

The Sunday News: April 14, 2024

UTO (United Thanks Offering) kicked off last Sunday! The little blue boxes are a great way to show our appreciation for our many blessings. Please pick up a box today and fill it over the next few weeks and return them on April 28th to the collection box in the Narthex.

Kairos Prison Mission team: It is a very busy time of the year again, and much for each of us to be thankful for. One of the special ways we all can go into prison together is by prayers and cookies. We are able to give every "resident" behind the walls cookies, look them in the eye and tell them God loves them. Yes, it is a small thing, but small gifts of love add up. If you would consider baking, any kind of cookie is greatly accepted, but if you don't use frosting or sprinkles, the prison will appreciate it. One dozen/ bag please. Thank you from those who cannot say thank you themselves. I will put a box in the lobby, if you could have them all ready by April 15th. Thank you! *Bill Fairweather*

Theology in a Nutshell: Big Ideas in Bite-Sized Bits Our next *St. Pat's Faith Talk* podcast series offers up bite-sized introductions to the basics of systematic theology. The word theology means words about God or God-talk. What we say about God, in both word and deed, is a testimony about the nature of and our relationship with God. Using the Nicene Creed and the Outline of the Faith from the Book of Common Prayer, Fr. Jason offers a brief introduction into thinking and speaking of God in a systematic way. *St. Pat's Faith Talk* is available where ever you get your podcasts. The Sunday Sermon is published on Mondays and the Teaching Episodes come out on Thursdays.

Saturday, April 20 is Earth Day, and what better way to spend it than reforesting the Procter Center? Join Rev. Dn. Catherine and the Creation Care team from 1 to 3, planting trees to make Procter even more beautiful. Tools are provided, along with water and a snack. There's plenty to do, including for kids 6 and older. If you'd like to carpool, be in the St. Pat's parking lot no later than noon. You can also meet us at Procter: 11235 OH-38, London, OH.

VBS 2024 Crew - We Need YOU! It's time to start preparations for Vacation Bible School, and we need all hands on deck to make this one of the best years yet! Whether you want to work with kids, or find your skill set is best behind the scenes in organizing/preparing, we can use your help. Please sign the interest form in the back of the Narthex, or email Eryn Kindelin at eryn.kindelin@gmail.com to join the team!

VBS Registration is Open!

VBS at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church

July 15-19, 2024

9:00 am - 12:30 pm

Registration flyers are available on the children's table in the narthex or click [HERE](#) to register.

Education

Holy Wonder: An Education for Ministry Retreat Apr. 26, 2024, 5:00 pm to Apr. 28, 2024, 11:00 am. At The Procter Center : Inquirers, current EfM Participants, Alumni, and Mentors this weekend is for you! Take a break from everyday life and come join in a participatory, immersive experience celebrating holy wonder and awe. We will engage in prayer, worship, reflection, and discussion, while also enjoying free time for gathering, walking, hiking, and quiet. Led by the Rev. Cameron O'Riley, Diocesan EfM Coordinator, Cameron.oriley@christchurchglendale.org.

Youth Group: Today our youth will join youth from around central Ohio for a deanery event touring The Garden For All at All Saints in New Albany. Meet at the St. Pat's at 1:00 p.m. to carpool there. For more information contact Tawnya

Adult Forum: Join us today for an exploration of Celtic spirituality, an ancient yet newly relevant approach to the Christian faith. We will look together at the treasures of ancient Scottish and Irish wisdom that views the soul, the feminine, the imagination, and the earth as sacred. All living things are seen as being in communion and everything as connected to a loving God. Our series will end with pictures and stories from congregants who will journey early this Spring to the holy western Scottish Isle of Iona, a cradle of Celtic spirituality. We will meet on Zoom from noon to 1 pm, April 14-May 5. Let's grow deeper and together in our faith and practices!

The Wonderful Wiggles for Jesus: We will continue to meet through May 19th and have a just a few openings left for teachers and assistants. We will break for the summer and may meet in a new format for the Fall. Thank you to all the volunteers who have faithfully helped out this year and stay tuned for more information for the '24-25 education year. Please contact Jessica Randolph or Sign Up Here: Wonderful Wiggles- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C4AA9A722A75-46193328-wonderful>

On the Calendar	Worship Team									
<p><u>Sunday, April 14</u> Holy Eucharist at 8:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. Coffee Hour Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. Adult Forum at noon Holy Eucharist at 4:00 p.m. Youth Group at 5:30 p.m.</p> <p><u>Monday, April 15</u> Quilter's Sewing Day EfM Extension at 9:30 a.m. Grief Support at 6:30 p.m.</p> <p><u>Tuesday, April 16</u> Men's Group at 7:00 a.m. Sacred Circle 3 at 1:00 p.m. Boy Scout Meeting at 7:00 p.m. EfM at 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><u>Wednesday, April 17</u> St. Arluck's at 10:00 a.m. Men's Group at 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting at 10:00 a.m. Spiritual Direction at 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist at noon</p> <p><u>Thursday, April 18</u> LITDS at 10:00 a.m. Purls of Wisdom at 10:00 a.m. Quilter's Guild at noon FOH: Cook at 3:00/Serve at 5:00 p.m. Handbells at 6:30 p.m. Adult Choir at 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><u>8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist</u> Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Deacon: The Rev. Vahagn Azizyan Readers: Margaret Robinson, Mary Kay Arbogast</p> <p><u>9:30 a.m. Eucharist</u> Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Deacon: The Rev. Vahagn Azizyan Music Director: Jennifer Bell Streaming: Bill Eddy Lay Reader: Virginia Tuttle Lectors: Bill Righter, Kenya Glasgow Server: Luke McCarthy Crucifer: Claire McCarthy Torchbearer: Ben Trotter Ushers: Tim Redman, Jan Redman, Tom Jones, Susan Jones Greeters: Ginny Engel, Deby McGinnis Coffee Hour: Joe & Julie Jimenez, Erin Zelinski-Righter, Ross Righter LEV: Dick Gehman, Susan Jones Altar Guild: Lynette Palmer, Sandy Wilson, Shannon McCarthy Counters: Amy Collins, Jim Brown</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>									
Outreach										
<p>Dublin Food Pantry Drop items in the wagon in the breezeway of the church. At the top of the list, and <u>the most needed items</u> are: Pancake mix (regular size), Cooking Oil (regular size) and Condensed soup (not ready to eat). Or, contribute online: Food Pantry</p>										
<p><u>Birthdays this week:</u></p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">Audrey Brack</td> <td style="width: 33%;">Mike Godsey</td> <td style="width: 33%;">Fran Montgomery</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Chris Cline</td> <td>Maria Kennedy</td> <td>Michele Ruf</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Paisley Essex</td> <td>Patrick Kennedy</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p><u>Anniversaries this week:</u> Tom & Rosemarie Deschler Steve & Carole Pearson</p>		Audrey Brack	Mike Godsey	Fran Montgomery	Chris Cline	Maria Kennedy	Michele Ruf	Paisley Essex	Patrick Kennedy	
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