



THE EAGLE & THE LAMB

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH



September 2014

Rector's Rambling

With the passing of Labor Day, It is time to begin our new Christian Education Year at St. John's. I'm very excited about some of the offerings we have. Thanks to a generous gift from an anonymous donor, we have been able to add several items to our video curriculum holdings from Vision Video and All Souls' Langham Place, a Church of England parish. They consist of series of 15 to 20 minute discussion starters, which provide background to our own Bible Studies.

Adult Forum- Sundays at 9:10

- 7 Sept. First Sunday Breakfast- Bring a friend!
- 14 September Jesus: The New Way "1 Getting the Kingdom Started"
- 21 Sept. "2 Startling Surprises"
- 28 Sept. "3 Longing for a King"
- 5 Oct. First Sunday Breakfast
- 12 Oct. "Why Did Jesus Die?"
- 19 Oct. "Who Was Jesus?"
- 26 Oct. "The New Claim"

The presenter is Bishop N.T. Wright of the Church of England

Brown Bag Supper with Bible Study Monday at 6 pm followed by Choral Evensong at 7

- 8 Sept. "The Bible: Its Main Sections" with Kully Dhadha
- 15 Sept. "The Bible: Its Inspiration" with Joni Eareckson Tada
- 22 Sept. "The Bible: Its Interpretation" with Ivan Fawzi
- 29 Sept. "The Bible: Its Application" with Joni Eareckson Tada
- 6 Oct. "The Bible: Its Central Theme" with Anne Graham Lotz
- 13 Oct. "The Bible: Its Contents" with Ivan Fawzi

This study is from All Souls' Langham Place in London

Come and bring your dinner and your Bible. We will eat, study, and then pray together!

Wednesday Morning Bible Study at 10:30 am followed by 1928 Holy Communion at noon

- 3 Sept. "I Thess. 1:1-10" Waiting for His Son from Heaven
- 10 Sept. "I Thess. 2:1-16" Who are you trying to please?
- 17 Sept. "I Thess. 2:17-4:12" How are you going to live?
- 24 Sept. "II Thess. 4:13-5:28" What does the future hold for you?
- 1 Oct. "II Thess. 1:1-2:12" When will our suffering end and justice come?
- 8 Oct. "II Thess 2:13-3:18" How are you going to wait?

This study from All Souls' is hosted by Rico Tice, Richard Bewes, and Paul Blackham.

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Youth Pizza, Catechism, and Discussion, Mondays 4:45 to 5:45 at Church.

- 8 Sept. Holy Baptism Book of Common Prayer page 858
- 15 Sept. Baptism- The Traditional Promises BCP page 302
- 22 Sept. Baptism- The Apostle's Creed BCP page 304
- 29 Sept. Baptism- The Covenantal Questions BCP page 304
- 6 Oct. Baptism- The Prayers for the Candidates BCP page 305
- 13 Oct.- Baptism- Water in the Bible BCP page 306
- 20 Oct.- Baptism- Baptism/Confirmation; Living in Community BCP page 308-9

* We will memorize the Creed as a part of this unit of study.

Each session will conclude with Compline in the Chancel.

Youth Lunch, Movie, and Faith Formation meets 4th Sun. at 12:15 (aka "parents free time")

- Sept. 28 "Cars"
- Oct. 26 "Remember the Titans"
- Nov. 23 "Narnia"

We provide food, fellowship, and fun in a safe environment

Childrens' Presentations

- First Sunday- Breakfast and Staffed Nursery at the 10:30 Service.
- Third Sunday- Children's sermon at 10:30
- 21 Sep. Mt. 20:1-16 God loves us: The Laborers in the Vineyard
- 19 Oct. Exodus 33:12-23 God takes care of us: Moses' Prayer
- 16 Nov. Mt. 25:14-30 Giving our best to God: Parable of the Talents
- 21 Dec. Lk. 1:26-38 Getting ready for Jesus' Birthday!: Mary's Answer

I hope that everyone will be able to take advantage of some opportunity for Christian Formation and Education at St. John's this year. It promises to be an exciting time. See you there!

Bill+

The National Alliance on Mental Health is presenting a free educational program for family members, partners and significant others of individuals living with major depression, bipolar disorder, panic disorder, post-traumatic stress disorder, and several others. A series of 12 sessions structured to help caregivers understand and support individuals with serious mental illness while maintaining their own well-being.

Class times: Tuesdays beginning Sept. 2 through Nov. 18th. 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.

Fairfield Medical Center, Assembly Room 1, 401 N. Ewing St., Lancaster.

For caregivers only. **Registration required.** Contact Mark Conrad at mconrad92@gmail.com or 740-243-4933.

