



# The Angelus

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## BECOMING GOD'S COURAGEOUS COMMUNITY

This is a time to take risks. It is time to explore new ways to relate to a rapidly changing world. The Church, if it is to survive, needs to be courageous as it seeks to proclaim Christ's gospel in fresh and life-giving ways. This was the guiding theme for the annual conference of the Consortium of Endowed Episcopal parishes in Charlotte, N.C., held the first full week of March 2012.

The conference, titled, Becoming God's Courageous Community, was my first ever. I attended with David Stoll, Financial Administrator, and Doyle White, a member of the Finance Committee. The Consortium, made up of congregations covering a wide range of size in terms of membership and assets, offers support in the way of information and resources. It serves as a clearing house for ideas and the exchange of useful information. The Cathedral with its endowments that empower our ministry is served well through this network.

The three of us went to the conference agreeing that we would put our learning to use at the Cathedral. Through both plenary sessions and a wide range of specialized workshops, David, Doyle and I were able to gather useful material and network with people from throughout the Episcopal Church. Here's some of what we learned:

### Peter DeVeau

One presenter at the conference suggested that when thinking about Stewardship that we consider 100 percent of it to be for Outreach! All our money, material and human assets as a church, everything we possess and everything we do, exist for the sake of others. Stewardship is communal.

## Celebration of Mutual Ministry

Saturday in Easter Week

April 14 • 10:30 a.m.

We gather to celebrate our baptismal ministry and the call of Peter DeVeau as our new Dean. Bishop Marty Field presides at this service which includes renewal of baptismal vows and Confirmation, Reception and Reaffirmation.

Participants in the liturgy will include persons representing each Deanery of the Diocese of West Missouri and the wider community. The Cathedral musicians, the William Baker Festival Singers, trumpeter Keith Benjamin, and voluntary organist Jonathan Gregoire will make joyful music. A festive reception follows the service in Founders' Hall.

Healthy families talk about money. It is a wise practice for churches to offer programs in financial literacy. I was also intrigued and challenged with the thought of regarding the Cathedral as a resource place. As the church moves into the uncertainty of the future and a changing culture places like Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral can become regional centers for learning, the arts, spiritual growth and the exchange of ideas. Exciting things!

### David Stoll

This was my first time attending the Consortium of Endowed Episcopal Parishes conference. I was fortunate to arrive early so I could attend all Smart-Networking sessions for parish and financial administrators. The experiences shared covered vast amounts of topics which encompassed job duties, volunteers, policies and procedures, information sharing, online giving, property repairs and housekeeping issues, archives, weddings and spirituality in the workplace. It was enlightening to speak with more than twenty lay administrators who share the same common goal in providing the best attention and care to their parish needs.

### Doyle White

It had been 5 years since I last attended the Consortium of Endowed Episcopal Parishes conference. The spiritual and everyday nuts and bolts operational information was blended together at the conference sessions. I found Bonnie Anderson's presentment of the House of Deputies call to do our ministries in new ways particularly useful in this blending. She appealed to the Episcopal Church to move beyond what she calls "technological fixes" to "proactive changes."

The planned giving session I attended was partially informative since the Cathedral is in the process of implementing a planned giving program. Most not-for-profits already have planned giving programs in place and the Cathedral needs to let our members know that we have an organized professional program in place to receive their planned gifts. Helping continue the Cathedral's ministry after they are no longer here is, I believe, the wish of many of our members. The Episcopal Church Foundation has many resources we can access.

As we minister among you, the three of us will have much more to share from our learning at the conference. One thought that came up more than once is the importance of celebrating people and achievements in the life of a congregation. Thank you for the part you play in the greater whole. We exist to transform lives through our common life in Christ. We are grateful that our ministry here depends on the resources of all the saints at Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral, past and present.

*Gratefully in Christ, Peter DeVeau, Dean*

## See firsthand the work being done in Haiti

You have the opportunity to travel to Haiti in May 2012 to help paint the MN facilities. This is a great chance to see firsthand the great work being done at Maison de Naissance.

For information regarding costs, etc., contact: Jim Grant at jim@maisondenaissance.org or 913.402.6800 ext 650 or 913-515-8980 (cell).

