

# Saint John's Episcopal Church

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## Calendar of Events

July Calendar	
Sunday, July 7th 4th Sunday after Pentecost 10 AM at St John's One service only	Sunday, July 14th 5th Sunday after Pentecost 9 AM and 11 AM at St John's
Sunday, July 21st 6th Sunday after Pentecost 9 AM and 11AM at St John's	Sunday, July 28th 7th Sunday after Pentecost 9 AM and 11 AM at St John's
Celtic Nights Celtic Evening Prayer, music, dinner and educational program 6 PM at St John's	Weekday Service 10 AM Tuesdays Eucharist or Morning Prayer and Adult Ed St John's Clayton

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Dear Family of St. John and St Michael,

This Sunday is extra special as we celebrate faith in our country with a music-packed service you won't want to miss, starting at the special time of 10:00. TEN O'Clock... a later start for Clayton and an earlier one for Concord, but please be there and join in the fun and the spirit at St. John's, this Sunday, 10:00 for a combined meetin' of the clan! Father Bill presidin', Rev. Amanda in-house! Grant Street Players readin' and singin' and singers from both churches raisin' their voices, a great way to keep the summer hot (in an air conditioned way!).

Thanks to the many folks who've commented on our first yours-mine-and-ours newsletter last time. To clarify, this will enable us (we hope) to get the news out to both parishes without a lot of repetitive oversight!

Remember we have services all summer long at St. John's at 9 and 11, starting July 14!

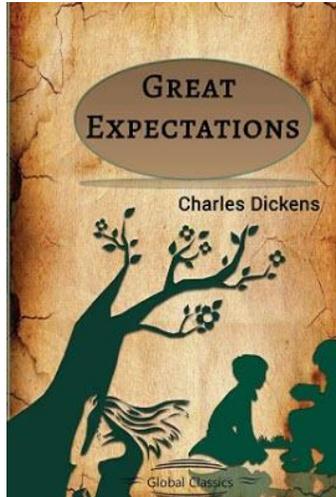
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## St John's Update

### Book Club

"It was one of those days when the sun shines hot and the wind blows cold: when it is summer in the light, and winter in the shade..." Honest if we didn't know better we'd swear Charles Dickens lived in the Bay Area but no, that's a line from *Great Expectations*, which is the next book-for-musing offering of the St. John's book club. Still lots of time to wade thru this one this summer--the discush happens August 11 at the Henshaw abode, so now's your chance to find out what it all means (or at least what everyone thinks it means)! Open to all, well-versed in Dickens or no!



**Cursillo**, coming up August 9-11 at San Damiano Retreat Center Retreat Center, a little gem of a hideaway tucked snugly in the Danville hills, will give you the opportunity and tools to explore your individual relationship and reflection between your Christian faith and your daily life--a gift of time you give yourself. No strings attached, it's about you and your own spiritual trek. Food (it's great there!), laughs and music and we hear from people in the know that lotsa folks from our two parishes are going,. When's the last time you gave yourself a chance to get off the phone/computer/TV and just have time with yourself and your Christian family? Get the scoop on registration from Sherrie (437-2386) or Halle (708-4593) soon as you can, this one promises to be quite the special experience!

