

# I'he Angelus

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# FROM THE DEAN Same Cathedral, New Domain

We're getting a new domain name. Soon our website will be kccathedral.org. Cathedral email addresses will be, name @kccathedral.org. The change is being made simply because it will be easier. Our current domain name, "ghtc-kc" has too many consonants! It is often a challenge to repeat them over the phone when giving the web address or an email. No more, "G" as in George, "H" as in Harry, etc., or explaining that the "dash" is a dash, and not a letter.

Do not fear as we make this change. For at least a year into the future, you will be able to send emails or get to our web page using the ghtc-kc addresses! Anything addressed this way will simply be routed to the new address. You will want to change the address in your favorites and contact lists. 2013 will provide a year of grace in which to make the shift.

Every New Year begins with a naming. In the yearly cycle of the Church or Christian Year, January 1, New Year's Day is the feast of the Holy Name of Jesus. It falls on the eighth day of Christmas. It marks the day when in accordance with the covenant of Abraham, Jesus, as a Jewish male child was circumcised and named (Luke 2:21). We marked that naming December 31 a celebration of Holy Eucharist on the Eve of the Holy Name.

The end of one year and the beginning of another offers a time for us to do some naming in our lives. Many of us anticipate the New Year by identifying the things we would like to change or accomplish in our lives. We make our New Year resolutions. It may be that such resolve lasts only for a short-lived season of hope at the outset of a new calendar year. But, this act of naming goals has a way of empowering us to do them. Often things really do change as a result of self-reflection and determination. Whatever the case, there is a naming that holds for each of us in the New Year.

You and I are named as part of a new and renewing domain. By water and the Word you and I are each brought into God's gracious rule through baptism. We are given a name and the new domain of Christ. By the name of Jesus you and I are commissioned to live and act in a way that says this is so every new year, every new day. At times it may seem that we are the same people we were yesterday. But, really we are part of a realm, a reign, a domain that challenges and changes us to live otherwise.

Happy and blessed New Year to all! In this new year of grace, I am PDeVeau@kccathedral.org

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## The Way

Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m., Founders' Hall February 6 through March 20

Persons new to the Cathedral, those desiring baptism, and those who would like to grow in their journey of faith are welcome to join in The Way, Wednesdays, February 6 through March 20, 6-8 p.m. in Founders' Hall.

The Way is for those who would like to understand what it means to follow Christ as part of the Cathedral congregation and as Christians in the Anglican/Episcopal tradition. Each evening includes a simple meal and table conversation. This is followed by teaching and/or presentations, and group discussion. Links are made between daily life and work and the worship and practice of the church. Emphasis is given to understanding what it means to live into one's baptismal promises. The evening concludes with quiet reflection and prayer.

Persons participating in The Way will be prepared for baptism or affirmation of faith at the Great Vigil of Easter, March 30. Questions? Contact the Dean's office: pdeveau@ ghtc-kc.org.



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IN MEMORY

Café Grazia is a monthly gathering for all parishioners for dinner, fellowship and small groups. You are cordially invited to join the fun!

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

#### Small Groups • 6:30 p.m.

- Charitable Needlework Hang out with us and work on your needlework projects. Don't knit, crochet or sew? Don't worry; we'll help you get started.
- Trinity Teens Youth Group: Youth from 6th through 12th grades are invited to join us each Wednesday in the Youth Room from 6:45-8:30 p.m. for dinner, fellowship, learning and service.

Half of the offering received at services Christmas

Eve and Christmas Day was designated to be shared

equally between the Kansas City Community

Kitchen and Maison de Naissance. Thanks to your generosity, \$2106.21 will be sent to each ministry.

Hats. coats & gloves

We are collecting scarves, gloves/mittens, hats and

coats to be distributed through the

Kansas City Community Kitchen.

We welcome your donations — both

homemade and store-bought.

Bring your donations to the large

basket in the Tower.

Many thanks to all the

volunteers who worked on

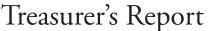
making the Cathedral a

special place this Advent

and Christmas.

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

Steve Caruso, Pattie Phillips' father



At first glance it would appear that both the actual income and the actual expenses diverged significantly from budgeted income and budgeted expenses in November. In fact, nearly all of the divergence can be attributed

to budget revisions. The budget revisions were necessary to bring our budget closer to balance and included transferring money from certain Cathedral funds to the operating budget and the reduction of expenses. The Vestry approved the budget revisions.

In order to end the year in a positive cash position the Cathe-

dral will need you to do what you have done in the past and bring your pledges current. Of course special gifts are very much appreciated.

