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FROM THE DEAN

An Ever-Changing City Is Our Catalyst

This week I gave a groundbreaking benediction. Starting very soon 242 housing units are going up two blocks west of the Cathedral. The mayor, dignitaries, developers, neighbors, schoolchildren, downtown movers and shakers are to be present to turn over the first spadeful of ground. I and my counterpart at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception bookended the ceremony with public prayer.

A piece of Cathedral history we like to pull out and display at newcomers' gatherings is a large, framed aerial photograph of the then Grace Church taken in the early 20th century. The church, minus a tower, sits in a neighborhood very different from today. Businesses and larger buildings fill the scene across Broadway to the east. To the south, west and north there are city mansions and row houses surrounding the stone church and parish house. This bird's eye view was taken with a camera the size of a piano and held aloft with a kite! It captures a dynamic and prosperous time.

Neighborhood and church would change in a few short years. The well-to-do would move to more salubrious points south, away from the stockyards and westerly winds. By the early 1920s the first baby wellness station in the country would be started in the Parish House. It would last until the 1950s. By this time Grace Church had merged with Trinity Church (1917) to become Grace and Holy Trinity Church. It would be named a Cathedral Church in 1934.

Throughout the mid-20th century the west side neighborhoods became the home of workers and poor people. By the 1970s a revival of the Quality Hill neighborhood would begin. New housing was built reminiscent of architecture from the district's late 19th century heyday. Remaining historic structures were restored. The population shifted.

By the early 1980s west side neighborhoods were populated both by persons living on small incomes and more prosperous people moving into new and renovated housing. For various reasons, this was also a time when the poor and homeless populations increased. The Kansas City Community Kitchen was started in response to urgent need by the Cathedral congregation in 1983. It would become part of an ecumenical web of homeless and poor services in the downtown area. Weekday lunch was served at the Cathedral campus until a few years ago when the Kitchen moved to 8th and Paseo, a location closer to the main populations it serves.

And now, the neighborhood is changing once again. The downtown population is growing. The streetcar on Main Street will no doubt affect our neighborhood in ways not yet imagined. In a changing cityscape this Cathedral church has adapted and responded. When other churches moved south, it elected to stay in place. When adjacent lots were available its visionaries assembled a park-like campus. Its people responded, and still respond, to need on its doorstep.

Today the Cathedral congregation is an economically, geographically and increasingly racially diverse gathering. Our neighborhood is in the city limits and beyond them. It is in every direction of the compass. It is Missouri and Kansas. At this time I believe we are being called once again to change and grow with our neighborhood and our city. It's time to collect our prayers, visions, fears and hopes and take risk and initiative in ministry. What comes next, God knows. Were it possible to have a Spirit's eye view of what has been, is, and lies ahead, I pray that our current time will be seen as one of faithfulness, vision and response to human need. May that be the benediction that empowers us.

—Peter

Treasurer's Report

For the month of March, Income was in line with last year as higher endowment income and better parking receipts offset lower pledge payments. In addition, expenses were lower than last year, primarily in the property area due to the timing of insurance

payments and property repairs.

For the first three months, income was up substantially over 2014, as pledge, plate and endowment income were all higher than last year. In addition, expenses for the

