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It is the promised hope that enables us to enter a profoundly holy week carrying palms and singing "hosanna" with the shame and agony of the Cross ahead;

It is the hope that enables us to love one another by washing feet, and face the temptation to betray the Lord and disrespect the dignity of all made in God's image;

It is the hope we cling to on that darkest of days, when humanity utterly rejects the One whose love compelled him to endure the cross for us;

It is the hope symbolized in the new fire, kindled in the 🗽 stone-cold tomb, in the darkness of the promised Third Day,

that forever opens the gate to eternal life for all those God embraces;

It is the true hope of us all, joyfully proclaimed with shouts of exaltation that stir the soul on the Day of Resurrection and throughout the Great Fifty Days of Easter: Alleluia, Christ is risen!

Beloved, through the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus, we have been raised from the old life of sin and are a new creation! By virtue of our baptism into Christ's death and resurrection, we have been made an Easter people, an alleluia from head to toe! The Risen Lord commissions each of us to boldly and courageously share his new life by pro-

claiming release to those in chains, welcoming with undefended hearts the excluded and rejected, satisfying those who hunger for justice and thirst for righteousness, and being Thanks to AnglicansOnline the servant Church the Lord of Life redeemed us to be.

As we lift our voices in praise, let our lives, and the life of this Cathe-

dral, overflow with acts of thanksgiving, "for Christ the Lord is risen, our joy that hath no end!"

The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Christ is risen!

With affection, Terry+



### Wednesday, April 14

- Dinner will be at 5:30 p.m. with small group activities to begin at 6:30.
- All parishioners are cordially invited to join the fun, bring bread or a salad to share, and enjoy the fellowship!
- You might even want to stay and scope out one of the small group activities to see what they're up to.
- More info: ghtc-kc.org/pages/cafegrazia.html

### **Groups Meeting April 14**

- The Seekers: Dean Terry will be leading a discussion of The Great Emergence: How Christianity is Changing and Why by Phyllis Tickle. The book explores historical events that impacted the church and the current trends in church growth and change. The book is available in the Cathedral Bookstore.
- Inklings Book Group: We will be discussing C.S. Lewis's Out of the Silent Planet.
- Charitable Needlework
- Guild of the Christ Child
- Grace Choraliers
- Trinity Teens Youth Group

# Good news from Maison de Naissance

The Friends of MN here at the Cathedral would like to thank everyone for their support not only during the recent disaster, but all year long. The donations of time, money, knitted hats and blankets and prayers all are making a difference in the lives of families in Haiti.

Now for an update on the earthquake: Costs have risen even higher because of all the damage. Hospitals, clinics and other support systems in the capitol and other areas hard hit will all need rebuilding. The road to MN was damaged, but was still usable. The good news: no damage to MN ... not even a crack in the wall, and the

electricity was still on too!

Thank you again for your support. It is truly appreciated.

-by Stephanie Pumphrey



# James Earl Cavanaugh Memorial Fund report

The Very Reverend James Earl Cavanaugh lived out the greater part of his vocation as a priest at Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral. Earl was dedicated to the reality that ministry was life in action. Serving the community by caring for the poor, feeding the hungry, nursing the sick and providing access to education were not just priorities for Earl, they were sacraments.

Earl was instrumental in starting a hunger ministry at the cathedral that grew into the Kansas City Community Kitchen and the Culinary Cornerstones program now operating under the auspices of Episcopal Community Services.

Late in 2008 the James Earl Cavanaugh Memorial Fund was established in his memory to be utilized in the fight against hunger, ignorance and poverty. Donations to the Fund from 14 donors in the total amount of \$28,000 were received and are being administered by the Community Foundation. As of December 31, 2009 the Fund assets were \$29,891.

The Trustees of the Cavanaugh Fund on February 3, 2010 made a distribution of \$1,500 as a grant to Episcopal Community Services to support the Community Kitchen and the Culinary Cornerstones program.

