

The Angelus

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God is our refuge and strength

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The psalmist proclaims,

a very present help in trouble.

Therefore we will not fear,

though the earth be moved,

and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea.

Though its waters rage and foam,

and though the mountains tremble at its tumult.

The Lord of hosts is with us,

the God of Jacob is our stronghold." (Ps 46:1-4)

As we live each day through the present financial situation, we are called to place our trust in God. Though worry and anxiety are real, so is the presence of the Living God. Our help is the Name of the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.

In such times, the people of God learn what it means to be a community, to provide for one another, and to love our neighbors as ourselves.

First, we pray. We cast our cares on God, and seek God's strength and wisdom.

Second, prayer shapes us, that we might give and receive. If we find our difficulties are relatively manageable compared to those of others, we find ways to share what we have. But if we ourselves are in need, then with grateful hearts may we accept the generosity of others. Accepting the genuine kindness of a friend or stranger blesses both receiver and giver.

During difficult economic times, stress builds as people seek to provide for themselves and their families the basic necessities of life: food and shelter. On the following page are a few local resources for assistance that may be of use to you or to your neighbors. Whether agency or parish program, all these outreach sources are supported by offerings and donations.

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SOP = Stewardship of People

In many organizations, SOP means "Standard Operating Procedures," but at the Cathedral SOP means "Stewardship of People."

In last month's issue of *The Angelus*, John Hornbeck discussed one of two major initiatives which came out of the September 13 meeting of the Cathedral's visioning group: an initiative to explore ways in which Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral can minster and be a resource to Kansas City's downtown.

The other initiative has the working title of "Stewardship of People." It will focus on how Cathedral members minister to and care for one another, how we communicate with each other, how we touch each other's lives, how we "seek and serve Christ" in each other — through our different small groups, committees, and ministries at GHTC.

This initiative will use a model known as Appreciative Inquiry — a paradigm for self-evaluation that emerged decades ago (Google Appreciative Inquiry for more info on the concept). It evaluates organizational processes by asking, "What works? What do we do well? What gives energy to our organization?" Those who have used Appreciative Inquiry generally report that creativity is heightened because the energy is positive. The areas

in which an organization has potential for growth and improvement thereby benefit from that positive energy.

Using this model, Stewardship of People will ask, "What is right with us? What needs are being met and what systems are in place that enable the needs to be met? What can we learn from these that can carry over into existing and new pastoral care initiatives?

Stewardship of People will begin with examining how many of us are engaged in the myriad small groups, committees, and ministries of the Cathedral — who is on the vestry, in the (continued on page 5)

Lord God, we live in disturbing days:

across the world,

prices rise,

debts increase,

banks collapse,

jobs are taken away,

and fragile security is under

threat.

Loving God, meet us in our fear and hear our prayer:
be a tower of strength amidst the shifting sands,
and a light in the darkness;
help us receive your gift of peace,

and fix our hearts where true joys are to be found, in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Kansas City Community Kitchen

Each weekday, from noon until 2 p.m., the Kansas City Community Kitchen, lower level, Cathedral's Founders' Hall, serves between 400 and 600 hot meals. Anyone who is hungry is welcome. The KCCK provides a safe environment for all who eat and volunteer.

The Cathedral's Discretionary Fund Assistance

The Discretionary Fund addresses needs of both congregation and community members. This fund is used exclusively to assist people in need of food, rent, utilities, medical bills and transportation. Payments are not made to individuals, but to vendors, such as a pharmacy dispensing medication or a local utility company. Any member of the clergy can be approached with a request for assistance and to learn about the fund's guidelines.

RAMP - Rent and Mortgage Assistance Program

This Cathedral program currently serves clients who are not members of the cathedral congregation and providing funds for rent and mortgage assistance. In the event that a referral to another agency is in order, information about additional sources of assistance is available. The program operates from the Multipurpose Room on the lower level of Founders' Hall. Clients enter from the Broadway entrance near the entrance to the KCCK. Open from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on the second Thursday of each month. Those coming for assistance must arrive between 8:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. People requesting assistance must call 214-9951 to learn about what documents (i.e.: proof of identity, verifiable need, etc) they must bring with them when applying for assistance.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church Meals and Pantry

St. Mary's provides a hot lunch from 11:30

Give to the departed eternal rest.

