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Greetings!

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

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## **WORSHIP @ StB's**



### **The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany**

Sunday, February 8, 2026

8:00 am - Holy Eucharist Rite I

9:00 am - Sunday Forum in the Parish House

10:00 am - Holy Eucharist Rite II

11:00 am - Social Hour in the Parish House

*The Rev. David M. Rider*

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### **Faithful Reflections**

Tonight at 7:00, we begin our first of four Identifying our Vocational Identity Discussions that were delayed because of winter weather. Two sessions will be online only, and two will be in person.

Our goal is to share visions, listen carefully to others, and articulate our evolving vocational identity as a parish. As discussions conclude, each table (or virtual table) will rank-order the **five scenarios** in terms of what best fosters our future thriving. Think of this exercise as a temperature check, not a binding vote. Join one or more of the discussions as you wish. Here the dates and times:

**Thursday, Feb 5, at 7:00 PM via Zoom**

Saturday, Feb 7, at 10:00 in the Great Hall

**Monday, Feb 9, at 7:00 PM via Zoom**

Wednesday, Feb 11, at 1:00 in the Great Hall

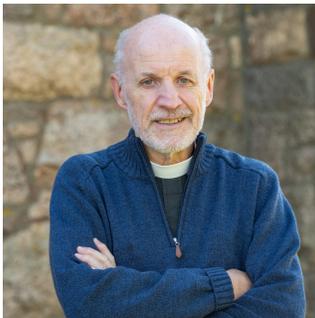
After two Sundays disrupted by weather, it looks like we can enjoy a normal schedule of worship, forum and social hour. Thank God for small mercies.

This week's Sunday Forum looks ahead to Lent 2026. We'll discuss the original purpose of Lent and highlight the spiritual practice of a contemplative prayer group that begins in our refurbished chapel on Tuesday, February 24 at 4:00 PM. Come with your questions about the role of silence in community as a way to connect more deeply with God's presence amid a turbulent world, our February 15 Forum will be an Open House in our refurbished chapel.

Speaking of Lent, Ash Wednesday happens on February 18. We will celebrate the Eucharist with the imposition of ashes at 8:00 AM (chapel), 12:15 PM (chapel), and 6:00 PM (church). More details next week.

Our Wednesday study group continues to meet from 10:00-12:00 noon in the parish house. Our next session addresses the Anabaptist Movement (sometimes called the Radical Reformation). Join us when you can, or review the class notes found on our website under Parish Life-Learning at StB's.

--David



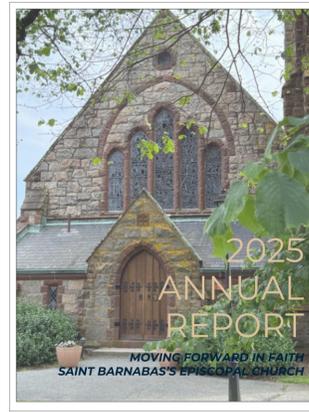
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**IN OUR PARISH**

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The 2025 Annual Report is available only by digital copy this year.

**[2025 Annual Report](#)**



2/8 - Henry Fralix  
2/8 - Judith Danzey



2/10 - Mel & Angela Schroeder

## **EVENTS @ STB'S**

**[Click here to Visit our Calendar](#)**

# Clarifying our Vocational Identity

Group Discussions

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via Zoom**

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in the Great Hall**

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Participants may attend more than one discussion  
There will not be any hybrid discussions available

[\*Click here for the Thursday Zoom meeting\*](#)

[\*Click here for the Monday Zoom meeting\*](#)

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LENTEN  
CONTEMPLATIVE  
PRAYER

Tuesdays during Lent  
starting  
February 24  
at 4:00 PM  
All Saint's Chapel

Hosted by  
Rev. Perry Perine

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Saint Barnabas's Church

# SUNDAY FORUM

*February 2026*

**FEB  
8**

**Lent 2026 Preview**

9:00 AM  
Parish House

**FEB  
15**

**All Saints Chapel Open House**

9:00 AM  
All Saints Chapel

**FEB  
22**

**Social Justice & Immigration Update**

9:00 AM  
Parish House



For more details and updates about these events, please visit our website [www.stbfalmouth.org](http://www.stbfalmouth.org)

