

Happening Today

GRADUATION & ACOLYTE RECOGNITION All of our graduating high school seniors are recognized, as well as all of our acolytes, during the 10:30 service. We will also present Bibles to our rising 4th, 5th, and 6th graders.

SECOND SUNDAY SUPPER Join us for our pot luck dinner tonight at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Bring a dish and enjoy a delicious meal and good conversation.

DID YOU NOTICE... in Acts 24:20-26:11 the argument Paul keeps making in his trial. He is brought before both the Roman tribune and King Herod Agrippa II. And Paul consistently argues that he is not introducing "heresy" or leading Jews away from Judaism. Jesus of Nazareth, Paul argues, is the fulfilment of promises made to Abraham and Abraham's descendants. As Bishop Wright often puts it, Jesus is the climax of the covenant - the aim and target of that relationship made with Abraham - rather than some hard bizarre turn away from it. Paul is not saying "hey I was wrong and so was Judaism and its Law." Rather Paul is saying "What God promised is now here, and its Jesus, the hope of the 12 tribes of Israel!" (Acts 26:6-7). Do we understand that? It may be more comfortable to think of Christianity as some separate "religion," but there's little evidence from the first century and the New Testament for that way of seeing things. **For next week, try reading 26:12-27:44 (only a few chapters left!).**

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

VOICES OF APPALACHIA CHOIR, MAY 14 Please join us on Tuesday, May 14, at 7:00 p.m., at St. George's for a concert by the Voices of Appalachia from Alice Lloyd College. In the heart of Appalachia, this college offers a high-quality academic program, courses in leadership, and service learning programs that emphasize mountain people helping mountain people. A big THANK YOU to those who have agreed to house choir members that evening. Through their music, choir members strive to convey the deep feelings of mountain people for their heritage and region. A simple reception will follow. Contact Dave or Marty Cottrill, 299-1505, or at mcott1962@gmail.com for more information.

CASTLE LUNCH The next Castle lunch will be on Thursday, May 16. We need donations of desserts. If you wish to before the 16th, place them in covered containers, label for the Castle, and put them in the refrigerator. If you bring them on the 16th, please do so by 10:00 a.m. Sugarless desserts are appreciated.

CANTERBURY COURT BUTTERFLY GARDEN PLANTING PARTY Join us Saturday, May 18th, 9am – 12pm to spruce up and rejuvenate our lovely Butterfly Garden. Lunch will be served noon-1pm. Please bring your gloves, hats, hand tools, and any sun-loving annuals or perennials you'd like to share. Canterbury Court 450 N, Elm St, West Carrollton, OH. Thanks! Peg Cothorn pegcothorn@gmail.com; 240-476-2932

NEW MEMBER CLASS Are you new to St. George's? Or have you been here for a little while checking things out and would like to know more? Have you been attending worship services for a while and are not sure you are a member (there are a few easy steps, it is not automatic!). This class is your chance to meet with the Rector, meet new people, and learn about the Church and, if you are interested, how to become a member. The class will be **Sunday, June 2** in the Library following the 10:30 a.m. service and will last for about a half hour to forty-five minutes.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: MON-FRI, JULY 8-12 / 9AM - NOON

Kids are 4 to rising 5th Graders - REGISTER ONLINE OPEN!

Come join in the adventure -- each morning we sing, play games, engage art projects, hear stories, and learn about JESUS! REGISTER ONLINE NOW at stgeorgesdayton.org *We cannot take "walk-ins," so please tell any friends you have who may wish to join you to also [register online](#) soon!

NEW PHOTO DIRECTORY TEAM In November, portrait sessions will be held to create a new, updated pictorial directory for our parish. The Rector is assembling a small team to help with the prep work, which will begin in late July/August. There are already three team members, one or two more are needed. If you are interested or have any questions please contact Rev. Phillips (rector@stgeorgeohio.org or 434-1781x102).

The Week at a Glance

Day	Time	Event	Location
Monday 5/13	3:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m.	Ministry meeting Staff meeting	Library Library
Tuesday 5/14	2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Fitness Class Voices of Appalachia Choir	Parish Hall Sanctuary
Weekly Messenger deadline for info. is Tuesday noon to administrator@stgeorgeohio.org			
Wednesday 5/15	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Bridge Group Bible Study Building & Grounds Comm. Finance mtg.	Nursery Library Library Library
Thursday 5/16	8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Castle Cooking project Dragon Slayers Fitness Class Choir practice	Undercroft Kitchen St. George's Parish Hall Choir Room
Friday 5/17	7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m.	CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED Alcoholics Anonymous (closed) Narcotics Anonymous speaker (open)	Parish Hall Parish Hall
Saturday 5/18	10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Altar Guild Narcotics Anonymous mtg. (open)	Sanctuary Parish Hall
Sunday 5/19	9:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 12:30 p.m.	Education for all ages Third Sunday lunch GP lunch & workshop	See front cover for details Undercroft Godly Play Room

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The Weekly Messenger

THE FOURTH SUNDAY
OF EASTER
MAY 12, 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**