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

- Marilyn McMullen
- Ralph Haneke, Paula Connor's uncle
- Maurice Hayward, Canon Sommer's uncle

a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays and distributes groceries between noon and 1 p.m. The program serves an average of 600 meals every month and distributes a weekly bag of groceries to approximately 65 downtown households. St. Mary's Church, 1307 Holmes, Kansas City, MO.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church Food

St. Paul's Food Pantry provides a bag of emergency food for clients. The Pantry is open on Tuesdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. until noon. Clients may visit twice each month.

Adult bag contains: applesauce, fruit mix, corn, green beans, pork & beans, tuna, tuna helper, spaghetti-1lb, saltines-1 sleeve, mac & cheese, soap-1 bar, tissue-1 roll, franks-1lb, ground turkey-1lb.

Children's bag contains: peanut butter, jelly, Vienna sausage, ravioli, Spaghetti Os, ramen noodles, mac & cheese, cereal, saltines-1 sleeve.

St. Paul's Church is at 11 East 40th, Kansas City, Mo. (816-913-2850).

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Emergency Assistance

The Emergency Assistance ministry provides food, clothing, transportation, rent and utility assistance. Open from 1 to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. Over 1,000 people served annually. This center is one of the very few places in Kansas City that provides bus passes to those who are going on job interviews or doctor appointments as well as bus tickets for stranded people to get back home, attend a family funeral, etc. CIC is at 416 West 12th Street at Broadway, Kansas City. Mo.

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Saturday & Sunday Meals

The Hospitality House, located in Donnelly Hall, serves free lunches each Saturday and Sunday. Each weekend 300-400 guests are served

OUR PRIMARY MISSION as the Episcopal Cathedral church in the heart of the City is to be a servant church. We seek and serve Christ in all people, loving our neighbors as ourselves and working for justice, peace and respect for every human being.

sandwich lunches, fruit, snacks and whenever possible a hot entrée. Guests include individuals who are homeless as well as the working poor, elderly and disabled. Meals are served 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday and 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. on Sunday. CIC is at 416 West 12th Street at Broadway, Kansas City. Mo.

Northland Infant Clothing Center at Church of the Redeemer

The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer offers recycled baby and toddler clothing, open to the public twice a month: the second Monday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and the fourth Wednesday from 6-8 p.m. Church of the Redeemer is at 7110 NW Highway 9, Kansas City, Mo. Call 741-1136 for more information.

In times of distress and worry, the People of God put their trust in the Lord, a very present help in trouble. Knowing that God is with us, we come together to care for friend and stranger, for in doing so, we are serving Jesus himself.

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen. Amen.

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The Angelus

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The Angelus Small Group meets each month and is open to anyone interested in contributing (writing stories, taking photographs) regularly to The Angelus. No experience necessary.

Submissions from parishioners and small groups are welcome and encouraged.

Entries for the December issue are requested by November 10 by e-mail: jtoma@ghtc-kc.org or fax: 816.474.5856.

FROM THE DEAN

Last November, delegates to the annual convention of our diocese voted to establish a companion relationship with the Diocese of Botswana in the Province of Central Africa. http://www.anglicanbotswana.org/index.shtml The Rt. Rev. Musonda Trevor Mwamba, Bishop of Botswana, addressed the convention and spent several days visiting congregations around the diocese. This month, it will be my privilege to join Bishop and Mary Howe and five lay people from our diocese to visit Botswana.

