
Saints' Alive

April 2018



We are coming to the end of March Madness. The NCAA tourney is winding down and new national champion will soon be crowned. The winning school will celebrate by climbing up a ladder and cutting down the net one snip at a time. To be sure for those who play and love the sport of college basketball, this is the thrill of a lifetime.

There is however a somewhat darker side to big time college basketball. Many of the so called student/athlete recruited by some of the major college programs have absolutely no intention of every graduating from college. These are the ones who are better known as "One and Done." A year playing college basketball allows them to raise their visibility and market value to enter the NBA draft later that academic year. There will be no sophomore year for these student/athletes. It's one and done and onto to something else, mainly a big paycheck.

This year March Madness also happens to coincide with Holy Week and Easter. For Christians all over the world this is the Holiest time of the year. From Palm Sunday through Easter Sunday, we relive the last days of Jesus' life on earth before his crucifixion and resurrection from the grave.

It has been my observation that far too many of us who claim to be Christian fall into the "One and Done" category. Easter Day is seen as an annual event. For many it's one and done. Of course that misses the entire point and what it means to live a life in the Resurrection.

Easter Sunday is not a finish line to cross in the race of life. Easter Day marks the beginning of a new relationship with God through the sacrifice of Christ on the cross. The Resurrection of Christ from the dead sends the faithful down a new path of discovery. It's a new understanding of what it really means to be alive in the Lord.

Our new bishop in East Tennessee, Brian Cole, has been clearly focused on this notion of becoming a people who live the Resurrection. After listening to him talk, preach, and teach, what I realize he is telling us is that Christians do not live life as if it was "One and Done."

Because we are Christians the power of the Resurrection informs our daily life here on earth. When we fall into sin we repent. When we fail in life we find the courage to get back up and try again. When another person betrays us and asks for forgiveness we offer to them the mercy we would want for ourselves.

Easter and the power of the Resurrection is so much more than one Sunday out of the calendar year. We live into it on a daily basis and we are constantly trying to bring the Kingdom of God closer one resurrection experience at a time.



God's Peace, Mark+



As I sit here on this beautiful first day of Spring, I can't help but enjoy the wonderful world God has placed me in. A wonderful wife, a great church family, and many blessings along the way. What more could a man ask for?

After an introspective Lenten Season, I look forward to the resurrection and the Easter Season. It really doesn't matter that Mother Nature has put snow in the forecast for the second day of spring as all the spring flowers and trees will hold their blossoms and continue to grow after it warms up on the third day of spring.

I don't typically relate Easter with poetry, but I came across an Easter poem with great meaning that I would like to share.

I FEEL IT IN THE AIR

I know it's Easter time again,

I feel it in the air.

The breath of spring with woodsy tang,

And new life everywhere.

And spring glides on with magic touch

O'er mountain side and Glen;

And wakens all the sleeping plants

For Easter time again.

The brooklets leap from rock to rock,

As if in joyful play;

The flowers peep from darkened tombs

To welcome Easter Day.

The birds are swinging on the boughs,

And trill in ecstasy;

They seem to show the world's great joy

Of Easter mystery

Why should we dread the thing called death?

It's just an open door,

Where all within is love and peace

And joy forever more.

"Because I live, you too shall live,"

We hear the Savior say.

Let's consecrate our lives anew,

On this glad Easter Day.

~Author Edna Reed~



Building & Grounds

We are under way with our Spring Plantings. When the April newsletter is out we will have already planted pansies and spread pine needles. Anyone who would like to help fund this project should make their check out to "Pansies/Pine Straw." We certainly do appreciate your help. Do not forget our Plant Swap planned for April. The exact date to be picked once we know when the last freeze is expected. Be thinking now on any plants you need to thin out and what you may have to swap. We will be able to not only beautify our All Saints' grounds but many more throughout our community. Please thank Barbara Garrett, Wanda Kirby, Cookie Larkin and Alice Westmoreland for heading up our "Grounds Beautification" this Spring.