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## HEALTH NEWS

The Health Ministry is meeting with Dean DeVeau to establish a Congregational Caregiver Ministry for our parishioners. This will be an on-going process with the goal most of the program be the fall.

The first phase to begin now is the revival of "Food for Families." We are hoping to provide a meal for a person who has been discharged from the hospital or nursing home or has a lot of stress from a family illness or death. Peggy Morgan is in charge of this committee. We are looking to establish subcommittees in the north, south, east and west of the city. In this way, no one will have to fix many meals or drive very far to deliver the meal. Remember to call the person to discuss the best time for the delivery!

We will have a volunteer list to sign at coffee hour. We are hoping that many will sign up to assist a parishioner or their family. You can also see Peggy or one of your Health Ministry members to join the group.

We have had to cancel the Cardiac Series during Lent due to the speakers conflicting schedules. We hope to re-schedule this for the fall.

There will be several areas where everyone can help with Congregational Caregivers. We will be seeking your help as these areas materialize.

Have a Blessed Easter!

—by Carol Montgomery, R.N.



## Treasurer's Report

Feb. MTD	Budgeted MTD	Actual MTD
Income	\$ 163,450	\$ 165,408
Expenses	\$ 131,387	\$ 132,608
<b>Net Total</b>	<b>\$ 32,063</b>	<b>\$ 32,800</b>
Feb. YTD	Budgeted YTD	Actual YTD
Income	\$ 284,400	\$ 287,596
Expenses	\$ 251,291	\$ 253,246
<b>Net Total</b>	<b>\$ 33,109</b>	<b>\$ 34,350</b>

Both the month of February 2012 and the year-to-date through February 2012 were greater than the same periods of time in 2011. Income for the month of February was in excess of \$165,000 as compared to February 2011 of \$157,478. The year-to-date February 2012 was in excess of \$287,000 as compared to the same period in 2011 of \$258,780.

The net operating income was \$34,350 for the year-to-date 2012 as compared to \$12,038 during the same period in 2011, even though expenses were approximately \$6,500 higher in 2012 than 2011. The improved results were driven by an increase in the Crowell Trust.

At the present time, pledges for 2012 are trailing the pledge activity of 2011. Currently, 171 pledges have been received totaling \$401,466 as compared to 183 pledges totaling \$454,958 at this time in 2011.

As pledges are an important part of the budget, if you have not yet turned in a pledge card or made your 2012 pledge on the church website, please take a moment to do so. We appreciate your contribution to the Cathedral to do the good works that we have been given.

—by Jim Phillips, Treasurer

## Adult Formation

9:15 a.m. • Founders' Hall

April 1 & 8

No Adult Formation.

April 15–May 6

Four Voices of Resurrection

Led by Fr. Michael Johnston

## Flowers & candles are given to the glory of God and ...

### March 4

- in thanksgiving for Dave Barker and the Handyperson Guild

### March 11

- in thanksgiving for the Kansas City Community Kitchen and the Hunger Relief volunteers
- In loving memory of Ruthe E. Haynes Veasie — Ruth Finet
- in memory of Newt Lewis — Gordon Hansen
- in thanksgiving for the union of Karen Blank and Noah Brown — Christine Morrison

### March 18

- in memory and blessing of Maria Devinke — Carmen Quintero



To donate toward the flowers to celebrate a special event or remember a loved one, sign up online at [www.ghc-kc.org/flowers](http://www.ghc-kc.org/flowers) or contact the Cathedral office (816.474.8260 ext. 103 or office@ghc-kc.org).

## The Angelus

*A laypersons' newspaper published in the interest of Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral.*

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Julie Toma, *Editor*

*The Angelus Small Group* 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. All entries are requested by the 15th day of the month prior to publication by e-mail to [communications@ghc-kc.org](mailto:communications@ghc-kc.org).



Café Grazia is a monthly gathering for all parishioners. You are cordially invited to join the fun!

Please bring bread or a salad to share, and enjoy the fellowship.

Dinner • 5:30 p.m.  
Small Groups • 6:30 p.m.