-by Doyle White, Assistant Treasurer

Nov. MTD	Bu	dgeted MTD	A	ctual MTD
Income	\$	159,300	\$	141,949
Expenses	\$	155,788	\$	117,452
Net Total	\$	3,512	\$	24,497
Nov. YTD	Bu	dgeted YTD	A	ctual YTD
Nov. YTD	Bu Ş	1,395,263	<b>∧</b> \$	<b>Actual YTD</b> 1,407,720

## Join in the Harvest

Thank you to all who have made a commitment of support for the mission of Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral in 2013. And thank you to all who are prayerfully considering what your commitment will be for the coming year! You may make your pledge either using the card that was sent to you in the mail, or by making your commitment using the Cathedral website: ghtc-kc.org. Additional pledge cards are available on the ushers' table and literature racks in the Cathedral.



## Women's Retreat

The annual retreat for the women of the Cathedral will be February 8-10, 2013 at the Marillac Center of the Sisters of Charity in Leavenworth, Kan. Our theme this

year is "What is Love? A story of devotion and service," based on the book *The Story of Ruth: Twelve Moments in Every Woman's Life* by Joan D. Chittister. The cost is \$150 per person for a single room or \$125 per person for a double room. A \$50 deposit is due with the registration. Register online: www.ghtc-kc.org/we-learn/womens-retreat.



The Marillac Center, established in the spirit of the Sisters of Char-

ity of Leavenworth, provides an environment of prayer, peace,

hope and transformation. In addition to walkways, lovely foun-



tains and natural landscaping, the Center also has hotel-type rooms and hot tubs.

Whether you have enjoyed many previous retreats or will be signing up for the first time, save the date and make time to join us for this experience of reflection, fun, worship and renewal.

#### The Angelus • Page 2



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

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*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@ghtc-kc.org.

# Keeping the way clear

- When using Cathedral spaces, here are some things to keep in mind:
- Tower Doors on Sundays and at other times when large groups are assembled in the Cathedral nave, both the east and north tower doors are unlocked. Please do not place any items (boxes, baskets, displays, tables, chairs, etc.) inside the



north door. It must always serve as an EXIT.

- Founders' Hall: When setting up for events the west courtyard doors must be accessible should it be necessary to exit the hall quickly. At least one set of doors should be left unobstructed by tables, displays, chairs, etc.
- Hallway at the West End of the Cathedral: This hallway must be kept unobstructed at all times as it is an accessible entrance for persons using walkers and wheelchairs, and it serves as an EXIT. Nothing should be stored in this hallway.

Thanks for assisting with keeping our spaces safe and accessible.



## In the Next Pew "In the Next Pew" is a regular column to help parishioners

match names with the faces they see in the pews around them.

Robin Rusconi and Jae McKeown have three children, Liam (12), Connell (11), and Maggie (7). Robin and Jae have a long history with the Cathedral. They have been members for 19 years and were married here 18 years ago by Dean DeVeau. Liam is active in the youth group, and he and Robin serve as acolytes at the 10:15 service. Maggie sings with the Choraliers and attends Children's Formation.



Robin said they appreciate the sense of community present at the Cathedral and

the way that their children, who are adopted, were welcomed with open arms. They also like the Cathedral's commitment to downtown and its residents. Robin works at Children's Mercy Hospital as Director in Research Administration, and Jae is a Business Analyst at Datacore Marketing. The family lives in Hyde Park.

#### **Adult Formation** Sundays • 9:15 a.m. • Common Room

#### How, Then, Shall We Live?

In this discussion-based class, we will explore tools that enable the Body of Christ to live faithfully and mindfully Monday-Saturday as well as on Sunday. This class will meet throughout the Season of Epiphany beginning Jan. 6.

Suggested reading: Becoming Human by Brian C. Taylor, Cowley Publications, 2005.

# Feast of the Epiphany Feast

Sunday, Jan. 6 • 6 p.m. • Founders' Hall

The Trinity Choir will host their second Feast of the Epiphany Dinner January 6, 2013 following a Choral Eucharist (about 6 p.m.). Last year's dinner was such a success that it was decided to hold this dinner again as a fund raiser for the choir's 2013 tour of England. The cuisine this year will again be Italian.



There will be four courses with wine and/or liquor pairings for \$75 per person. The menu will consist of:

1st Course • Salad: Spinach with Bacon (Spinaci con Pancetta)

- 2nd Course Pasta: Gnudi with Butter and Fresh Sage Sauce
- 3rd Course Entrée: Osso Buco, Creamy Polenta, Broccoli
- 4th Course Dessert: Cheesecake with Orange Curd and Candied Orange Slices • Coffee.