We should also have soon new Stacking Chairs for the Parrish Hall and other areas of the church. In conjunction with buying new chairs we are planning on replacing the round folding tables with new light weight plastic tables. The cost will be \$80.00 to \$100.00 each and we have already sponsors for 10 tables. We need 14 tables, so we only need 4 more. If you would like to sponsor a table let George Giles or Bob Harmon know.

Bob Harmon, Junior Warden



Sunday, April 8

8:45AM

Notes on Jesus Christ Superstar...

When I was about 11 years old there was a movie that was coming to the theatre in a small town about 20 miles from Montrose. It was all the ‘buzz’ in middle school. It had been released a couple of years earlier – but, for reasons that I can only imagine now – was delayed in being shown in the small and isolated hamlets of Western Colorado.

My friend, Amy, had an older brother who had just gotten his driver’s license – and who really wanted to see the film. She asked if I wanted to go with her and a couple of his friends. I said, “Sure!” I was going out with the ‘cool kids’ and after all ~ the movie was about Jesus and Easter and stuff. But, the sub-title of “Rock Opera” was what made it even more enticing.

At still a young age, I had been filled with the appreciation of music and movie musicals. I had already seen quite a few of the classics. However, I felt compelled to not tell my parents that I was going to another town with newly licensed to drive teenagers and my 11 year old friend to see what was a very controversial film among many who lived in the area. This was not Cecil B. DeMille’s Ten Commandments.

I can tell you exactly where my friends and I sat in that packed old movie theatre. I can still feel the anticipation of waiting for the film to start. The excitement of experiencing something new – And then the lights went down, and the screen was filled with a vast arid wilderness ~ and Judas

“My mind is clearer now. At last, all too well, I can see where we all soon will be...”

I was mesmerized – and still am. Every year at this time, I pull out and dust off my 2-disk set of Jesus Christ Superstar. You can hear them blaring in my car during Holy Week. They fill me with joy, memory, and reason. They fill me with music and ~ Love. The music transports me to a time when – in fact – I could have told my parents where I was going on that Saturday night. I did just that when I got home. And – they were ok with it. Because, after all, the movie was about Jesus and Easter and stuff.

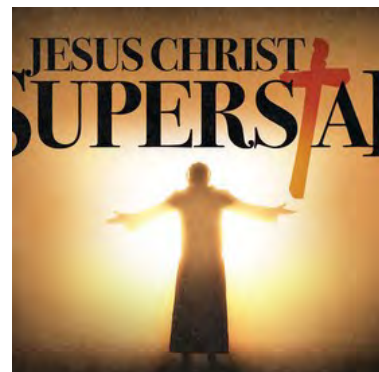
Scripture, tradition, reason, joy, wonderment, memory, love – Its all Easter!

May we all experience all these ~ and more ~ in the coming Season of Joy and Resurrection.

Happy Easter Season!

Peace ~

Deacon Sarai





Adult Christian Formation is moving forward with plans for a book study ("A Bigger Table" by John Pavlovitz), so stay tuned for more on this exciting opportunity to read and share.

And speaking of sharing, it is becoming increasingly clear that sharing our stories is what Adult Christians both want and need. Throughout that part of Christendom that values reason, tradition, and scripture, the sharing of stories is becoming increasingly important. It is replacing the older model of Sunday School where didactic instruction held sway. With this in mind, Linda Haas (chair) and her committee have renewed a commitment to the fellowship, sharing of a meal, and programs that have become part of our weekly routine with Wednesday Agape. There may still be special Sunday morning education offerings, but these will be "special events" rather than weekly. It's a wonderful reversal of our old model wherein the Wednesday night programs were usually only held at certain times!

Agape will continue throughout the summer months. The schedule (dinner and filling of the food-on-foot bags at 5:30 followed by a speaker) will be uninterrupted! And in case you might be squeamish about the "sharing our stories" idea, the committee's vision might better be described as just good fellowship and conversation at dinner.