- Reel People
- Altar Guild 101
- Charitable Needlework
- Backsnack backpack stuffing
- Youth Group Game Night

## Why I support the AIDS Walk

My involvement with HIV/AIDS began in the early 1990s when I received a phone call from Brian, a close friend, with news that our friend, Steve Tritten, had the HIV/AIDS virus. They lived in New York City and Steve's lover had already died of the disease. Brian and Steve had lived in Kansas City and graduated from the Conservatory. Steve was a talented tenor with hopes of a career in opera or musical theater. We had performed in shows together and worked at Carnegie's as singing waiters. I didn't know how to help Steve with so many miles between

We have continued to walk every year since then—sometimes in rain, sometimes in sun and even once in snowflakes. Steve died in early 1994 but the good news is that people are now LIVING with HIV/AIDS thanks to the drug therapies that are available today.

AIDS Walk-KC is a benefit for HIV/AIDS agencies (Good Samaritan Project, SAVE Inc., Hope Care Center and Kansas City Free Health Clinic) in Kansas City. The walk is an easy 2+ mile walk near the Plaza. It will be Saturday, April 28 in Theis Park, which is east of the Plaza and south of the Nelson. Registration is at 8 a.m., Walk-Ceremonies at 9 a.m. and We WALK at 10 a.m. Walkers will be done by 12 p.m. Please join the Cathedral in walking and/or pledging for a walker. There are two teams from the Cathedral—Trinity Teens and the adult walk team. Any questions, contact Lenette Johnson (455-0148, lenette-johnson@kc.rr.com) or donate online: <http://www.firstgiving.com/fundraiser/lenetteandjuliana-johnson/aids-walk-kansas-city-2011>.



**SATURDAY, APRIL 28**

us but I wrote lots of letters and made a visit to New York City to see him. It was frustrating not being able to help so I decided to become involved in HIV/AIDS projects here in Kansas City.

One of the Lenten Academy offerings at the Cathedral was a series of classes about HIV/AIDS non profits in Kansas City. I learned about SAVE Inc., Free Health Clinic and the Good Samaritan Project. A walk team was organized in 1995 from the Cathedral for AIDS Walk-Kansas City.

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—by Lenette Johnson

## Marriage Preparation

A workshop for those preparing for marriage at the Cathedral will be Saturday, April 28, 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. The class will include a look at marriage as understood in the Episcopal Church, sessions on communication, family dynamics, finances, and wedding preparation. Participants will have the opportunity to meet others planning marriage and to prepare lunch as a group. Cost for materials is \$40 per couple.

Contact [office@ghc-kc.org](mailto:office@ghc-kc.org) if you would like to participate.



## You can now give online to GHTC

Many of you have asked to be able to give online and now you can. Using your Mastercard, Visa, Discover or American Express (including debit cards), you can give to the general fund as part of your offering, whether you pledge or not. You can also give to the flower fund if you would prefer to make reservations and pay for your flower gifts online.

On our website, click the "Online Giving" box at the top of the page and you will be redirected to a secure site to process your donation. You can give any amount you choose and have the opportunity to give once or set up a recurring schedule. Have a question or concern? Contact Financial Administrator David Stoll at [dstoll@ghc-kc.org](mailto:dstoll@ghc-kc.org).

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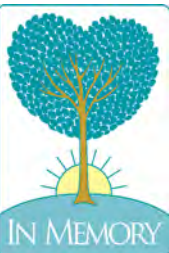
## In the Next Pew

"In the Next Pew" is a monthly column to help parishioners match names with the faces they see in the pews around them.

Janel and Cliff Mosley grew up in Kansas, but have lived all over the country due to Cliff's service in the Coast Guard. One of the places they enjoyed living the most was Hawaii, where their sons got used to going barefoot most of the time. They had a bit of a shock, Janel said, when they moved from Hawaii to snowy New England! Now, the couple and their two dogs live on a farm about an hour south of Kansas City. Cliff is retired from the Coast Guard and works part-time for Bass Pro where he shares his interest in fishing with customers. Janel enjoys baking and is part of the Eucharistic bread baking group. Their two sons and three grandchildren live in California.



