

St. Barnabas

# Banner

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church • On the Village Green • Falmouth, Mass.

**October  
2006**

## Worship Schedule

**1st, 3rd and 4th  
Sundays**

**8 a.m.:** Rite I  
Holy Eucharist  
**9 a.m.:** Rite III  
Holy Eucharist  
**10 a.m.:** Education  
Hour for all ages  
**11 a.m.:** Rite II  
Holy Eucharist  
with Choir

**2nd Sundays**

**8 a.m.:** Rite I  
Holy Eucharist  
**10 a.m.:** Rite II  
Holy Eucharist  
**11:15 a.m.:** Parish  
Brunch  
No Church School

**4th Sunday**

**8 p.m.:** Sung  
Compline

**Wednesdays**

**10 a.m.**  
Holy Eucharist  
in the Chapel  
2nd Wednesday  
includes Service  
of Healing

## *Religious education: Not just for the kids*

### **Adult Sunday School begins again**

On the first, third, fourth (and fifth if there is one) Sunday morning at 10 a.m. in the Parish House, Bob will conduct the adult segment of our Sunday morning Christian Formation. He will be following essentially the same outline and curriculum as the children's Sunday School, which promises opportunities for family follow-up discussions—not to mention the sheer joy of learning more about our faith. Come and join us—one and all!

This schedule means that if you normally attend the 11 a.m. service, just plan to go to church every Sunday at 10 a.m. That way you will either have Sunday School followed by worship, or worship followed by Sunday Brunch. If you normally attend the 9 a.m. service, plan to stay until 10:45; send the children to the Parish Hall and join us in the Parish House. And if you normally attend the 8 a.m. service, go to breakfast and come back. Or do as I did last Sunday: I stopped for coffee, and went to Surfside Beach to read. What a lovely bonus in the midst of the Lord's Day! See you next Sunday!

### **Tuesday Night Adult Education**

The fall season of the Tuesday Night Adult Christian Formation program began on Sept. 5 with a potluck supper. Familiar faces met new faces—and a good time was had by all. It is never too late to join the group and new members are always welcome. We meet 6-7:30 p.m. in the Parish House.

### **Parish Retreat**

The parish retreat was held at the Craigville Beach Conference Center. Seventeen souls gathered to meet with Fredrica Thompsett to explore our individual connections with Spirituality. Consider this a promise of more to come—a more detailed report will appear in the November *Banner*.

—Joyce Harrington

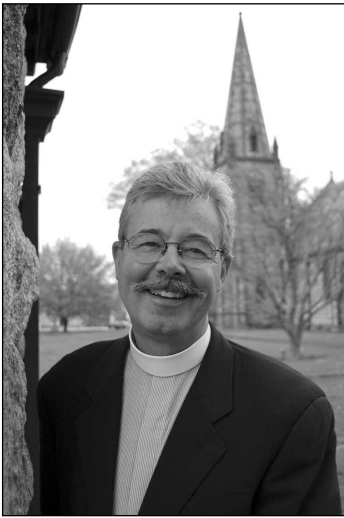


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*If God and the Spirit which we have known through the gift of Jesus are not at the heart of our endeavors, our relationships and ministry to others, it will all be for naught.*

**From the rector:** The Rev. Robert Appleyard, Jr.

## *We will...with God's help*

THIS PAST MONTH OF SEPTEMBER has been filled with “welcoming back.” Each Sunday there have been parishioners greeting each other after the summer hiatus. Weekdays there have been parishioners poking their heads into the office just to say “hi.” There also have been a number of new people (both recent arrivals and long time Falmouth residents) who have chosen this time to join us and become members of Saint Barnabas.

We have successfully moved back into our regular Sunday schedule. Our 8 a.m. service is packed with the faithful who just love that early hour for worship. At 9 a.m. there is a lot of energy and excitement as the children and adults gather for the contemporary “Enriching Our Worship” service. And the infant care which is now being offered from 8:45 to 10:45 has been appreciated and put to use by our youngest members. Then there is the 11 a.m. service which draws our largest congregation together. The music is wonderful and the choir seems larger than ever with both new and younger members! The spirit of worship is lively. And we have had visitors each week who have discovered our secret: Falmouth is fantastic in the fall!

