

ALTAR GUILD

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The Altar Guild makes Sundays happen. We set up and clean-up (which entails caring for the linens, polishing silver and caring for the area around the Altar) for communion twice on Sundays, Wednesday Healing service and special services. It is a dedicated group of four teams of women and one gentleman who give their time to this ministry one week a month.

Our budget is 1000.00 and all was spent and then some. It is spent on bread, wine, linens, candle wax, Sanctuary lights, cleaning supplies and replacement of items that have been worn out or broken. There are two sacristies for which we are responsible, making sure that everything is in working order in the two and supplies in both. This past year we had to replace one of our chasubles and a Fair linen. It was very expensive and had to be purchased with other funds.

Our goal is always to recruit new members. Our dream is to replace the green frontal in the main Nave and the green hangings in the Chapel.

The Property Committee along with the Altar Guild cleaned all the wood in the Chapel which has been a long time coming. Accolades are due to our Junior Warden, Wayne Averett who organized the cleaning of the main Nave as well. Another project completed was shades that are put on the windows in the Nave during the week to keep sunlight from fading the wood on the pews and fabric on chairs on the west side of the Church.

Again, "We make Sundays Happen," come join us!