JAMESTOWNE SOCIETY
FIRST MARYLAND COMPANY

Newsletter Summer 2026

Happy Summer! We hope you are enjoying the warm weather. Perhaps you have been able to enjoy some of the celebrations for our Nation's 250th birthday! It seems like our May meeting was a long time ago. Hopefully, you have been enjoying time with family and friends. It has been a very busy summer for some of us with graduations, weddings, birthdays and family gatherings. Connections with family and friends are so important. Here are some highlights from our May meeting at Maggiano's.



Speaker Jason Posey and Gov. Anne Henninger.

First Maryland Company Officers

Governor: Anne Henninger
Lt Governor: Barbara Greeley
Treasurer: Melissa Fischer
Secretary: Valerie Spargo
Chaplain: Christina Harle
Historian/Registrar: Cynthia Johnson
Councilors: Clarence Lee, Frances Woods, William Spencer and Lucien Vota



Our Company Website
http://firstmarylandcompany-jamestownesociety.org

Some of our members were able to attend the Spring Meeting in Williamsburg.



Chris, Anne and Barb



Anne, Chris and Barb



Ted Gregory, Great Nephew of George Craghead Gregory, our Founder.



GOVERNOR'S CORNER

Greetings,

I am enjoying the warm weather, after a winter I – and probably many of you- thought would never end. Alas, with the rise in temps come a rise in weeds and the ubiquitous poison ivy so I am keeping busy with the flower beds!

It was nice to see a good representation of First Maryland Company members at the Society's Spring Meeting in Williamsburg. We always have a good time! Remember, if you plan to participate in the fall festivities in Richmond, you will need to register on 7 July. Sales open at 10:00 AM and events typically sell out quickly. I hope to see a number of you there.

The Nominating Committee was hard at work earlier in the spring and has put together what we think is a stellar slate of officers for the 2026-2028 term. The proposed slate is included elsewhere in this newsletter and we will vote on it at our October meeting.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, 28 October 2026, at Dutch's Daughter in Frederick. Our guest speaker will be Dr. Patti Maclay, MD, who will speak to us on "Seven Deadly Sins - Temptations in Early America." Please make plans to join us and get your reservations in!

Finally, I'd like to thank everyone for their support and friendship over the past four years. While I am a bit sad to be going out of office, I know I am leaving you in good hands.

YMHOS,

Anne

Upcoming Jamestowne Society Events:

Fall Meeting, November 6 & 7, 2026 Richmond, VA
Registration Opens July 7, 2026

First Maryland Company, Jamestowne Society

Proposed Slate 2026 – 2028

Governor:	Barbara Greeley
LT Governor:	Melissa Fischer
Chaplain:	Christina Harle
Secretary:	Valerie Spargo
Treasurer:	Lucien Votta
Registrar:	Karen Janczy
Historian:	William Spencer
Councilors:	Frances Woods
	Dale Howard
	Robert Lumsden

Nominating Committee:

Harry Redd
Anne Henninger
Barbara Greeley

FIRST MARYLAND COMPANY JAMESTOWNE SOCIETY

OCTOBER 2026 ANNUAL MEETING & LUNCHEON

WEDNESDAY, 28 OCTOBER 2026

DUTCH'S DAUGHTER
581 HIMES AVENUE
FREDERICK, MD 21703
SPEAKER: DR. PATTI MACLAY, MD
"SEVEN DEADLY SINS – TEMPTATIONS IN EARLY AMERICA"

11:30--12:00 REGISTRATION AND SOCIAL TIME
12:00 – 12:45 LUNCHEON
12:45 – 1:30 PROGRAM FOLLOWED BY QUESTION & ANSWER PERIOD
1:30 – 2:15 CALL TO ORDER & BUSINESS MEETING
2:15 WRAP UP AND ADJOURN

WE MUST RECEIVE YOUR RESERVATION/REPLY NO LATER THAN MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2026. (FIRM) NO REFUNDS AFTER 1 OCTOBER.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THE FORM BELOW WITH YOUR PAYMENT OF $45.00 PER PERSON TO
MELISSA FISCHER
9265 BEALLS FARM RD
URBANA, MD 21704-7945

PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO FIRST MARYLAND COMPANY

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I,_____ , WILL ATTEND THE 28 OCTOBER MEETING AND WILL BRING _____GUESTS.

ENTREE SELECTION (PLEASE INDICATE HOW MANY OF EACH CHOICE):

NUMBER	ENTRéE	NAME	FOOD ALLERGIES (LIST)
	MARYLAND CRAB SOUP PLUS CHOICE OF:		
_____	FRENCH DIP SANDWICH	_____	_____
_____	DUTCH'S TURKEY WRAP	_____	_____
_____	FLATBREAD VEGETABLE PIZZA WITH CHEESE	_____	_____

PLEASE INDICATE IF YOU REQUIRE A SULFITE-FREE MEAL
EACH ENTRéE INCLUDES: CHEF'S CHOICE OF DESSERT, AND COFFEE, TEA, OR SODA.

IF YOU HAVE (OR YOUR GUEST HAS) FOOD ALLERGIES, BE SURE TO LIST THOSE ALLERGIES TO THE RIGHT OF YOUR (THEIR) ENTRéE SELECTION.

MY CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF $_____ FOR _____ MEAL(S) IS ENCLOSED