

The Sunday News: August 13, 2023

Ministry Fair: Did you know that St. Patrick's has over 60 groups and ministries that are active in our congregation? There are over 350 of our members in these groups. Are you in a group or active in a ministry? If not and you would like to be, please make time to stop by the Ministry Fair on Sunday, August 27th to meet with ministry leaders and see if something appeals to you! We have a variety of meeting days and times for small groups and ministry volunteer opportunities to choose from. You should easily be able to find something that fits your availability! Join us!

Do you have a creative talent or artistic ability? St. Pats is having a Fall Arts & Crafts Sale on Saturday, Nov. 4 We are seeking potters, painters, weavers, crafters, bakers and more to be part of this community building event. Share your talent and appreciate the gifts in our community. This will be a fundraiser for Scholarships for Nursing students in Choluteca, Honduras. See Julie Myers or John Mascazine if you would like to participate!

Meet and Greet for Bishop Candidates at St. Patrick's: The Episcopal Church is ours. We all have a voice in its leadership. Come meet and greet the slate of candidates for the next Bishop of Southern Ohio. You can review the materials of these nominees on the [bishop search website](#). On Friday, September 15th at 1:00 p.m., St. Patrick's will host a meet and greet of the candidates. Please join us to meet and ask questions in the Sanctuary that afternoon with a reception in the Parish Hall to follow.

Notes from the Landscapes & Gardens: Well the June dry spell is behind us, and the rains have returned in full force... Bringing many unwanted weeds, thistles and misc. new growth! If you have volunteered in the past to maintain one of the areas at church and are still able to do so, please send me an email and let me know. *Cindy Doan*

Farm to Forest Retreat September 22-24: Speakers from Washington, Kentucky, and all over Ohio will be at Procter for a weekend filled with activities, discussions, and learning, all grounded in what it means to be a steward of the land. This retreat is for anyone wishing to be in community about gardening, composting, or what it means to connect more to nature and spirit. View the [weekend itinerary and lodging options](#) on our website.

Save the date! The women's fall retreat is in the works! When? September 30th. Where? St Patrick's Smith Hall. For details see the article in the Breastplate. Registration opens soon. Scholarships available. More info to follow soon. Want to help? Contact Deby McGinnis or Lindsey Peterson.

Education

Join the Youth Group during adult forum time on 8/20 to learn about all of our summer mission work and camp experiences this summer. Youth Group will then have lunch and travel to Highbanks Big Meadow Picnic Area for low ropes course and team building activities. We will leave St. Pat's at 12:30 and return by 3:30 or meet us at the park 1 - 3 pm.

Mature Spirituality will resume the 2nd Thursday of each month. Led by Kathleen McFalls, On September 14th, and October if necessary, we will complete The Gift of Years by Joan Chittister. We will decide future readings together. Looking forward to seeing you soon. *Rose Walker*

The Wonderful Wigglers for Jesus need YOU!!

This year, we will be offering wigglers during the sermon followed by an activity/craft during coffee hour to keep our kiddos engaged, and further reinforce the day's message of God's love. WE NEED VOLUNTEERS! Wonderful Wigglers leaders and assistants will be provided with the day's key takeaways and a prepped activity/craft- it is easy to help! Please contact Jessica Randolph (614-579-8883) or Sign Up Here: [Wonderful Wigglers- Volunteer Signup Portal](#)

Outreach

Fundraiser for Dublin Food Pantry: We are excited about the Bounty at Bridge Park event on Sunday, Sept. 17, 6-8:30 p.m. at North Market Bridge Park. Please go to this link for all the info. and to purchase tickets: dublinfoodpantry.org/events/bountyatbridgepark

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](#)

FOH this week! We could use your donations of clementines, bananas and grapes. Drop-off by 3pm on Thurs., Aug. 17.

On the Calendar	Worship Team																		
<p><u>Sunday, August 13</u> Blessing of the Backpacks! Holy Eucharist at 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m.</p> <p><u>Monday, August 14</u></p> <p><u>Tuesday, August 15</u> Men's group at 7:00 a.m. Boy Scout Meeting at 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><u>Wednesday, August 16</u> St. Arbut's at 10:00 a.m. Men's Group at 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting at 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist at noon Vestry Meeting at 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><u>Thursday, August 10</u> LITD at 10:00 a.m. CATCH Court at 11:00 a.m. FOH: Cook at 3:00/Serve at 5:00 p.m.</p>	<p><u>8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist</u> Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Deacons: The Rev. Vahagn Azizyan Readers: Margaret Robinson, Mary Kay Arbogast</p> <p><u>10:30 a.m. Eucharist</u> Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Deacons: The Rev. Vahagn Azizyan Music Director: Jennifer Bell Lay Reader: Lissa Barker Lectors: Bill Train, Kenya Glasgow Server: Claire Haney Crucifer: Zachary Haney Ushers: Peter O'Neill, Andy Landers, Charlie Horton, Mary Horton Greeters: Tara Gleason, Ginny Engel Coffee Hour: Erin Huffman-Richard, Kim & Nick Machesky LEV: Dick Gehman, Angel Cinco Altar Guild: Vicki von Sadovszky, Mary Kennedy Counters: Jim Brown, Steve Norris</p> <p><u>Calendar Key</u> Red: Available on St. Patrick's You Tube Channel Blue: Meeting via Zoom only Green: Meeting in-person with a Zoom option Black: In person event</p>																		
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