### Announcements

NASHVILLE CARES REPRESENTATIVE: In anticipation of Christ Church Cathedral's participation in the upcoming Nashville CARES Walk on Saturday, October 5, a representative will speak in the Sunday Forum. Tiye Amos-Mandela works at Nashville CARES as a Healthy U Wellness Associate in the Emotional Health & Wellness Department, where she supports the implementation of programs that assists HIV+ clients maintain a healthy lifestyle.

**THE SUNDAY FORUM:** Join Dean Kimbrough this morning, following the Nashville CARES presentation, for an introduction to this year's Sunday Forum theme, inclusive of handouts with specific presentation dates.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PARENT MEETING TODAY AT 9:45 A.M. IN THE NAVE. What will my child learn on Sunday morning? How do I answer my children's questions about faith? The meeting will include an overview of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program, the spiritual formation program for children from age 3 through the sixth grade. Parents who are interested are invited to attend.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: Christ Church Cathedral will be offering a new course for adults. Level I of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd covers the presentations that are offered to 3-6 year olds, and the course will give participants a time to experience these lessons in a contemplative class with other adults. Classes will begin Tuesday, October 1, and conclude on March 25, 2014. These classes meet from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Childcare and lunch is provided for all classes. There is a nominal charge for lunch and a \$35 registration fee for Cathedral parishioners. You may register online at christcathedral.org or contact Becky Rochford at brochford@christcathedral.org for more information.

# CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL PARENTS AND YOUTH GRADES 6-12

#### **TODAY**

### **BACK TO SUNDAY SCHOOL KICK-OFF!**

9:45 a.m. Youth Room in the 810 Broadway Bldg.

Please join us as we introduce the teachers and events of the upcoming year.

#### POTLUCK PICNIC

4:00-6:00 p.m. at Edwin Warner Park, Shelter # 6 RSVP to mgcompton@christcathedral.org

**THE BIBLE CHALLENGE:** The Bible Challenge **will not** meet today. Join us on Wednesday, September 11, 11 a.m.-12 p.m., in the Wheeler Room.

### Readings for week 49, beginning September 9.

Day 344 Habakkuk 3, Psalm 129, Mark 7

Day 345 Zephaniah 1, Psalm 130, Mark 8

Day 346 Zephaniah 2, Psalm 131, Mark 9

Day 347 Zephaniah 3, Psalm 132, Mark 10

Day 348 Haggai 1-2, Psalm 133, Mark 11

Day 349 Zechariah 1-2, Psalm 134, Mark 12

Day 350 Enjoy hearing the Scriptures read aloud in church.

# THE CATHEDRAL WELCOMES GARY EICHELBERGER

Today we welcome Gary Eichelberger to Christ Church Cathedral. Gary is an Anglican Studies student at the School of Theology at Sewanee and a Postulant for Holy Orders from the Diocese of North Carolina. He will be with us through April 2014 and will assist the clergy in worship, teaching, and



fellowship. Gary holds a Juris Doctor and a Master of Theological Studies from Duke University. He and his wife, Kacey, have a daughter, Virginia (age 6), and a son Jack, (age 2). They are expecting their third child this month! We look forward to having Gary and his family in our midst.

COMPANIONS IN CHRIST: Companions in Christ is a spiritual formation program in which groups of 6-8 people meet weekly for 28 weeks. There is a rhythm of scripture reading, honest reflection, and deep prayer that leads to a fuller understanding of God. You may sign up for a group or just learn more about the program today in the Wheeler Room from 9:30-9:45 a.m. If you cannot attend, or if you would like more information, please contact Libby Patterson, 615.948.6431, libpatterson@comcast.net, or Pam Lasley, 615.665.9959, plasley@comcast.net You may find more information about the CiC ministry at companionsinchrist.org. The deadline for sign up is September 12.

NEWCOMER GATHERING: If you have begun attending Christ Church Cathedral in the last several months, are visiting for the first time, or are interested in learning more about life and ministry in this parish, please join us today at 10 a.m. in the Wheeler Room for coffee and conversation. This will provide an opportunity to meet some of the clergy, to meet others who are new to the parish, and to learn more about this community.

HOT! HOT! HOT! COFFEE MINUTE, the Cathedral's time to gather with familiar faces and greet new friends, begins today following the 11 a.m. Eucharist. All are encouraged to stop by the Parish Hall for an informal time of fellowship and a cup of coffee freshly brewed in the Cathedral's <u>new</u> coffee-making equipment. Tea will also be available, as will homemade cookies (on selected Sundays). Volunteer greeters and cookie bakers are needed. Please contact David Berndt, davidwberndt@gmail.com, for more information and to learn how you can help.

MATERIAL MAKING DAYS: Come and enjoy fellowship and help make materials for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program on Tuesday, September 10, 17, or 24, 9:30 a.m. until noon, childcare provided. No particular talent required! We will cut, laminate, glue, paint, draw, and do whatever is needed to make materials for the children to use on Sunday mornings. Contact Becky Rochford at brochford@christcathedral.org for more information.

### EVENING PRAYER ACCOMPANIED BY MUSIC OF THE TAIZÉ COMMUNITY

### Today at 6:00 p.m.

A quiet, meditative, and reflective style of worship, using music, simple chanting, periods of silence, and brief readings. A special way to worship God and to quiet the soul.



