

## Saint George's Parish

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## Proclamation for Jacqueline G. Hayden

It is with great sorrow that St. George's Parish acknowledges the death of Jacqueline G. Hayden on May 17, 2020.

Jackie led a life of devotion to her family, her friends, and her church. She personified what it meant to be a member of Christ's Body loving God and loving others as God loved us. She was an inspiring example of a life led in love.

Jackie came to St. George's when her husband, The Reverend Dr. J. Carleton Hayden was called to serve as the Assistant Rector. Jackie quickly found home at St. George's serving as a clergy spouse dedicated to the mission of the church. As a career schoolteacher, Jackie was deeply involved in the children's ministry dedicating countless hours to the spiritual growth of St. George's youth.

Being a member of the Order of the Daughters of the King was her passion. She embodied the three pillars of the Order, dedicating herself to a life-long program of prayer, service, and evangelism in solidarity with all members of the Order of the Daughters of the King. She lived to know Jesus Christ, to make Him known to others, and to become a reflection of God's love throughout the world. She lived by the Order of the Daughters of the King motto: "For His sake...I am but one, but I am one. I cannot do everything, but I can do something. What I can do, I ought to do. What I ought to do, by the grace of God I will do. Lord, what will you have me do?" St. George's was a benefactor of Jackie's devotion and love.

It is with great sadness that we mark the death of one of St. George's Daughters and great point of light and love. May Jacqueline G. Hayden's soul, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace, and rise with the Saints in glory.

This Proclamation is offered by the Men and Women of St. George's Parish, Washington, DC