



Saint Mark's Episcopal Church

A LION'S SHARE

January 17, 2026



*Men's Breakfast Group gathering on Saturday,
January 10th at the Peconic Eatery in Riverhead.*



ST. PAUL

AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL ZION CHURCH

Founded 1916

39 Montauk Highway Quogue, New York 11959

The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Annual Commemorative ~Ecumenical Virtual Service

January 19, 2026 3 p.m.

Sponsored by the Hamptons Interfaith Council



Meeting Information: ID #289-723-7617

Password QUOGUE all caps

Dial In- 1-929-205-6099 passcode: 734666

Rev. Gale Williams, Pastor

Rev. Keith I. Harris, Presiding Elder

Mrs. Laurennna H. Crenshaw, Missionary Supervisor

The Right Reverend George D. Crenshaw

Presiding Prelate Northeastern Episcopal Area

The Westhampton Rotary Club
presents

Spaghetti Dinner



January 25
1:00pm - 7:00pm

Adults: \$ 30

Kids 12 and under: \$ 20
(Dine-In or Takeout)

Baby Moon Restaurant
238 Montauk Highway
Westhampton Beach

TICKETS SOLD AT:

Palmer & Purchase | Lynn's Cards & Gifts
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THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, 01/19

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, 01/20

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6:30 p.m. Vestry Meeting via zoom

Wednesday, 01/21

7:30 p.m. Alanon Meeting - Atwater Room

7:30 p.m. Alateen Meeting - Parish Hall

Thursday, 01/22

10:00 a.m. Bible Study - Atwater Room

11:00 a.m. Mid-Week Healing Service with Holy Eucharist

12:30 p.m. Threshold Singers - Atwater Room

8:00 p.m. Compline via zoom

Friday, 01/23

10:00 a.m. Yoga - Parish Hall

Saturday, 01/24

9:00 - 1:00 Winter Market - Parish Hall

5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist in the Church

Sunday, 01/25

No Sunday School (Last Sunday of the Month)

9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist in the Church

10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall

SATURDAY, January 17, 5:00 p.m. Participants

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SUNDAY January 18, 9:30 a.m. Participants

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	59	
01/15 - Bible Class	9	
01/15 - Mid-Week Service	5	

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A SERVICE HONORING THE REV'D DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. will take place this Monday, January 19th at 3:00 p.m. via zoom. **Sign-in information:** ID #289-723-7617 **Password QUOGUE all caps Dial In- 1-929-205-6099 passcode: 734666.** This is being hosted by our sisters and brothers at St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church in Quogue in conjunction with the Hamptons Interfaith Association.

EPIPHANYTIDE BLESSING OF HOUSES - Please let Fr. Chris know if you would like to have him bless your house for 2026.

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Sunday, February 8 at 6:00 p.m. – Super Bowl Chili Cook-off in the Parish Hall**
- **Tuesday, February 17 from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. – Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper hosted by the men of the Parish**
- **Wednesday, February 18 "Ashes to Go" from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. and Holy Eucharist at 7:00 p.m.**

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Upcoming Dementia Programs



The Impact of Alzheimer's and Dementia in our Community

This program offers a comprehensive overview of Alzheimer's Disease and dementia, highlighting the profound impact dementia has on caregivers. Participants will gain valuable insights into the free support and resources available through the Alzheimer's Association, while also learning about preventative measures and early detection strategies to better manage and understand this challenging disease.

Building the Foundations of Caregiving

This program explores the role of caregiver and changes they may experience, building a support team and managing caregiver stress. Caring for someone living with dementia brings a unique set of challenges and rewards. With the right help and support, you can empower yourself to provide quality care while managing your own well-being.



Tuesday, February 3, 2026
7pm.



Via Zoom



Advanced registration required.
To register:
<https://forms.gle/BVrqdjtrZ73nw5Ut8>

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Tell Out My Soul

Bursting Forth: An Epiphany Reflection

Because of when Easter falls in 2025, we get all eight Sundays of Epiphany this year: Eight opportunities to read and learn how the spirit of the law, the new life that Jesus came to proclaim, spreads throughout the world. This Epiphany is all about the Truth being revealed. It is a Truth that not everyone welcomes the same way - when Jesus reveals the wisdom of the scrolls, or when he tells us we must love those who wish us harm - these are hard truths to accept. It's not all wedding wine and divine blessings in the Temple - Truth settles on each of us.