Donations to the Cavanaugh Memorial Fund are welcomed and will be utilized to carry on important hunger ministries. Gifts to the Fund can be in the form of cash, stock or other form of planned gifts and pledges. For more information on how to make a donation contact The Greater Kansas City Community Foundation at 816-842-8079 or www.gkccf.org and reference the Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral Cavanaugh Endowment Fund.

The trustees of the Fund are Ellen Goheen, Albert Mauro and Dean Terry White

## Reel People Wednesday, April 28 6:30 p.m.

Our movie: Gran Torino

**Our meal:** Pizza, Salad & Dessert Please bring \$5 and



RSVP to Janel Mosley or Linda England (LMEngland1@ sbcglobal.net).



Kick back, relax and enjoy dinner & a movie with us this month!



Dianne and Geoff Logan would like to thank publicly the clergy and parishioners of Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral, for their dedicated pastoral care of us during this, the most difficult period of our 53 years together. You have all been most generous and supportive, with gifts of sacraments, prayer, song, cards and food. We thank you deeply.

# March flower gifts March 7 • in memory of Newt Lewis — Gordon Hansen

#### March 14

April 4

April 11, 18, 25

April 11: AIDS Walk

Walk organizer

at the Cathedral

• in thanksgiving for our children, Emily and Jack — Chris and Christine Morrison

**Adult Formation** 

Sundays • 9:15 a.m. • Founders' Hall

Social Outreach at the Cathedral

Speaker: Michael Lintecum, KC AIDS

April 18: The Tradition of Social

April 25: The Future of Social Action

Speaker: John Hornbeck

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Action at the Cathedral

No Adult Formation Class

#### March 28

 in thanksgiving for our daughter, Juliana Johnson, on her birthday — Lenette & Steve Johnson

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 the Cathedral office (816.474.8260 ext. 103 or office@ghtc-kc.org).

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# The Liturgies of Holy Week and Easter Week

Labyrinth walk for private meditation in Founders' Hall available March 28-April 2

#### March 28 • The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

8 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 5 p.m. • Proper Liturgy of the Day The Liturgy of the Palms (procession at 10:15) and Holy Eucharist, with reading of the Passion according to Luke. Celebrant: Canon Behen (8 a.m.)

Canon Sommer (10:15 a.m.) Father Johnston (5 p.m.) Preacher: Dean White (8 & 10:15 a.m.)

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#### March 29 • Monday in Holy Week

12:05 p.m. & 5:30 p.m. • Holy Eucharist Mary anoints the feet of Jesus in Bethany. (John 12:1-11)

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#### March 30 • Tuesday in Holy Week

12:05 p.m. & 5:30 p.m. • Holy Eucharist The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. (John 12:20-36)

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#### March 31 • Wednesday in Holy Week

12:05 p.m. & 5:30 p.m. • Holy Eucharist Spy Wednesday – the betrayal of Judas. (John 13:21-32)



#### April 1 • Maundy Thursday

(no Eucharist at 12:05 today) 7:00 p.m. • Proper Liturgy of the Day I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. (John 13:1-17,31b-35)

The Mandatum (footwashing), Institution of the Holy Eucharist, Stripping of the Altar, Watch at the Altar of Repose until 9 p.m. Celebrant: Bishop Howe Preacher: Canon Sommer

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#### April 2 • Good Friday

(a three-hour observance in three parts)

#### 12:05 p.m. • Proper Liturgy of the Day

The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. (Isaiah 52:13-53:12.)

The Choir sings the Passion according to John, Homily, Solemn Collects, Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion from the Reserved Sacrament. Officiant: Bishop Howe Preacher: Dean White 1:45 p.m. • Quiet Prayer in the Nave *The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available.* 

2:30 p.m. • Way of the Cross

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#### April 3 • Holy Saturday

10 a.m. • Proper Liturgy of the Day The tomb was nearby, they laid Jesus there. (John 19:38-42)

A brief 10-minute service commemorating our Lord's Burial. No Holy Communion.