The goals of this companion relationship include:

- Offer opportunities for Christian friendship, education and support.
- Explore the spiritual and companion needs of two diverse populations while developing interactions for mutual support and Christian growth.
- Offer prayer and support for individual and communal journeys of faith for those within the companion relationship.
- Facilitate a better understanding of the culture and polity of the two dioceses by exchanging information through correspondence and personal visitations.
- Explore and mutually agree to the support of these potential types of interaction:

- + Visits by bishops, clergy and laity, including youth and women
- + Parish to parish links
- + Mission team exchanges
- + A common prayer or intercessory calendar
- + Renewal programs
- + Faithful communication
- + Seminars and conferences
- + Gifts of arts and crafts
- + Cultural events
- + Work camps
- + Medical teams
- + Attendance at diocesan conventions
- + Assistance in time of need
- + Development projects

While in Botswana I look forward to spending time at The Cathedral of the Holy Cross in the capital of Gabarone and exploring opportunities for our two cathedrals to be engaged in a mutually supportive relationship.

The cathedral's dean, The Very Rev. Dr. Mongezi David Guma, was formally inducted in September. Dean Guma has spent time in the United States, having studied at Chicago Theological Seminary and Boston University. He served parishes in Gary, Indiana; Dorchester, Massachusetts; and Tarboro, North Carolina;

and was a Chaplain at Boston University. His illustrious career has been characterized by a fundamental commitment to the human condition and addressing indifference to human problems. A major mission of the Cathedral is Holy Cross Hospice, begun in 1994, as an effort to reach out to the terminally ill and their families. Today it serves people living with HIV/AIDS, their families, caregivers and orphans in four neighborhoods of Botswana's capital city.

The group departs from Kansas City on November 10 and is scheduled to return late the evening of November 21. I am told that internet access is iffy, but if possible reports from the West Missouri team will be posted on the Diocesan web site. Please keep those traveling, our families, and the beginning of this new relationship, in your prayers.

Faithfully yours, Terry+

Advent Workshop: November 23

Advent Workshop 2008 will be in Haden Hall November 23. The workshop will follow the 10:15 service and coffee hour drinks and food will be there. As we prepare our hearts during Advent, for the great blessing and joy of Christmas, we can make this season one of most spiritually nourishing times in the Church calendar. Advent workshop, sponsored by Children's Formation, emphasizes keeping a Christ centered focus in this prayerful season of hope through fun activities to share with family and friends.

Take the time to savor the moment while making ornaments or Advent bracelets for yourself or a special person. Put together an Advent activity box filled with prayers and ideas for enjoying and keeping a peaceful Advent in the midst of the secular busy season.

Ten Thousand Villages, outreach groups such as Maison de Naissance and the Women's Retreat committee will be on hand to help you select meaningful gifts for loved ones on your Christmas list. New Cathedral water bottles will be on sale for \$4, along with the shopping bags and coffee mugs—all of these make great stocking stuffers as well as make a statement that you care about the state of the world in which our children in formation will grow. Join us, won't you?

Choose Joy, Women!

This year's Women's Retreat (February 20-22, 2009) is a celebration of the joyous gifts that abound in our lives. Yes, we will even observe the carnival prior to Lent with a Mardi Gras event on Saturday evening! There will be plenty of opportunities for fun, creativity and renewal; worship and reflection. You'll LOVE it!

Not only is the retreat program sure to have you choosing joy and feeling joyous, but the accommodations will help you feel rested and restored. (Remember, this is going to be February and can't we all use a little of that in the winter?) The Marillac Center of the Sisters of Mercy in Leavenworth was built in 2003, and is beautifully designed for retreats. This modern facility has hotel-type rooms, a fitness area (including hot tubs) and lounging areas with kitchenettes. Rooms can be reserved with one queen or two twin beds. All rooms have private baths and showers.

A deposit of \$40 is all that is needed NOW to reserve your space and will be applied

toward the total retreat fee. The balance is due February 1, 2009. The total retreat fee, if requesting a single room (one queen bed), is \$140. A double room (two twin beds) is \$120 per person. The retreat fee covers all activities, rooms and meals for the entire weekend.

