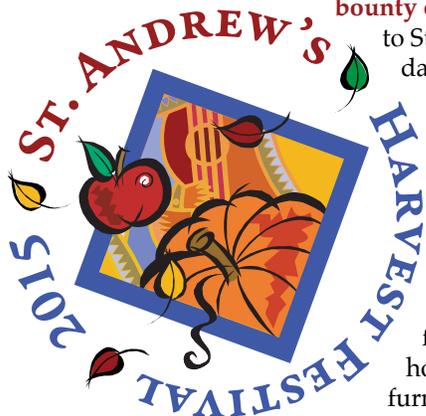


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St. Andrew's Anglican Church

October 10 & 11, 2015

Our 5th annual **St. Andrew's Harvest Festival & Sale** is just two weeks away, on Saturday, Oct. 24. We hope to make this year's event bigger and better than ever, and we need your help to do it! We still have plenty of volunteer slots open, so please take a look at the sign-up poster in the Narthex, and see where you can join in the fun! 🍂 The Festival is a wonderful way to **celebrate the bounty of God's harvest** as we **welcome our community**



to St. Andrew's for a day of: shopping, food, and music and entertainment.

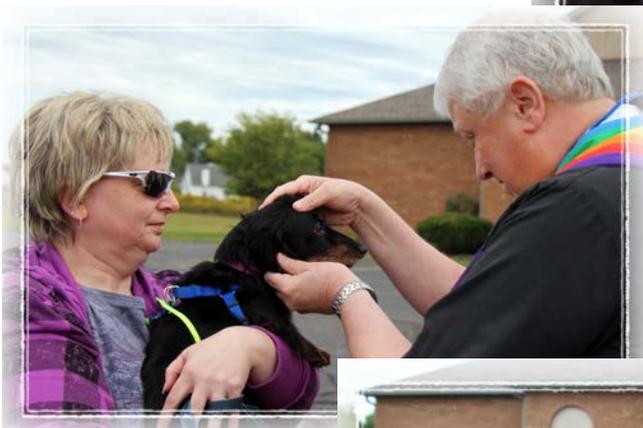
🍂 We'll begin the day at 9 a.m. with our famous **Rummage Sale.**

We're looking for donations of household items, furniture, electronics, toys, etc. that are in good,

working condition. We'll be accepting items at the garage immediately behind the Parish House through Sunday, Oct. 18. See the drop-off dates inside.

🍃 Our **Vendors Market** returns with a mix of old and new vendors. It's not too late to reserve a space. Pick up a flyer at the Information Desk for details.

Please turn to inside



Soaking up their blessing from Fr. Ron at our annual St. Francis Day Blessing of the Animals on the last Saturday in September were, from top, McKinley Zacharias; Midnight, with "mom" Cherie Bryant; and Marcus, with "dad" Joe Nelson.



Vestry candidate forms due today

Parishioners who may be planning to run for election to Vestry are reminded that candidate forms are due today. This

deadline gives us time to prepare and distribute the forms to the parish two weeks prior to the election on Sunday, Nov. 1.

The Parish will elect five members to Vestry this year. Four will serve three-year terms — from 2016 through 2018 — and will serve for one year, filling the unexpired term of Mike Christy, who moved south this past summer.

Vestry's overall responsibilities include visioning, overseeing the direction of the Parish, and promoting

our purpose and mission. If you're interested in serving your parish on Vestry, please speak with Senior Warden Robin Field about what's involved, and then pick up a Vestry

candidate form in the Narthex, or download the form from the Member Connection of our website (standrewspolaris.org). You may also enter another parishioner's name into nomination, provided you have their prior permission.

Stewardship Sunday is also Nov. 1. Stewardship packets will be mailed around mid-October.

