



St. Boniface
Episcopal Church

SAINT BONIFACE REFLECTION

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All the GOOD News That Is Fit to Print



providing resources for marginalized groups, to advocacy for children's education and women's needs. All sixteen have been grant award recipients from our Grants and Outreach Ministry in the past two years. They were able to network with each other and with our congregation. The enthusiasm was palpable, boosting the morale of everyone -- and increasing our commitment to serve the community outside church campus.

In addition, there were some **35 ministries of St Boniface** who also had table displays that represented their work and offered opportunities for education, connection, and sign-ups.

Celebrating the Festival of Service Ministries !

On Sunday, January 21 (following the 10 am worship service), congregants and visitors streamed into the Community Center to participate in the Festival. A plethora of service opportunities greeted the crowd. Sixteen **non-profit community partners** anchored several table displays. These diverse service organizations exist to address unmet needs of our neighbors -- assisting with everything from alleviating food or housing insecurity, to



The Grants and Outreach team and the Hospitality team provided plenteous goodies and beverages. The choir even gave a "flash mob style" performance that barely pierced the crowd gab. Congrats to co-chairs **Kay Goodman** and **Prill Nugent** for their stewardship of this fabulous event. (More pic's on page 4.)

View from the Pew

A parishioner, randomly selected, is featured in this section each week. They are asked to answer a set of questions so that we get to know their "view" from their pew.

Featured this week is:

Reg Irvine

Questions asked include:

- Name:
- Where Do You Sit at St B?
- Why Have You Chosen That Seat?
- Do You Attend 8 am or 10 am? In-Person or On-line?
- What Is Your Favorite Hymn?
- What Is Your Favorite Part of Worship?
- What Is Your Favorite Holiday?
- Other Ministries or Interests at St B?
- Hometown Listed on Your St B Nametag.
- When Did You First Start Attending St B?
- Who First Made You Feel Welcomed at St B?
- Are You Seasonal or Year-Round?
- Are You Retired or Working?
- Name a Favorite Hobby?
- Do You Prefer Sitting on the Beach, the Lanai, or in a Tiki Bar?
- What Question Haven't We Asked That You Wish We Had?



I sit at a table in the back of the church (over behind the main section, on the choir side, near another little table where the holy offerings of bread and wine are placed). I sit here because I am at a computer doing the captions for streaming at the 10 am service.

My favorite hymn is Lift High the Cross. (Editor's Note: Reg previously has been part of the St Boniface choir.) My favorite part of the worship is the sermons and communion. Easter is my favorite festival.

I serve in many ways including Resurrection House, Men of Boniface, Friends of Music, and with Family Promise.

My hometown, listed on my nametag, is Kingston, Jamaica.

I started attending St Boniface in 2004 after moving here from Minneapolis, MN. I now live here year-round and am retired. My career was in sales at Nortel Networks.


One of my hobbies is tennis. And I prefer sitting on the lanai over the beach or a tiki bar.

If you had asked me what makes St Boniface a special place, I would have answered "the people"! Both members and clergy make this place great.

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View from the Pew (cont.): Reg Irvine



 Choir O for a closer walk C. V. Stanford

Editor's Additions: Reg is part of a tech team that helps the seamless streaming of our services. Reg's responsibility is to follow along with the worship and to upload "overlays." These are titles that appear at the bottom of the screen that give additional information to the home viewer -- things like the scripture references, the hymn and hymn number, the choral pieces (see example in the photo above), and even an opportunity on "how to give" during the offertory. All this information allows those at home to follow along with the service and to participate more fully. (By the way home viewers, have you sent in your 2024 pledge yet?)

We give thanks for Reg's ministry. His "view from the pew" is not only the back of all the folks sitting in the rows in front of him, he also gets to see the congregation as the camera sees them -- and as our "at home congregation" does. That is quite a view!



Weekly Services

Sunday Eucharist
8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

Tuesdays 10 a.m.
Holy Eucharist

Wednesdays 5:30 p.m.
Evening Prayer
(Eucharist first Wednesdays)

Thursdays 12 p.m.
Holy Eucharist Healing Service

Music Events

Saturday, Feb 3, 6 pm
Taize: Celebrating God's Rainbow Covenant
Christ the King Chapel

Friday, Feb 16, 8 pm
Saturday, Feb 17, 6 pm
Cabaret at St Boniface
"Fate Is Kind" featuring
Julie Reyburn & Mark Janas
Dinner & Show, \$40

Save the Date

Weekend of Feb 24 & 25
Saturday workshop on
"Discerning Spiritual Gifts"
and Sunday presentation on
"Servant Leadership" by guest
preacher The Rev Frank Allen

(Fr. Allen is the recently
retired rector of St David's,
Radnor, PA)

More Pictures ... Pictures ... Pictures