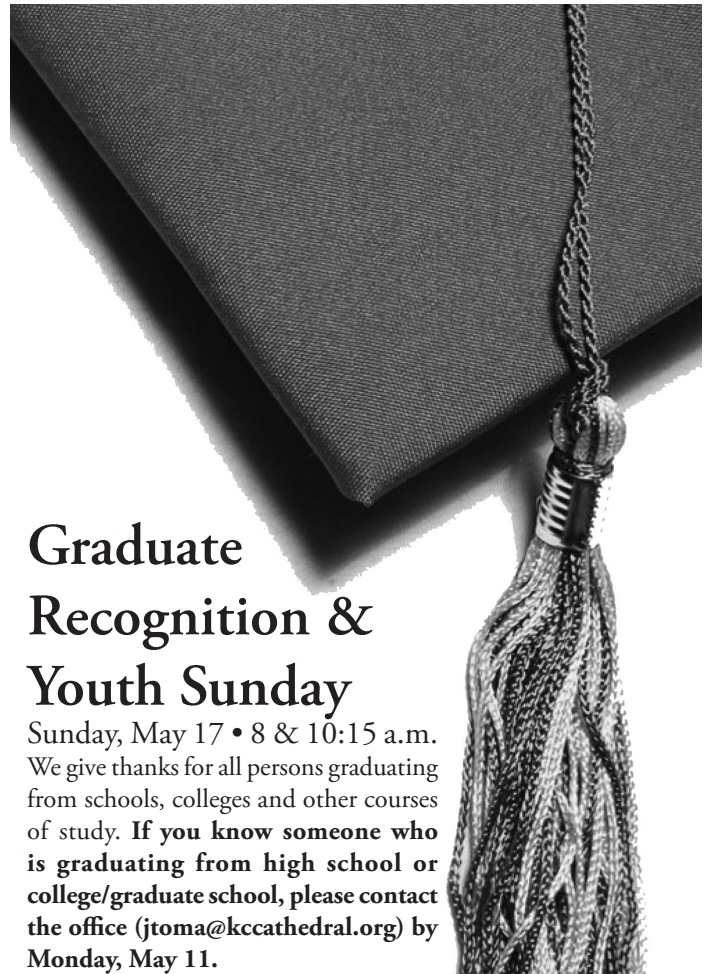
quarter were in line with last year. The combination of higher income and in-line expenses led to a substantially smaller deficit this year than the Cathedral experienced last year. Since the first quarter is usually a time of weak income and high expenses some deficit is normal for the first quarter and a smaller one is quite helpful to the Cathedral's financial position.

Pledge and plate receipts started strongly this year and helped maintain a solid financial base for the Cathedral. Members of the congregation are asked to remember the importance of timely pledge payments in helping the Cathedral fulfill its mission to the Kansas City area.

—Chuck Ritter, Treasurer

March	2015 MTD	2014 MTD
Income	\$ 99,439	\$ 100,024
Expenses	\$ 126,486	\$ 141,105
Net Total	\$ (27,047)	\$ (41,081)

	2015 YTD	2014 YTD
Income	\$ 394,948	\$ 350,830
Expenses	\$ 424,316	\$ 426,771
Net Total	\$ (29,368)	\$ (75,941)



Graduate Recognition & Youth Sunday

Sunday, May 17 • 8 & 10:15 a.m.

We give thanks for all persons graduating from schools, colleges and other courses of study. **If you know someone who is graduating from high school or college/graduate school, please contact the office (jtoma@kccathedral.org) by Monday, May 11.**



Family Ministry Lunch, May 3, 11:45 a.m.

Let's celebrate spring with a picnic lunch. We'll have tables and some games set up on the lawn across from Founders' Hall. The main dish will be provided, please bring a side dish or dessert to share. RSVP to Julie Brogno at childrensformation@kccathedral.org. The next Family Ministry lunch will take place in September.

Pentecost, May 24

Children present during the service will be invited to help fill the baptismal font to celebrate with those who are baptized this day. Children's Chapel and Godly Play will not meet.

Family Camp, May 31

Children's Chapel and Godly Play will not meet at the Cathedral. We will be having Eucharist at camp!

PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, May 17 • 11:45 a.m.

Burgers, brats and hot dogs are provided.

Please bring a dish to share (salad, side or dessert) and lawn chairs.

Dress casually and enjoy this time of fellowship!



MUSIC News



Peter Yardley-Jones in Recital

Peter Yardley-Jones, English organ virtuoso, will play a recital on the Cathedral organ Sunday, May 10, 7 p.m. The recital is the first major organ performance on the upgraded Kney organ.