All this could lead one to think that our parish is “back to business as usual” but that is hardly the case. Yes, we offer what has come to be expected—the opportunity to gather for meaningful worship. But there is so much more that makes this a thrilling and significant time in the life of Saint Barnabas Parish.

For one thing, your Vestry continues to address and move forward implementing the Strategic Plan, having set immediate and longer term goals. This work will involve an ever widening circle of parishioners bearing responsibility for the mission of our parish. One of the most immediate results of this effort is the refurbishing of the Lower Parish Hall. By the end of this month we will have the space for the Children’s Sunday Education Hour readied for an open house on Sunday, October 29. We hope to relocate all of our staff offices down there after the classrooms are finished. This will be quite a wonderful transformation which, we hope, will enhance our programs and also create new small meeting space for adults and a dedicated Youth Group space as well. Already (from 9:45 to 10:45 on Sunday mornings) the Church School teachers have implemented a new curriculum. Already (at the same time) we have a new, regular adult Coffee Hour and Christian Formation opportunity which coincides with the theme which the children are sharing. Already our Fall Stewardship Pledge drive has inaugurated “Opening Doors”—to allow our thankful and generous hearts to respond to God’s blessings which we share at Saint Barnabas with support for the year which awaits us.

Still, exhilarating as the thrust of our programs and our plans for the future are, let us pause and be mindful of what brings us together and binds us together: if God and the Spirit which we have known through the gift of Jesus are not at the heart of our endeavors, our relationships and ministry to others, it will all be for naught. The Vestry has chosen to use a phrase from our Baptismal Covenant as a reminder. We will...with God’s help. May Saint Barnabas Parish move forward with God’s help!

**Curate's corner:** The Rev. Katharine E. Stebinger

## *Open eyes and strong hearts*

WE HAVE A NEW ALARM CLOCK at our house. Three weeks ago, we brought home Sylvie, a nine-year-old rescued Weimeraner. For better or worse, Sylvie is under the impression that she is not dog, but rooster. She howls at dawn. At first I galloped down the stairs to the kitchen where Sylvie sleeps, afraid something was terribly wrong. I've never had a dog that howled to greet the sunrise. This one does. Nothing is the matter with her; it's more of a "Hello, world, the dawn is beautiful!"

Being a morning person, now I know there's nothing wrong, I rather enjoy getting up with my canine alarm clock, although the rest of my family might disagree. We get up, she has her breakfast while I drink tea, and then by 6:30

we're out the door to run in the woods.

I have often run in the woods early in the morning, and I enjoy being outdoors tremendously. But running with Sylvie as she explores has made me see the forest entirely differently. Because she runs mostly off-leash, I watch while she gallops along the trail, ears flapping. As I run in her wake, I listen for her passage. Does the crashing off to my left mean she's entangled in a briar patch? She runs long laterals to the trail, always returning, stretched straight out and running as fast as four legs can, which must be at least twice as fast as two. She hurries back to me, circles around and runs off again.



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### **Blessing of the Animals**

All are invited to bring pets (large and small) or stuffed animals to our 10 a.m. service on **October 8** for a blessing of the animals. The



service will be held rain or shine, outside if the weather permits and in the church if it rains. There will be a reception immediately fol-

lowing with cider, finger sandwiches, cookies and pet treats. Please join us with your giraffes, llamas, donkeys, horses, goats, sheep, chickens, dogs, cats, ball pythons, iguanas, gerbils, hamsters, mice, fish, crickets, frogs, rabbits, birds and beloved others.

As I open my ears to Sylvie, I hear all kinds of things in the woods that I never heard before. If we're out early enough when no other dogs are around, I can count more than 10 birdcalls in two minutes. Despite being, in theory, a pointer, a bird dog, Sylvie apparently has no concept of bird as prey.

Whatever she's running after in the woods, she's not after the birds, who seem remarkably undisturbed. I also see new things in close detail. If Sylvie stops to snuffle under a bush, I notice its unique leaves, the rocks around it and lichen growing in snowflake patterns. Seeing with Sylvie makes me want an identification key for everything: birds, plants, lichen, geology.

I thank God she has the strongest heart our vet has ever seen on a nine-year-old dog, because I want to run with her for a long time.