Look at your calendar and mark the evening of February 20 through the morning of February 22, 2009: *Choosing Joy!* Send your deposit of \$40 to: Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral (Attention: Mother Carol Sanford), 415 West 13th Street, Kansas City, MO 64105. Checks should be made to: GHTC and the memo noted as *Women's Retreat deposit*.



Nominations for the Vestry

At the January 25, 2009, Annual Meeting, new members of the Cathedral Vestry will be elected.

Nominations are now being received through November 28. Please have the permission of the person you are nominating, or nominate yourself by

contacting the Nominating Committee (not the Dean!) either by a letter sent to the Cathedral office addressed "Vestry Nomination" or via e-mail to vestry@ghtc-kc.org.

Each nominee will be contacted following the close of nominations, and invited to

respond in writing to several questions. These responses are a part of the committee's discernment. A list of nominees recommended by the committee is announced in a January mailing prior to the Annual Meeting.

Security awareness

One of the distressing realities of contemporary life is that our belongings are not always as secure as we'd like them to be. Though our neighborhood in downtown Kansas City is considerably safer than it was 30 or 40 years ago, Cathedral parishioners are nonetheless advised to take simple precautions when attending a service or a weeknight meeting.

 Leave nothing of value or that might appear to have value in your car. This includes obvious things like cell phones, laptops, IPods, handbags, briefcases and book bags. It can also include department store or grocery store shopping bags. You might know that these bags contain old

- clothes on their way to Goodwill; a thief may think otherwise.
- Do not leave valuables of any sort in your glove box or in other storage units in your vehicle.
- Check out the sight-lines of on-street parking before leaving your car. Is a potential parking spot well lit and within clear sight of an intersection? Are overgrown trees or shrubbery nearby? The majority of breakins reported by Cathedral parishioners have occurred with on-street parking, either on 14th Street or on Washington.
- Planning a wedding at the Cathedral? Encourage your guests not to leave their gift in their car while attending the liturgy.

Trunk or Treat: November 2

Trunk or Treat, our annual All Hallow's Eve fall festival, is November 2. Trunk or Treat is an all parish event sponsored by Children's Formation. Join in the celebration by letting your

hair down (or put on a wig) and come to church in (appropriate) costume. A costume parade, candy, contests and games will make for a lively afternoon inside Haden Hall and

outside on the parish grounds.

Want to be a part of the fun? Visit wwww.ghtc-kc.org/childrensformation or contact DeAnn McTavish 816-214-9930.

Pageant try its November 9 Youth Room

Read for roles in the pageant portion of our Christmas Eve Holy Eucharist service.



Pageant rehearsals

Rehearsals for children in the pageant will be Sundays in December at 11:30 a.m.

Treasurer's Report

Sept MTD	Budgeted MTD		Actual MTD	
Income	\$	106,293	\$	122,685
Expenses	\$	127,256	\$	124,122
Net Total	\$	(20,963)	\$	(1,437)
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Sept YTD	Bu	dgetedYTD	A	ctual YTD
Sept YTD Income	Bu \$	1,356,411	\$	1,365,996
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Financially September was a good month for the Cathedral. Income exceeded budget by \$16,000 and expenses were \$3,000 below budget. Year-to-date adjusted income and expenses are very close to budget. Thank you for your support of the Cathedral.

-by Doyle White

\$50 Fund

Thanks to a generous gift in honor and memory of Dean Cavanaugh, the Fund stands at \$14,000 as of September 30! Our goal is \$20,000 by December 31.

Thanks to all for your generous support!



Thursday, November 6 • 7 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception followed by a candlelit procession to GHTC



John Rutter's Requiem performed with orchestra by the cathedral choirs of GHTC and the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, honoring the memory of Monsignor "Bud" Fiedler.



