

Celebrating Families on Mother's Day



The Social Issues & Service Committee is collaborating with the St. Mary's Knitters to celebrate new mothers and families on Mother's Day 5/9/21.

Understanding the struggles of young families during the past year, we have identified several social service agencies on Aquidneck Island - Lucy's Hearth, Child & Family Services of Newport County, Baby Steps, and Head Start- to receive **Baby Welcome Baskets** for clients in need. The baskets will include beautiful handmade items from our knitters along with baby necessities and a laminated prayer for families.

We are hoping that the generous members of St. Mary's will help us to fill these baskets with diapers, wipes, etc. **All items are due by May 2nd** in order for the baskets to be assembled and blessed on Mother's Day.

You may drop off your items on Sunday mornings as you enter for worship or bring them to Karen Laroche at the Parish House on Tuesday 4/27 – Thursday 4/29.

Please contact lynncarlson@gmail.com with any questions. And check out Sign Up Genius (the link is on SMC's website or in the ENews) for a list of what is needed. Check off what you would like to contribute, so we can coordinate baskets.

Thank you!