The thing about the Truth that Jesus brings is that it is so wonderful, so different, so transformative, that it needs to be shared. It can barely be contained. Our hearts, our mouths, our souls cannot hold back. "Tell out my soul," Mary sang to the Angel. It is as if to say, I have learned something so beautiful that I simply must share it, it is impossible to keep to myself.

The Epiphany asks much of us. It asks us to reflect on an internal moment of awareness, of spiritual awakening, and find the words and ways to share it with the world. As Christ is made manifest to the whole world, unbound by social convention, religious authority, or political geography, we too are called to seek the neighbor beyond our immediate vicinity to accompany, to teach, to love.

The theological mystery of the Epiphany calls us to have one foot in the spiritual, deeply personal realm of revelation and the other foot in the world, learning how to seek and serve those who most need our help. We learn about the movement of the Spirit through Jesus and are motivated into ministering with him to the outcast, the stranger, and to those who most need to feel the warmth and light of His love. TENS.org



Questions for Reflection:

What are some ways that ministering to others has helped you leave your comfort zone?



Cn. J. Davey Gerhard serves as Executive Director of TENS: The Episcopal Network for Stewardship and has a particular fondness for the season of light and love.



THE EPISCOPAL
NETWORK FOR
STEWARDSHIP

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Christmas 1A Holy Innocents 9:30am Christmas Lessons and Carols 10:30am Coffee Hour 1:00pm Parish Hall Event	29 Parish Office Closed	30 <i>Frances Joseph Gaudet, Educator and Prison Reformer, 1934</i> Parish office closed	31 New Year's Eve Parish Office Closed 7:30pm Alanon in the Atwater Room 7:30pm Alateen in the Parish Hall	1  New Year's Day Parish Office Closed	2 Parish Office Closed	3 9:00am Winter Market
4 [Elizabeth Seton, Vowed Religious and Educator, 1821] Christmas 2A 9:15am Sunday School 9:30am Holy Eucharist 10:30am Coffee Hour	5 [Sarah, Theodora, and Syncletica of Egypt, Desert Mothers, fourth-fifth century] Parish Office Closed	6 The Epiphany of our Lord Jesus Christ	7 7:30pm Alanon in the Atwater Room 7:30pm Alateen in the Parish Hall	8 <i>Harriet Bedell, Deaconess and Missionary, 1969</i> 10:00am Bible Study 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers 8:00pm Compline Zoom	9 <i>Julia Chester Emery, Lay Leader and Missionary, 1922</i> 10:00am Yoga	10 <i>William Laud, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1645</i> 9:00am Winter Market 5:00pm Holy Eucharist with Anointing & Prayers for Healing
11 Epiphany 1A 9:15am Sunday School 9:30am Holy Eucharist with Anointing & Prayers for Healing 10:30am Coffee Hour	12 <i>Aelred of Rievaulx, Monastic and Theologian, 1167</i> Parish Office Closed	13 <i>Hilary of Poitiers, Bishop, 367</i>	14 7:30pm Alanon in the Atwater Room 7:30pm Alateen in the Parish Hall	15 10:00am Bible Study 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers 8:00pm Compline Zoom	16 [Richard Meux Benson, Priest, and Charles Gore, Bishop, 1915 and 1932] 10:00am Yoga	17 <i>Antony of Egypt, Monastic</i> 9:00am Winter Market 5:00pm Holy Eucharist
18 Confession of St. Peter the Apostle Epiphany 2A 9:15am Sunday School 9:30am Holy Eucharist 10:30am Coffee Hour	19 Parish Office Closed <i>Wulstan of Worcester, Bishop, 1095</i>	20 <i>Fabian, Bishop and Martyr, 250</i> Parish Office is Closed 6:30pm Vestry Meeting	21 <i>Agnes [and Cecilia] of Rome, Martyrs, 304 [and c.230]</i> 7:30pm Alanon in the Atwater Room 7:30pm Alateen in the Parish Hall	22 <i>Vincent of Saragossa, Deacon and Martyr, 304</i> 10:00am Bible Study 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers 8:00pm Compline Zoom	23 <i>Phillips Brooks, Bishop, 1893</i> 10:00am Yoga	24 <i>Florence Li Tim-Oi, Priest, 1992</i> 9:00am Winter Market 5:00pm Holy Eucharist
25 Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle Epiphany 3A 9:30am Holy Eucharist 10:30am Coffee Hour	26 <i>Timothy and Titus, Companions of Saint Paul</i> Parish Office Closed	27 <i>John Chrysostom, Bishop and Theologian, 407</i>	28 <i>Thomas Aquinas, Friar and Theologian, 1274</i> 7:30pm Alanon in the Atwater Room 7:30pm Alateen in the Parish Hall	29 [Lili'uokalani of Hawai'i] 10:00am Bible Study 11:00am Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing 12:30pm Threshold Singers 8:00pm Compline Zoom	30 10:00am Yoga	31 [Marcella of Rome, Monastic and Scholar, 410] 9:00am Winter Market 5:00pm Holy Eucharist