Cliff and Janel joined the Cathedral in 2009 after participating in the Road to Canterbury class. They had been members of another church for many years but were drawn to make a change, so they made a list of the churches that interested them. The Cathedral happened to be first on the list. After attending one service here, Janel and Cliff knew they had found the place they were meant to be.



*Give to the departed eternal rest.  
Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

+Arthur Vogel

*The memorial service for Sharyl Wallace  
will be May 26 at 10 a.m. at Grace and  
Holy Trinity Cathedral.*



# Holy Week: Come for the Journey

You are invited to take the journey that takes us home and to new places. As the church gathers each day for worship from Palm Sunday to Easter Day, there is a particular focus that brings to corporate memory the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus. This faith walk reminds us of who we are and challenges us to renew our understanding of what it means to follow Christ. There are both familiar and a few new things that will be part of our gatherings this year.

## April 1 • Palm Sunday

8 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 5 p.m.

On Palm Sunday the reading of the Passion according to Mark will be done by one reader, with speaking parts for the congregation. At appropriate points in the narrative there will be pauses for reflection. A verse or two of a familiar hymn will be sung at these times, in addition to keeping the customary silence at the death of Jesus.

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## April 2-4 • Monday-Wednesday in Holy Week

12:05 p.m. & 5:30 p.m. • Holy Eucharist

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## The Paschal Triduum: The Great Three Days

### April 5 • Maundy Thursday

6 p.m. (no 12:05 p.m. Eucharist)

Maundy Thursday the liturgy begins at 6 p.m. in Founders' Hall with the bishop presiding. This is the day we remember that Jesus washed his disciples' feet, commanded them to love one another, shared a last meal with them, and went out into the night to pray and to be handed over to death. The congregation will gather at long tables for the Liturgy of the Word, followed by footwashing at stations at the sides of the room. There will be opportunity for handwashing for those not desiring footwashing. As always, this rite is optional. Eucharist is then celebrated with communion being distributed to the con-

gregation at tables by Eucharistic Ministers. Immediately after Eucharist, an Agape Meal of light, Mediterranean-style foods will be served. An "Agape" or lovefeast meal was characteristic of early gatherings of the Christian community.

After eating all will stand for a postcommunion prayer and to sing a hymn. All then leave the tables (the dishes will be done later) and go in procession to the Cathedral nave. When the congregation has gathered in the pews, an organ piece will be played followed by the singing of a hymn. Then the lights will be dimmed. The Altar Guild and clergy will strip the altar of all adornment while Psalm 88 is read by two voices. After a period of silence the congregation disperses. The Cathedral will be open until 9 p.m. Those who wish may stay for prayer and meditation. The sacramental rite of reconciliation is available for those desiring it. The healing prayer and votive candle station in the nave cross-aisle will be decorated to suggest the Garden of Gethsemane where Jesus prayed.

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## April 6 • Good Friday

12:05 p.m. • Liturgy

1:45 p.m. • Quiet Prayer in the Nave

2:30 p.m. • Way of the Cross

7 p.m. • Liturgy

This year the Liturgy of Good Friday takes place at both 12:05 p.m. and 7 p.m. The bishop presides at the noon liturgy. The Passion of John will be sung and there will be opportunity to come forward to offer prayer and light candles during the Veneration of the Cross. As at the death of Jesus we enter into a kind of "down time," there will be no communion from the reserved Sacrament. The focus will be on entering into the Passion story through Scripture, music, hymns, prayer and silence.

The Way of the Cross (Stations) takes place at 2:30 p.m. This means of meditating on Jesus's suffering prior to and during the Crucifixion is for persons of all ages.

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## April 7 • Holy Saturday

10 a.m.

A brief service commemorating our Lord's Burial.

## Labyrinth Available Holy Week

Labyrinth walk for private meditation is available in Founders' Hall Palm Sunday afternoon through Wednesday evening and also Good Friday until 7 p.m. (The labyrinth is not available Maundy Thursday to allow for setup for the evening liturgy.) A printed guide will be available in Founders' Hall to assist you as you walk the labyrinth. The labyrinth is an ancient pattern that has been found in many cultures around the world. A labyrinth is not a maze, with dead ends and other tricks. In fact, the labyrinth is meant to be easy to traverse. Labyrinths have only one path to the center. You walk in by a winding path and exit the same way.