SAINT BARNABAS'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

WEDNESDAY STUDY GROUP

## THE CATHOLIC AND PROTESTANT ROOTS OF ANGLICANISM

WEDNESDAYS, JANUARY 7 - MARCH 25  
10AM - PARISH HOUSE

**The 16th-century Protestant Reformation unleashed creative and destructive forces that changed the character of Europe and indelibly shaped the DNA of American identity. Human and divine agency, conformity and rebellion, the balance of sacraments and scripture in worship, and the role of church in society all were up for grabs. Amid this spiritual cauldron, Anglicanism took shape as a middle way amid warring factions with a positive embrace of human reason and conscience. We will explore the impact of the Reformation on our families of origin, Saint Barnabas's Church, and modern American culture.**



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**COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS**

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*Black History Month Special Presentation*  
**Fighting on Two Fronts:  
Racism on Cape Cod During WWII**

A joint presentation by the  
**Cape Cod Military Museum** and the  
**Cape Cod Cape Verdean Museum & Cultural Center**

Join us for an engaging evening of history, storytelling, and rare materials exploring the experiences of Black soldiers across past conflicts.

Featuring insights from **Joe Yukna** (Cape Cod Military Museum) and **Barbara Burgo** (Cape Verdean Museum & Cultural Center), producer of the FCTV documentary *A Legacy of Service*.



**Wednesday, February 11, 2026 5:30–7:30 PM**

(Doors open at 5:00 PM)

FCTV - 310E Dillingham Ave., Falmouth  
508.457.0800 [www.fctv.org](http://www.fctv.org)

**Admission is free**

*Reservations necessary.*

Scan QR Code or go to  
[www.fctv.org/ww2/](http://www.fctv.org/ww2/)



# ORGAN CONCERT

*Sunday, February 15th*

*2:00 pm*

**First Parish Brewster UU**



*Featuring the last surviving Holbrook organ with music from the last 325 years performed by four distinguished Cape organists: Deborah Gemma, Marcia Hempel, Richard Busch, Jeff Cutts*

**Tickets:** Suggested \$20 donation at the door.



First Parish Brewster UU, 1969 Main Street,  
Building community for 325 years, 1700-2025

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## **RESCHEDULED SOUP-ER BOWL**

### **A Soup & Bread Lunch to Benefit the Falmouth Service Center**



*Enjoy hot soups and  
bread, and an auction of  
beautiful bowls by local  
artisans.*

**NEW DATE: SUN., FEB. 22, 12:00–1:30PM**

**AT FALMOUTH JEWISH CONGREGATION, 7 HATCHVILLE RD., E. FALMOUTH**

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**ADVANCE RESERVATION REQUIRED  
BY E-MAILING [FJCOFFICE@COMCAST.NET](mailto:FJCOFFICE@COMCAST.NET)**

**Suggested donation:  
\$10 adults, \$5 children 12 & under  
(cash or check, payable at the door)**

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**Waquoit Congregational  
Church**

Falmouth's SWAC and St. Barnabas's Church

SATURDAY

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FEBRUARY



FROM  
10 AM TO 1PM



Great Hall  
St. Barnabas's  
Church

# WINTER FIX IT CLINIC

Reserve a  
SPACE at:



OR Click  
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And  
Tell us **What**  
you want to  
Fix

Sewing machines, small furniture and electrical appliances,  
lamps, some jewelry, repair clothing and sharpen knives



Join us for our 1st Annual  
1.5 mile Walk and Event Reception

## Walking Towards Home

Saturday, February 28, 2026  
11am

SIGN UP TODAY!  
**\$30**



Scan to Register  
or for more information  
on how to Sponsor  
a participant.

The event will begin and end at  
The First Congregational Church of Falmouth  
68 Main Street, Falmouth



Belonging to Each Other supports our Falmouth neighbors experiencing homelessness in their transition to stable housing by providing temporary cold-weather housing and year-round compassionate, supportive services. All proceeds will be retained by BTEO as a donation in support of our local mission.

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## Parish Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday, 10am - 3pm

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Website: [www.stbfalmouth.org](http://www.stbfalmouth.org)

**Elaine Bruno**, Finance Administrator ([elaine@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:elaine@stbfalmouth.org))

**Doug Fantarella**, Sexton/Property Manager ([doug@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:doug@stbfalmouth.org))

**Deborah Gemma**, Director of Music/Organist ([music@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:music@stbfalmouth.org))

**David Hinds**, Assistant Sexton

**The Rev. Everett (Perry) Perine**, Associate Priest ([perry@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:perry@stbfalmouth.org))

**The Rev. David M. Rider**, Interim Priest ([david@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:david@stbfalmouth.org))

**Becky Vaus**, Parish Administrator ([becky@stbfalmouth.org](mailto:becky@stbfalmouth.org))

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Falmouth, MA 02541

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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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