Dear Cathedral Family,

For a time, we will call this article Meanwhile. It seems fitting. ‘Meanwhile’ refers to that in-between time, the time before something expected is to happen. Here at Grace & Holy Trinity, we are in “between Deans” time. As most of you know, we have been in our Dean search for quite awhile. But the search will soon come to a close. Meanwhile ... meanwhile, may this continue to be a time of growth for us; our congregational life and ministry continues; God continues to call us to be a servant church, responding to those in need; we are called to be the hands and heart of Jesus in our world; there is much work to be done.

This morning, please join me in welcoming our own Bishop Marty Field as our preacher. In the very near future, we will also welcome retired ELCA Bishop, Roger Gustafson, as our guest preacher.

I invite you to reflect on these words from today’s Psalm: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me (Psalm 51: 10). The heart is the truest part of who we are. It influences what we do. What we treasure, what we value, is where our heart is. These words invite us to become centered and focused on what is important, and to live more fully in Christ.

Peace, joy, love,

Christy Dorn
Priest-in-Charge

The Reverend Jerry Grabher

Deacon Jerry was ordained and commissioned as a missionary of the United Methodist Church September 14, 1969. He attended several universities, eventually receiving his Master of Divinity and Master of Christian Education degrees. His journey has taken him to the Belgian Congo, other parts of Africa and the Philippines. He has served at Countryside UMC in Topeka, on the Conference Staff of the Kansas East Conference, as Director of the National UMC Camp Conference Board and Director of Spectrum Resource—Camp Conference Consultants. Upon retirement, he returned to Kansas City and attended St. Mary’s Episcopal Church. On August 27, 2001, he was ordained a Deacon in the Episcopal Church and came to Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral November 7, 2010.
Dear friends in Christ,

My heart delights in the Sunday we spent together! Your worship, praise and thanksgiving was everything I hoped it would be, everything I know to be true about you and our beloved cathedral. We were blessed to hear together still again the lessons from scripture, to say prayers from deep in our souls and to share the Holy Feast. The music of hymns, psalms and anthems do honor to you, and, more importantly, to God. Even this morning I am re-reading the cards and notes you gave me, and remembering the words we shared in Founders Hall—your well-wishes and thanks, your hopes for me and for yourselves in the time to come. I find God’s great peace surrounding my memories of our time together. I wish for you only those good gifts and mercies that you so richly deserve.

Thank you for the gifts. I will treasure the books, the flowers, the jewelry, and the monetary offerings. Most of all, I am thankful for your friendships during a difficult time. Your generosity of spirit will be the balm that soothes the loss I feel in departing my beloved Cathedral. When you hear that I’m holed up reading and pondering God’s generosity, join me! When you hear that I’ve gone to stay in Ireland or Wales for several months, or that I’ve gone exploring in Alaska, remember that you helped make still another pilgrimage possible for me—and that my gratitude is unbounded. For you and for God.

May we see one another again and meet in love and thanksgiving!

Thank You

Up Next

Movie Night at the Cathedral—September
September 20 • 6 p.m.
If you’re a movie buff, you won’t want to miss our Movie Night. We’ll meet downstairs in the Founders’ Hall Cathedral Café for a potluck dinner (please bring a dish to share) and movie, followed by discussion. The movie for September is RBG.

Yoga on the Lawn
September 21 • 1 p.m.
Join us for Yoga on the Lawn, a three-part outdoor yoga series this summer. Our third session will be Saturday, September 21 from 1–2 p.m. All are welcome to join in the free, 60 minute, all-level classes. Bring your yoga mat or towel, a water bottle and enjoy the great outdoors!

Children’s & Family Ministry Meeting
September 22 • 11:30 a.m.
Please join us during coffee hour after the 10:15 a.m. service in the walled-off carpeted area. Families are invited to meet Children’s Ministry leaders, learn more about what happens during Godly Play and chapel sessions, and hear about upcoming activities.

Readers Book Club
September 22 • 11:45 a.m.
Our next meeting is on Sunday, September 22 in the Founders’ Hall Multipurpose Room. We will discuss Where the Crawdads Sing, written by Delia Owens. For additional information contact Jackye Finnie, jpfinnie@aol.com, or Joyce Morrow, jemorrow@kc.rr.com.
Pickleball at Chicken N Pickle  
**September 28 • 11 a.m.**  
Hosted by Children's and Family Ministry  
Brunch is on you and pickleball is on us! We have two courts reserved in the indoor area from 11 a.m. until 12 noon. Come early for brunch or just come to socialize and play. Please RSVP by September 25 to childrensformation@kccathedral.org.

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Up Next (cont.)

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**Blessing of the Animals**—October 6  
**Movie Night at the Cathedral**—October—October 18

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Cathedral Caregivers Prayer List

Pray for: Leonard Steinle; Laura Heid; Jason Knetter’s family & friends; Advilda Sawyer; Yolie Polakowski; Lois Stewart; Nan Schooling; Dave Gaddy-Cox; Phineas Gitta; Ken McCandless; David Poole; Gaelle Marchand; Laurie Brenner Powell; Eric & Burma Cenovich; Bryan & Linda England; Donna & Mark McGuire; The Brauer family; The Decker family; Terri Curran’s family; Mike Daniels; Carolyn McGlothen; Pat Martin; Godly Play training & participants; Thaddeus Samuel Withers; Bethany Cheshier; Mike Heid; Aldyn Leive; Sarah & Nick Aylward; Lida Moffett; Harley Miller; Berta; Peggy Morgan; Charlie Morgan.

