

The Cornerstone

August 2026

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Carolyn's Corner

Words from the Senior Warden

Did you know that the Cornerstone usually runs about 4 pages? Did you know that the last page has a calendar of St. David's events on it? If no, you are missing half of each edition. When you open the newsletter, there is an additional button to turn the pages. It is more difficult on the phone but still works. Parishioners work hard to capture the events and news for the parish in order to keep you informed. Please read our parish newsletter.

Editor's Note

To view The Cornerstone, please visit <https://stdavidslaurinburgnc.org/newsletter/> and click on the icon of the newsletter. This will take you to the full PDF version of the newsletter. Thank you.

Red, White, and Blue Lived Up to Its Name

We had St. Louis style pork ribs, red hot dogs on buns with coleslaw, onions, and chili for our mains. Sides were crab salad, red, white, and blue potato salad, tea and iced coffee, watermelon, blueberry/strawberry bowls, red/white/blue cupcakes, fruit trifle with blueberries and strawberries, frosted red cranberry squares, apple pie, and pink/purple decorated birthday cake.

Buildings and Grounds Update

In David Adams' continuing quest to maintain and better the grounds of St. David's, we have several updates. He has had the concrete sidewalk leading from the street to the office building repaved, eliminating the trip potential from the tree roots upending the pavement. He also had the unusual

large block of pavement on the walkway to the front door removed so that the steps are uniform. Both improvements add to the safety and beauty of the church area.

The parish hall floors, kitchen and breezeway will be stripped and waxed after the yard sale. This will protect the floors and make the rooms look cleaner.

Our St. David's street signs (at the corner of Azure and Church St, and at the corner of Church and Covington St.) have been replaced. Please take a look and let David know your appreciation.



Carolyn Beranek
Senior Warden

Thank You

John and Carolyn Beranek for doing altar in July
Carol Whitehead for washing and ironing the Fair Linen for the altar
Mechille Chavis for taking lead on the Yard Sale
Parishioners that regularly attend Sunday services at St. David's

St. David's Donations to Church Community Services from June 1 through July 12, 2026 are 22.

Rest in Peace

Jan Soles passed away on July 10, the day before her 71st birthday, at her home. The memorial service will be scheduled in August.

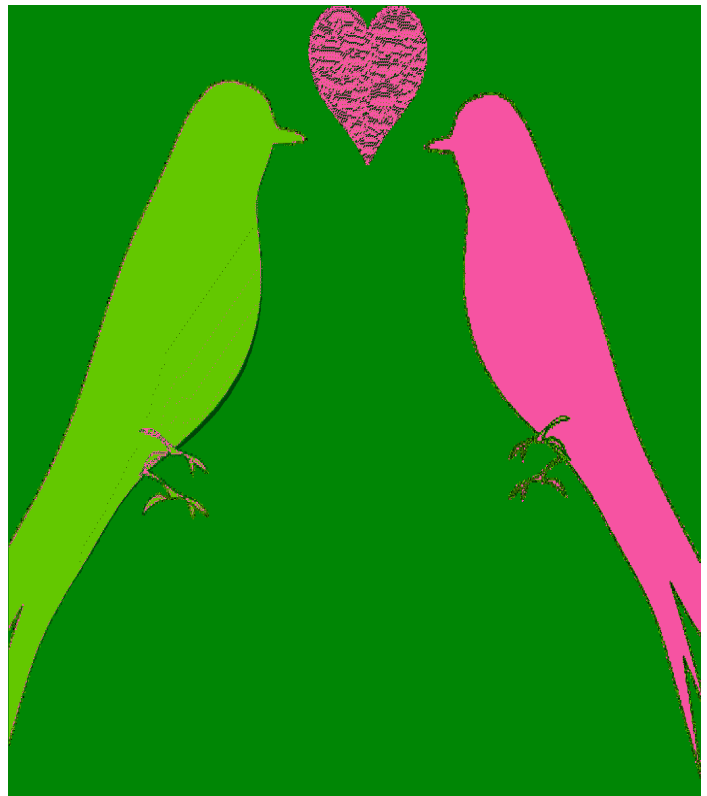
*"Rest eternal grant to her, O Lord;
And let light perpetual shine upon her."
- BCP pg.502*

Happy Birthday!

August 2 Homer Deese
August 3 Carolyn Plitt
August 5 Aaron Williamson
August 8 Domingo Sanchez
August 15 Jolee Fedak Marsh
August 17 Laura Molinario
August 18 Dennis Furs
August 20 Carol Whitehead
August 21 Janet Gentes
August 23 Paul Douglas Adams
August 24 Marcial Hernandez
August 25 Matthew Campbell
August 26 Cindy Jackson
August 28 Penny Abernathy
August 29 Emma Chavis
August 31 Doni Holloway

Contributions for The Cornerstone

The Cornerstone deadline is the 19th of each month. All articles are invited. Please email articles to bonnieglenn@gmail.com. The Cornerstone editor is Bonnie Glenn.