Mr. Yardley-Jones is no stranger to Kansas City and the Cathedral. Some years ago, he played several services for us here at the Cathedral. He also played a much acclaimed recital at the Community of Christ Temple.



Of even greater significance, he was organist for the Trinity Choir's 2013 tour of Great Britain, and he has been engaged to play the 2016 tour to Exeter and Norwich.

Mr. Yardley-Jones is currently director of music and organist at the Swiss Church in Covent Garden, London. Widely respected as a performer, he was awarded the Muriel Thorne Hague Memorial Prize, by the University of Glasgow (2010) for achieving "the greatest distinction in performance" and won first prize in the nationwide Geoffrey Spiers Organ Competition (2005). As a recitalist he has performed solo recitals at some of the United Kingdom's most prestigious venues including Dundee's famed Caird Hall, The Kelvingrove Art Gallery in Glasgow and St John's College, Cambridge as part of the Cambridge Summer Music Festival.

As of the printing of *The Angelus*, we do not know what music he will offer us here; but we know that he will play brilliantly and explore the entire resources of the Cathedral's splendid organ.

We will invite an at-door donation of \$10. We hope that there will be a large audience for this splendid musician.

—John Schaefer, director of music

Music Events in May

May 1

The William Baker Festival Singers Spring Concert
8 p.m., Nave

May 3

BACHATHON, music of J.S. Bach
2–7 p.m., Nave

May 9

The William Jewell Concert Choir Tour Concert
7:30 p.m., Nave

May 10

Ancora Chorale Spring Concert
2 p.m., Nave

Peter Yardley-Jones, British organist, in recital

7 p.m., Nave

May 17

Choral Evensong
5 p.m., Nave

May 24

Jan Kraybill, Helzberg Organ Conservator, in recital
2 p.m., Nave

May 31

Hausmusik; Soprano, viols, recorders; in concert
2 p.m., Founders' Hall

For more information on
any of these events, contact
John Schaefer, 816-474-8260



The day of Resurrection has come again.

The winter has melted away; the day has overcome
the darkness; the flowers spring forth from the hollows
of the earth; and the birds are in their song.

He is risen, and the light of the world dwells among us.
Let us sing unto the Lord and be glad.

e.c. binford, Easter 2015

FLOWER THANKSGIVINGS AND MEMORIALS

Easter, April 5 to the Glory of God ...

IN THANKSGIVING FOR

Thanksgiving & Glory to God by Sara Gaggens
My family by Carol Coleman
Our grandchildren: Holland, Sheridan, Anne and Jack H.
by Jack and Marie Whitacre
By Premkumar & Caroline John
Maddie & Jack by Dr. & Mrs. John Goheen
Georgia Capshaw by Donna Sumpter
Jay and her family by Gene McLaughlin
Our daughter, Noel, and our grandson, Gordon
by Harley & Patricia Miller
Linda & Alain by Denny A. Brisley
My family by Carol Coleman
Jesus
Marilyn, Michael & Andrew
Our family by Ron & Carolyn McLeroy
The staff and people of the Cathedral,
our son and daughter-in-law by Peter & Mary DeVeau
My family — The Bennetts, Bob, Tara, Ryan,
Caroline and Patrick by Dick Fickle
The Way by Gary and Sandy Bressman
Clergy, Staff and Friends at GHTC by Barbara Bucker
Family, Friends and Fellowship by Jackye & Joe Finnie
Bryant Johnson on his Confirmation by Jeff, Valerie & Eliza
My children and grandchildren by Sarah Ingram-Eiser
Our children and grandchildren by Ellen & Brent Spake
Many blessings by Marlene R. Link
My sister Teresa Eashom by Taloyre Mahoney
Our children and grandchildren
by Michael & Cathy Thomas
Alex and Miguel by Amy Cornwell
My children Melisa and Scott Burns, and grandchildren
Nathan, Sean and Eric by Patricia E. Burns
My daughters and their families by Mary Shaw Branton
The Trinity Choir
The marriage of Sarah and Blain Lagergren
by Mary Lagergren
Minda and Derwin Flener, The Schmidt Family, The Lake
Family, The Zarda Family by Miranda & Tyler Schmidt
By Robert Trapp
By Wade & Joan Nelson
By Charles Halterman
By Linda & Bob Carlson
By Jeanne Estevez

