

The Net

St. Andrew's Anglican Church

August 8, 2010

Annual Men & Boys Brats Bash August 19

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew will host the annual **Dave Cook Memorial Brats Bash** on Thursday, August 19, beginning at 5:30 p.m. As it has been for the last two years, the event will be held at the home of **Tom Dunlap**, 186 Oakwood Court, Westerville. Please sign up on the sign-up sheets in the Gathering Area, or online, so that we will know how many people to prepare for. Guests are welcome!

The annual Men and Boys Brats Bash honors long-time parishioner **Dave Cook**, who hosted the event for many years.

For more information, please contact **Ed Summers**, 614-939-1649 or eesummers@sbcglobal.net.

Godspeed, Caleb and Alane!



Caleb Evans delivers his first sermon here at St. Andrew's last summer.

Fr. Ron Baird will pronounce a blessing today on **Caleb and Alane Evans** as they begin their three-year seminary journey at Nashotah House in Wisconsin, where Caleb will study for the priesthood.

Caleb and Alane, who became the first couple to be married at St. Andrew's this past May, have been a part of our parish family since their freshman year at Capital University, from which they both graduated with honors, also in May. The couple have been involved in Youth Ministry here at St. Andrew's, leading the Wednesday night Bible Study, which grew out of Caleb's work as a summer intern here last year. Caleb has also served as an acolyte and chaliceist. He enters seminary as a second lieutenant in the US Army.

We have been blessed by Caleb's and Alane's ministry among us, and wish them the best in this next chapter of their life. We send them off with our prayers and God's blessing. And with their having family in Ohio, we look forward to seeing them on trips back home! (*Download the May 24, 2009 edition of "The Net" to read more about Caleb.*)

Summer Youth Retreat next weekend

The third annual St. Andrew's Youth Group Summer Retreat will be held August 13-15 at Cedar Hills Camp and Conference Center, located in Painesville, Ohio, approximately 27 hours north of Columbus. Youth in 6th through 12th Grade (including those going into 6th Grade) will experience a weekend of fun and fellowship as they celebrate our awesome God and the world he created.

Parents are asked to bring their children to St. Andrew's no later than 12 Noon on Friday, August 13 for a 1 p.m. departure. We plan to arrive back at St. Andrew's by 7:30 p.m., on Sunday, August 15.

If you have any questions, please contact Karen Osmond, 614-975-0878 or khosmond@gmail.com, or Emelie Deslauriers, 614-425-3973 or ecdeslauriers@gmail.com.



Cross, other altar items to be dedicated today

Today at the 9:30 a.m. service, we will be dedicating the large wooden cross that hangs over the altar to the glory of God and in memory of **Linda Zacharias**. Linda, the mother of parishioner **Steve Zacharias** and a member of our congregation, died in 2008. The cross, along with altar hangings for each of the seasons of the church year and two prayers desks for the sanctuary, were gifts from Linda's family, many of whom are with us this morning.

We extend our grateful appreciation to the Zacharias family for their gifts in Linda's memory, which have already enriched our worship.

Youth hot dog sale today

The St. Andrew's Youth Group will sponsor a hot dog sale today after the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services. Donations are welcome, with proceeds going toward the summer retreat.

Youth Bible study note

The St. Andrew's Sunday Morning Youth Bible Study group, which meets at 11 a.m., is taking a two-week break. Classes will resume August 22.

Back-to-school 'Undies Sunday' is today

Today is "Undies Sunday", as we help get kids and their parents ready to go back to school by providing new underwear and socks of all sizes, both children's and adult's. Please put your undies offerings in the basket in the Narthex marked "New Underwear." This quarterly program benefits the Common Ground Free Store in Delaware.

"On behalf of the shoppers at Common Ground Free Store, thank you!", says **Sue Thomas**, parish coordinator for "Undies Sunday".

Thanks to all for helping with 'Praise Jam'

Many thanks to all those who served, baked, cooked and turned out to support Common Ground Free Store Ministries at yesterday's "Praise Jam5"! A special thanks to our worship band, "The Calling of Levi", which was among the eight bands performing throughout the day.

Watch the Member Connection of our web site, next week's "Net" and Facebook for pictures of the festivities.

