

Hospitality Hour Do you enjoy visiting with your friends after the 10:30 service with a nice cup of coffee and a snack? To continue this long time St George's tradition, please sign up to host a coffee hour. St Georges will provide the coffee, tea and paper goods and you just need to provide a simple snack and children's beverage. If you have any questions contact Barbara Howe @ 937-426-2583 or howejbet@hotmail.com **Sign up sheet is in the Parish Hall.**

This Week's Calendar

...The Week of July 27, 2008

<i>Sunday (7/27)</i>	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Noon 4:00 p.m	The Holy Eucharist Adult Bible Study The Holy Eucharist Hospitality Hour Cake Decorating Class	...Barb Howe, 426-2583 ...Patti King, 434-1781
<i>Monday (7/28)</i>	10:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting	
<i>Tuesday (7/29)</i>	7:30 p.m.	C.S. Lewis	...Jack Crane, 434-7959
<i>Wednesday (7/30)</i>	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Mothers and Others Wednesday a.m. Biblical Bibliophiles Bible Study, Gospel of St. Mark	...Traci Knox, 312-1983 ...Becky Clark, 859-8316 ...Becky Clark, 859-8316
<i>Thursday (7/31)</i>			
<i>Friday (8/1)</i>	7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous meeting Alcoholics Anonymous meeting	
<i>Saturday (8/2)</i>	10:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m.	Altar Guild The Holy Eucharist Cornerstone Service St.G's Golf Outing	...Sara Rich, 293-6669 ...Ralph Stahl, 433-7749

Turning lights off and securing the building when leaving after rental/use of St. George's facilities is extremely important. Please double-check yourself & others after a meeting or event. Thanks!

The Vestry

Pat MacKenzie, <i>Senior Warden</i>	Ward Best	Eric Schryver
Rob Johnson, <i>Junior Warden</i>	Susan Daly	Ron Shubert
Godson Okocha, <i>Treasurer</i>	Annette Fredenburgh	Shannon Walker
Kathy Brown, <i>Clerk</i>	Barb House	Jon Wallace
Collin Gossel, <i>Youth Representative</i>	Lynn Olive	Susan Wehmeyer

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The Weekly Orbit

St. George's Episcopal Church

Dayton, Ohio

THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

We welcome newcomers to our worshipping community.

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. Whether you are a first-time guest or a long-time member, we value your presence. Please feel free to fill out one of our communication cards or sign a guest book in the entryways.

St. George's Worship Services

Saturday, 5:00 p.m. A quiet, meditative service with a healing service on the first & third Saturdays each month.
Saturday, 6:30 p.m. An innovative, informal service featuring current music and on-screen projections meets in the Parish Hall.

Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Rite I Holy Eucharist with organ music offers the most traditional worship experience.
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. A lively Rite II Eucharist draws on the rich heritage of the Hymnal and Book of Common Prayer. St. George's Choir sings September through May. Children aged three through 5th grade have Sunday School/Story Hour during the first half of the service.

We invite you to join us for refreshments following the 10:30 Sunday service.

A large-print prayer book and hymnal, and a hearing assistance system, are available from the ushers for services held in the Sanctuary. A handicap-accessible restroom is located on the lower level. The entryway elevator is accessible from either the Sanctuary or Parish Hall level of the building. Adult classes meet year-round at 9:30 a.m. The classes for Middle-High School meet

Beginning August 6, Father Larsen will celebrate an 11:15 a.m. Eucharist in the Chapel after Bible Study on Wednesdays. You are welcome to join him in the Chapel.

The Staff

The Very Rev. R. James Larsen	<i>Interim Rector</i>	rector@stgeorgeohio.org	937-545-5508
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Salvation Army *Please help us to help others* on the second Wednesday of the month, cooking for and feeding the homeless for the Salvation Army Center Downtown Dinner are prepared from 2—3:30 p.m. in our undercroft kitchen; then more volunteers carpool to the shelter at 4:30 p.m. If you are unable to join us cooking or serving, *please bring cookies & 9X13 cakes* to the Undercroft on the second Wednesday before 4:30 p.m. Desserts are always appreciated. Thank you, *Mary Jameson (439-1165)*.

A last chance to help with our Summer Lunch Program: *Volunteers* are needed thru August 8th (Monday - Friday), from 12-1 pm, to help serve lunch and play with children, as St. George's has partnered with St. Andrew's and Grace United Methodist Church (1001 Harvard Blvd. & Salem Avenue) to provide lunches to neighborhood children this summer! Please call /email the Rev. Jane Gerdson (jane.standrews@sbcglobal.net or 278-7345).

