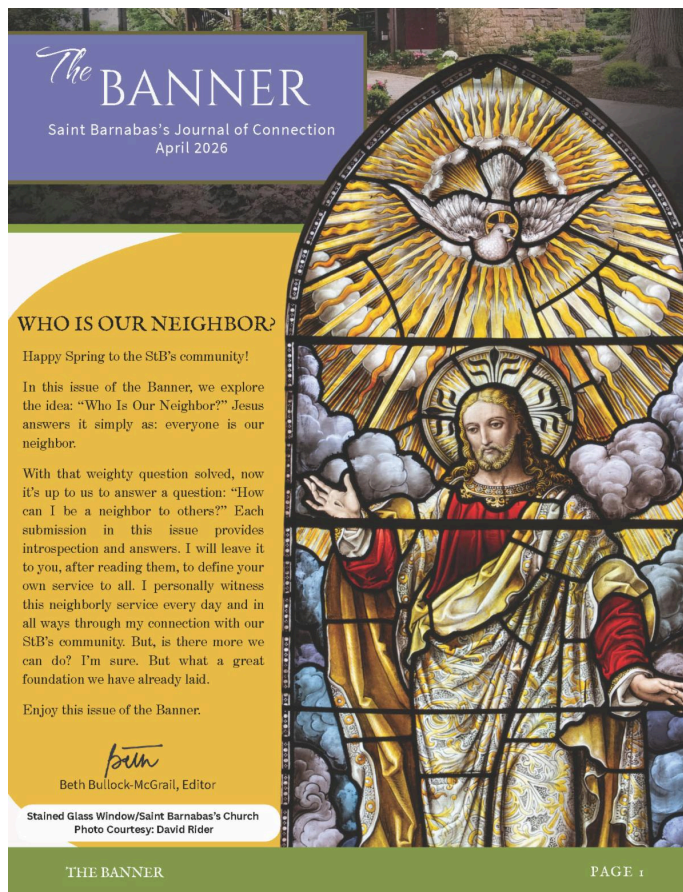
--David



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**IN OUR PARISH**

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## The Banner - April 2026

Highfield Hall opens a 3-month exhibit entitled

### "The Parish of Saint Barnabas: The Beebes' Gift to Falmouth."



An extended collaboration between our archives' team volunteers and Highfield Hall selected iconic church items to tell an inspiring story of one family's foundational generosity to our parish and town. Enjoy the exhibit which will end May 5th at Highfield Hall.



Prayer Shawl meeting will be held on April 13th



4/12 - Noah Schmidt  
4/15 - Ann Worthington  
4/15 - Anne Wood  
4/18 - Lynne Morse



Happy Anniversary!

## EVENTS @ STB'S


[Click here to Visit our Calendar](#)



**"You shall not oppress the stranger"**

—*Exodus 23:9*

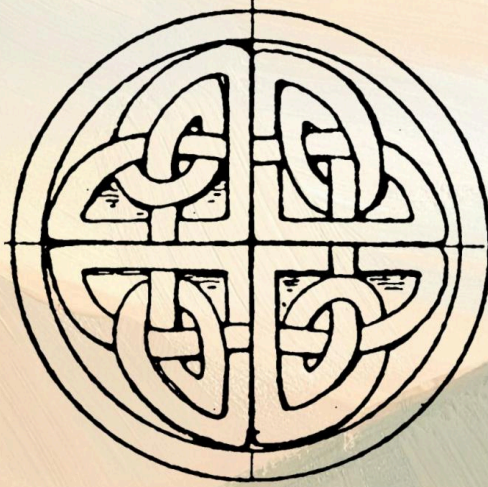


 The Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts and St. Barnabas Episcopal Church affirm the inherent dignity and rights of all **immigrants and asylum seekers.**

SAINT BARNABAS'S CHURCH

# Celtic Vespers

May 17, 2026 @ 5pm



Music featuring:  
Nancy Hurrell, Celtic harp  
Deborah Gemma, organ and piano  
Saint Barnabas's Church Choir

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**COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS**

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Falmouth Jewish  
CONGREGATION



## A Free, JBC Virtual Author Talk on the Holocaust Memoir *Cold Crematorium: Reporting From the Land of Auschwitz*

**Sunday, April 12 at 7 P.M. on Zoom**



Register for Zoom at [www.falmouthjewish.org](http://www.falmouthjewish.org)

In observance of *Yom HaShoah*, Holocaust Remembrance Day, Falmouth Jewish Congregation hosts this free, public, virtual talk about this acclaimed, recently-translated and powerful memoir. The author's nephew presents on *Cold Crematorium*, a New York Times top 10 book of 2024.



The Falmouth Climate Action Network Presents:

**"CLIMATE VOICES"**

A RIGHTS OF NATURE DOCUMENTARY FILM & TALK WITH LESLIE JONAS

Indigenous Land and Water Conservationist, Member of the Elder Eel Clan of the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe, and Founding Board Member of The Native Land Conservancy.

IN CELEBRATION OF EARTH DAY  
APRIL 22, 2026, AT 6:00 P.M.

WAQUOIT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
15 PARSONS LANE, RT. 28 EAST FALMOUTH

RSVP TO:  
FALMOUTHCAN@GMAIL.COM

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Climate Voices  
a documentary produced and directed by Leslie Jonas

FalCANe  
Falmouth Climate Action Network

FalCAN's Mission:  
To initiate and collaborate in activities that our community can take in response to the climate emergency—through education, sharing of best practices, and advocacy of impactful policies.

Waqoit Congregational Church Presents Movies That Matter...

## A-Lien and Stranger At The Gate

Two free Oscar-nominated short films on immigration and hate. Community discussion follows.

**Saturday, April 25 • 4 PM**



Sandy Faiman-Silva of the Falmouth Immigrant Rights Coalition leads the community discussion after the films.

**FREE and open to the public.**  
Popcorn and cold drinks provided.

### Waqoit Congregational Church

15 Parson's Ln., East Falmouth • 508-548-5269



Mass Cultural Council

Movies That Matter: Supported by MASS Cultural Council & Falmouth Cultural Council



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We are always happy to accept  
baby diapers (sizes 1, 4, 5 & 6) &  
Ensure/Boost.

*Thank You*

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611 Gifford Street, Falmouth

Please contact us at 508-548-2794 with questions.

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The clergy are available for routine and emergency pastoral care. Rev. David may be contacted via e-mail at; [David@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:David@stbfalmouth.org) through the Church Office (508-548-3863) or on his personal mobile phone 917-288-0187. Hospitals and other care facilities do not notify us. So, we rely on your family or you to let us know when you are in need of pastoral care.

Please contact [Becky Vaus](#) in the Parish Office, 508-548-3863 to request care for yourself or another. She can also place your name on the list of people who receive prayers during our worship services and/or give your name to a group of people who will pray for you confidentially.

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