Concerts at the Cathedral in November Sunday, November 2 • 2 p.m.
William Baker Festival Singers

Friday, November 8 • 8 p.m.
Friends of Chamber Music *Judith*

Wednesday, November 12 • 7:30 p.m. Matt Vanjeal, trumpet recital

Sunday, November 16 • 2 p.m. Peter Collins, piano recital

Children's library adds new books

We have exciting, new materials in the Louise Barton Memorial Children's Library. We thank Joyce Morrow for her recent donation of Secretly Do Good Deeds and The Small One: A Good Samaritan.

Other books new to the library are Be My Neighbor with words of wisdom from Fred Rogers; If Peace is..., Just Like Heaven written and illustrated by Patrick McDonnell, creator of the comic strip Mutts; Live Generously and First Flight: A Mother Hummingbird's Story.

Congratulations to Elizabeth Colburn for reading ten books from our library during the Summer Reading Program. Elizabeth was presented with a certificate and a journal for her achievement.

Our children's library has hundreds of titles ranging from beautifully illustrated children's books to Christian parenting resources. Families may borrow books by filling out the yellow checkout sheet, in the white 3-ring binder, located on the shelf by the creation bulletin board.

The library is open every Sunday from 8:30-10 a.m. and upon request. All are invited to stop in and "check out" our children's library.

-by DeAnn McTavish

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choir, teaching Sunday school, in a Bible study, in a small group, part of the Prayer Chain, in Holy Hands, etc. Jesus said "feed my sheep" not "count my sheep" but we think it will be useful and enlightening to start with an understanding of how many of us are actively involved in the pastoral life of the Cathedral.

As we move ahead, we will seek input and keep you posted on the progress of this appreciative inquiry and the "Stewardship of People." If you have any questions or would like to get involved yourself, please contact Gary Hicks at 816.699.2224 and gary@garyhicks.net or Marnell Sparks at 913.432.8867 and marnell@kc.rr.com. -by Gary Hicks

Adult Formation

Sundays • 9:15 a.m. • Founders' Hall

November 2

Bishops' Pastoral Letter of 1933

"In this momentous period in the life of the Church and State, your Bishops, with a solemn sense of their responsibility, lay before you certain matters that they believe deserve your serious consideration." So begins a Pastoral Letter calling for a new economic order, a spiritual recovery, and world peace. Join in an exploration of this Letter moderated by the Dean. You can read or print this document courtesy of the Project Canterbury site: http://anglicanhistory.org/usa/pastorals/ davenport1933.html.

November 9, 16, 23 Theology in Film

Join Father Joe Behen in November for "Theology in Film." We'll engage the theological elements of such popular films as Shawshank Redemption, Groundhog Day, Chocolat and Whale Rider. How is God shown to be present in these stories, and how might these views of divine participation in human life challenge our ability to see God in our own lives? We'll begin with an overview and brief look at the study of theology in film November 9, and on the following two Sundays we'll look more closely at both Whale Rider and Chocolat.

Kirkin' Tartan

Scottish Colors! Scottish Sounds! Scottish Edibles!

Coffee hour after all services November 16 will feature an array of Scottish shortbread. We need lots of shortbread to serve the parish and our special guests this festive day.

From KC to Haiti



Let me share with you what I learned about Haiti during the meeting From Kansas City to Haiti September 29.

Most schools in Haiti are private which means you have to pay tuition, wear a uniform, and buy your books to attend. Actually, only 10 percent of the 15,000 schools are public. School was taught in French until 1978 when they changed to Creole which is the language of the land.

In 2001 a church in South Carolina started a school for the poor in Haiti. They had 85 students. This year they have 250, 55 of them are orphans. There is no orphanage, so the other student's parents raise them too.

School is taught in a tin covered cinder block building. There is no electricity. The students share text books. This year they hope to raise enough money for everyone to have a text book.

Many steps are being taken to change the way the students react to the teachers and get them to interact in class, as they were taught to not look an elder in the eye or ask any questions. Parents were not involved in school as they believe the teacher knows best for the student. So they are also trying to engage the parents in the students' learning. Parents are becoming more self sufficient by learning from the school too. Parents are given seeds and fertilizer so they can grow for themselves and grow for the school program. Six of the core moms cook outside in the "kitchen," when food is provided, to make a meal for the children once or twice a week. Yes, that means the other days they do not have food to eat during the school day.