Prayers for the Church

Each week during the Prayers of the People, St. Andrew's prays for churches and clergy in the Anglican Communion, the Anglican Church in North America (ACNA) and the Anglican Diocese of the Great Lakes (ADGL). So that we may get to better know our fellow Anglicans in our own diocese and across the world, and uphold them in prayer corporately and individually, we are including these prayer requests in the *Net*, as space permits. This will also allow us to provide additional information about for whom we are praying than time may permit on Sunday mornings.

Following the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, Following the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, please pray today for **Archbishop Dr. John Chew** and the bishops, clergy and people of the **Province of Southeast Asia** and for the clergy and people of the **Diocese of Singapore**. The Province includes the nations of Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, Indonesia, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam and Nepal. Please give thanks for the continued spiritual renewal despite government restrictions in many parts of the province and please pray especially for the continued success of the mission organizations.

Please pray for the bishop, clergy and people of the Diocese of the Great Lakes, remembering especially **Fr. Conover**, who is battling leukemia, and his wife, **Bonnie**.

THE DAILY LECTIONARY

Many people have asked us to recommend a pattern for daily Bible reading, and while there are many good methods for reading the Bible, we commend to you the Daily Lectionary from the *Book of Common Prayer*. We include in the weekly newsletter the readings from the Daily Lectionary. Reading suggestions are found on page 934 of the *Book of Common Prayer*.

Week of the Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 14) • August 8-14

Sunday, August 8 — Psalms 66, 67/19, 46; Judges 11:1-11,29-40; 2 Corinthians 11:21b-31; Mark 4:35-41

Monday, August 9 — Psalms 89:1-18/89:19-52; Judges 12:1-7; Acts 5:12-26; John 3:1-21

Tuesday, August 10 — Psalms 97, 99, [100]/94, [95]; Judges 13:1-15; Acts 5:27-42; John 3:22-36

Wednesday, August 11 — Psalms 101, 109:1-4(5-19)20-30/119:121-144; Judges 13:15-24; Acts 6:1-15; John 4:1-26

Thursday, August 12 — Psalms 105:1-22/105:23-45; Judges 14:1-19; Acts 6:15-7:16; John 4:27-42

Friday, August 13 — Psalms 102/107:1-32; Judges 14:20-15:20; Acts 7:17-29; John 4:43-54

Saturday, August 14 — Psalms 107:33-43, 108:1-6(7-13)/33; Judges 16:1-14; Acts 7:30-43; John 5:1-18

Note: *The first set of Psalms and readings are intended for the morning, and the second set for the evening.*

Fans needed to help those suffering in heat

St. Andrew's parishioner **Pam Dunlap** is collecting box fans to distribute through local fire departments to senior citizens, those with medical conditions, and others in need. "The need is great for those less fortunate, and the idea of people suffering in this heat breaks my heart," Pam says. "We still have August and September to get through. It is the small acts of kindness that makes us who we are."

If you have a gently used fan to donate, or would like to purchase one, please bring it to the church in the next several weeks, and Pam will deliver them to area fire departments. Extra fans will be donated to Common Ground Free Store Ministries in Delaware.

Volunteers needed to pull weeds

With all of the rain we've had this summer, the weeds on the church property are growing, well, like weeds! If you have some time to volunteer this week, please pull on your gardening gloves and stop by the church to pull weeds wherever you see them. Any help will be appreciated!

Lost and found

Be sure to check the Lost and Found box in the Gathering Area for any items that might belong to you. There are several umbrellas, hats, gloves, jackets, and even a coffee mug or two. Items not claimed within a few weeks will be donated to charity.

Nursery Ministry needs folks to cuddle babies

The St. Andrew's nursery, which serves babies and toddlers at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services, is in need of volunteers to love and nurture our youngest members and guests. If you love babies and want to cuddle, please consider serving these little ones once a month. To volunteer, you may sign-up on the sheet outside the nursery, or contact **Marty Scott** at 614-284-0182 or msscott@standrewspolaris.org.

With Sunday School offered for toddlers and up, and parents welcome to keep their babies with them if they wish, there are some Sundays when we don't have children in the Nursery, but we always want to be ready to welcome for those whom God brings to us.