#### The Resurrection

#### April 3 • Easter Eve

**7:45 p.m.** • The Great Vigil of Easter Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. (Luke 24)

Lighting of the New Paschal Fire, followed by sharing of the Light of Christ, Lessons of Redemption, Holy Baptism, Confirmation, and the First Eucharist of Easter. The Great Vigil Feast follows – please bring a savory or sweet to share. Celebrant: Bishop Howe Preacher: Dean White

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#### April 4 • Sunday of the Resurrection: Easter Day

8 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. (*no 5 p.m. Eucharist*) The right hand of the Lord has triumphed! (Psalm 118)

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist Hymns, choir, organ and trumpet Celebrant & Preacher: Dean White

10:15 a.m. Solemn Holy Eucharist Incense, hymns, choirs, organ and brass Celebrant & Preacher: Bishop Howe

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### April 5 • Monday in Easter Week

The Cathedral is closed. No 12:05 Eucharist.

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#### April 6 – April 9 Tuesday-Friday in Easter Week Holy Eucharist at 12:05 p.m.



# Connors serves as Episcopal young adult delegate

As reported in last month's *The Angelus*, Cathedral parishioner Alexandra Connors was one of ten women who made up the Episcopal Church's young adult delegation to join Anglican Women's Empowerment and Ecumenical Women at the United Nations in participating in the Commission on the Status of Women (UNCSW). The group took turns posting entries to a blog, and Alexandra's contribution, Speaking UP, is found below. The group's entire blog of insightful stories is found at http://geecsw.blogspot.com/ — GEE, UN CSW!! (Gender Equitable Episcopalians at the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women).

#### Speaking Up

When I woke up this morning, eager to start my new day here with a whole new family of women and men, I made it my goal to recognize connections between me and another person today. These strong connections with people who are seemingly so different from me were something that has been very apparent in my time here this far. Being a self identified planner, I decided to seek out those connections in my interactions of the day. However, little did I know that God would completely take over and lead me to a deeper connection than I would not have found on my own.

Gathering with all of the young adults of the Ecumenical Women delegation, we all worked together to plan the opening worship at the United Nations Church Center for the next day. After some powerful study and reflection of the scripture passage for the day, we broke into groups to more effectively plan our worship. I gravitated towards the prayer group and was eagerly anticipating digging into the logistics of our service. The small assembly of women gathered together of our own volition was almost awe-inspiring. I was pleasantly surprised at the profundity of the women in my group. Perhaps the most humbling experience of my planning time today was experienced with a delegate from Argentina. Language was a barrier for this woman, but luckily one of our friends was proficient enough to be a translator for her. As someone who prides myself on my (what I have always touted as being a) strong Spanish background I was instantly overcome with a wave of fear and emotions. I knew exactly what I wanted to say to this woman. I knew what questions I wanted to ask her and I could even form them in my head in Spanish. I understood everything coming out of her mouth and the things that were being translated for her. It was easy to tell that she was a highly intelligent woman with a beautiful spirit.

However, when it came to actually conversing with her I became paralyzed. I couldn't convey the words from my brain to my mouth. All that came out was a mixture of probably incorrectly conjugated verbs and some benign nouns. My inability to speak with the woman probably came from a fear of sounding stupid, a fear of embarrassment. When I finally managed to force out a few broken sentences, she (unsurprisingly) was so kind about speaking slowly with me and assuring me that my nerves were nothing to worry about. This situation made me think about all of the women who are afraid to speak for reasons much more profound than mine. What about the women that cannot speak our for fear of persecution, or violence, or even perhaps because their societies prevent it? What have I to fear? I live in a society where my voice is encouraged, and yet I still am afraid to use it!

While this experience was overwhelming at the time, looking back on it, it reminds me to speak up! To use this opportunity that God has given me to be the voice for all the women that have not been afforded this opportunity to speak! I encourage you to find your voice, to overcome the obstacles that you set for yourself, and to express what is inside you.

With love, Alexandra



The Cathedral is well respected for the music sung and played on Sunday morning. Parishioners might like to know some of what happens in a typical week. The Symphony Chorus rehearses on Monday evening, the Heartland Men's Chorus on Tuesday evening.

