

## The Sunday News: April 23, 2023

**UTO:** We all have lots to be thankful for. The Episcopal Church's United Thank offering (UTO) has one way for you to express your thanks for all your blessings. There are UTO boxes available in the Narthex this Sunday (4/23). Take one home and whenever you feel thankful put a coin (or a bill) in the box. **Bring your box back on May 7<sup>th</sup>**. The money is used for Episcopal parishes and Missionary projects. It has also assisted with projects at St. Patrick's in the past.

**VBS** registration is open and we invite all adults and youth to join us and explore the many ways you can help make this year's VBS a success! Scan the QR code to register today. Children are invited to join Super Meer and become a member of the Hero Hotline as we answer God's call together to serve, bring peace, and build each other up!

Adult and youth volunteers are needed to assist with this year's VBS, taking place July 17-21, 2023 at St. Patrick's.



**Spiritual Direction** will be starting *Tattoos on the Heart* by Gregory Boyle on Wednesday, April 19th at 10:15 am via zoom. Please contact the church office or Tawnya Lewis for the link. All are welcome to join the discussion!

**The Mature Spirituality Sacred** Circle has decided to meet the 2nd AND 4th Thursdays of the month. We are reading *The Gift of Years: Growing Older Gracefully* by Joan Chittister. Next meeting date April 27. Feel free to join us. Questions? Email Rose Walker.

Join us for a party at coffee hour today to present the work of the Strategic Planning Team and Vestry for the upcoming year. Come and get hyped for the ministry we will be doing and have some cake.

**EPISCOPAL NIGHT AT THE SYMPHONY** returns on Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at the Ohio Theatre featuring *The Columbus Symphony Orchestra & Chorus* in its last concert of the season – "Welcome to Spring." Check Symphony's website for details. Ticket prices are **\$60 per person** and include food and beverages at a 5:30pm reception in the Galbreath Pavilion, as well as orchestra seating for the concert which begins at 7:30pm. See the April Newsletter and Friday Happenings for registration details.

### Spring Garage Sale News

We are less than 2 weeks away from our Spring Garage Sale! In addition to collecting items to donate, please collect any grocery-style paper bags you have and bring them with your donations.

- Donations can be dropped off from April 29 - May 1.
- The Sale itself is May 5 and May 6, 8:30am - 1:00pm both days
- Organizers! We start sorting and organizing first thing Saturday morning, April 29 through Thursday, May 4th.

Signup sheets for all these volunteer needs are available on the Garage Sale table to the right as you enter the Smith Parish Hall. Or email Mark Hanes directly to let him know you are able to help.

**Acolyte Training:** We will be having an acolyte training class after the 9:30am service until noon on Sunday May 7th. Serving as an acolyte is open to anyone ages 10+ (children and adults). If you would like to be an acolyte, or are already an acolyte and would like to be trained on another acolyte position, please plan to attend.

### **Dublin Interfaith/Ecumenical Prayer Breakfast** Commemorating the National Day of Prayer

Thursday, May 4th from 7:30-9:00 a.m. at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church (5475 Brand Road in Dublin)

Please join people of many faiths and cultures for this event with the theme of "Praying for a Healthy Community." This year's focus will be on mental health and will include a panel of experts: Tyler Wolfe, Director of Student Well-Being in DCS; Maggie Dangler, Clinical Site Manager at Syntero; and Justin Paez, Dublin Chief of Police.

Cost: \$12.00 per person upon entrance (cash or check) for light breakfast provided by Sunny Street Café. RSVP by April 22nd to Barb Anderson (614-783-7998 or andersonfamily2214@gmail.com).

## Education

**Adult Forum:** No adult forum today, so join us in the Parish hall for cake and the presentation of the Strategic Planning Committee and Vestry. Next week is out first in the series on end of life planning.

**Youth Group** High Schoolers have Peer Ministry lesson with Father Jason and Middle Schoolers have a Rite 13 lesson with Zach. Same time. Same place. Same yummy food and amazing friends!

**Sunday School** Join us for our Easter-time series, "A Very Merry Unbirthday: The Parables of Dr. Seuss." We will spend 5 weeks celebrating what makes you special and God's immeasurable love for YOU! Sundays from 11-12 Pre-K-2nd grade and 3rd-5th

## Outreach

**Dublin Food Pantry** Drop items in the wagon in the breezeway of the church. At the top of the list, and the most needed items are: **Pancake mix (regular size), Cooking Oil (regular size) and Condensed soup (not ready to eat)**. Or, contribute online: [Food Pantry](#)

On the Calendar	Worship Team										
<p><b><u>Sunday, April 23</u></b>  Holy Eucharist at 8:00 a.m.  <b>Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m.</b>  Strategic Plan Presentation  Sunday School at 11:00 a.m.  Boy Scouts at 1:00 p.m.  VBS Meeting at 4:00 p.m.  Youth Group at 5:30 p.m.</p> <p><b><u>Monday, April 24</u></b>  Efm Extension at 9:30 a.m.</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday, April 25</u></b>  Men's Group at 7:00 a.m.  Staff Meeting at 10:30 a.m.  Sacred Circle 4 at 1:00 p.m.  Efm at 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b><u>Wednesday, April 26</u></b>  St. Arbuck's at 10:00 a.m.  Men's Group at 10:00 a.m.  Spiritual Direction at 10:15 a.m.  Holy Eucharist at noon</p> <p><b><u>Thursday, April 27</u></b>  LITD at 10:00 a.m.  Purls of Wisdom at 10:00 a.m.  Mature Spirituality at 1:00 p.m.  Handbells at 6:30 p.m.  Adult Choir at 7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b><u>Saturday, April 29</u></b>  Garage Sale Item Drop-off 9:00am-5:00pm</p>	<p><b><u>8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist</u></b>  <b>Celebrant:</b> The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson  <b>Preacher:</b> The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson  <b>Deacon:</b> The Rev. Dn. Vahagn Azizyan  <b>Readers:</b> Margaret Robinson, Annika Russo</p> <p><b><u>9:30 a.m. Eucharist</u></b>  <b>Celebrant:</b> The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson  <b>Preacher:</b> The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson  <b>Deacon:</b> The Rev. Dn. Vahagn Azizyan  <b>Music Director:</b> Jennifer Bell  <b>Streaming:</b> Thomas Clark, Bill Eddy  <b>Lay Reader:</b> Virginia Tuttle  <b>Lectors:</b> Amy Collins, Susan Jones  <b>Server:</b> Ben Trotter  <b>Crucifer:</b>  <b>Torchbearers:</b> Evelina O'Neill, Zachary Haney  <b>Ushers:</b> Doug Langenfeld, Becky Stains, Ben Givens, Susan Givens  <b>Greeters:</b> Susan Miller, Rick Plaskett  <b>Coffee Hour:</b> Erin Huffman-Richard, Joe &amp; Julie Jimenez  <b>LEV:</b> Susan Jones, Betty Lyle  <b>Altar Guild:</b> Mary Horton, Mary Kennedy  <b>Counters:</b> Jim Brown, Chris Nelson</p> <p><b><u>Calendar Key</u></b>  <b>Red:</b> Available on St. Patrick's You Tube Channel  <b>Blue:</b> Meeting via Zoom only  <b>Green:</b> Meeting in-person with a Zoom option  <b>Black:</b> In person event</p>										
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