Reservations are required and can be made by contacting Abbey Mattson at abbey\_mattson@yahoo.com or 913-638-7698.

# Holy Hands Brunch

Sunday, Jan. 13 • 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. • Common Room

Holy Hands provides wonderful Hospitality every Sunday. Your time and talents are greatly appreciated. As we begin a new year, let's come together and share our ideas and resources. Bring your questions and suggestions. Please share with anyone who might be interested in joining one of the Sunday teams. We welcome your participation. We appreciate your RSVP @ ruth@thekornershoppe.com or 816-564-8925.

A lovely quiche and wonderful chicken salad with be served. We will also feature a Dove Chocolate tasting. -Ruth Finet

# Annual Meeting: January 27

#### 11:45 a.m. • Founders' Hall

Potluck lunch (main dish provided; please bring a side or dessert to share).

#### We will:

- · celebrate some of our amazing ministries and those individuals who make them possible.
- honor Vestry members who are completing terms & elect a new class.
- share written reports, from 2012 financial reports and the 2013 budget to summaries of various programs and mission activities.
- be gathered as a parish family of all ages to celebrate Eucharist, celebrate a shared meal, celebrate the blessings we have known as a community in the last year and celebrate the wondrous opportunities the Lord Christ places before us in this new year of grace.

Nursery care will be provided throughout the celebration.

We look forward to this time together and look forward to seeing you at this parish celebration!

# Centering Prayer, Resting in God

Centering Prayer moves one toward the deepest level of relationship and intimacy with God. If you are interested in deepening your relationship with God, we invite you to join us during this Lenten season as we look at what it means to "go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who sees in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you." (Matthew 6:6).

We will meet six Mondays, beginning February 11. If you are interested in knowing more about this Lenten study contact Jerry Grabher at jgrabher@ghtc-kc.org or 816-590-6205.

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

#### December 2

- in memory of the birthdate of Sally's mother, Alice Holcomb Bingham Verburg
   — Sally Livengood & Bill Hawley
- in memory of my father, Lloyd L. Liming — Cathy Thomas

#### December 9

- in memory of the birthday of Thilde Beuing — Helga Beuing
- in thanksgiving for the birthday of Leslie Branton Hoffecker — Shawsie Branton
- in memory of Earl Cavanaugh and his leadership in ministering to the hungry & homeless — John Hornbeck

#### December 16

 in honor of the birthday of Brad McLeroy — Ron and Carolyn McLeroy

#### December 23

- in memory of Sally Kemper Wood (floral wreath for bell tower door and altar flowers) — The Sally Kemper Wood Floral Fund for GHTC
- in loving memory of the Very Reverend J. Earl Cavanaugh, and Betty & Harold Phillips; in honor of Nancy G. Cavanaugh, the Very Reverend Peter and Mary DeVeau, and John & Leona Schaefer — Vangie & John Rich
- in loving memory of Harold and Betty Phillips — The Bowen and Phillips Families

#### December 30

• in thanksgiving for our wedding anniversary — Bridgett Shirley and Mike Sancho

#### Christmas

#### in thanksgiving for

- All God's blessings
- Bob Bucker, and my Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral family — Barbara Bucker
- Connor Jim & Karen Meek
- Dean Peter DeVeau Shawsie Branton
- Family
- gratitude Michael & Elizabeth Simms
- in thanksgiving Denny, Kent & Denny Brisley
- Jay, Dan, Alden & Emily Gene McLaughlin
- Jim Vaughn Lorraine Brandwein
- Luke & Hannah Woolley, and Emma & Ashby Lane Pat & Kay Woolley
- many blessings Marlene Link
- my children & grandchildren Joyce Morrow
- my children and grandchildren Paget

#### Higgins

- my children, Melisa and Scott, and my grandchildren, Nathan, Sean & Erik — Patricia Burns
- My family Barbara Mason
- My family Bev Burke
- my mother, Dorothy Risebig Claudia Risebig
- Nan & Andy Sam & Dorothy Gershman
- our children Taylore & Tom Mahoney
- our children & grandchildren Ellen & Brent Spake
- our children, Lacey & Caroline Dick & Ginger Owen
- our daughter, Noël, and grandson, Gordon — Harley & Pat Miller
- our families Grace & John Obetz
- our family John and Ellen Goheen
- our family Larry & Pat Martin
- our family
- our granddaughter, Anne Marie Whitacre — Jack & Marie Whitacre
- Richard Preis
- the 100th birthday of my mother -in-law, Alma — Marnell Sparks
- the abundance of love and joy found with family and friends Ruth Finet
- The Gordon children Elizabeth Gordon
- The music of Trinity Choir and John Schaefer; the beauty of the chancel by Robert Trapp — Richard Preis
- the People of GHTC Mary & Peter DeVeau
- Our children Mike & Cheryl McDonald
- Beautiful music and flowers Suzanne Wright
- — Ron & Carolyn McLeroy
- Claudia; Anne & Elizabeth

