

PLAN AHEAD

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June 2 – *Safeguarding God's Children*
An educational program for preventing child abuse. Christ Church, Reading, 9:30 to 3:30. Please see www.diobethkids.org.

June 3 – Bishop Paul's visitation to the Cathedral Church of the Nativity, Bethlehem, 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

June 5 – Archdeacon's visit to St. Peter's, Hazleton/St. James, Drifton, 6:00 p.m.

June 7 – Corpus Christi, 7:00 p.m.
Bishop Paul will preside at a regional Corpus Christi eucharist at Holy Cross, Wilkes-Barre. Bill Lewellis will preach.

June 10 – Bishop Paul's visitation to Trinity Church, Bethlehem, 9:30 a.m.

June 10 – Clergy/Spouse Dinner
St. Mary's Center, Scranton, 5:00 p.m.

June 15 – Diocesan Council
Grace, Kingston, 6:00.

June 15-16 – Ministry of Money Retreat
For clergy couples, at Kirkridge. A flyer has been sent to clergy.

June 16 – Bishop Paul's at Good Shepherd and St. John's, Milford, for the dedication of the new organ, 4:00 p.m.

June 17 – Bishop Paul's visitation, St. Peter's Church, Tunkhannock, 10 a.m.

June 19 – Archdeacon's visit to St. James, Dundaff, 6:00 p.m.

June 24 – Bishop Paul's visitation, St. Peter's Church, Hazleton, 10:30 a.m.

June 27 – Bishop's Day for Kids
Namia: The Lion, the Bishop and the Wardrobe, Cathedral, Bethlehem, 10:15 to 3:30.

June 29 – Reception of Don Schaible as a priest of the Episcopal Church
St. John's, Palmerton, 7:00 p.m.

July 8 – Bishop Paul's visitation to St. James Church, Drifton, 9:00 a.m.

July 22 – Bishop Paul's visitation to St. James Church, Dundaff

July 27 to Aug. 4 – Diocesan Youth Mission Trip to New Orleans
More information at www.lifeistasty.org.

Sept. 13 – Clergy Day
St. Stephen's, Wilkes-Barre.

Sept. 15 – Bishop's School

Sept. 22 – Bishop's School

Sept. 29 – Ordinations, Cathedral

Oct. 6 – Bishop's School

Oct. 12-13 – Diocesan Convention
The 136th annual Convention of the Diocese of Bethlehem will be at the Cathedral Church of the Nativity, Bethlehem. Dinner at the nearby Masonic Temple.

Oct. 20 – Bishop's School

Oct. 27 – Bishop's School

Nov. 3 – *Safeguarding God's Children*
An educational program for preventing child abuse. Cathedral Church of the Nativity, Bethlehem, 9:30 to 3:30. Please see www.diobethkids.org.

Nov. 9-10 – Planning for Tomorrow
Conference conducted by the Church Pension Fund, for individual clergy and couples of all ages up to retirement. Location TBA. More info: Canon Jane Teter, 610-691-5655 x228, at Diocesan House or Stokes Liles, 800-223-6602 x6278, at the Church Pension Fund.

Nov. 10 – Bishop's School

Nov. 17 – Bishop's School

Dec. 1 – Bishop's School

Dec. 8 – Bishop's School

Dec. 15 – Bishop's School

PRAY FOR...

In the Diocese of Bethlehem
www.diobeth.org

Holy God, your Son called us to wrap the whole world in your saving embrace. By your Holy Spirit, give us compassion, purpose and energy to invite into your Church *those who do not yet know the transforming power of your love*. We ask this through him who has brought us from darkness to light, your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

June 3 – Church of the Good Shepherd and St. John the Evangelist, Milford
The Rev. William J. McGinty, rector
www.goodshepherdmilford.org

June 10 – Christ Church, Reading
The Rev. John R. Francis, rector
The Rev. Lois Bartlett, assistant priest
www.rdgchristchurch.org

June 17 – St. Paul's Church, Montrose
The Rev. Charles Cesaretti, interim

June 24 – Christ Church, Stroudsburg
The Rev. Elizabeth S. Haynes, rector
www.christchurchstroudsburg.org

Anytime — Pray for our diocesan community, 66 churches in 14 counties, and our Bishop, Paul. Pray for repentance, renewal and mission in all our parishes. Pray that the Lord will bless us in our lives and ministry.

Pray for Rowan, Archbishop of Canterbury, Katharine, our Presiding Bishop, and Andrew, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada.

Anglicans Around the World
www.anglicancommunion.org

June 3 – Pray for the clergy and people of the Diocese of Oji River in Nigeria.

June 10 – Pray for the clergy and people of the Diocese of Oleh in Nigeria.

June 17 – Pray for the clergy and people of the Diocese of Osaka in Japan.

June 24 – Pray for the clergy and people of the Diocese of Oyo in Nigeria.

The Diocese of Kajo Keji
(*Episcopal Church of the Sudan*)

Pray for our companion Diocese of Kajo Keji in the Episcopal Church of the Sudan and Bishop Anthony Poggo.

God bless Africa. Guard her people. Guide her leaders. Give her peace.

June 3 – The Congregation of Wuruta

June 10 – The Liwolo Archdeaconry and the congregation of Ajo

June 17 – The congregation of Andejo

June 24 – The congregation of Deredrek

The Diocese of Swaziland

Pray for the Diocese of Swaziland in Africa, Bishop Meshack Mabuza and the Diocesan AIDS Ministry.

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www.diobethkids.org is home to *AWE Children's Ministries*. This website is for kids and those who work with them and care for children. Find out about the next Bishop's Day for Kids or nurture event for educators. Download registration forms. Become a child advocate. Explore a wealth of advocacy, worship, education, and faith formation.

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