Linda invites any and all who are interested in planning and/or executing Agape (and associated programs) to give her a call. And maybe you'll want to be in on the planning for our God-In-Nature picnic supper at the overlook at Panther Creek later this year! Yes, you read correctly my friends. This committee not just cooking, but cooking up some great ideas.

Henry G. Selby
Vestry Liaison for Adult Education

DOC'S SCOUT NEWS

Our scouts in Troop 197 have been very active this month. Nate Bishop and Dalon Langston completed the requirements for rank of Second Class Scout and earned Emergency Preparedness Merit Badge. Tyler Williamson completed the Rank of Scout and earned Leatherworking Merit Badge. Brandon Williamson completed the Rank of Scout and earned Citizenship in the Nation Merit Badge. We went on a 5 mile Troop hike at Panther Creek State Park. Our scouts are now fundraising for a week this summer at Davy Crockett Boy Scout Camp.

Thank you parish members for your financial support with purchasing their discount camp cards and donations!



Outreach Notes and Happenings

Bingo – even with the snow in March, folks from the Morristown Housing Authority showed up to play Bingo and eat a great meal of ham, potatoes and green beans plus a choice of some great desserts. Marylou as usual called Bingo and in honor of St. Patrick's Day wore green braids. April Bingo will be on April 11. Come and help out if you can, there will be a good meal and some fun to go with it.

Food on Foot distribution is Saturday April 28th – Carol and Bob Jarnigan are very grateful for all the saints from All Saints' who show up and help with the bag distribution. It starts at 11 am and lasts for a couple of hours. Not a bad way to spend a Saturday morning.

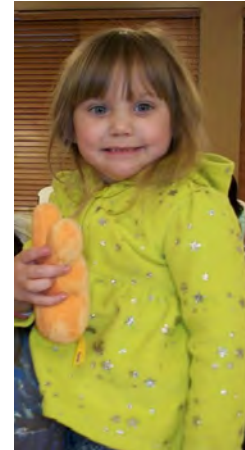
Remember that on the 1st Sunday of every month, the loose offering goes to the Parish Discretionary Fund. The loose offering on the 2nd Sunday is designated for Outreach. In April, the funds are going to be the Mooresburg Community Association. There is an All Saints' connection – Howard and Marylou Mauney. The Mooresburg Community Association (MCA) is a non-profit and provides several services and programs for residents of the Mooresburg community. Their goal is to provide services for Mooresburg residents who wish to continue to live independently. One service is "Meals in the Hills" which they prepare and deliver to homes in Mooresburg five days a week along with a friendly visit. They have a food pantry, provide medical transport and in 2017 served 21,894 meals. Bonnie Zappulla, with the Mooresburg Community Association, will be the guest speaker at the Wednesday, April 4th Agape Dinner. The meal for the Agape Dinner will be modeled after what the Association offers to residents in the community, so will consist of hamburgers, mashed potatoes, green beans and a dessert.

The loose offering on the 2nd Sunday in May will be used to fund Grace Point campers and there will be no Outreach speaker or Agape dinner as we will make way for the BBQ. In February the loose offering total was \$135.00 for Noah's Arc and for Serenity House in March the total was \$455.05.

The Outreach Committee will be meeting at my house on April 10th at 5:30 pm – it will be a meeting/dinner deal. The meeting comes first then a "pot luck" dinner to follow. Committee members feel free to bring your spouses and if you have ever longed to be on a committee – Outreach is a good one to join.

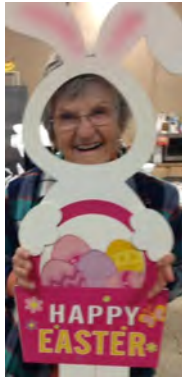
Larry McGowan, Outreach Liaison to the Vestry





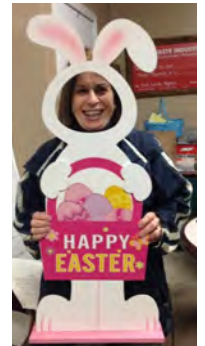
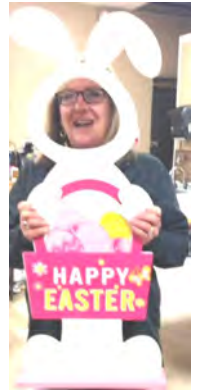
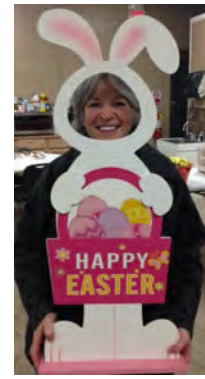
Great Work by Youth
& sponsors!