Maison de Naissance is vitally important to ensure the birth of a healthy baby, but we can't stop there. There needs to be follow through with continuing care and education is a part of that. Education is a way to help people overcome poverty.

Please keep the children of Haiti in your prayers. -by Stephanie Pumphrey, Friend of MN

Flower gifts for October

October 5

- in thanksgiving Evelyn Toner
- in thanksgiving for my father, Alberto Quintero-Alva — Carmen Quintero

October 12

- in memory of Chloe Thorn — Suzanne Wright
- in thanksgiving for our wedding — Amy Hornbeck and Adam Abrams

October 19

- in loving memory of Harold Robert Hall — Bruce Hall
- in thanksgiving for the

- baptism anniversary of Graham McTavish -DeAnn McTavish
- in loving and blessed memory of my father, Ezra E. Pellet — Tricia Pellet Lyddon
- in thanksgiving for the one year wedding anniversary of Captain Kevin and Laura Thomas — Michael and Cathy Thomas

To donate toward the flowers to celebrate a special event or remember a loved one, sign up online at www.ghtc-kc.org/ flowers or contact Joan Bock in the Cathedral office.

For more information about the Foster Care/Adoption group at GHTC, contact David Pierson at 913-341-8841 or moteladdict@yahoo.com.



Diash'a & Delisha

Diash'a, 16, is a very pretty girl with a warm smile and a charming personality. She has a great sense of humor and is always found with a smile on her face. Diash'a states "I enjoy spending time with my friends, going out to eat, going shopping and watching movies." She dreams of one day being a pediatrician. Her placement provider states that "Diash'a is very easy going and she strives to please others."

Delisha, 15, is a very pretty girl with a great sense of humor and lots of friends. She loves playing sports, especially volleyball. Delisha states "I take pride in my schoolwork and plan to some day go to college and be a pediatrician." Delisha's placement provider describes Delisha as a leader.

For more information please contact: Jennifer Dalrymple, Adoption Specialist Jackson County Children's Division 615 E 13th St, Kansas City, MO 64106 816-889-2878 (Phone) 816-889-2439 (Fax) Jennifer.darymple@dss.mo.gov

Desire, Envy, Paranoia, Rivalry

Enjoy it all as a GHTC Volunteer Usher for *Julius Caesar* at the Lyric Opera!

On November 16, members of the Cathedral's Social Action Committee and friends will serve as volunteer ushers for the matinee performance of the opera, *Julius Caesar*, one of the most popular operas written by George Frideric Handel — the brilliant composer of Messiah. You are welcome to join us! *Et tu GHTC?*

As a volunteer usher, you will provide a valuable service to the Lyric, enjoy the opera at no charge, and make money for the Cathedral's social outreach ministries all at the same time. It's a true win-win-win situation.

No experience is required; we'll teach you what to do. To volunteer, contact Gary Hicks at 816.699.2224 or 816.941.7295 or gary@garyhicks.net.

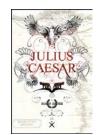
On Sunday, November 16, wear black/navy on the bottom and white on the top and meet us in the inner lobby of the Lyric Theatre at 12:30 p.m. The Lyric is at the corner of 11th and Central. Free parking on the streets around the theater should be available or park at the Cathedral and walk to the Lyric.

We will have a briefing of your duties and preview of the op-

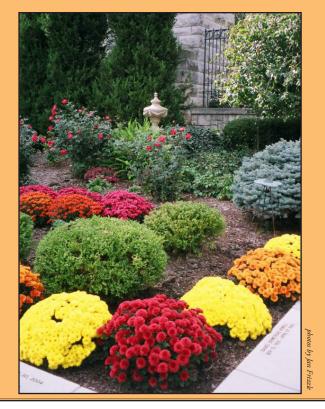
era, and you will then help serve as a volunteer usher. The opera begins at 2 p.m., and you can enjoy the opera along with the patrons.

