

# The Net

St. Andrew's Anglican Church

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## St. Andrew's supporting Girards' Haiti Mission Trip

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*"I have shewed you all things, how that so laboring ye ought to support the weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, It is more blessed to give than to receive." (Acts 20:25, KJV)*

This Bible verse keeps coming back to me, as we are blessed with the opportunity today to give to two people who will be sharing the blessings God has given them with people in need in Haiti.

The loose offering on the fourth Sunday of the month (that's today!) is designated to International Outreach, and for the next three months will be earmarked for Daniel Girard and his daughter Maddie, who are planning a mission trip with North Park Church of Christ, Columbus. Daniel is the son of George and Barbara and brother of Tom, all members of our parish.

Even though Daniel and Maddie feel they have been blessed with this great

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## Parish mourns loss of Georgiana Pearson

We're sad to share with you news of the death on Thursday, Jan. 21, of Georgiana Pearson, matriarch of our congregation. Georgiana, just two months shy of her 100th birthday, has the distinction of having been a charter member of both St. Matthew's, Westerville, in 1961, and St. Andrew's, in 2008, and was the last surviving founder of our parish.

The Office of Christian Burial will be Monday, Jan. 25, at 10:30 a.m. at St. Andrew's, with a reception to follow in the Gathering Area. The family will also receive visitors at Moreland Funeral Home, 55 E. Schrock Rd., Westerville, this Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m.

Please keep Georgiana's family, including daughters Peggy Pye and Nancy Marasek, sons Philip, Toby, and Stephen Pearson, and her 11 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren, in your prayers as they mourn the loss of their beloved mother and grandmother. And please also pray for Georgiana as she enters her new life in the nearer presence of our lord and savior Jesus Christ. May her soul and the souls of all the saints rest in God's peace, and may light perpetual shine upon her.



Georgiana Pearson

## Pancake Supper Feb. 9

Our annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper will be held this year on Tuesday, Feb. 9, at the church. We will begin serving at approximately 5:30 p.m. and will continue until 7:30 p.m., or whenever the food runs out.

As in the past, there is no charge for the supper, although we will be accepting donations to help defray the costs. Friends and neighbors are welcome!

Sign-up sheets are available at the church. Please be sure to sign up so we'll  
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## Class 101 postponed

"Class 101: Discover St. Andrew's," originally scheduled for this Sunday, has been postponed. Please watch "The Net" and our website, standewspolaris.org, for the new date, which will be sometime in February. For more information, please contact Judy Baird, 740-548-5112, ext. 3 or jlbaird@standewspolaris.org.



Rebecca Yorke and daughter were among several new volunteers from St. Andrew's who served at the Common Ground Free Store in Delaware last Saturday, Jan. 17. Watch for details of a special meeting for all of our Common Ground volunteers and food providers in February, and mark your calendar for Saturday, March 19, our next time to serve at Common Ground!

# The Daily Lectionary

Week of the Third Sunday in Epiphany · Jan. 24-30

**Sunday, Jan. 24** — A.M.: Psalm 63:1-8(9-11), 98; P.M.: Psalm 103; Genesis 13:2-18; Galatians 2:1-10; Mark 7:31-37

**Monday, Jan. 25** — A.M.: Psalm 41, 52; P.M.: Psalm 44; Genesis 14:(1-7)8-24; Hebrews 8:1-13; John 4:43-54 **Conversion of St. Paul** — A.M.: Psalm 19, Isaiah 45:18-25, & Philippians 3:4b-11; P.M.: Psalm 119:89-112, Ecclesiasticus 39:1-10 & Acts 9:1-22

**Tuesday, Jan. 26** — A.M.: Psalm 45; P.M.: Psalm 47, 48; Genesis 15:1-11, 17-21; Hebrews 9:1-14; John 5:1-18

**Wednesday, Jan. 27** — A.M.: Psalm 119:49-72; P.M.: Psalm 49, [53]; Genesis 16:1-14; Hebrews 9:15-28; John 5:19-29

**Thursday, Jan. 28** — A.M.: Psalm 50; P.M.: Psalm [59, 60] or 8, 84; Genesis 16:15-17:14; Hebrews 10:1-10; John 5:30-47

**Friday, Jan. 29** — A.M.: Psalm 40, 54; P.M.: Psalm 51; Genesis 17:15-27; Hebrews 10:11-25; John 6:1-15

**Saturday, Jan. 30** — A.M.: Psalm 55; P.M.: Psalm 138, 139:1-17(18-23); Genesis 18:1-16; Hebrews 10:26-39; John 6:16-27