# Easter Week: Come for the Journey

## The Resurrection

**April 7 • Easter Eve**

**7:30 p.m.**

We begin with the Great Vigil of Easter at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday evening. If you have never attended the Vigil, come and see! A member of the Cathedral congregation said that if he were to invite someone to church who had no prior contact with the Christian community it would be to this service. This is the night when we pass from death to life. We baptize at this service which consists of four parts: Light, Lessons, Christian Initiation and the first Eucharist of Easter. This is followed by a festive reception. You are invited to bring a savory or sweet treat to share; drop it off in Founders' Hall before the service.

Unlike prior years, the bishop will not be at the Cathedral to preside. This year Bishop Field will be at Grace Church, Carthage to keep Easter. Confirmations, receptions and reaffirmations that normally take place at the Vigil will be included in the Celebration of New Ministry, Saturday, April 14, 10:30 a.m.

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**April 8 • Sunday of the Resurrection:  
Easter Day**

**8 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.**

*(no 5 p.m. Eucharist)*

On Easter Day, we have two celebrations of Festival Eucharist at 8 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.

### Raising "Alleluia"

Both the 8 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. services Easter Day begin with children being invited to come forward and raise the "Alleluia" which was "buried" under the altar carpet on the Last Sunday after Epiphany. When the buried letters are lifted up by the children to spell out this word which means, "Praise the Lord," the whole church will proclaim, "Alleluia. Christ is risen!"



### Easter Day Egg Hunt

Our celebration of the Risen Lord continues after the 10:15 a.m. service Easter Day, April 8, with our annual Egg Hunt. [Note: The Easter Egg Hunt will be ON Easter Day, not the Second Sunday of Easter as earlier reported. Due to travel schedules and tradition the hunt is on for the big day.] All children are welcome to join in the fun. Remember to bring along baskets. Easter will be Easter!



### Easter Offering



The Vestry has designated part of the Easter offering for the work of the Kansas City Community Kitchen and Maison de Naissance in Haiti. Each ministry will receive a 10 percent share of the total Easter offering received as plate cash and in special Easter Offering envelopes. Please be generous in this offering used for outreach through the Cathedral and these two ministries.

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**April 9**

**Monday in Easter Week**

The Cathedral is closed. No 12:05 Eucharist.

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**April 10 – April 13**

**Tuesday-Friday in Easter Week**

**12:05 p.m. • Holy Eucharist**

Take some time to look over the entire Holy Week and Easter schedule, and plan to come for worship as you are able. It is a journey worth taking again and again.



During Holy Week we will be open:

- Wednesday 6-7 p.m.
- Thursday through Holy Saturday: Prior to the evening liturgies

On Easter Sunday: We will be open between the morning services only.

## The celebration continues

**Saturday, April 14**

Following the festivities of Easter Eve and Easter Day, we gather the Saturday in Easter week at 10:30 a.m. to celebrate our baptismal ministry and the call of Peter DeVeau as our new Dean. See page 1 for details.

**Sunday, April 15**

The celebration of the Resurrection continues the Second Sunday after Easter with a Jazz Liturgy. Dr. Beth Elswick of St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Overland Park has shaped a service wherein we will sing familiar Easter hymns in a new 'garb,' so to speak. Gifted musicians from the UMKC Conservatory of Music will lead us in our worship. Come expecting to be super-charged.

—by Canon John Schaefer



## Then Came the Women

It all began as morning  
In the faint light of day  
The land lay still  
Before the sunrise.

Then came the women  
They wept their fill  
Their faces stained with tears  
They loved the Lord  
They earned their right to cry.

Beautiful Mary Magdalene  
Her hair still glistening  
From the footprints of Jesus  
Witness to the resurrection  
She earned her place of honor.

The women departed  
Told all they had seen  
They came in darkness  
Departed in light  
They came in anxiety  
Departed in Peace  
He is Risen  
He is Risen indeed!