**Food on Foot Volunteers Wish
You a
Happy Eastertide!**

**The fourth Saturday of every
month, All Saints' parishion-
ers are responsible for
helping with the distribution
of food bags. Everyone is
invited to help. Be at the
warehouse on Berkline Drive
by 11:00AM for our next
service day, April 28!**



*Youth sponsored Easter Egg Hunt 2018
At ASEC*



Flowering the Cross..Virginia & Row



**During the month of March, the Administration
Committee has been working on assignments made
at our February meeting!! The next meeting is
scheduled for April 10th. Look for updates!**

Susan Fuhr, Vestry Liaison



The faculty and staff designed and created the mosaic (above), featuring our Core Values, as the centerpiece at the 2018 Celebration of Tables. Be sure to check out the beautiful handmade keepsake now adorning our hallway.



Friday, April 20, 2018
Millstone Golf Club

11:30 a.m. - Lunch
1:00 p.m. - Shotgun Start
Player gifts, door prizes, Putting Contest, 19th Hole, and much more!!

For information: 423-586-3280 or tmurrow@asesn.org



A special thanks to everyone who donated, picked up, set-up, and purchased at our recent Rummage Sale. The sale netted over \$5,800 for our school!!

ASES would also like to thank the wonderful volunteers who provide lunch each month for our students, faculty, and staff!!

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Kindergarten- 8th grade

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HAVE YOU JOINED?

The '67 Club is a simplified way of supporting our debt, budget, and endowment.

Memberships go from \$67 a year (\$5.58 monthly) to our Spotlight level (\$500 monthly.) All memberships are 100% tax-deductible. New members are joining daily. To learn more, contact Tina Murrow at 423-586-3280.

Think of ASES when shopping; link grocery card & save Box Tops!!



We invite you to join us for our
GOD'S BOUNTY AG DAY FINALE!!
4-H and Hamblen County Farm Bureau Women will be co-hosting this event on Thursday, May 3rd from 8:30 - 11:15 a.m. at the school.
Contact Susie Justice for details.



Norma & Getter Hall; Ashley Auton Taylor; Rachel Lepree; Sharon Robish; Pris Jackson; Judy Gregart; Chuck Firestone; Ed & Linda Bireley; Lexi Jones; Mike Miller; Jack Knight; Ian Bond; Bill Auton; Dana Rice; Jess Dickerson; Rob Holiway; Michael Cardone; Johnny Bible; Christina Spencer; Kenneth Dyer; Barbara Kelley Sheila Auton; Kalei White; Chris Harville; Bill Smith; Sam Simerl; Joyce Lamb; Hayden Fugate; the Reavis Family; Pat Aams; Ruth Frederick; Joy Henderson; Lauren Messer-Bull; Kade Jordan Bull; Rita Shelton; Amy Boyd; Dorothie Garrett; Jamia Blazer; Cathy Varner

Diocesan Prayer Cycle: our sister missions in South Dakota: St. Elizabeth's, Wakpala; St. James', Mobridge; St. John's, Bullhead; St. Paul's, Little Eagle

Those in the Armed Forces & First Responders: Sarah Casey; John Minarik; Ryan Oliver; Jacob Frederick

As the school year draws closer to the end, life at All Saints' Episcopal School continues to be full of activity! We had a very successful Rummage Sale, and raised roughly \$5500! Thank you to all who helped set-up and those who donated items. We couldn't have done it without your support!