**Next Sunday, Jan. 31** — A.M.: Psalm 24, 29; P.M.: Psalm 8, 84; Genesis 18:16-33;; Galatians 5:13-25; Mark 8:22-30

Next Sunday's Lectionary · Jan. 31; Fourth Sunday after The Epiphany (Year C)

**Collect:** BCP 215

**Psalm 71:1-6** (BCP 683)

**Gospel:** Luke 4:21-30

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 1:4-10

**Second Reading:** I Corinthians 13:1-13

## Prayers for the Church

Following the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, please pray for Primate Bishop Francisco Da Silva and for the bishops, priests, deacons, religious, and laity of the Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil (The Episcopal Anglican Church of Brazil). Anglican worship in Brazil began in 1810, following a treaty between Portugal and the United Kingdom to allow Anglican chapels (to serve those who were already Anglican) to open in the then Portuguese colony.

The Church is the oldest non-Roman Catholic church in Brazil. Missionary work did not begin until 1890, when American missionaries arrived. The first Brazilian-born bishop was consecrated in 1940 and the Church became an autonomous Province of the Anglican Communion in 1965. The Church covers the whole of Brazil, the largest country in South America and the fifth largest in the world.

The Church suffered schism when the Diocese of Recife, including the bishop and some 90 percent of the clergy and laity, seceded from the national church in 2005 in protest over the national church's liberal stances and became the Anglican Diocese of Recife, joining the Global South realignment movement as an extra-provincial diocese. The national church now has nine dioceses and one missionary district with a total of 120,000 members. Please pray especially for evangelism and social outreach by both the national church and the Anglican Diocese of Recife.

Following the ACNA Cycle of Prayer, please pray for Bishop Stuart Ruch III and for the Diocese of the Upper Midwest.

Following the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, please pray for Mother Connie Harris, Deacon Rachel Hare, and the people of Anglican Church of The Transfiguration, Cleveland.

Following the Parish Cycle of Prayer, please pray for Carlo, Rachel, Genevieve and Mackenzie Cherubini; Trini Cherubini; John and Brenda Clarridge; the Sunday Morning Apostles small group, and Cub Scout Pack #139. Please also pray for all teachers; grant, Lord, that they may encourage sound learning, new discovery, and the pursuit of wisdom.

## Encouragement for your prayer time with God

According to John Bunyan (1628-1688), the author of "The Pilgrim's Progress," prayer is "a sincere, sensible, affectionate pouring out of the heart or soul to God, through Christ, in the strength and assistance of the Holy Spirit, for such things as God hath promised, or according to the Word, for the good of the church, with submission, in faith, to the will of God." (From <http://www.biblebb.com/files/bunyan/prayspiritandun.htm>) — *From the St. Andrew's Prayer Ministries Team*

## Lent is coming!

Lent begins with Ash Wednesday services on Feb. 10 at 12 Noon and 7 p.m., and once again we'll be offering a five-week Lenten Study Program on Tuesdays, beginning Feb. 16. With programs for adults, youth and children, our hope is that families will come together to make this Lent a time of discipleship, fellowship and worship in preparation for Jesus's sacrifice on the cross, which opened the door to eternal life for us and for all who know him, and choose to follow him and call him Lord. While further details will be provided within the next several weeks, sign-up sheets are available in the Narthex today for the study, as well as food for the soup and salad supper, which will precede the study, at 6:15 p.m.

## Next weekday prayer service Wednesday, Jan. 27

Got a few minutes around noontime on Wednesdays? Come join us in praying at church in the sanctuary from 12 Noon to 1 p.m. on Jan. 27.

"Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you." (*James 4:8a*)

## Shrove Tuesday

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know how many guests to plan for.

Once again this year the Pancake Supper is hosted by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in conjunction with the Kitchen Ministry.

If you have any questions, you can contact Ed Summers at 614-371-1649, or see any member of the Brotherhood.

## Haiti mission trip

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opportunity, they express that they need a lot of support, most especially your prayers for a safe and fruitful trip for them and the youth group that will be traveling to Haiti this summer. Another way we can help is financially. If you feel led to partner with and support them on their trip to Haiti, please consider contributing on Sunday, Jan. 24, Feb. 28, or March 27. If you write a check please make it to St. Andrew's, and mark it "Haiti Trip."

You'll also have the opportunity to give toward the Girards' Haiti mission on Feb. 28, and March 27. Anything they raise above \$4,000 for their travel will go to building a house for a child they support in Haiti.