#### in memory of

- Anne & Clarence Hansen; Newt Lewis; Lena & Guy Lewis —
- Gordon Hansen Billie N. Wallace —
- Herman Wallace
- Calisia Hillhouse Brent Barr
- Charles Gaggens Sue Gaggens
- Coleman Branton; Mary G. & Les Shaw — Shawsie Branton
- Don Willsey —
- Elizabeth B. McLaughlin — Gene McLaughlin
- Ellis Thomas Johnston; William George Kibitz;

Martha Yelton — Michael & Lucille Johnston

- Ellyn Shirley Mike Sancho & Bridgett Shirley
- Francis Satterfield —
- Frank, Mary, and August Fanolia; Jerry,
  Donald Loyd & Hazel Smith Richard
  & Jill Fanolio
- Fred Leive Pat Leive
- Isabel Curdy Bob Richmond
- Isabell Trapp & Delbert Trapp —
- John Robert Fowler Charmaine Fowler
- John S. Ingram-Eiser; Max & Virginia Foresman; Fudie Barlow; Dr. Tim Sifers — Sarah Ingram-Eiser
- Luther Crocker Friends
- Marilyn Lacey McMullen —
- Maude Forrester; Philip & Barbara Rahm; Creighton Hart — Phyllis R. Hart
- my father, Clarence Risebig Claudia Risebig
- my husband, Benjamin Joyce Morrow
- our parents, Charlie & Dotte McCord, and Edward Owen — Dick & Ginger Owen
- our parents, Martha & Ted and Nick & Elynor Bev & Larry Bilotta
- Paul W. Lowrey Bonnie Lowrey
- Robert & Alice Brandwein Joseph Brandwein
- The Rev Richard E. Mason Barbara Mason
- William P. Bucker Barbara Bucker
- Family and friends Suzanne Wright
- Harold, Zelma and Deborah Copeland Carolyn Henry
- Julie Brown Carlson

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 office@ghtc-kc.org).





## Maison de Naissance Foundation and the Cathedral Friends of MN

Happy New Year! We thank all who have supported MN through-

out the year both global and local. Year after year the Cathedral has generously given their support through monetary donations and our onesie project during Advent. This year the response to this Advent project was overwhelming assuring that all of the tiny recipients will be smartly clad in their new clothes.



The staff at the birthing home has continued their amazing work, surmounting many obstacles

due to the ever increasing number of women and families using the services and Hurricane Sandy which provided some challenges. The staff works to deliver first class maternal health care services free of charge to impoverished mothers in rural Haiti.

Here are MN's clinical stats through October 31, 2012: Reproductive Health (Family Planning) visits: 9151 Prenatal visits: 4851 Community Health Home Visits: 2863 Labor Patients: 693 Deliveries: 626 Emergency referrals to secondary facility: 67 1998 Well baby visits: Prenatal HIV tests: 2015



# Donate diapers for children in need.

Imagine choosing between diapers and paying the electric bill. Or putting gas in your car. Chances are you won't face this scenario, but it's a common one for low-income families. Join us in alleviating situations like this by donating diapers or dollars to babies in need.

We are accepting all sizes (even open packs) but *especially need sizes 3, 4, 5 and pull ups*.

You can make a financial donation from their website — HappyBottoms.org.

# Bring diapers to GHTC January 6–February 13.



Your generosity keeps the doors open and the midwives employed at the birthing home. You can support MN in the coming year by making a monthly donation, an end of the year donation, donating in someone's honor or memory, and by spreading the word about the good works provided at MN.

See what your donations can do for MN:

- \$115 Cover the cost to deliver a healthy baby (prenatal, delivery, care, HIV/AIDS test)
- \$775 Sponsor the salary of a nurse midwife (per month)
- \$1171 Average cost of medical/lab supplies for one week
- \$160 Sponsor a tubal ligation at a nearby hospital by visiting US physician/per patient
- \$1500 Diesel for one month staff transport & emergency transfers
- \$23,000 Sponsor one month of birthing center operations, outpatient, prenatal, postnatal, well baby, HIV care, family planning, community health visits, and deliveries

Thank you again for you support to ensure that the lives of as many mothers as possible can be saved, and their babies given a healthy start!