## **Vestry: Highlights of the September meeting (unapproved)**

The Strategic Plan listed as an action item that there be more shared responsibility for running Vestry meetings. To that effect, Bob and the wardens are going to rotate chairing the monthly meetings. Last month (August), Paul chaired the meeting. This month was Joyce's turn. Meeting called to order by Joyce. Harrington at 7:08 p.m.

To aid in our switching gears from daily work to church work, Bob read to us from a chapter of the book the Tuesday night adult education group is starting this month: *Sabbath Keeping* by Donna Schaper. The reading drew parallels between the physical clutter of our daily life and the spiritual/psychical clutter of our inner souls. Clutter is when things get in the way—both in our physical surroundings and in our relationship to God. It is not just negative things that can get in the way. Good things can also clutter up something even better. The author suggests that when we let ourselves get 'cluttered', we end up keeping clutter as opposed to keeping Sabbath; fog versus focus; confusion as opposed to clarity. After the reading Bob challenged each of us to think of where we each might be getting in the way of something even better and to step back and de-clutter. He closed our meditation with the Serenity Prayer.

Minutes from the August meeting are not yet completed, so the Vestry will review them via e-mail, once sent out, and approve both the August and September minutes at the October Vestry meeting.

Turning to business and financial matters, the Vestry heard several committee reports from our treasurer, Don Johnson. His first report was on the progress of the **Stewardship Committee**. Under the leadership of Susan & Brian Bint, the Stewardship Committee for the 2007 drive has expanded to a total of 26 parishioners, with Brad and Ginny Barnes serving as co-vice-chairs. The fall is a very busy time for stewardship efforts; it is preceded by much preparatory work throughout the summer. Many thanks are due to the parishioners who are serving on the committee. The current faith-based challenge has yielded about \$6,000 in increased pledges toward the 2006 budget. The first mailing of the 2007 campaign, including this year's brochure, was sent to parishioners in mid-September.

The estimated total for next year's operating budget reveals that we will need about \$320,000 in pledges to meet our obligations. This represents an additional \$40,000 in commitments—over this year's \$280,000 budgeted amount—which will have to come from both new and increased pledges. This year, pledges support about 60 percent of the gener-

al budget. For 2007, this percentage needs to be 64 percent. This will allow us to continue meeting our commitments. Don reiterated that it is extremely important to make this fall's stewardship drive a success in order to be able to carry out our prayerfully discerned goals and objectives for how we at St. Barnabas can do God's work in the coming year.

Don then continued on with the **Treasurer's Report**, which shows that we spent more than we collected in July and August. We need to be thinking carefully about how to improve our parish commitment to provide for the needs and desires of this church, and we need to collect all of our pledges to balance this budget this year.

The second quarter Merrill Lynch investment statements were distributed. The period ended on June 30. Don's succinct description: "The second quarter was not a good quarter for investments." Although the 2nd quarter was disappointing, we are regaining ground in the 3rd quarter, and Merrill Lynch is confident with this year's allocations.

The **Audit Committee** has finished the 2005 audit. The major recommendation is that our next audit, in March 2007, be an outside, independent audit. Many thanks are due to the committee: Al Irish, Kathy Murray, and Bill Smith.

The **Finance Committee** has a new study committee. It is researching the use of facilities rates in local and deanery churches as a first step towards evaluating rates for use of our facilities. The Investment Subcommittee is scheduled to meet with Merrill Lynch in October to work on developing realistic endowment revenue recommendations for 2007.

The planned giving workshop has been postponed due to minimal response. The Finance Committee feels this shows that the timing and preparatory explanations were not sufficient. Informational material is being developed which we can use in the parish to educate ourselves about planned giving.

Due to Harvey Williamson's absence, Don gave the **Property Committee** report as well. This lists the current stage of projects underway, has a list of unfunded items that are prioritized to complete as funding becomes available, and a list of completed projects. The Vestry hopes Property Committee will publish this last for all to see.

The Vestry then turned to the business of how to take the next steps with our **Strategic Plan**. We are at a point where action plans for goals can be developed. In order not to be overwhelmed by the long list of goals in the plan, we are planning on starting

## Vestry (*continued*)

with a few and then adding more as we achieve results.