August Anniversaries

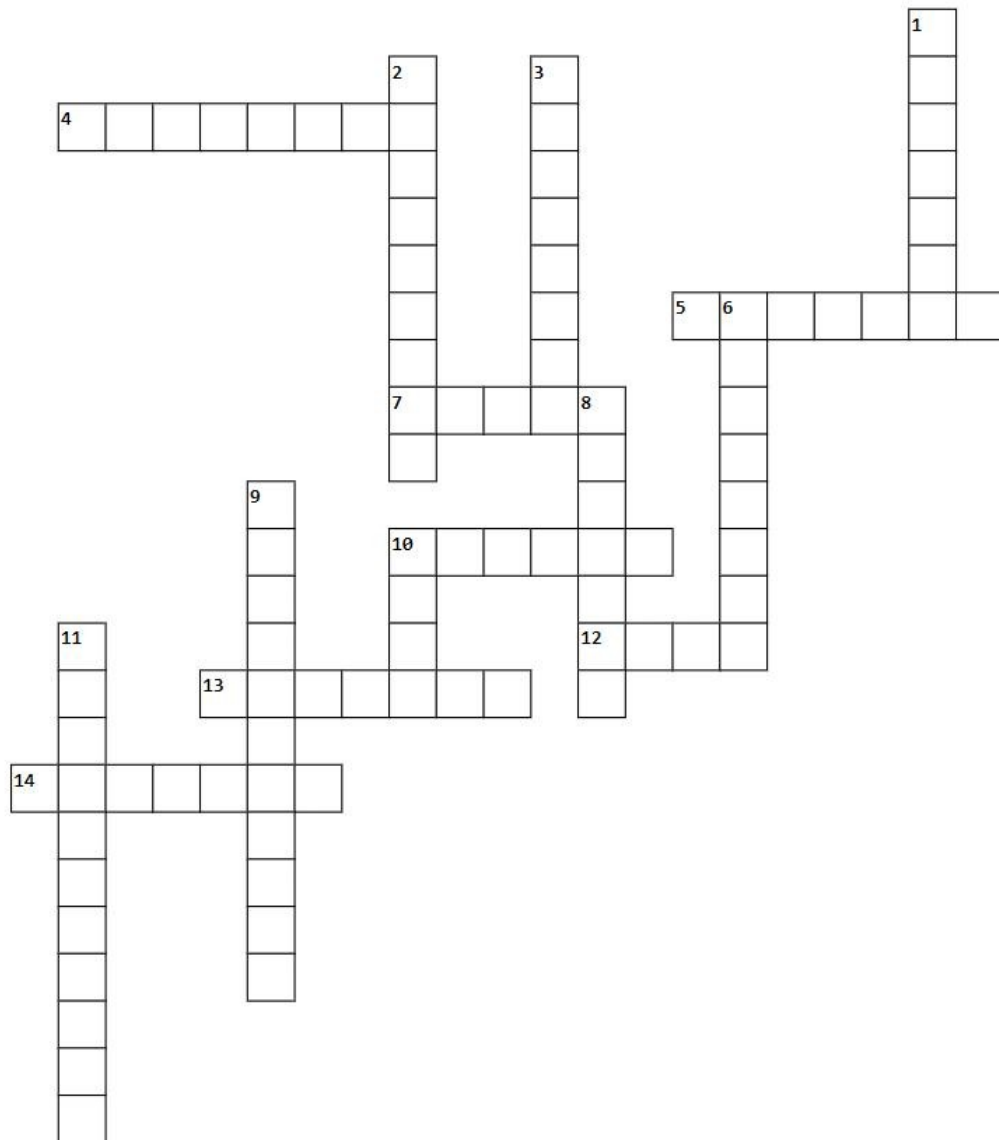
August 26 Ken and Cindy Jackson
August 31 Donald and Veronica Nisbett

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St. David's Yard Sale
August 8, 2026
St. David's Parish
Hall
7am-12noon

Episcopal Crossword Puzzle



Across

- 4. Liturgical Form of Praise
- 5. Oldest Parish in USA
- 7. Largest Diocese in the USA
- 10. Name of NC Bishop
- 12. What We are Called to Do
- 13. A Short Prayer
- 14. Name of First Episcopal Bishop in USA

Down

- 1. What Holds the Book for Reading Scripture
- 2. Tapestries Used to Adorn the Sanctuary
- 3. State that has the most parishioners
- 6. A Small Container Used for Incense
- 8. Oldest Parish in NC
- 9. What We Learn During Compline
- 10. Name of Presiding Bishop
- 11. Name of First Episcopal Bishop in NC

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 Christian Formation, 10am Morning Prayer, 11am	3	4	5 Compline via Zoom, 7pm	6	7	8 St. David's Yard Sale, 7am-12noon
9 Christian Formation, 10am Holy Eucharist, 11am	10	11	12 Parish Potluck, "Summer Fruits" 6pm Compline, 7pm	13	14 Laurinburg After Five – Band of Oz, McDuffie Square, 6-9pm	15 Downtown Laurinburg Farmers' Market, McDuffie Square, 9am-12noon
16 Christian Formation, 10am Holy Eucharist, 11am	17	18	19 Compline via Zoom, 7pm Church Newsletter Deadline	20	21	22
23 Christian Formation, 10am Holy Eucharist, 11am	24	25	26 Compline via Zoom, 7pm Full Sturgeon Moon	27	28	29
30 Christian Formation, 10am Holy Eucharist, 11am	31					



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