The Daily Lectionary

Week of the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 23), Oct. 11-17

Sunday, Oct. 11 — A.M.: Psalm 146, 147; P.M.: Psalm 111, 112, 113; Jeremiah 36:1-10; Acts 14:8-18; Luke 7:36-50

Monday, Oct. 12 — A.M.: Psalm 1, 2, 3; P.M.: Psalm 4, 7; Jeremiah 36:11-26; 1 Corinthians 13:(1-3)4-13; Matthew 10:5-15

Tuesday, Oct. 13 — A.M.: Psalm 5, 6; P.M.: Psalm 10, 11; Jeremiah 36:27-37:2; 1 Corinthians 14:1-12; Matthew 10:16-23

Wednesday, Oct. 14 — A.M.: Psalm 119:1-24; P.M.: Psalm 12, 13, 14; Jeremiah 37:3-21; 1 Corinthians 14:13-25; Matthew 10:24-33

Thursday, Oct. 15 — A.M.: Psalm 18:1-20; P.M.: Psalm 18:21-50; Jeremiah 38:1-13; 1 Corinthians 14:26-33a,37-40; Matt. 10:34-42

Friday, Oct. 16 — A.M.: Psalm 16, 17; P.M.: Psalm 22; Jeremiah 38:14-28; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Matthew 11:1-6

Saturday, Oct. 17 — A.M.: Psalm 20, 21:1-7(8-14); P.M.: Psalm 110:1-5(6-7), 116, 117; 2 Kings 25:8-12,22-26; 1 Corinthians 15:12-29; Matt. 11:7-15

Next Sunday, Oct. 18 — A.M.: Psalm 148, 149, 150; P.M.: Psalm 114, 115; Jeremiah 29:1,4-14; Acts 16:6-15; Luke 10:1-12,17-20

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Next Sunday's Lectionary · October 18; Proper 24 (Year B)

Collect: BCP 235

Psalm 91:9-16 (BCP 720)

Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

First Reading: Isaiah 53:4-12

Second Reading: Hebrews 5:1-10

Prayers for the Church

Following the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, please pray this week for Bishop Dr. Jacob Ayebo and for the priests, deacons, religious, and laity of the Diocese of Tamale, Ghana, West Africa. The Diocese is located in and around the Northern Region's capitol city of Tamale, the third largest city in Ghana, and the fastest growing city in West Africa, with a population of over 560,000 people, most of whom are Moslems. The Diocese is also located within the Kingdom of Dogbon and includes the poorest areas in the nation, with persistent food insecurity and malnutrition.

Despite the urban setting, the great majority of the families in the area depend on farming for their livelihood, but climate change and antiquated practices have had a very negative impact on yields. The Diocese, through the local Anglican Diocese Development and Relief Organization (ADDRO), has taken a leading role in working closely with farmers to improve yields and farming methods, leading to increasing food security. In an area where 22 percent of children under five years old die from malaria, ADDRO has also provided education and distributed insecticide-treated mosquito nets to 390 communities (as of 2013). ADDRO is also assisting a deaf-mute master carpenter in training 30 carpenters, who are all deaf mutes, so that they will be self-sufficient. Please pray especially for the Diocese's efforts in health care, agriculture, and evangelism.

Following the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, please pray for Fr. Tony Bender and the people of St. Patrick's, Noblesville, Indiana; and for Fr. Todd Boyce and the people of Saints Mary and Martha, Mount Sterling, Kentucky.

Following the Parish Cycle of Prayer, please pray for Joyce and Chuck Waddell; the Early Birds Bible Study; and the Greeters. Please also pray for students: Lord, grant them respect for their teachers and joy in learning.

Encouragement for your prayer time with God

Ian Sattler, son of Michelle and Steve, was quoted as saying: "Doesn't it seem like when you pray, time stops and a hole opens up to Heaven?"

"One thing I ask from the Lord, this only do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple." (*Psalm 27:4*) "I long to dwell in your tent forever and take refuge in the shelter of your wings." (*Psalm 61:4*)

— St. Andrew's Prayer Ministries

Campfire for youth and families Tuesday, Oct. 13

The Youth Group's fall kick-off will be Tuesday, Oct. 13, with a campfire for youth and parents. Please note that this event was re-scheduled from last week, due to several conflicts with area school activities.

We will begin at 7 p.m. at the fire pit near the playground at church. We will provide stuff for s'mores and bottled water. Please bring a chair and a marshmallow skewer. If families want to bring younger siblings, that's fine for this event, as we will end around 8 p.m.