To donate toward the flowers to celebrate a special event or remember a loved one, contact the Cathedral office (816.474.8260 ext. 103 or jsweeting@kccathedral.org) or sign up (and pay) online: www.kccathedral.org/flowers.

IN MEMORY OF

Marilyn Lacey McMullen
Jose M. Cavazos by the Cavazos Family
John Sumpter by Donna Sumpter
Dorothy Hartman, Steve and Pauline Caruso,
and Charlene Walton by Jim & Pattie Phillips
Betty, Berry, and Douglas by Gene McLaughlin
Ellis Thomas Johnson, Jr.
Our parents by Harley & Patricia Miller
Newt Lewis, Anne & Clarence Hansen by Gordon Hansen
Rev. Dr. Richard Preis
Billie N. Wallace by Herman Wallace
Loyd, Hazel, Don & Jerry Smith and Frank,
Mary & Augusta Fanolio by Richard & Jill Fanolio
Richard and Josephine Jensen, Marcus & Helen Meek
by Jim & Karen Meek
John Ingram-Eiser, Susan Barlow, Virginia & Max Foresman,
Dr. Tim Sifers by Sarah Ingram-Eiser
Our parents by Paget & Tom Higgins
Bill Chinnery by Sharon Chinnery
Karol Stewart Mitko and Dale Lee Sweeting
by Janet Stewart Sweeting & Ric Sweeting
Bob Radcliff by Joyce McIntosh
The Link Family by Marlene R. Link
Ellis Thomas Johnston by Rev. Michael Johnston
Maggie Jacobs Barr by Brent Adrian Barr
The Burke Family by Beverly R. Burke
Dorothy Hartman, Steve & Pauline Caruso,
Charlene Walton by Jim & Pattie Phillips
Marsh Henderson by Paula & Alexandra Connors
The Wilbon Family by Augusta Wilbon
Barbara and David by Amy Cornwell
My parents by Mary Shaw Branton
Betty, Berry & Douglas
Charles Bergston
Philip and Barbara Rahm and Creighton Hart
by Phyllis R. Hart
Genevieve Ruby, Lyod Yontz, Dennis & Danny Flener,
William and Catherine Derringer
by Miranda & Tyler Schmidt
Estell Campbell by Jeanne Estevez

Wreaths on the Tower doors were made possible by the Sally Kemper Wood Memorial Fund.

April Flowers, to the Glory of God ...

April 12

- in loving memory of my father, Robert H. Veasie
— Ruth Finet

Lenten Outreach Aids Many

During the Lenten season members of the Cathedral helped many in our community through their generous donations.

St. Mary's Pantry: 456 lbs. of food donated

- 67 jars of peanut butter
- 165 cans of hearty soup
- 252 boxes of mac and cheese
- 40 boxes of potatoes
- 37 cans of pasta
- 133 cans of tuna
- 60 cans of chicken

Easter Baskets: 210 Easter Baskets were assembled for Crittenton and Kaw Valley Children's Centers.

- The Trinity Teens made 37 Easter Bags for the children who currently are residing at Sheffield Place.
- 20 Easter Treat Bags were made for the children who visit St. Mary's Food Pantry.

337 Family Bags were assembled and delivered to the BackSnack program for spring break.

Over 1,600 paper items were collected for the women at Sheffield Place.

- 60 rolls of paper towels
- 39 boxes of Kleenex
- 149 rolls of toilet paper
- 1388 feminine hygiene products

The Social Outreach committee would like to thank all those who participated in these activities knowing that you helped to make the lives of those in our community better.