The Tallis Singers and Grace Choraliers rehearse on Wednesday evening; the Cathedral Bell Ringers and Trinity Choir rehearse on Thursday evenings. Occasionally, the Kansas City Symphony has rehearsals in Founders' Hall. Also, we welcome Symphony guests pianists, who do their practice primarily in Haden Hall.

As the end of the academic year approaches, there are many Conservatory students who wish to play in one of our spaces.

In the month of April, Tiffany Moore, oboist, will play a recital April 10; Andrea Stanton, French hornist, will play a recital April 18 and Michael Scott, bassoonist, will play a recital April 28. In addition, there will be organists practicing for Bachathon, which is May 2. Fine Arts Chorale will give a concert May 1. Additional May concerts will be listed in the May issue of *The Angelus*.

We are happy to be hospitable to those who want to make our Cathedral ring with beautiful music.

One of the delights of my history is that I am a member of New College (founded in 1379) of the University of Oxford. I am excited to tell you that the Choir of Men and Boys of New College will perform in concert at the Visitation Church Tuesday evening April 14. Under the directorship of Dr. Edward Higginbottom, the Choir has established a world-wide reputation for its beauty of singing and amazing variety of repertoire. Amongst the pieces to be sung here is the "Miserere" of Gregorio Allegri, which our own Trinity Choir sang so beautifully on Ash Wednesday. Really, you shouldn't miss hearing this stellar ensemble.

Treasurer's Report					
Feb MTD	Bu	dgeted MTD	A	ctual MTD	
Income	\$	141,831	\$	156,845	
Expenses	\$	167,215	\$	168,458	
Net Total	\$	(25,384)	\$	(11,613)	
Feb YTD	Bu	dgetedYTD	A	ctual YTD	
Income	\$	232,569	\$	248,487	
Expenses	\$	286,491	\$	303,696	
Net Total	\$	(53,922)	\$	(55,209))	

The actual results for the first two months of 2010 continue to follow the budgeted amounts with a net negative cash flow of \$55,209.

The budget for the entire year reflects a slight positive cash flow which will be made up in later months through endowment funds. Additionally, we are already seeing an increase in pledge income and would encourage those who have yet to send in their pledge cards to do so.

We greatly appreciate everyone's pledge support for this year and having everyone's pledge card also assists in our budgeting process. Additionally, we are getting very good support with events income through parking revenues; Christine Morrison is leading that effort! -by Jim Phillips, Treasurer

# Lenten Academy 2010





















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# **Book Review**

Out of the Silent Planet written by C.S. Lewis

Even before the popular movies, many people were aware of the Chronicles of Narnia by C.S. Lewis. And of course there are his classics, probably best known of which is Mere Christianity. But how many of you are aware that Lewis also wrote a space trilogy?



The first of the three books, Out of the Silent

Planet, was initially published in 1943. Much as with Narnia, Lewis shows his special talent of enabling us to visualize exotic new places and beings. His vivid descriptions permit us to conjure a powerful mental image of a very different world.

In a similar style to that of master story-teller H.G. Wells (whose books Lewis devoured in his youth), he weaves his story in such a way as to convince the reader that these events actually happened—or at the very least that they might have happened.

Also like Wells, and most of the better science fiction written since then, there is also a strong dose of social commentary integrated throughout the story. Naturally, in the hands of Lewis, that social commentary becomes expectantly theological.



The Silent Planet, and the two other books in the trilogy—Perelandra and The Hideous Strength are available in your Cathedral Bookstore. The Inklings Group at the Cathedral will begin a discussion of this work at the April Café Grazia. -by John Hornbeck

# CHILDREN'S STORY TIME

#### Sunday, April 18 9:15 a.m.

Celebrate God's Green Earth at Story time Hosted by the GHTC Bookstore



We will share a story,

discussion and a green activity to mark Earth Day 2010!

# AIDS Walk 2010

- Saturday, April 24 at Theis Park, just south of the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art.
- Registration: 8 a.m.
- Welcoming ceremonies: 9 a.m.
- Walk begins: 10 a.m.
- Jayson Vucovich is the team captain for the Cathedral walkers this year. Contact him for more information or to get involved at 573-578-6757 or Jayson@vucovich.com.
- The AIDS Walk raises both awareness and money for local service organizations such as the Kansas City Free Health Clinic, the Hope Care Center, SAVE, and the Good Samaritan Project.