To place a person on this prayer list, please use a prayer request card found in the pews or contact the church office: communications@kccathedral.org. Requests are held in prayer for 90 days.

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Birthdays, Anniversaries & Flowers...Oh My

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**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

September 15  
Karla Kelly  
Cliff & Janel Mosley  
September 16  
Marsha Beggs  
Jeff Johnson  
Julie Brogno  
Jeff & Holly Johnson  
September 17  
Sarah McCasland  
Amy McCasland  
Marian McCasland  
Jane Vaughn-Williams  
Richard Moore & Linda Hezel  
September 18  
Reagan Cheshier  
Lana Batiste  
Gay & Brett Purcell  
September 19  
Julia Moreno Akins  
September 20  
Marian Philip  
Caroline Bennett  
Ryan Bennett  
Bruce & Lill Weekes  
Alan & Phyllis Ryder  
Eddie & Sandy Carter  
September 21  
Carmen Quintero  
Terry Meier  
Julian Mattson  
Everett Newton

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**Today’s Flowers**

to the Glory of God and ...

- in loving memory of Ron McLeroy—Carolyn McLeroy
- in thanksgiving for the Rev. Evelyn Hornaday’s services—the Gitta family

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To donate toward the weekly flower cost of $225, sign up online at kccathedral.org/flowers or contact the Cathedral office, jsweeting@kccathedral.org or 816.474.8260 ext. 144. Any amount is appreciated.
Ongoing Stuff

**Adult Forum**—*Jesus and the Gospels*—Sundays • 9:15 a.m. • Haden Hall Purple Door Room
**Abiding Prayer**—*Following the Mystics*—Mondays • 7:15 p.m. • Haden Hall Purple Door Room
**Women’s Bible Study**—Tuesdays • 12:30 p.m. • Common Room
**Brown Bag Lunch Conversations**—Thursdays • 11:30 a.m. • Founders’ Hall Multipurpose Room
**Qigong and Tai Chi**—Thursdays • 12:45 p.m. • Common Room
**The Cloud of Unknowning**—1st & 3rd Thursdays, starting Sept. 19 • 7:15 p.m. • Common Room

This Week’s Calendar

**Sunday • September 15**

- 8 a.m.  Holy Eucharist  (Nave)
- 9 a.m.  Hospitality Time  (Founders’ Hall)
- 9:15 a.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Children's Choir  (Haden Hall Blue Door Room)
- 9:15 a.m.  Adult Forum: *Jesus and the Gospels*  (Haden Hall Purple Door Room)
- 10:15 a.m.  Holy Eucharist  (Nave)
- 10:20 a.m.  Children's Chapel & Godly Play  (start in Nave, then Haden Hall)
- 11:30 a.m.  Hospitality Time  (Founders’ Hall)
- 5 p.m.  Choral Evensong  (Nave)
- 6 p.m.  Concert: Clarion  (Nave)

**Monday • September 16**

- 7:15 p.m.  Abiding Prayer: *Following the Mystics*  (Haden Hall Purple Door Room)

**Tuesday • September 17**

- 7:30 a.m.  Conversations & Coffee  (Founders’ Hall Café)
- 12:30 p.m.  Women’s Bible Study  (Common Room)

**Wednesday • September 18**

- 12:05 p.m.  Holy Eucharist  (Chapel)
- 6 p.m.  Rehearsal: Tallis Singers  (Haden Hall)
- 6:45 p.m.  Youth Group  (Haden Hall Youth Room)

**Thursday • September 19**

- 11:30 a.m.  Brown Bag Lunch Conversations  (Founders’ Hall Multipurpose Room)
- 12:45 p.m.  Tai Chi & Qigong  (Common Room)
- 6 p.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Handbell Ensemble  (Haden Hall)
- 7 p.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Choir  (Haden Hall Purple Door Room)
- 7:15 p.m.  *The Cloud of Unknowing*  (Common Room)

**Friday • September 20**

- 6 p.m.  Movie Night at the Cathedral  (Common Room)

**Saturday • September 21**

- 1 p.m.  Yoga on the Lawn  (North Lawn)

**Sunday • September 22**

- 8 a.m.  Holy Eucharist  (Nave)
- 9 a.m.  Hospitality Time  (Founders’ Hall)
- 9:15 a.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Children's Choir  (Haden Hall Blue Door Room)
- 9:15 a.m.  Adult Forum: *Jesus and the Gospels*  (Haden Hall Purple Door Room)
- 10:15 a.m.  Holy Eucharist  (Nave)
- 10:20 a.m.  Children's Chapel & Godly Play  (start in Nave, then Haden Hall)
- 11:30 a.m.  Hospitality Time/Children’s Ministry Meeting  (Founders’ Hall)
- 11:45 a.m.  Readers Book Club  (Founders’ Hall Multipurpose Room)
- 5 p.m.  Order for Evening & Holy Eucharist  (Nave)

Visit [hccathedral.org](http://hccathedral.org) for more calendar information.