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## Evening of Stars – a Celebration of Volunteers

Friday, April 20, Episcopal Community Services will host their fourth annual “Evening of Stars” — an evening to celebrate and recognize the wonderful volunteers that help support hunger relief ministries for Episcopal Community Services and the Episcopal Hunger Relief Network. In 2011, our combined ministries served about 1.2 million meals to the hungry in the Greater Kansas City area — and one or more volunteers helped make every single one of those meals happen.

The event will take place in Founders’ Hall. We will open the doors at 6 p.m. for welcome and seating, with the activities beginning about 6:30. The evening will begin with a wonderful dinner provided by our own Cornerstones Catering and the graduates and students of Culinary Cornerstones.


Afterwards, the Right Reverend Martin Field, Bishop of the Diocese of West Missouri, will talk with us about hunger relief ministries and volunteering. This will be followed by volunteer recognition, including some very special awards, with the evening ending by 8:30.

Please help us make this evening a special one by attending, and help us plan for this important event by pre-registering. You may RSVP by email at [RSVP@EpiscopalCommunity.org](mailto:RSVP@EpiscopalCommunity.org), or by calling our offices at 816-561-8920. By pre-registering we will be able to have pre-printed name tags for you. In addition, if you will let us know any special seating arrangements desired, we will try to arrange table seating in advance.

—by John Hornbeck



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## Give EfM a try this May

Curious about EfM? Join us on Tuesday, May 22 and May 29. RSVP to [tuesdayefm@gmail.com](mailto:tuesdayefm@gmail.com) or contact Steve Johnson 816-263-1782.



Education for Ministry is a inquiry style learning program

administered by the The University of the South School of Theology. EfM is largely three parts: reading, theological

reflection and small group dynamics. The aim is to think theologically. The reading comprises four years covering Old and New Testament, Church History and Theology. This provides the framework for theological reflection Small group fellowship develops through meeting weekly and worship and sharing.

Get more information about EfM from their website: [www.sewanee.edu/EFM](http://www.sewanee.edu/EFM).

## UPCOMING MUSIC EVENTS

UMKC recitals in the month of April:

**Friday, April 13 • 5 p.m.**

Jessica Cary, oboe recital

**Sunday, April 15 • 5 p.m.**

Andrea Stanton, French horn recital

**Sunday, April 15 • 7:30 p.m.**

Mary Stahlhuth, oboe recital

**Monday, April 16 • 5 p.m.**

Sam Wells, trumpet recital

**Friday, April 20 • 5 p.m.**

Jena Wight, trumpet recital

**Friday, April 27 • 4 p.m.**

Jade Williams, oboe recital

**Sunday, April 29 • 2:30 p.m.**

Heidi Downin, violin recital

*Please check the Cathedral website for locations.*

## Save the Date: June 22-23



**June 22**

Duffers Dinner @  
GHTC

**June 23**

Golf & Awards Lunch  
@ Prairie Highlands  
Golf Course, Olathe

**Great Golf, Great Food, Great Fun ... Fore a Great Cause!**  
*Benefiting the Culinary Cornerstones program*



## Combat malaria, save lives

Every 45 seconds in sub-Saharan Africa a child dies from malaria, a deadly infectious disease transmitted by a mosquito bite. Just one life-saving, long lasting insecticide-treated net can save three lives from suffering and death.

World Malaria Day (April 25) is a day to raise awareness of malaria as a disease that is preventable and treatable and to mobilize communities across the world to get involved in the fight against it. World Malaria Day represents a chance for all of us to make a difference.

Reducing the impact of malaria significantly propels efforts to achieve the U.N. Millennium Development Goal of combating the disease itself, as well as goals related to women's and children's rights and health, education and the reduction of extreme poverty.

**How does Episcopal Relief and Development's NetsforLife and the NetsforLife Inspiration Fund Help?** In partnership with corporations, foundations, NGOs and faith-based organizations, NetsforLife® implements integrated malaria-prevention programs in 17 countries in sub-Saharan Africa.