Whether you walk or pledge a donation, we all thank you for your support.

# The Fifth Annual **Dean's Cup Classic June 26, 2010**

**Adams Pointe Golf Club, Blue Springs** 

**Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral Great Golf, Great Food, Great** 

Fun ... Fore a Great Cause!



Cost: \$150 per player, includes golf and banguet \$130 per player, includes golf only

**Early Registration Special:** Register and pay for a team by June 4 and pay only \$550 (a \$50 savings!) — includes the golf and banquet!



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#### This Month's Activities

3 • SATURDAY 8:30 a.m. Altar Guild Workday 5 • MONDAY • Easter Monday

Office and Buildings Closed II • SUNDAY

Following both morning services: Free blood pressure checks in Founders' Hall

14 • WEDNESDAY 5:30 p.m. Café Grazia Dinner 6:30 p.m. Guild of the Christ Child Inklings Small Group Seekers Small Group Charitable Needlework

18 • SUNDAY 9:15 a.m. Children's Story Time

21 • WEDNESDAY 7:30 a.m. Finance Committee

22 • THURSDAY 5:00 p.m. Vestry

28 • Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Reel People

> See page 3 for the Holy Week and Easter Week schedule.

Please verify times and dates of the events listed with the appropriate person(s) or by contacting the Cathedral office or website (www.ghtc-kc.org).



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## Weekly Activities

#### Sunday

8:00 a.m. Holv Eucharist 9:15 a.m.Christian Formation Holy Eucharist 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist 5:00 p.m. Monday 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist Tuesday 9:15 a.m. EfM 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist Women's Bible Study 1:30 p.m. Wednesday 12:05 р.т. Holy Eucharist The Tallis Singers 5:45 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Grace Choraliers Trinity Teens Youth Group 7:00 p.m. Thursday 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist 6:00 p.m. Cathedral Bell Ringers 6:30 p.m. EfM Trinity Choir 7:30 p.m.

Friday 12:05 р.т.

Holy Eucharist

### **Beyond Sunday School: Faith** Formation Every Step Along the Way

Friday-Saturday, April 23-24, 2010 Friday, 7-9 p.m. & Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral, Kansas City, MO

Beyond Sunday School is a Christian Formation Workshop that will provide tools to enrich your faith and the faith of others. In addition to the keynote address, there will be three opportunities to attend specific "how-to" workshops. All workshop and Christian Formation Commission leaders will be available for consultation regarding your specific formation questions!

Our keynote speaker is Jeffri Harre, Children's Formation Officer for the Episcopal Church Center in New York City. Jeffri brings wide experience in Christian Formation and participation in the development of the Charter for Lifelong Christian Formation, enacted at 2009 General Convention. Jeffri will address us Friday evening as well as twice on Saturday as we discover what the Charter is about and how we might implement it in our congregations.

Workshop Choices include: I. Spiritual Retreats – How to conduct meaningful spiritual retreats & quiet days; 2. Ministry with Older Adults - How to help aging adults continue growing spiritually; 3. Installing Your Youth Ministry – Just beginning; 4. Rebooting Your Youth Ministry – Energizing ideas; 5. Theology and Film - How to select and use popular media in Christian Formation; 6. Bible Study - Exploring In Dialogue with Scripture, a resource of the Church; 7. Children's Ministry – Working with Journey Beginners & their families; 8. Help! I'm New! – a workshop for beginning teachers and educators; 9. Spiritual Autobiography; and 10. The Catechumenate - History & Use.

Complete the registration form (available online at http://www.episcopalwestmo.org/April 2010 Flyer Registration.pdf) and send to Judy Kile with \$20 registration (4938 NE Sherwood Dr, Kansas City, MO 64119). Make checks payable to Diocese of West Missouri. Lunch is provided Saturday.