**A Reminder
Safe Church Training
in October**

Lori Peden has scheduled a Safe Church Training on October 18, 2014 from 9:00—3:00 pm. Because several of our parishioners have taken this training, we are able to staff our nursery the first Sunday of each month. More trained volunteers allow more flexibility in scheduling church activities. Please consider attending this

There is no surprise more magical than the surprise of being loved: it is God's finger on man's shoulder.

Charles Morgan

Birthdays

- 1 Alex Shook
- 2 Diane Downard
- 3 Kaitlyn Perkins
Fran Utley
- 13 Doug Carr
Jean Hammer
- 15 Linda Lindley
Ora Miesse
- 21 Ashley Snyder
- 24 Cindy White
Rachel Young
- 25 Mike Parker
- 26 Louise Young
- 27 Morgan Spires
- 29 Denise Nunley
Nicholas White
- 30 Jane Hurlley

Wedding Anniversaries

- 10 Ron and Judie Miller (60)
- 17 Jim and Mid Hall (66)
- 21 Bill and Louise Young (85)
- 22 John and Amy Eyman (90)
- 29 Mike and Wendy Garbrandt (01)

Baptismal Anniversaries

- 10 Steve Messerly (50)
- 11 Robin Harris (55)
- 12 Stuart Perlow (93)
- 16 Nick England (50)
- 22 Lloyd Kittle (74)
Mike Whiley (57)
- 25 Milton Taylor (94)
- 27 Amanda Chilenski (87)
Tim Hall (36)
Tyler Spires (98)

Congratulations!!

To Ashley Brooke Williams and Jason Joseph Uhl who were married at St. John's on August 2, 2014.

To Shane Landan Pumphrey and Catherine Nicole Gartrell on their marriage at St. John's on August 9, 2014.

May they "so live together in this world that in the world to come they may have life everlasting."

Congratulations!!

To Rich and Leah Davis on the baptism of their son **Connor** on August 10, 2014. May he serve Christ faithfully all his days, and be a blessing to all who know him.

Our condolences to Joan Reams on the loss of her husband **Robert M. Reams** (1-26-17—8-18-14). May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Fellowship Breakfast

Please join your parish family for breakfast on Sunday, September 7th after the 8 AM Eucharist.

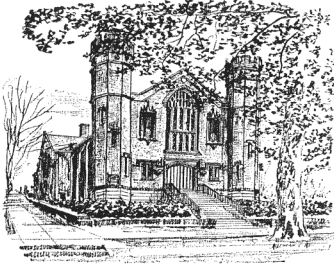
CROP Hunger WALK

St. John's will be participating in the annual CROP Hunger WALK again this year. You can sign up to walk and/or pledge to support walkers on the sign-up sheets at the back of the church. Additionally, you can go to the following website and follow the directions:

http://hunger.cwsglobal.org/site/TR/2014FallCROPHungerWalk/TR-Fall2014?pg=entry&fr_id=19330

For additional information contact Tom Hammer at 687-6134 or thammer1@columbus.rr.com





St. John's Episcopal Church
Broad and Wheeling
Lancaster, Ohio

Back to the Table

Cooking Classes

Taught by Susie Cork
at St. John's Episcopal Church

**Celebrate community & fellowship as we learn to cook together.
Meet new people or get to know your spouse and family all over again.**

Classes are held at 6:15pm to about 8:30pm in the kitchen of St. John's. All classes are hands-on style and require participation in the cooking and clean up. We pair wine with the menu and it's available for a reasonable fee with the meal. Every participant receives a set of typed recipes and will have dinner during the class. Class size is limited to 14 participants.

All proceeds benefit St. John's Church.

The Classes -2014

October 2: Family Night - Trip to Havana**

Cuban Ropa Vieja (slow-cooked beef), Cumin Yellow Rice, Chipotle Crema,
Key Lime Blueberry Crème Brulee. \$35

December 4: Adult Class* - Entertaining Sauces**

Learn to make the classics for entertaining - Béchamel, Béarnaise & Chardonnay Reduction Sauce
Sauces will be served with pasta, grilled steaks, sautéed chicken. \$40.

Details

*The Kids Classes are for kids 8-17 years of age. No adults please.

**Family Classes are for any age group or combination of family members,
provided the children under 17 are accompanied by an adult.

***Adult classes are for 18 years and older

The Instructor

Classes are designed and taught by Susie Cork, who is also the General Manager of Shaw's Restaurant & Inn. A Lancaster native and member of St. John's, Susie is a graduate of The Culinary School at Kendall College in Chicago and honed her skills at Chicago's top restaurants for 17 years. She has taught cooking classes at A La Carte Gourmet Kitchen in Chicago, The Chopping Block Cooking School in Chicago and currently at Shaw's on Saturdays.