It is clear that financial stability is a major goal that has two active committees working hard with action plans in place: Stewardship and Finance Committee. With that in mind, we can continue to support them while starting the action plan process for goals in other areas. A consensus was reached that we will start with action plan development in **Worship, Education, and Communication Committees**. The point was made that in the case of Education and Stewardship, both need more helpers. We have a few people doing lots of work, and we do not want anyone to become burdened and burn out.

After a far-ranging discussion on methodology and communicating common themes, a motion was made and approved that we direct the Communications, Education, and Worship Committees to develop action plans for goals in the strategic plan as identified by the Vestry.

Thanks to **Jeremy Paine**, all but three rooms and the hallway have been painted. This served as Jeremy's community service project for college, and is a great gift to the parish. We have five weeks of the stewardship unit before the education hour programs need to move into the classrooms. The Vestry discussed whether to have another painting party or hire out to finish the painting. We also discussed the other items needed before the lower hall is ready for use. Tables and chairs have been ordered. The classroom doors need painting, and storage units are still needed for each classroom. The floors also need to be thoroughly stripped, cleaned, and refinished. It is hoped that our sexton can be trained how to maintain the floors using the equipment we own by the person who is hired to complete the floors.

A motion was made and approved to authorize up to \$5,000 to get bids, accept a bid, and complete the painting of the lower hall, including the doors.

A method for determining which groups get to use free spaces and when needs to be developed and published. Prioritization is to be included in this. The kitchen will need a list of rules for use for groups to follow. In addition, an inventory of what we have and need as far as kitchen equipment will be undertaken. Sandy will coordinate this effort with representatives of the parish groups that use the kitchen. Once the list of needs is developed, it will be published for parishioner donations. Two points were also raised: the kitchen needs a professional cleaning, and we need locks on the cabinets.

Members of Vestry commented that the appearance of the entire parish hall is dingy. Dirt does not always get cleaned, and the hall has some mildew issues. The treasurer agreed there is a problem in that we have not budgeted enough hours for our sexton to support the square footage of our buildings. This is not because we do not recognize the problem, but is a result of our not being able to afford more time for the sexton in our current budget. In addition to this, our volunteer committees do not know the technical details of what needs to be done to complete certain tasks of upkeep/maintenance.

Kate reiterated that the **Education Program** needs more volunteers. Skeletal numbers equal potential burn-out for our teachers. We need to recruit more people. Those who work with children and youth must attend Safe Church Training and have a CORI done. These are not onerous, but necessary for the safety of the volunteer and the kids, and for the liability of the parish. There are opportunities for Safe Church Training throughout the fall. The training will be held on-Cape in December for those unable to attend earlier sessions. Safe Church Training certification is good for five years.

A motion to adjourn being made and approved, the meeting adjourned at 9:31.

—Helen Gordon

### **Lobster on the Lawn a success**

Thanks to all who helped and worked so hard to make the Music Department's first "Lobster on the Lawn" such a success! More than 80 people volunteered their time and talent over the nine weeks. We realized a profit of \$13,740.17. This money will help defray expenses of the Music Departments' concert series and other events sponsored by the Music Department.

As we are entering into our Fall Stewardship Campaign, the Music Department has given a tithe of 10 percent to the church's general fund, \$1,374.00.

—Randolph James

## News and Notes:

# *Opportunities for service, fellowship, fun*

### **Deanery report**

Bob Appleyard and I attended the Cape and Islands Deanery meeting on Sept. 21 in Plymouth. Youth representative Katie Greene spoke of their trip to Biloxi and opportunities for junior and senior youth groups. Our own Andy Reichel was elected the second youth rep. Diocesan Council Representative Mally Lloyd reported that Bishop Tom Shaw is hopeful about reconciliation within the Episcopal community. She also spoke about revitalizing the deanery with new missions. Rebecca Alden related her experience as a Massachusetts delegate to the National Convention and of the joy among women responding to The Rt. Rev. Katharine Jefferts Schori's election as our next presiding bishop.

Mashpee Mission Coordinator John Bonell said that a planted church brings in more new members than the expansion of an existing church, and they use at least one electric instrument in their services.