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Tuesday to Friday—9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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Sat. 5:00 p.m.—Holy Eucharist
Sun. 9:30 a.m.—Holy Eucharist
(Livestreamed)

RÖDPAŽ GĘDĘ
11:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing

The Rt. Rev. Lawrence Provenzano
Bishop of Long Island

The Rt. Rev. Geralyn Wolf

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The Very Rev. Christopher D. Jubinski
Rector

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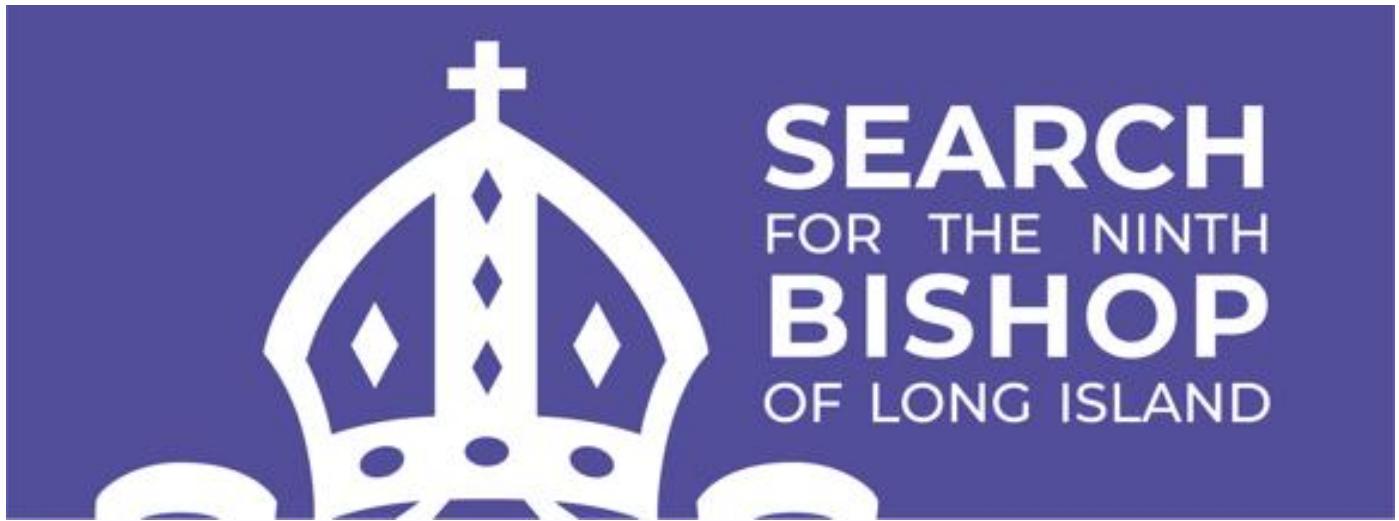
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Dear People of the Diocese of Long Island,

Welcome to the Bishop Transition Process!

The Diocese of Long Island continues to be engaged in a sacred and hopeful season of discernment as we prepare to call our ninth bishop. As the Search Committee completes its ministry and soon presents the final slate of candidates, the Transition Committee now begins its work of accompanying the diocese through every stage of what comes next. We are grateful for the many prayers, conversations, and faithful efforts that have brought us to this moment.

We undertake this ministry committed to prayer, transparency, integrity, and deep listening, trusting that God is present and active in the life of our diocese and in the voices of its people. Our hope is to serve the whole diocese with care and clarity as, together, we listen for where the Holy Spirit is leading.