Regularly meetings will be held on the first and third Tuesdays of the month, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. The program portion of the meetings will go from 7:30 to 8:30, with the last half hour for hang-out and fun time, so students who need to leave earlier may do so.

Fr. Ron and Tally Whitehead will be taking turns leading again, and of course we'll have snacks!

Joy topic of new Women's Bible study

Tally Whitehead, director of spiritual formation, is leading a new women's weekday Bible study group, which meets on the first and third Tuesdays of every month from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the Parish House, will begin with "Fight Back With Joy," a six-week study by Margaret Feinberg. All women are welcome!

Mid-week prayer service Oct. 14

The Wednesday Prayer Services for October will be Oct. 14 and Oct. 28 at noon in the Sanctuary.

"Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord." (*James 5:13-14*)

Welsh hymn sing Oct. 18

Parishioner Mike Schroeder recommends the upcoming Cymanfa Ganu (Welsh festival of sacred hymns), sponsored by the Welsh Society of Central Ohio on Sunday, Oct. 18, at 2:30 p.m. The event, to be held at Central College Presbyterian Church, Westerville, will be followed by a small tea. This is done in English and Welsh, but no need to know Welsh.

Harvest Festival

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 At 11 a.m., we'll **fire up the grill** and will be serving **free** hot dogs, chips and soda or water, as well as S'mores?

 We're hoping our **Bake Sale** brings out St. Andrew's best bakers. If you're among them, please consider contributing your tasty goodies. Traditional brownies, cookies and rice treats are always popular, as well as anything that is Halloween or fall related. Goodies should be bagged individually, and dropped off at the church on Friday, Oct. 23, by 5 p.m., or Saturday, Oct. 24, by 8 a.m. Bake sale forms are available in the Narthex.

 We'll have **music** throughout the day, with 104.9 The River on hand to bring us their top contemporary Christian songs from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and our own worship band, "**Calling of Levi,**" will play from 1 to 2 p.m.

 There will be **fun & games** aplenty for kids of all ages from 12 noon to 2 p.m. The highlights will include:

- A **Hayride & Pumpkin Patch**
- **Face Painting** by St. Andrew's parishioner Aaron Thomas
- **Farm Animals**, with the return of Jeff Schramm of Circle G Alpaca Farm of Alexandria, who will bring along his crowd-pleasing alpacas and more, including a miniature donkey, and micro-mini Teacup pigs!

Rachel Cherubini and Diane Bobay have lots of ideas to keep our little ones busy, but really need volunteers to oversee some of the games. The more games we offer, the more fun the kids will have! A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

 **Raffle ticket sales are underway now.** Buy your tickets, and take a packet or two to sell to co-workers. The tickets are \$5 each or a pack of five for \$20. Prizes are: Top Prize, a \$500 Visa Gift Card; second prize, a \$150 Kroger Gift Card; and third prize, a \$50 Bath & Body Works Gift Card and a \$50 Max & Erma's gift card. See Randy Smith for your tickets.

For more information, or to volunteer to help, please contact Julie Baldwin, Harvest Festival coordinator, at 740-803-7000 or baldwin5@wowway.com.

Help needed to sort Rummage Sale items

St. Andrew's parishioners have been very generous in making donations to the upcoming Harvest Festival rummage sale, and as the picture at left demonstrates, the garage behind the Parish House is filled to overflowing!

Harvest Festival coordinator Julie Baldwin is issuing an urgent appeal for help on Monday, Oct. 12, from Noon to 3 p.m. to sort and organize items that have been donated. If you can give Julie a hand, please contact her at 740-803-7000 or baldwin5@wowway.com. Help on either day, for as little or as much time as you can give, will be much appreciated!



Rummage Sale drop-off dates are from 12 to 2 p.m. on the following days:

- Sunday, Oct. 11
- Monday, Oct. 12
- Wednesday, Oct 14
- Sunday, Oct 18

Opportunities to serve at Harvest Festival & Sale on Oct. 24!

Thanks to everyone who has already volunteered to serve at next Saturday's Harvest Festival & Sale! You'll see from the schedule below that there are still a number of opportunities to join the fun! If you can help with during any of the open time slots, please contact Julie Baldwin, 40-803-7000 or baldwin5@wowway.com.