ECS Volunteer of the Year

Episcopal Community Services and the Kansas City Community Kitchen recently honored Carol Whitehead as "Volunteer of the Year." At KCCCK, Carol prepares meals, serves lunch and delivers Meals on Wheels. She also volunteers each week for BackSnack and reads to children at a free health clinic. We are very fortunate to have Carol in our congregation!



From a recent Sheffield Place Facebook post: *A huge thank you goes out to Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral for the generous collection of paper goods to benefit the families at Sheffield Place. The paper towels, toilet paper, facial tissues, feminine hygiene supplies, and Easter baskets for the children will be put to immediate use! Here, outreach chair Terri Curran is pictured with the donations. Your partnership makes a difference!*

Onesies for Mother's Day

Help us collect 150 onesies for Maison de Naissance! The drive runs from May 3 through May 17. Mother's Day was chosen as the time to make this request to show the new mothers and their families that we care about them, while honoring our own mothers. MN continues to provide a clean, safe place not only for the delivery of a healthy baby, but also to ensure the health and well-being of the mother. Please note: Haiti gets very hot this time of year, so we request only short-sleeved onesies in small sizes, nothing larger than 6 months. They can be white or in colors. Please bring your donations to the collection basket in the Tower. Thank you for your generosity.



The Courage to Grow Old

A Workshop With Barbara C. Crafton

Saturday, May 9 • 9 a.m.–3 p.m. • Founders' Hall

Growing old is a gift from God that some people would rather not accept. The Rev. Barbara Crafton shares reflections that inform, entertain, and challenge us to live into our age with joy and wonder. The Rev. Barbara Crafton is an Episcopal priest, spiritual director and author. An actress, director and producer, she has worked for many years in combining the lively arts and the life of faith.

Workshop Schedule

9–9:30	Registration and Coffee
9:30–10:30	First Talk: <i>The “O” Word</i>
10:30–11:15	Quiet time
11:15–12:30	Second Talk: <i>What Is Beauty?</i> <i>What Is Strength?</i>
12:30–1:30	Lunch
1:30–3:00	Third Talk: <i>The Also Life</i>
3:00	Farewell



— *I hate it when people are
ashamed of being old.
We should be proud!* —

Workshop cost is \$20.

Register online at kccathedral.org.

Rev. Crafton also preaches at the 8:00 and 10:15 a.m. services at the Cathedral on Sunday, May 10.

Visit kccathedral.org for more information.



Easter at the Cathedral

Register
Today!

GHTC FAMILY CAMP!

MAY 29-31, 2015

HEARTLAND CENTER PARKVILLE, MO

The schedule ...

- Friday, May 29: Check in after 5:00 p.m.
- Saturday, May 30: Enjoy all that Heartland Center has to offer, with three full meals included.
- Sunday, May 31: Begin the day with breakfast, followed by Eucharist and lunch before departing.

The fun ...

one hour of swimming on
Saturday
hiking trails
horseshoes
sand volleyball
Ga Ga Ball (for all ages)
disc golf
campfire on Saturday night
(with s'mores!)

And much more ...

Families come in all shapes and sizes. At Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral, we appreciate the value of diversity, and we welcome all.

The details ...

Lodging: Cray Lodge, which has a Great Room. Each guest room has two double beds.

Sign up online: kccathedral.org/?p=4562

Cost: \$150 per family. Full payment due at time of reservation.

Contact: Julie Brogno, childrensformation@kccathedral.org,
or Rev. Christy Dorn, cdorn@kccathedral.org.



36th Annual Bachathon

May 3, 2015, 2-7 p.m.
at the Cathedral

*Come when you can,
leave when you must!*

Visit kicago.com/bachathon

Giving to GHTC Just Got Easier!