Mark Wilkinson from Holy Spirit in Orleans shared his slideshow on the youth Biloxi Ministry trip. He told several stories of the presence of God's grace that gave me goose bumps. What impressed me most was his conviction that the way to engage our young people in a faith journey is to provide mission ministry opportunities. As a postscript, Episcopal Relief Development is urging the Cape and Islands to create a Hurricane Preparedness Plan.

—Ellie Shaver

### **Outreach Committee meeting**

Due to the Columbus Day holiday, the Outreach Committee will meet on Oct. 22 at 9 a.m. in the Parish Hall. We will plan our outreach project(s) for the year and distribute Strawberry Festival proceeds.

### **Notes from the Library**

Six new books are added to our library this month:

In *The Language of God*, scientist Francis Collins explains how his research has led him to a strong religious faith.

*The Emerging Christian Way* contains 14 essays written by respected Christian thinkers and authors that discuss how different aspects of Christianity are

changing in today's world.

It wasn't just faith that prompted Pope Julius II to start the building of Rome's St. Peter's. R. A. Scotti's *Basilica* describes all the drama and scandal that went with this project.

In *The Mighty & The Almighty*, Madleine Albright shares her thoughts on how religion should coexist with politics in today's world. How well she writes!

Newscaster and author Sandy Tolan recounts a touching story of how a *Lemon Tree* in Jewish Israel brought together an Arab and a Jewish family.

Finally, just for fun, you might enjoy reading Fannie Flagg's novel, *Can't Wait to Get to Heaven*.

—Mary Heard

### **Youth Group begins**

Youth Group begins in October! Everyone between seventh and twelfth grade is invited to join us in food, fellowship and service each Sunday in the Parish Hall after noon. Bring yourselves, bring friends, and come have fun!

### **Around the Table seeks veggies**

Around the Table will be happy to take any fresh vegetables you're willing to donate. Just bring them to the Parish House any Monday, Wednesday or Friday after 10 a.m. Thank you.

—Celine Holly

### **Episcopal Church Men**

The ECM will meet for breakfast at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, October 28, at the Falmouth Inn, 824 Main Street. The speaker for October is Alison Robb, director of "Nature's Circle," speaking on coyotes on Cape Cod. All are welcome to attend.

—Bill Platt

### **Episcopal Church Women**

The October luncheon is on October 24 and it will be salad-to-share. Please bring a salad to share with others at the luncheon. If you have any questions, please call Jeanne Platt via the office. The speaker will be John Magnani from the Senior Center. We welcome all Episcopal Church women.

—Doris Weeks

# October Birthdays



1 Thrasher, Patricia  
 2 Bibbo, Susan  
 3 Lang, Elliott  
 3 Small, Michael  
 4 Underhill, Evelyn  
 4 Appleyard, Robert  
 4 Barron, Heather G.  
 4 Marr, Erik R.  
 6 Rossello, Lillian  
 6 Storey, Kyle Norman  
 8 Bagg, Caroline Jean  
 9 Strohm, Jessica  
 10 MacLennan, Miriam  
 10 Craig, Robert  
 10 Rabbitt, Kathe  
 10 Butcher, Robert  
 10 Mann, Sarah  
 10 Fougere, Alan  
 10 Marr, Karalyn  
 10 Gonsalves, Dana  
 13 Irish, Alfred

13 Blackway, Howard  
 13 Marden, Ralph  
 13 Nelson, Julie  
 13 Duncan, Thomas  
 13 Beck, Morgaine Mary  
 13 Packard, Gwyneth  
 14 Geyer, Rocky  
 15 Beale, Camille  
 15 Wrigley, Lauren

16 Donovan, Aislinn Laura  
 16 Donovan, Bethany Sarah  
 18 Gordon, Stewart Jr.  
 18 Petrucci, Jeff  
 18 Scharr, Caroline Mary  
 18 Nicholson, Anya  
 20 Mundell, Neely  
 20 Anderson, Bridgette  
 21 Scharr, George  
 22 Boyden, Dick  
 22 Cabral, Paige  
 24 Edgar, Mary Jane  
 25 Paltz, Stephen 2  
 25 Nicholson, Tricia  
 25 Scalisi, Maryann  
 26 Penfield, Hays  
 26 Stommel, Elizabeth  
 26 Wells, Peter  
 28 Celeste, Elaine  
 29 Leonard, Robert  
 31 Collini, Adam L.