Grandparents' Day was held on Friday, March 23. Family and grandparents attended our usual Friday Eucharist and in his sermon, Father Mark spoke about the importance of grandparents. It was special to share the Body and Blood of Christ with our extended families. After chapel, we enjoyed various performances by the student body, the Singing Saints. The Spanish classes even did several songs from the musical "Grease", in Spanish, of course. After these performances, all were free to stroll around and visit classrooms, attend the book fair, and visit an art show of the students' work. A good time was had by all, and it was a great start to our spring break.

April will bring more activity: the 5th-8th grades will be visiting historic Savannah, our annual Golf Tournament at Millstone will be held April 20th, and the week of April 23-27 will bring our annual testing week and our Fun(d) walk fundraiser!

Life is great at ASES!!
Gigi



Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 4 Jimmy Gose
- 5 Geoffrey Garrett
- 6 Chris Plum
- 8 Judy & Jim Anglin*
- 9 Ryan Garber, Cathy & Doug Scott*, Maudie Briggs, Cathy Scott
- 10 Timothy Rice, Sharon & Smokey Oats*
- 11 Kenny & Roland Zitt*
- 14 Doug Scott
- 15 Sharon Webb
- 16 Lena & George Giles*
- 18 Father Mark, Ethel Rhodes
- 19 Shamron Stambaugh
- 22 Sheri Chiappetta
- 23 Hank Selby
- 25 Kathlyn Wender
- 26 Keith Auker
- 28 Korey Kinsler
- 29 John Garber, Louise & Mark Joyce*
- 30 Mary Zabrosky

*Anniversary



BBQ Sauce Makin'
Saturday, April 7
10:00AM
Parish Hall

	4/8/2018	4/15/2018	4/22/2018	4/29/2018	5/6/2018
ALTAR GUILD	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4	Team 1	Team 2
	Judy B.	Brooke White	Lena Giles	Judy Anglin	Judy B.
	Carolyn Dean	Cindy Selby	S & A Chiappetta	Martha Hall	Carolyn Dean
	Virginia Carey	Taryn Herzog	Jamia Blazer	Toni Dosil	Virginia Carey
	Janis Dixon	Logan McGinnins	S Stambaugh	Chantal Combs	Janis Dixon
Bread Ministry	Mary Zabrowsky	Anna Lee Lewis	Mark Joyce	Martha Simerl	Lena Giles
Acolytes 8	Earl Hall	Cody Nelson	Kim Torres	Larry McGowan	Dave Auton
Cahlk Inter 8	Sam Yeary	Cindi Husk	Sam Yeary	Kim Torres	Cindi Husk
2nd Chalice	Glenn Thompson	Dave Auton	Kim Torres	Larry McGowan	Dave Auton
Greeter 8	Robin & Gary Miller	Howard & ML	M Hall & P Kirkley	Nancy & Skeet	Blue McGowan & Martha Hall
Hospitality 8	CJ Webster	Martha Simerl	Virginia Carey	ML Mauney	Tykie Feldman
Lector 8	Hobart Smith	Sam Yeary	Kenny Zitt	Hobart Smith	Kenny Zitt
Ushers 8	Robin Miller	Howard Mauney	Roland Zitt	Nancy Jernigan	Roland Zitt
	Gary Miller	ML Mauney	Nathan Kirkley	Skeet Jernigan	Nathan Kirkley
Sound 8	Henry Selby	Sam Neill	Bob Harmon	Skeet Jernigan	Jerry Feldmann
VPR 8	Henry Selby	Sam Neill	Bob Harmon	Larry McGowan	Sam Neill
Acolytes 10:30	4/8/2018	4/15/2018	4/22/2018	4/29/2018	5/6/2018
	J. Fuhr	Jay Gose	D. Wines	J. Fuhr	Jay Gose
	J. Neill	Corrina Madison	Ginger Goolsby	Meghan Cordle	Susie Carter
	C. Neill	Riley Anerson	Rebekah Garber	Dillon Wines	Corrina Madison
Chal/Inter 10:30	Carolyn Dean	Cookie Larkin	Lauren Cordle	Susan Fuhr	Henry Selby
2nd Chal 10:30	Henry Selby	Jack Fishman	Mark Joyce	Dan Dickens	K.J.T.L.
Flower Carrier	Lena Goiles	Judy B.	Judy A.	Viginia Carey	Tykie Feldman
Greeters 10:30	Amy Neill & Shamron S.	Jack & Judy Yates	Louise Joyce & Sheri C.	Judy B. & Lena Giles	Tommy Justis & Louise Joyce
Hospitality 10:30	Giles/Cordle	Stambaugh/Neill	Justis/Zabrowsky/ Frederick	Dickens/ Joyce	Mitrik/Connellee
OT Lector 10:30	Virginia Garrett	Martie Anderson	Shamron	Shila Carton	Dan Dickens
NT Lector 10:30	Judy C.	Alex Cunningham	Judy Yates	Bill Mitrik	Sarah Gose
Present 10:30	Mary Z. & Ginger G.	Dillon Wines & Logan McGinnis	Bill & Lin Mitrik	Jack & Nancy Fishman	Wayne & Shamron
L.E.V.	Cindy Selby	Raymond Lowry	Sue Justis	Mark Joyce	Cindy Selby
Sound 10:30	Wayne S.	Dan Dickens	Tommy Justis	Jackson H.	Udo Wender
10:30 Ushers	Ginger Goolsby	Holley Dickens	Udo Wender	Ronnie Bledsoe	Judy Yates
	Sam Neill	Bill Connellee	George Giles	Janis Dixon	Jack Yates
	Louise Joyce	Jim Gose	Larry Mills	Bob Harmon	Bill Connellee
	Judy B.	David Gose	Brooke White	Bob Garrett	Judy B.
VPR 10:30	Henry Selby	Sam Neill	Bob Harmon	Larry McGowan	Sam Neill

