

NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE AND THE GREATER ANGLICAN COMMUNION

Bishop Hewett's schedule:

Pennsylvania, Phoenixville – Church of the Transfiguration, Episcopal Visit, November 6.

South Carolina, Landrum – St. Luke's, Episcopal Visit, November 13.

Pennsylvania, Collingdale – St. Patrick's, Episcopal Visit, December 4

Connecticut, Greenwich – Church of the Advent, Episcopal Visit, December 4

Meeting in Brockton, Massachusetts

From Virtueonline.org

Conservative Anglican Church leaders from all major jurisdictions throughout the world will gather in the Boston area for the World Consultation of Continuing Churches in preparation for a two day meeting on Church issues.

Archbishops and bishops, along with clergy and lay leaders will come together November 3rd and 4th in Brockton, Massachusetts at St. Paul's Anglican Church. Attendees include Church leaders from the Traditional Anglican Communion including the Churches of North and South America, India and South Africa. North American Church bodies include the Anglican Church in America, Anglican Province of America, Anglican Catholic Church, Anglican Diocese of the Holy Cross, as well as leaders from other jurisdictions. The meeting will focus on the first 35 years of the conservative Anglican Church, current issues including relations with the Roman Catholic Church and the future for the growing conservative churches.

Conservative Anglicans parted ways with the Anglican Communion in the late 1970's and continued in the historic faith and practice of the historic church. Anglicanism is the third branch of catholic Christianity and has the third largest Christian following after the Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox Churches. Of the 90 million worldwide Anglicans, approximately 20% belong to conservative jurisdictions, which has seen significant growth in the last several years.

The events are sponsored by the Anglican Church in America and the International Anglican Fellowship, an Anglican missionary organization, in concert with the annual Festival of Faith hosted by St. Paul's Anglican Parish in Brockton. The worldwide Traditional Anglican Communion has members in 44 countries and like other conservative Anglicans, seeks to uphold the Catholic Faith, Apostolic Order, Orthodox Worship and Evangelical Witness of the Anglican tradition within the One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ. The Communion upholds the traditional Anglican faith and worship, holds Holy Scripture and the ancient Creeds of the Undivided Church as authentic and authoritative, and maintains the traditional Liturgies of the Church.

The highlight of the seminar will be a Mass according to the traditional rites of the Anglican Church on Friday November 4th at 11:00 AM with all of the Church leaders participating. Seminar topics include perspectives on the History of the Continuing Church, Theological Integrity, Ecumenism, the Future and the United Witness of the Continuing Church.

ALL SOULS' DAY

An Excerpt from The Anglican Breviary, Lesson V.

Remembrance of the departed, and prayers for them, are tokens of true affection. And since the faithful are moved thereto by filial piety, doubt not that this same remembrance and prayer is profitable unto everyone that so lived in this world, as to attain profit from such things after death... The duty of such prayers is taught us by the Church, which hath undertaken, as an obligation, to offer them for all the departed of the Christian and Catholic fellowship in a general commemoration without mention of names. By this observance, such departed souls as lack the assistance of parents or sons, or any kindred or friends whatsoever, may have such assistance afforded unto them by the one loving mother which is common to us all.

Family Anniversaries

Have we missed yours? Please tell us.

Birthdays

11/07-Virginia Gard,
mother of Janis Hunzicker

11/08-Bishop Pat
Patricia Watson
Dalila Wiley

11/11-Theodora Ogila Ochondo
11/12-Kerwin Lowe, son of Christine Gomes

11/13-Rose Reinagel
11/14-Maggie Zagrodsky,
Granddaughter of Hunzickers

11/16-Matthew Murphy
11/19-Anne Mingle

11/21-Jackson Peter Barr
11/22-Betty Murphy

11/28-Fr. Robert Bader
11/30-Roxi Cargill

Marriages

11/10-Cedric and Catherine Dupont Eisner
11/17-R. Harris and Hillary Howell
11/18-Connie and Maxfield McKenzie,
Daughter of Howells

Year's Mind

11/18-William Visser
11/24-Dorothy Czigan, friend of St. Peter's

Baptisms

11/14-Andrew Hunzicker

Confirmations

Other