Set-up

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| 7-9 a.m. | Move tables & merchandise to parking lot | 1. Larry Baldwin
2. Randy Smith
3. Carlo Cherubini
4. Elspeth Nelson
5. Jon Wallace
6. Baxter Whitehead |
| 7-9 a.m. | Set up merchandise on tables | 1. Patti Cooper
2. Joyce Waddell
3. Karen Osmond
4. Jackie Menke
5. Jim Connors
6. Carolyn Connors
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____ |
| 8 a.m. | Set up welcome tent & cashier table | 1. Ana Hill |
| 8 a.m. | Set up pumpkins in Pumpkin Patch | 1. Pat Carpenter |

Early Morning

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| 9-11 a.m. | Rummage sale cashiers | 1. Patti Cooper
2. Joyce Waddell
3. Donna Gough |
| 9-11 a.m. | Supervisors to oversee crowd | 1. Dan Field
2. Lesley DeBella
3. Ana Hill |

Mid-Morning

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| 11 a.m.-1 p.m. | Rummage sale cashiers | 1. Patti Cooper
2. Robin Field
3. Sue McKeown |
| 11 a.m.-12 p.m. | Supervisors to oversee crowd | 1. Joyce Waddell ('til 12)
2. _____ |
| 10:30 - 11 a.m. | Popcorn machine/fire pit | 1. _____ |
| 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. | Set up & staff grill & serve food | 1. Phil Cornett
2. Lori Cornett |

Afternoon

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| 1-2 p.m. | Rummage sale cashiers | 1. Patti Cooper
2. Barbara Girard
3. Sarah Fabian |
| 12-2 p.m. | Supervisors to oversee crowd | 1. _____
2. _____
3. _____ |
| 2-3 p.m. | Tear down & clean up | 1. Elspeth Nelson
2. _____
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4. _____
5. _____
6. _____ |

 **We also still need 7 more people to help with children's games from 12 to 2 p.m.!** 



St. Andrew's parishioners serving the Common Ground Free Store in Delaware in September included, top left, Jan Zacharias and one of our young volunteers; top right, Corke Miller; and bottom, from left, Kathy Summers, Patti Cooper, and Marty Scott, with Patti.

On Common Ground

Thank you to the volunteers from St. Andrew's who worked at and/or provided food for the Common Ground Free Store on Saturday, Sept. 18. A special thanks to St. Andrew's volunteers, which included Judy Baird; Ryan, Diane and Sophia Bobay; Larry and Patty Cooper; Eric, Christian, and

Benjamin Emery; Corke Miller; Frank and Marty Scott; Kathy Summers; and Jan Zacharias and her friend from work. Thanks to all the volunteers who worked extra hard, as there was a substitute store manager that day.

Thank you to the following people who provided food: Justin Anthony; Diane

Bobay; Carlo, Rachel, Genevieve and Mackenzie Cherubini; Sue McKeown; Frank and Marty Scott; Kathy and Ed Summers; Jon and Jacquie Wallace; and Jim and Julie Worthington.

Thank you also for the monetary donations, which helped to complete a dinner for all and supplied carry-out orders for those in need.

St. Andrew's next time to serve at Common Ground will be Saturday, Nov. 21 at Remember to mark your calendar, as we'll be serving our annual Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings. There is so much fun and fellowship, as we are all "common ground," and we hope you'll join us next time!

For more information, please contact Diane Bobay, 614-846-6921 or bobayfamily@att.net, or Marty Scott, 614-284-0182 or mscott@standrewspolaris.org.

Laugh your Way to a Better Marriage ♥

Healthy Marriage Small Group kicks off new study

The Healthy Marriage Small Group will kick off its fall study this coming Friday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m. in the Gathering Area. The group will be taking a look at "Tale of Two Brains," the second part of "Laugh your Way to a Better Marriage" by Pastor Mark Gungor.

This ministry is open to all married couples, and new members are eagerly welcomed. Please also feel free to bring your married friends along, regardless of whether they are members of St. Andrew's.

Come laugh with us, and learn to "immunize" your marriage against the prevalent and destructive relationship diseases that our society, and it's many pressures, exposes us to.