A new online, mobile and text giving service is now available at Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral. **SecureGive** is a simple and secure online system that lets you quickly and securely donate to GHTC. Simply logon to **kccathedral.securegive.com**, and follow the instructions, or go to **kccathedral.org**, and click on the **Online Giving** icon located at the top of each page. Smartphones users can download the **SecureGive Mobile app**, if you prefer to manage your donations on your mobile device.

Registered or anonymous donations can be done at kccathedral.securegive.com at any time. Options include Checking/ACH, Credit/Debit cards and Text to Give (TTG).

Scan to go to the SecureGive site:



More on Text to Give

To donate to GHTC using your mobile phone, text a keyword and amount to our TTG number 816-366-8899.

These keywords are currently available:

- Donate
- Outreach
- Flowers
- Discretionary

For example, if you would like to donate \$20 to the Outreach, you would text "Outreach 20."

If you are using Text to Give for the first time:

- You will receive a text containing a link to login to your SecureGive account.
- If you do not have a SecureGive account, you can create one through the link given.
- You can then save your card information to your SecureGive account, allowing instant recognition of your credentials when you make future Text to Give donations.

Dean's Forum

Sundays, 9:15 a.m.

May 3, Elizabeth Boe, Officer: Global Networking with the national Episcopal Church, will speak on her work with global partnerships. May 10, we welcome Rev. Barbara Crafton. (See related article on page 6.)

May 17, we begin "It's in the Book," a look at the many treasures and resources for prayer found in the Book of Common



Prayer. Someone referred to the less well known parts of the Prayer Book as "beyond the dirty pages!" (the outside edges of the center pages containing The Holy Eucharist in the Prayer Book are almost always soiled due to continual use). Come ready to mine the rich treasures of the Book of Common Prayer.

Cliff Spring Reunion

There will be a reunion for former Cliff Springs campers June 26–28. Please see the Cliff Springs Camp site on Facebook for details, or contact Gayle June, gjune0@gmail.com. This reunion is for all former campers and families.



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Weekly Activities

Sunday

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:15 a.m. Adult Formation
9:30 a.m. Youth Formation
10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist & Children's Chapel
5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Monday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist
7:15 p.m. Centering Prayer

Tuesday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist
1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study
2:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study

Wednesday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist
5:45 p.m. The Tallis Singers
6:00 p.m. The Way
6:15 p.m. Grace Choraliens
6:45 p.m. Trinity Teens Youth Group

Thursday

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist
1:30 p.m. Centering Prayer
6:00 p.m. Cathedral Bell Ringers
7:30 p.m. Trinity Choir

Friday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Highlights for May

1 • FRIDAY

8:00 p.m. Concert: Baker Festival Singers

2 • SATURDAY

11:00 a.m. Women's Ministry Luncheon

3 • SUNDAY

11:45 a.m. Family Ministry Lunch
2:00 p.m. Bachathon

9 • SATURDAY

9:00 a.m. Barbara Crafton Workshop
8:00 & 10:15 a.m. Barbara Crafton Preaches

10 • SUNDAY

2:00 p.m. Concert: The Ancora Chorale
7:00 p.m. Recital: Peter Yardley-Jones

14 • THURSDAY

6:00 p.m. Saint Luke's Hospice
Celebration of Life

17 • SUNDAY

3:30 p.m. Conception Abbey Deanery
5:00 p.m. Choral Evensong

20 • WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. St. Mark's Deanery

24 • SUNDAY

2:00 p.m. Recital: Jan Kraybill

25 • MONDAY — MEMORIAL DAY

Church Offices & Buildings Closed

28 • THURSDAY

5:30 p.m. Vestry

29-31 • FRIDAY-SUNDAY

Family Ministry Camp at Heartland Center

Coming Next Month

June 7 Concert: Joyce Steeby & Paul Davidson
June 21 Concert/Tea: St. David's Welsh Society
June 30 Mennonite Triennial Conference