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:00 AM HE I 10:30 AM HE Rite II 11:45 AM Easter Egg Hunt 12:00 PM Parish Easter Luncheon 8:00 PM NA 8:00 PM NAR-ANON	2 8:00 AM Chapel @ ASES 4:00 PM Purkey Music 6:00 PM Evangelism Committee 7:00 PM Scout Troop 197	3 4:00 PM Purkey Music 8:00 PM AA	4 10:00 AM Bible Study 4:00 PM Purkey Music 5:30 PM Simple Supper 6:00 PM Agape and Program 7:00 PM Parish Choir	5 8:30 AM Coffee Call @ Java Garden 12:00 PM ALANON 4:00 PM Purkey Music 7:00 PM NA 7:00 PM NAR-ANON	6 8:00 AM Chapel @ ASES 6:00 PM Purkey Music 8:00 PM AA/ALANON	7 9:00 AM Make BBQ Sauce 10:00 AM Purkey Music 8:00 PM NA
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Plant Share & Swap

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The exact date to be picked once we know when the last freeze is expected. For more information, please contact Barbara Garrett, Wanda Kirby, Cookie Larkin and Alice Westmoreland, our "Grounds Beautification Committee".

Thank you,

Bob Harmon, Jr. Warden, Bldg. & Grounds

YOUTH GROUP SCOOP

Our youth were busy this month in Sunday school filling in their brackets for Lent Madness and learning about saints and packing eggs for the two Easter egg hunts they ran for the children at Public Housing and our Parish egg hunt. Thank you parish family for all the candy you provided to help this happen!

We also have exciting news! We have put together a mission trip this year for the middle and high school students that will take place from July 8th to July 14th through Adventure Outreach. We have made reservations for 14 people. Please all parents and youth get with me who are interested in going for details.

Youth Schedule Set Through July 2018:

April 13-15	Diocese New Beginnings #3 Middle School @ Grace Point
May 11-12	Doggie Bone Sale during BBQ
May 12	Mission Trip Bake Sale during Saturday BBQ sales.
May 13	Graduation Sunday
May 20	Sundae Sunday during Sunday school
July 8-14	Mission Trip



From Your Children/Youth Vestry Liaison, Victor Bailey