You may leave after the last intermission or stay for the entire production.

Again, to volunteer for this terrific opportunity to help both the Lyric Opera and the outreach ministries of the Cathedral, please contact Gary Hicks.



The Cathedral in Fall Bloom



Dean White visits Children's Formation







photos by DeAnn McTavish

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Blessing of the Animals



















photos by Grady Sanford and David Pierson



Autumn Hayride and Campfire



























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WINEQUEST

Thank you to everyone who helped make the 2008 WineQuest a fun and successful event!

























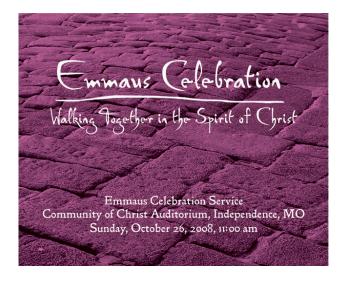




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Emmaus Celebration Eucharist



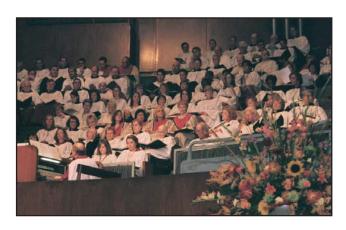




















Thanksgiving Day Sung Eucharist at 10:15 a.m.

Thanksgiving Day is a major holy day in the Episcopal Church. We gather at the Lord's Table to give thanks for the fruits of the earth, and ask God to make us faithful stewards of God's bounty for the provision of our necessities and the relief of all who are in need, to the glory of God's Name. The liturgy will include hymns, a homily and a Litany of

Come Ye Thankful People, Come Raise the Song of Harvest

Thanksgiving.

(The Cathedral offices and buildings will be closed Friday, November 28.)

On Thanksgiving Day: St. Paul's, at 40th and Main, has invited the Cathedral to join with them for a festival luncheon celebrating God's blessing in our lives. Sunday bulletins for more details.



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The Right Rev. Barry R. Howe Bishop of West Missouri

The Very Rev. Terry White

The Rev. Canon Susan Sommer Canon Pastor and Subdean

> The Rev. Carol Sanford Priest Associate

The Rev. Joseph Behen Clergy Assistant

The Rev. Bryan England

Deacon

The Rev. Bruce Hall Deacon

The Rev. Dr. Michael Johnston Scholar-in-Residence

> Mr. John L. Schaefer Canon Musician

Weekly Activities

Sunday

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist 9:15 a.m. Christian Formation 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist

5:00 p.m. Order for Evening/Holy Eucharist

Monday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Tuesday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

1:30 p.m. Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study

Wednesday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Thursday

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Friday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

For the expanded edition of this month's *The Angelus*, go to www.ghtc-kc.org/ angelus.

This Month's Activities

2 • SUNDAY

11:30 a.m. Music Committee11:30 a.m. Trunk or Treat

6 • Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Requiem and Remembrance

9 • Sunday • Blood Pressure Sunday

11:30 a.m. Pageant Try Its

II • TUESDAY

6:15 p.m. Cancer Support Group

12 • Wednesday

6:00 p.m. Friends of MN

13 • Thursday

8:30 a.m. RAMP Program

19 • Wednesday

7:30 a.m. Finance Committee 6:00 p.m. Charitable Needlework

23 • SUNDAY

11:30 a.m. Advent Workshop

27 • Thursday

10:15 a.m. • Thanksgiving Day Service Office and buildings closed today and Friday

Please verify times and dates of the events listed with the appropriate person(s) or by contacting the Cathedral office.



Daylight-Saving Time Ends

November 2, 2008 Time to turn back your clocks!



Advent begins Sunday, November

30. Watch your mail for our special Advent and Christmas activities.