–by Paula Miller

## Introduction by our new associate priest: The Rev. Christy Dorn

I feel honored to be joining the clergy staff at Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral. Thanks to all for the very warm welcome you have extended to me and to my family over the past weeks. I'm enjoying meeting and getting to know so many of you. Hopefully I'll know you all very soon.

Our family—husband Larry and daughters Lia and Caroline—live in Overland Park. We moved here from California about a year and a half ago. We are enjoying getting to know the area and visiting local areas of interest. Lia and Caroline attend Notre Dame de Sion School, where Lia's a 9th grader and Caroline's a 5th grader. Larry is director of chaplaincy at Truman Medical Center.

Currently, my areas of responsibility here at the Cathedral include children and family ministries, hospitality and newcomers, as well as sharing in liturgical, pastoral and sacramental ministries with GHTC clergy. Several of you have asked me how I like to be addressed. Please feel free to call me by my baptismal name—Christy. If you have young children and would like them to include a title, then Rev. Christy or Pastor Christy is fine.

I hope you'll drop in to the office to say hello if you're in the area—I'm in the office on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. I welcome your visit. *Peace and Blessings, Christy* +

# Save the Date: Coming in February

Saturday, Feb. 9 Absalom Jones Service Sunday, Feb. 10 Fat Sunday Pancake Breakfast Wednesday, Feb. 13 Ash Wednesday Liturgies 7 a.m. + 12:05 p.m. + 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 20, 27, March 6 & 13 Lenten Academy

See also pages 1 & 3 for formation opportunities starting in February — the Way and Centering Prayer.



Join others who are new to the Cathedral for lunch and conversation about GHTC.

Childcare is available on request, and children are welcome to eat An optional tour of the Cathedral

Come and learn about what it means to be part of the Cathedral community.

> If you plan to attend, please email cdorn@ghtc-kc.org.



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The Right Rev. Martin S. Field, Bishop of West Missouri

The Very Rev. Peter DeVeau, Dean

The Rev. Canon Susan Sommer, Canon Pastor and Subdean

The Rev. Christy Dorn, Associate

The Rev. Jerry Grabher, Deacon

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

Mr. John L. Schaefer, Canon Musician

David Stoll, Financial Administrator

Mary Ann Mansfield, Events Coordinator and Assistant to the Dean

> Julie Toma, Communications Coordinator

Keith Green, Property Manager Janet Sweeting, Sacristan

### Weekly Activities

#### Sunday

8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
9:15 a.m.	Adult & Youth Formation
10:00 a.m.	Children's Formation
10:15 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
5:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Monday	
12:05 p.m.	Holy Eucharist

#### Tuesday

12:05 р.т. 1:30 p.m. 2:30 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Holy Eucharist Women's Bible Study Men's Bible Study EfM

#### Wednesday

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

#### Thursday

12:05 р.т. 6:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.

Holy Eucharist Cathedral Bell Ringers Trinity Choir

Friday 12:05 p.m.

Holy Eucharist

## Activities for the Month of January

Cathedral office closed. No 12:05 p.m. Eucharist. 2 • Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Paul's Deanery 6 • SUNDAY 5:00 p.m. Choral Eucharist, Rite I 6:00 p.m. Feast of Epiphany Feast 9 • Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Matthew's 13 • SUNDAY Nonperishable food collection & Blood pressure checks 11:45 a.m. Holy Hands Brunch

I • TUESDAY • NEW YEAR'S DAY

5 p.m. Choral Evensong

14 • MONDAY 10:00 a.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Luke's Deanery 1:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Augustine's

#### 16 • Wednesday

7:30 a.m. Finance Committee 5:30 p.m. Café Grazia 6:30 p.m. Small Group Meetings 7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Mark's Deanery 17 • THURSDAY 5:00 p.m. Social Outreach Committee

20 • SUNDAY 11:45 a.m. Newcomers' Lunch 4:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. Benedict's

#### 21 • Monday • MLK Day

Cathedral office closed. No 12:05 p.m. Eucharist. 23 • WEDNESDAY

6:30 p.m. Reel People 24 • THURSDAY

5:00 p.m. Vestry

27 • SUNDAY 11:45 a.m. Annual Meeting

30 • Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Rule of Benedict: St. John's Deanery



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