Payment & Cancellation Policy

All classes require a prepaid reservation by cash or check made payable to St. John's. Reservations can be made at St. John's Church Services or by calling St. John's Monday-Thursday 9am-1pm. 740-653-3052.

Paid reservations are non-refundable. You are welcome to send someone to take your place in the class.

Reservation Deadline: Payment must be received the Sunday before the day of the class.



September 2014 Serving Schedule

September 7	8:00 AM	10:30 AM	Readings
Lay Readers	Jean Hammer	Jim Hall & Doug Carr	Exodus 12: 1-14
Acolytes		Alex Shook & Katie Shook	Psalm: 149
Lectors	Carl Roshong	Paul Heim & Cecilia Davidson	Romans 13: 8-14
Ushers	Steve Woods & Tim Hall	Tom Howard & Karen Howard	Matthew 18: 15-20
Altar Guild	Bobbie Beebe	Sara Perlow & Mid Hall	Set-up: Deanna Roshong
September 14	8:00 AM	10:30 AM	Readings
Lay Readers	Robin Rhodes	Ivan Smith & Mark Conrad	Exodus 14: 19-31
Acolytes		Libby Garbrandt & Hannah Hurdley	Psalm: 114
Lectors		Sara Perlow & Charlie Voss	Romans 14: 1-12
Ushers	Alex Shook & Katie Shook	John & William Eyman	Matthew 18: 21-35
Altar Guild	Carol Ralph	Jessie Smith, Mid Hall & Judie Miller	Set-up: Anna Adkins & Judie Miller
September 21	8:00 AM	10:30 AM	Readings
Lay Readers	Tom Hammer	Jim Hall & Doug Carr	Exodus 16:2-15
Acolytes		Morgan Spires & Asher Carr	Psalm: 105: 1-6, 37-45
Lectors		Kathy Heim & Holly Perry	Philippians 1: 21-30
Ushers	Carol Uhl & Anna Adkins	Nickie Lecrone & Diane Downard	Matthew 20: 1-16
Altar Guild	Jean Hammer & Carol Uhl	Barb Parker & Deanna Roshong	Set-up: Jean Hammer & Carol Uhl
September 28	8:00 AM	10:30 AM	Readings
Lay Readers	Jean Hammer	Mark Conrad & Ivan Smith	Exodus 17: 1-7
Acolytes		Joanna Carr & William Eyman	Psalm: 78: 1-4,12-16
Lectors		Mark Conrad & Jeanie Conrad	Philippians 2: 1-13
Ushers	Robin Leonard & Mike Whiley	Steve Messerly & Chris Hurdley	Matthew 21: 23-32
Altar Guild	Gitta Sadoni & Peggy Merton	Sally Stallsmith, Chris Hurdley & Reda Kittle	Set-up: Mid Hall & Judie Miller

If you cannot serve as scheduled, it is your responsibility to find a replacement.

St. John's Episcopal Church

September 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 7:00P Choral Evensong	2 8:00P AA Meeting	3 10:30 Bible Study 12:00 HC	4	5	6
7 8:00 HC 9:00 Fellowship Breakfast 9:15 Choir Prac. 10:30 HC	8 4:45 Youth pizza & catechism 6:00P Brown bag Sup. & Bible St. 7:00P Choral Evensong	9 8:00P AA Meeting	10 10:30 Bible Study 12:00 HC	11	12	13
14 8:00 HC 9:10 Adult Forum 9:15 Choir Prac. 10:30 HC	15 4:45 Youth pizza & catechism 6:00P Brown bag Sup. & Bible St. 7:00P Choral Evensong	16 8:00P AA Meeting	17 10:30 Bible Study 12:00 HC	18 1 PM Eagle and Lamb Deadline 7:00P Vestry Meeting	19	20
21 8:00 HC 9:10 Adult Forum 9:15 Choir Prac. 10:30 HC	22 4:45 Youth pizza & catechism 6:00P Brown bag Sup. & Bible St. 7:00P Choral Evensong	23 8:00P AA Meeting	24 10:30 Bible Study 12:00 HC	25 Dinner in Logan	26	27
28 8:00 HC 9:10 Adult Forum 9:15 Choir Prac. 10:30 HC 12:15 Youth*	29 4:45 Youth pizza & catechism 6:00P Brown bag Sup. & Bible St. 7:00P Choral Evensong	30 8:00P AA Meeting				

*The movie "Cars" will be shown. Food, fellowship, and fun in a safe environment will be provided.

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH STAFF

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sermons, visit St. John's website
www.stjohnlancaster.org