In the months ahead, we invite clergy and parishioners across the diocese to learn about the candidates, participate in listening sessions and diocesan gatherings, and join together in prayer for the future of the Diocese of Long Island. This is a shared journey, and your engagement, questions, reflections, and prayers are an essential part of the discernment entrusted to us.

More information about coming events, resources, and ways to participate will be shared soon. We invite you to stay connected by regularly visiting www.dioceseli.org/bishopsearch, where updates and announcements will be posted as they become available.

Please continue to hold this process, the candidates, and our diocese in your prayers as we seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit together.

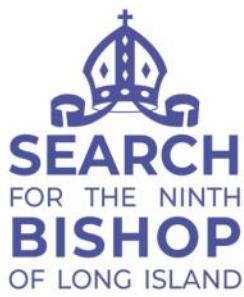
In Christ,

The Transition Committee for the Ninth Bishop of Long Island

To view this announcement on the website, [click here](#).

For more on the Search for the Ninth Bishop of Long Island, [click here](#).

TIMELINE



Bishop Provenzano Announces Resignation

DECEMBER 2024

Bishop Provenzano announces his intention to retire in September 2026.

JOC Calls for Committee Applications

MARCH - APRIL 2025

JOC requested applications for Search and Transition Committees. Application review and selection.

Search and Transition Committees Active

MAY - JUNE 2025

Beginning with a shared retreat, the committees are hard at work on communication, data collection, and profile creation plans.

Diocesan Profile Published, Application Opens

FALL 2025

A snapshot of our Diocese is available for potential applicants. Nomination and application period opens.

Slate Announced, Petition Period Opens

WINTER 2026

JOC announces slate of candidates. Petition process begins.

Electing Convention

SPRING 2026

Ninth Bishop elected at a special convention.



Joint Oversight Committee Active

JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2025

Members of the Standing Committee and Diocesan Council appointed to Joint Oversight Committee (JOC). JOC meets with the Presiding Bishop and Consultants for the process.

Announcement of Search and Transition Committees

MAY 2025

Committees and Co-Chairs announced to Diocese.

Listening Sessions and Survey Conducted

JULY - SEPT 2025

Your chance to make your voice heard! Survey link and listening session info will be available soon.

Application Period Ends, Discernment Begins

FALL 2025

Applicants are screened and interviewed by the search committee.

Meet and Greets with Candidates

SPRING 2026

Your opportunity to hear directly from the candidates through in-person events across the Diocese.

Ordination of Ninth Bishop

SEPTEMBER 2026

The Diocese gathers for the ordination of the Ninth Bishop of Long Island.



Winter Community Yoga Class Series

At Saint Mark's Church

Join yoga instructor Samantha Heckert in a 6 week yoga series designed to stretch, strengthen, and invigorate your body. Appropriate for beginners and longtime practitioners alike, we will aim to find confidence and ease in your individual practice. You will learn to work with any injuries or sensitivities you may have, go at a pace that feels right for you, and find peace and appreciation for what your body can do.

Fridays, January 9th - February 13th
10:00 am

Saint Mark's Episcopal Church in Westhampton Beach

\$15 Single Class
or
\$75 Full Six Week Series

Payable by Cash or Check day of class or Venmo @Samantha-Heckert-2 to pay in advance.

Email Sheckertyoga@gmail.com with any questions.



New York State Boaters Safety Course

Sat. Feb 7th 2026 • 9AM - 5PM

**** NYS REQUIRES ALL BOATERS & PERSONAL WATERCRAFT OPERATORS TO HAVE A BOATERS SAFETY CERTIFICATE ****

Westhampton Beach Fire Dept.
92 Sunset Ave.
Westhampton Beach, NY 11978

- Ages 10 or older
- Ages 10 - 17 are free
- Ages 18 & Over - \$10 NYS Parks Fee
- *All participants 12 & under must be accompanied by an adult*



Pre-Registration Is Required

For more information contact: myakaboski@whbpd.org



www.register-ed.com/events/view/239467



Rites of Passage

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On the Lighter Side...



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 **SAINT MARK'S**
EPISCOPAL CHURCH
WESTHAMPTON BEACH, NY

Parish Office Hours
T-F 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
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