

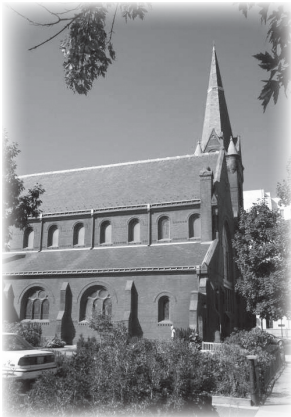
## *Got ideas? Talk to the Parish Life Coordinators!*

### **NOTE**

We are most willing to assist parishioners in finding others who share their interests. Contact the Chair if you are interested in forming a group.

## *Job Openings*

- ◆ Ad Hoc Committee to Have More Fun
- ◆ Outsiders Group (biking, hiking, camping)



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### **Parish Life**



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Kristi Kubista-Hovis  
*Chair*

Rick Hayes  
*Vestry Liaison*

## *Welcome To St. Mark's!*

We joke about St. Mark's being "the church of perpetual activity," including what we call "Parish Life:" all those events and interest groups that draw us together as a community for fun or serious exchanges.

Please consider coordinating one of our events: it's a great way to get to know people and lose that newcomer feeling. If you have an interest that's missing from our list, please contact one of us. We would be delighted to work with you to make your idea a reality. Your idea may have even been done in the past and only needs a new coordinator to revive it.

If leading and organizing isn't your thing, please join us at a gathering or social event or join a group.

### **Current Opportunities**

**Note: The symbol for St. Mark is a winged lion. Hence our logo & the reference to "lion" in several items below.**

### **Communications**

Web Site Manager/Editor: *Kristen Hartke*, 202.543.0805  
Community Relations: *Rosemary Harold*, 202.548.2655  
E-Group Coordinator: *George Meng*, 301.855.7047  
Smart A's (volunteer receptionists at Baxter House):  
*Bob Ewald*, 202.546.6836

### **Ad hoc Committee to Have More Fun**

leaders are pro tempore  
Mardi Gras Dance—vacant  
Maundy Thursday Dinner—vacant  
Shrine Mont Comfort Team—vacant  
(housing, camping, and social events)  
4th of July Crab Feast  
College of Crustaceans (previously elected  
"crabs")

### **Pub of the Winged Lion**

A former rector visited an English church with its own pub and introduced it to St. Mark's. Originally in a small, unfinished basement room (read 'moldy'), it came into the light of the Parish Hall during the construction of our undercroft and is open each Sunday.

Coffee Hour Coordinators:

Greg Smith, 2g3m12cl2w@verizon.net  
(Volunteers bring food for the coffee hour following sermon seminar)

Pub Lunch Coordinators:

Linda Huntington, 301.279.2248,  
Rick Warfield, 202.321.3469  
(Financed through the purchase of cards.  
Cooks reimbursed up to \$140.)

Pub Steward: Rick Weber, 202.543.0805  
volunteers welcome

Brewmeisters of Winged Lion Lager: Rick Weber  
volunteers welcome

Pub Treasurer: Crane Miller

### **Activity/Interest Groups**

Bob Hahn Memorial Birdwatchers:

Gretchen Willson, 202.362.4417, Crane Miller  
Celluloid Lions (film group): Alicia Ruble,  
202.939.0541

Lambda Lions (gay/lesbian): Vacant

Third Agers (seniors):

Tiiu Kera 202.547.8295, Mimi Chesslin  
& Gretchen Willson

Men to Men: Vacant

Literary Lions (reading group):

Linda Ewald, 202.546.6836

Woman to Woman:

Marilu Sherer, 202.546.5628

Young Professionals: Laurel Kennedy, 301.525.7984,  
Scott Kubista-Hovis

Elders (retired Wardens & Christian Ed Directors):

Betsy Athey, Bruce Sherman

Historian/Archivist: Bert Cooper, 202.363-5351

Lichfield Cathedral (UK) Link: Doris Burton,  
410.798-7417

### **Caregivers**

This group assists the clergy in providing pastoral care to our Parishioners. They hold workshops on ways to provide sensitive, effective caregiving for new team members and interested parishioners. They respond to requests for help from parishioners or through the clergy. As needed, they coordinate volunteers who provide meals, transportation, or other temporary help in all geographical areas of our parish. If requested, they will inform the parish of need through the Sunday bulletin, prayer list, announcements at services, and/or the St. Mark's e-group. They also oversee the laying-on-of-hands ministry during communion on the 1st and 3rd Sundays each month. This is an ancient Christian tradition in which an individual seeks private prayer. While touching the person's head or shoulders, the lay server simply invokes God's healing power. This can be also be done on behalf of another person.  
Linda Ewald, coordinator, 202.546.6836