# October Lectionary

## Oct. 1 , Proper 21

Numbers 11:4-6,10-16,24-29;  
 Psalm 19  
 James 4:7-12(13--5:6)  
 Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48

## Oct. 18, St. Luke

Ecclesiasticus 38:1-4,6-10,12-14  
 Psalm 147  
 2 Timothy 4:5-13  
 Luke 4:14-21

## Oct. 28, St. Simon & St. Jude

Deuteronomy 32:1-4  
 Psalm 119:89-96  
 Ephesians 2:13-22  
 John 15:17-27

## Oct. 8, Proper 22

Genesis 2:18-24  
 Psalm 8  
 Hebrews 2:(1-8)9-18  
 Mark 10:2-9

## Oct. 22, Proper 24

Isaiah 53:4-12  
 Psalm 91  
 Hebrews 4:12-16  
 Mark 10:35-45

## Oct. 29, Proper 25

Isaiah 59:(1-4)9-19  
 Psalm 13  
 Hebrews 5:12--6:1,9-12  
 Mark 10:46-52

## Oct.15, Proper 23

Amos 5:6-7,10-15  
 Psalm 90  
 Hebrews 3:1-6  
 Mark 10:17-27(28-31)

## Oct. 23, St. James of Jerusalem

Acts 15:12-22a  
 Psalm 1;  
 1 Corinthians 15:1-11  
 Matthew 13:54-58

## Nov. 1, All Saints' Day

Ecclesiasticus 44:1-10,13-14  
 Psalm 149  
 Revelation 7:2-4,9-17  
 Matthew 5:1-12

### Got news? Share it through The Banner!

If you have some parish news to share, contact Banner editor Jayne Iafrate at [banner@stbarnabasfal-mouth.org](mailto:banner@stbarnabasfal-mouth.org). The Banner is published monthly and the copy deadline is the 20th of every month.

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**October Calendar**

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## Leadership Directory

### Staff

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Stephen Paltz

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Youth Reps Allison Deyo

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### Reps.

Mimi Frank

Helen Gordon

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### Ministries and Group Contacts

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Newcomers Joan Stephenson

Outreach Annie Holden

Overnights of Hospitality

Ellie Shaver

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Debbie Gentile

Sunshine Notes

Edie McKean

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Hospital visits/Home visits on request

Bob Appleyard

Lay Eucharistic Visitors

Prayer Chain Susan Schmidt

#### Strategic Planning (Vestry)

Committee Paul Gentile

#### Worship (Bob Appleyard)

Acolytes Page Franson

Altar Flowers Eileen Bergstrom

Altar Guild Pie Smith

Pat Cowan

Lectors Kathe Rabbitt

Lay Eucharistic Ministers

Kathe Rabbitt

Music/Choirs Randolph James

Ushers Tina Gomes

# *Volunteers needed*

## **Wedding Coordinator**

Are you an organization person? If so, we are looking for you to be our wedding coordinator. We are primarily looking for someone who will be available at the wedding rehearsal and at the wedding service to direct the flow of the ceremony and to handle any emergencies or questions of the wedding party. This will be coordinated with Bob or Kate. Many questions from the wedding party before the wedding will have been answered by Bob, Kate, Randolph or Kathe, so it is just a matter of being available at the rehearsal and the wedding. Right now we only have two weddings scheduled for 2007 and for 2006 we had 10, just to give you an idea of the time commitment. We would like to have two or three people volunteer for this so that any one person does not have the whole responsibility. Please call Kathe Rabbitt at (508) 548-3863.

## **Additional Ministry for Lay Eucharistic Ministers**

There is a need for lay Eucharistic ministers to be available for funerals to carry the cross in procession and to be a chalice bearer if there is Communion, and also at weddings. Please call Kathe Rabbitt in the church office at (508) 548-3863.



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S An-ctus, \* Sanctus

# Compline

ba-oth. Ple-ni

**Contemplative Prayer  
for the Close of the Day**

**Sunday, October 22  
8 o'clock in the evening**

**Saint Barnabas Church**

Sung by the  
**Saint Barnabas Schola**  
**Randolph S. James, Director**

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