## CATHEDRAL TO WELCOME THE VICAR OF BAGHDAD

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

The Reverend Canon Andrew White is the Chaplain of St. George's Anglican Church in Baghdad, Iraq. A remarkable man with a riveting story, Canon

White will preach at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday morning liturgies and will also lead the Sunday Forum. Go to christcathedral.org to learn more.

DIOCESAN YOUTH EUCHARIST AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL

PARENTS AND YOUTH GRADES 6-12

Sunday, September 15 All Saints' Chapel University of the South, Sewanee 2:00 - 4:30 pm

Youth: please join young people from all over the Diocese of Tennessee for a creative and fun Eucharist celebrated in historic All Saints' Chapel at Sewanee followed by an ice cream social on the lawn of Otey Memorial Parish, Sewanee. Bring fun lawn games to share! Parents: please RSVP to youth@christcathedral.org and let us know if you can help shuttle youth.

YOUTH MINISTER SEARCH: Christ Church Cathedral is looking to hire a new Youth Minister. There is a full job description for the position on the Church website. All interested applicants should apply to YouthSearch@christcathedral.org by October 1.

MINISTRY OF THE FLOWER GUILD: Throughout the year, flowers adorn our cathedral and enhance its Liturgy thanks to generous donors and the Christ Church Cathedral Flower Guild. Interested in learning more about liturgical flower arranging and becoming involved in the Flower Guild? Please attend a demonstration session on Saturday, October 19, from 9 to 11:30 a.m., to learn how our Cathedral arrangements are put together and experience the joy that comes from participating in the flower ministry. Contact Paul Cotton at dan-paul@comcast.net or 615.292.4549 for more information and to sign up for the session.

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ACOLYTE?** The Cathedral is always interested in training young parishioners between 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades to serve as acolytes. We welcome new acolytes interested in serving at either service, but we are in special need of servers for the 11 a.m. Liturgy. This is a great way for young people to take a leadership role in an important church ministry. Training sessions will be offered on September 14 and 21 at 3 p.m. at the Cathedral. If you would like to find out more, please contact Pamela Eddy at pamela.eddy624@gmail.com, or Joshua Caler at jcaler@christcathedral.org.

LOST & FOUND: THE NEW STEPHEN FOSTER MUSICAL TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 7:00 P.M. FREE STAGED READING

Lost & Found interweaves Stephen Foster songs with an adaptation of the parable of the Prodigal Son. It is a family story dealing with the passions of youth, jealousy, corruption, redemption and the longing for love. Story and book by Martin and Corabel Shofner; arrangements by Rachel DeVore-Fogarty. Go to christcathedral.org to learn more.

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY: Please consider serving as a greeter on the CCC hospitality team! While we have many visitors each Sunday, Christ Church Cathedral has little structure to greet, orient, and draw in the guests who come through our (sometimes imposing) doors. We invite you to consider helping to reinvigorate and improve this effort as part of our shared ministry of hospitality and welcome at the Cathedral. This is an exciting and vital ministry, one central to the health and growth of our parish family. For more information, please contact Julian Garza, juliangarza@yahoo.com, or the Reverend Joshua Caler, jcaler@christcathedral.org.

JOIN A FOYER GROUP: Foyer groups are made up of 8 to 10 members of the Cathedral who meet casually once a month in order to get to know their fellow parishioners better. The format and time of the meetings are determined by each group. If you are interested in joining a 2013-14 foyer group, please fill out the form at christcathedral.org/InOurChurch/FoyerGroups by September 13. You will then be assigned to a group. All participants are invited to a combined kickoff/potluck dinner at the Cathedral on Friday night, September 20. For additional information, please contact Brent Clark at brent.clark@hcahealthcare.com or Rees Mitchell at rees.mitchell@comcast.net or 615.333.3468.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!! BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS, OCTOBER 5: In conjunction with the Vergers Guild Annual Conference, we will host a procession with large animals as well as smaller ones for the Blessing of the Animals on October 5 at 10 a.m. That means we'll need volunteers to work after the First Friday Liturgy October 4 by moving pew cushions and putting down rubber matting in the aisles so our hoofed visitors can walk safely. Day of, we need volunteers to help organize and monitor the procession as well as be on standby in case of trouble. In addition, we will need folks to help reinstall the pew cushions and take up the matting after the Liturgy on Saturday. We need as many different representatives of the animal kingdom as we can find for the procession. So if you or your child or grandchild has a frog, newt, mouse, guinea pig, hamster, chameleon, fish or anything else in the animal kingdom that could use a blessing, please let me know! Volunteers or folks with questions about any or all of the above, please contact Mary Morgan at marymorg48@gmail.com or at 615.545.7377.



### CATHEDRAL AIDS WALK TEAM

**SIGN UP NOW** 

It's that time of the year again! The 2013 Nashville CARES (one of the outreach ministries supported by Christ Church Cathedral) AIDS Walk & 5K Run Will

take place on Saturday, October 5, at Riverfront Park. Check-in for the Walk and Run begins at 10 a.m., with the Walk and 5K Run beginning at 11 a.m. We would love for you to join the Christ Church Cathedral Team and be part of our effort to recruit at least 20 walkers and raise at least \$5,000 or more to support the Nashville CARES mission. Jane Boram will be taking registrations today after the Sunday Forum, or you may register online at nashvilleaidswalk.com. For more information, please contact Jane Boram at 615.500.2446, or bobjaneboram@clearwire.net.

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