

Happening Today

PARENTS OF CHILDREN'S CHAPEL KIDS The 10:30 service begins in the St. Francis Memorial Garden . We bless the palms outside and then process into the church. We invite your kids (Age 3 to 3rd Grade) to be part of the procession. They may join Hannah Village, our chapel leader, while we're out in the Garden and then process with her into the church. They'll go all the way to the front of the church and take part in our Triumphal Entry Drama (no prep required of them) and then head off into Children's Chapel from there (returning as usual at the Peace).

SECOND SUNDAY SUPPER Join us in the Parish Hall at 6 p.m. for our monthly pot luck dinner. Bring a dish to share and come to enjoy a delicious meal and good conversation. Also mark your calendar for next month's supper on May 12. See Diane Gentner or Charlene Case for more details.

ACTS FOR EVERYONE: DID YOU NOTICE? In this week's reading the appearance of well-meaning new disciples who just aren't fully formed in the faith? Even Appollos, one who became a missionary, had growing to do! In Acts 19, Paul talks about the power of the Holy Spirit to change us with some new converts and it seems they were still at the threshold stage of becoming followers of Jesus. Bishop Wright, in his commentary, talks about how this is true for all of us -- how formation is a life-long process. His story of a woman who came to church but insisted that her cat was the reincarnation of her late husband is hilarious (but for pastors isn't all that surprising... trust me). The bigger question is what sensibilities and instincts from the world do we persist in? Take just one example -- what's our attitude about our money? Do we see it as gift from God or that we earned it by pulling ourselves up by our bootstraps (a classically pagan worldview). Formation takes time and persistence, and above all the power of the Holy Spirit (or else we just pay lip-service to God while our lives give real praise to idols). **THIS COMING WEEK** -- use this time to catch up or take sabbath rest. And don't forget all the Holy Week services!

FACEBOOK & EMAIL UPDATES sign up for our email newsletter to receive updates on events & information about things happening at St. George's & around the community. Go to our website, stgeorgesdayton.org & click on the "Welcome" tab. You'll see the link to sign up for our email letter. Your email is confidential & is not shared with any third parties, and you can unsubscribe at any time. Look us up on [Facebook](#) for more information & to stay connected, just search for "St. George's Dayton".

HEALING PRAYER AT COMMUNION if you need to be prayed for or have something you need to pray about, after you receive the Bread & Wine at Communion, please go right into the Chapel & our Prayer Ministers will be there to pray with you & to bless you. Healing Prayer is offered on the first and third Sunday of the month at the 8:00am service, & at the 10:30 service. At the 5:00 service, there is a time of healing prayer in the main service on the first Sunday of each month.

INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CHURCH or receiving more information? Contact the church office at 434-1781, email@stgeorgeohio.org.

Upcoming Events

YOUTH MISSION TRIP DEPOSIT DEADLINE TODAY We've had lots of conversations and a planning meeting already, but we realize there may still be folks who haven't noticed... All rising 7th graders through High School are eligible for our mission trip to Champagne County, **June 2-7** to build a Habitat House. A \$50 deposit is due today. The total cost will be \$85 (that includes housing, travel, and food for Sunday evening through Friday). We return Friday afternoon. Jen Miller will be taking deposits during Coffee Hour.

CHARLES SOWDER WORKOUT SESSIONS Charles Sowder of *Hand in Hand Personal Training* is offering workout sessions in the Parish Hall on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons 2-3pm. These light workouts focus on balance, core and stretching while standing. Walk-ins are welcome! Cost is \$15.00 per session. An introductory price of \$140.00 for 10 sessions is being offered. Contact Marilyn Judd at 937-434-0040 if interested.

HOUSING FOR VOICES OF APPALACHIA CHOIR, MAY 14 The Voices of Appalachia Choir will present a concert at St. George's on Tuesday, May 14, at 7:00 p.m. We are arranging housing for 24 student choir members and may be contacting you to help (by providing transportation "home" from the concert, one night's lodging, breakfast, and a ride back to church the next morning). A simple reception will follow the May 14 performance, so those attending can chat with students from the choir and the adults who support them. Contact Dave or Marty Cottrill, 299-1505, or at mcott1962@gmail.com for more information.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, JULY 8-12 This is our single largest evangelism project all year and YOU are needed! We welcome tons of kids and we engage them in a variety of activities. If we share this journey together it is a delight and we bond together as a church family. NOW is the time to find your place! (yes, I am talking to YOU... not someone else) Sign up to volunteer in the WELCOME LOUNGE! You won't regret it! For more, talk with the Rev. Dr. Cal Lane, associate@stgeorgeohio.org Registration for children opens in April 21.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES at ST. GEORGE'S

Palm Sunday - April 14th

8:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Palms and Holy Eucharist

10:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Palms in Memorial Garden (weather permitting) and Holy Eucharist.

5:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Palms and Holy Eucharist

Monday of Holy Week - April 15th

5:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross, Led by Youth (Main Sanctuary)

Wednesday of Holy Week - April 17th

11:30 a.m. Stations of the Cross (Main Sanctuary)

Maundy Thursday - April 18th

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Eucharist with Foot-Washing Liturgy

Good Friday - April 19th

Noon Stations of the Cross (Main Sanctuary)

7:00 p.m. Good Friday Liturgy with Tenebrae

Holy Saturday - April 20th

A Day of Sabbath Rest, no services

EASTER DAY - April 21st

8:00 a.m. Easter Vigil & Eucharist (no incense, nursery care not available)
No Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m. Festal Eucharist (w/ incense, nursery care available). Children of all ages will be invited to Flower the Cross and then age 3-3rd grade to Children's Chapel. **There will be no 5:00 p.m. service on Easter**

The Week at a Glance

Day	Time	Event	Location
Monday 4/15	3:00 p.m.	Ministry meeting	Library
	3:30 p.m.	Staff meeting	Library
	5:30 p.m.	Stations of the Cross	Sanctuary
	7:15 p.m.	Vestry meeting	Library
Tuesday 4/16	2:00 p.m. Weekly Messenger deadline for info. is Tuesday noon to administrator@stgeorgeohio.org	Charles Sowder workout session	Parish Hall
Wednesday 4/17	9:00 a.m.	Bridge Group	Nursery
	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study	Library
	11:30 a.m.	Stations of the Cross	Sanctuary
Thursday 4/18	8:30 a.m.	Castle Cooking Project	Undercroft
	9:00 a.m.	Dragon Slayers	St. George's
	2:00 p.m.	Charles Sowder workout session	Parish Hall
	7:00 p.m.	Maundy Thursday service	Sanctuary
	8:30 p.m.	Choir practice	Choir Room
Friday 4/19	CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED		
	Noon	Stations of the Cross	Sanctuary
	7:00 p.m.	Good Friday Liturgy w/Tenebrae	Sanctuary
	7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous (closed) Narcotics Anonymous speaker (open)	Parish Hall Parish Hall
Saturday 4/20	10:00 a.m.	Altar Guild	Sanctuary
	5:30 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous mtg.	Parish Hall
	7:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous mtg. (open)	Parish Hall
Sunday 4/21	8:00 a.m.	Easter Vigil & Eucharist <i>No Education hour at 9:30</i>	Sanctuary
	10:30 a.m.	Festal Eucharist	Sanctuary

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The Weekly Messenger

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 14, 2019



ST. GEORGE'S

Episcopal Church
Dayton, Ohio

Education for All Ages 9:30-10:15

Children Age 3 & Potty-Trained through Kindergarten

Let the Children Come Sunday School

Location: Lower Level Wing
first room on the left

**Parents must pick up at 10:15*

Elementary School (Grades 1-5)

Godly Play Sunday School

Location: Lower Level Hallway
(next to Nursery)

**Parents must pick up at 10:15*

Middle School (Grades 6-8)

Middle School Bible Study

Location: Chapel

High School (Grades 9-12)

High School Bible Study

Location: Library

Adults

Option 1: **Rector's Bible Study**

Location: Parish Hall

...OR...

Option 2: **Lectionary Study**

Location: Church Office

Welcome!

8:00 a.m.

*A simple, traditional service of Holy Communion
No Music; Nursery Unavailable*

9:30 a.m.—10:15 a.m.

Education Hour for all Ages

See Chart to right

**Nursery for Infants - Age 3 available 9:30-11:45 in lower level*

10:30 a.m.

A rich & uplifting choral service of Holy Communion including Children's Chapel

**Nursery for Infants to Age 3 available 9:30-11:45 in lower level*

Following the 10:30 service in the Parish Hall...

Refreshments, fellowship, and a chance to get to know each other

5:00 p.m.

A simple, relaxed service of Holy Communion

About kids in worship... Children of all ages are always welcome in worship!

- ▶ While you are always welcome to have your child with you, we offer a safe, professionally-staffed **nursery for infants to age 3**, 9:30-11:45 in the lower level. Parents sign in, provide a cell phone, and provide labeled baby gear.
- ▶ We have "**busy bags**" with paper and crayons in the basket by the church doors/the baptismal font if your kids would like one during the service.
- ▶ During the 10:30 service, we also invite children age 3 to 3rd Grade to join our children's ministry team for **Children's Chapel**. Children begin in worship with parents and then are dismissed at the sermon. They rejoin their families at the Peace so they may also receive Holy Communion.
- ▶ If your child is with you in worship and needs settling, please feel free to use the Narthex (entry hall) or the Welcome Lounge. There are seats & the service audio is broadcast there.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL OFFERING Children's chapel during the 10:30

service now includes an offering. You are welcome to send as little as a coin with your child which will go to **Heifer International**, a ministry that helps people facing hunger gain farming skills. Our kids will be working toward raising money for bee hives. This is not required, but it's a great way to teach kids about *offering* as an aspect of worship.

For your convenience...

- ◆ Restrooms & drinking fountains are located in the main hall
- ◆ For hearing devices for your pew, please see an Usher.
- ◆ Wheelchair accessible restroom—east end of the Lower Level please use elevator (E, on map to the left)



Our mission at St. George's is to form lifelong disciples of Jesus Christ. This mission comes directly from Jesus who said, "Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, Son, & Holy Spirit, & teach them all that I have commanded you" (Matthew 28:18-20). We pursue this mission by focusing on four key elements of the Christian life: Worship—Love—Learn—Serve

