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Dear Friends,

President-elect Joe Biden is planning a lighting ceremony at the Lincoln Memorial Reflecting Pool to honor those killed by the coronavirus the day before he is sworn into office on January 20. The Presidential Inaugural Committee said that it would hold the event the evening of January 19, calling it the “first-ever lighting around the Reflecting Pool to memorialize American lives lost.” It is also inviting communities around the country to join Washington in lighting up buildings and ringing church bells at 5:30 p.m. in “a national moment of unity and remembrance.”

Come line the sidewalk at St. Alban's on Tuesday, January 19 at 5:30 p.m.

Candles provided. Bring a hand bell if you have one.

“In the midst of a pandemic — when so many Americans are grieving the loss of family, friends, and neighbors — it is important that we honor those who have died, reflect on what has been one of the more challenging periods in the nation's history, and renew our commitment to coming together to end the pandemic and rebuild our nation,” inauguration committee spokesman Pili Tobar said in a statement. (the above is taken from the PBS website)

Hope you can join me,
Mother Julie+

Calendar

January 17	8:30 a.m.	Bible Study on Zoom: 835 9000 0245 & 562087
	9:30 a.m.	Worship on Zoom: 826 9515 6305 & 446765
January 18	7:00 p.m.	St. David's Celebration of New Ministry on Zoom
January 19	10:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer on Zoom: 868 3084 1089 & 114552
	5:30 p.m.	Candles & Bells for COVID victims
	7:00 p.m.	Vestry on Zoom: 826 5398 9240 & 159531
January 21	6:30 p.m.	Matters of Faith on Zoom: 852 0786 8086 & 125985

Special Events

January 18 at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom - St. David's Celebration of New Ministry

Zoom codes will be made available by St. David's shortly before the event.

Father Dan Handschy, St. David's Priest-in-Charge, has been called by the parish to become the Rector. Bishop DeDe Duncan-Probe will lead the service celebrating this new step in St. David's journey.

St. Alban's Annual Meeting: January 31 at 9:30 a.m. on Zoom

Zoom Codes provided closer to the event.

Our bylaws state that the meeting be held within the first 45 days of the year, so it can't be postponed until we can meet in person.

Nominations

Warden, 2 year term Margo Kowalczyk

Vestry, 3 year term Gina Odell

Vestry, 3 year term Mary (Kiki) White

Use your telephone for Zoom on Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

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