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A partnership for Malaria prevention in Africa

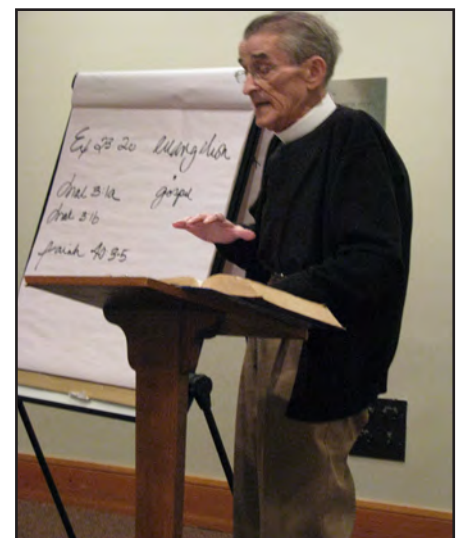
Since 2008, NetsforLife® has delivered over 5.6 million nets, resulting in less sickness, fewer deaths and stronger communities. NetsforLife® combats malaria by training community agents to deliver life-saving nets, educating community members about proper net use and maintenance, and providing on-going monitoring and evaluation of net use. To date, over 38 million people have benefited directly and indirectly.

The NetsforLife® Inspiration Fund is a grassroots effort to educate, engage, and unite Episcopalians to support the MDGs through the fight against malaria. ERD's goal is to build awareness about this disease, how it can be prevented, and raise \$5 million by December 2012.



*Watch upcoming bulletins and weekly e-news about how the Cathedral will be recognizing World Malaria Day Sunday, April 29.*

## Lenten Academy 2012



## 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. Holy Eucharist

### Monday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

### Tuesday

9:15 a.m. EfM  
 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist  
 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study  
 6:15 p.m. EfM

### Wednesday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist  
 5:45 p.m. The Tallis Singers  
 6:00 p.m. Grace Choraliers  
 6:45 p.m. Trinity Teens

### Thursday

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study  
 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist  
 6:00 p.m. Cathedral Bell Ringers  
 7:30 p.m. Trinity Choir

### Friday

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist



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*Deacon*

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

Mr. John L. Schaefer  
*Canon Musician*

## Safeguarding God's Children training

The next Safeguarding God's Children workshop is **Tuesday, April 24** from 6-9 p.m. at St. Paul's Church in Lee's Summit.



### Who is required to attend a Safeguarding God's Children training?

- All volunteers who have direct contact with our children or youth
- Eucharistic visitors
- Persons with keys and access to Cathedral buildings
- Cathedral clergy and staff
- Others who are leaders in our ministries

Contact Angela Crawford at [acrawford@ediowestmo.org](mailto:acrawford@ediowestmo.org) or 816-471-6161 ext. 17 to make a reservation for the April 24 training. Prior to attending a seminar, those attending should read the handbook Policies and Procedures Regarding Prevention of Sexual Misconduct online: [www.diowestmo.org/misconduct\\_prevention0.aspx](http://www.diowestmo.org/misconduct_prevention0.aspx).

An additional session is scheduled Saturday, May 12 from 1-4 p.m. at All Saints Episcopal Church in Nevada, Mo.

## Activities for the Month of April

### 1 • SUNDAY • PALM SUNDAY

11:30 a.m. Easter Basket Assembly & Easter Egg Stuffing  
 2:00 p.m. Concert: Musica Vocale

### 4 • WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Paul's Deanery

### 7 • SATURDAY

9:00 a.m. Altar Guild Workday

### 8 • SUNDAY • EASTER DAY

*Collection of nonperishable food*  
*Easter Egg Hunt*

### 9 • MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Luke's Deanery

### 11 • WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Matthew's Deanery

### 14 • SATURDAY

10:30 a.m. Celebration of New Ministry

### 18 • WEDNESDAY

7:30 a.m. Finance Committee  
 7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Mark's Deanery

### 19 • THURSDAY

5:30 p.m. Social Outreach Committee  
 7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. John's Deanery

### 23 • MONDAY

1:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Augustine's Deanery

### 25 • THURSDAY

5:30 p.m. Café Grazia

### 26 • THURSDAY

5:00 p.m. Vestry

### 28 • SATURDAY

9:30 a.m. Marriage Preparation Workshop

See pages 4-5 for a complete Holy Week and Easter Week schedule.