Guatemalan Mission trip August 1 through August 9. We would like to ask for donations of travel size toothpaste, peanut butter, basketballs, soccer, any outdoor toys would be great. We will provide a box for the donated items. *Thank you, Sheri Bennett. Any questions please call me 436-0370 or cell 681-2732.*

Education for Ministry (EFM participants meet weekly at St. George's from September through May/early June for theological study, reflection, worship, and fellowship, meeting Wednesday nights and using materials developed by Sewaneeto equip the laity for their ministries (see www.sewaneeto.edu/EFM/index.htm for more information). If interested ...contact Lisa Sweeney (LMSweeney@aol.com).



THE BIBLICAL BIBLIOPHILESWEDNESDAYS!

- 9:30 a.m. Reading TOBIT—a story of romance, involving an angel and a demon.
- 7:00 p.m. The GOSPEL OF MARK—a passion narrative with an introduction
- Join us as we discuss and learn.

2008 Golf Scramble....August 2 WANTED DEAD OR ALIVE...GOLFERS!

Invite friends and golf buddies to take part in the golf scramble at **The Golf Course at Yankee Trace.**

The sign-up sheet is located near the welcome area.



- The first tee time will be Noon
- Cost \$60.00 per person (includes green fees, cart rental, food, and individual & team prizes)
- The event will be four-person/team scramble (low gross and low net winners)
- Men's and Women's longest and shortest drive prizes
- Men's and Women's closest to the pin once again could win \$1,000,000!
- Many other prizes

Guest are welcome and encouraged **Tell a buddy and bring a friend!**

We are looking forward to the competition, stories and laughs provided by our teams as they drive to claim a prize.

Accomplishments will be honored at the Shubert's immediately after the golf. Chef Ron will be preparing the feast.

Armed Services...We will be celebrating and honoring the various branches of the Armed Services at St. George's during the coming year. These will be done on the anniversary of their founding. The first celebration will be for the Coast Guard and the Coast Guard Auxiliary to be held on Sunday, August 3rd at the 10:30 a.m. service. We will honor current and retired Coast Guard members and the Coast Guard Auxiliary. **If any of you are a part of this branch, please contact the parish office.**

We will be hosting a special service on Sunday, September 21st, honoring the United States Air Force at the 10:30 a.m. service.

St. George's needs YOU! Yes, we need your smiling face to "Greet All" and to "Welcome Visitors," letting everyone know how happy we are to see them. **ThIs Is a fun MIInIstry!** If the Lord is nudging you, (we all get those nudges) sign up and come to the **Greeter's Meeting**, (*Date and Time of meeting to be determined*). We need lots of volunteers to cover all entrances for the Sunday 10:30 and the Saturday 6:30 services on a bi-monthly rotation. To join this fun and important Ministry, contact Shirley Fuchs at: 937-312-1892, fuchssj@sbcglobal.net or enter contact information on the sign-up poster in the foyer.

NEEDED – we need Ushers, especially at the Saturday, 5:00 p.m.. service, and Greeters. Please find out about these vital ministries at St. George's, and help to make it the special place it is! **Contact Shirley Fuchs [937.312.1892] for becoming a Greeter and Jan Chromick [937.439.1869] to become an Usher**



Take the 40 Day Prayer Challenge DAY 7

Having trouble finding time to pray? Here are a few ideas to get you started: Try praying in the shower or while you drink your morning coffee. Pray while you walk the dog or push the stroller through the park. If you commute, turn off the radio and talk to God. Remember the only *right* time to pray is the time that works for you. *Five minutes a day is all we're asking...*For more information please speak to

the **Rev. Kiah Webster.**

PRAYERS REQUESTED Deb Bledsoe, Sheila Browning, Alma Bray, Barbara and Negley Cribbs, the Crockett family, Jean Davis, Louise Evans, Jerry Fenlon, Gwen Freese, Joanne Garvey, Ellen Gentner, Libbi Gentner, John Goodrich, Carl Gustafson, Dick Harbison, Mellissa and Baby Hard, Calvin Hembree, Barbara Hughes, Matthew Knox, Donald MacKenzie, Awo Onwudiwe, Grover & Mary Pitman, Bob Qualls, Chuck Reusing, Angela Richards, John Rucker, Marcelino Santiago, Dianna Smith, Rebecca Smith, Elmer & Eleanor Sensel, Sharon Stamp, Joanne Stearns, Jan Stetson, Kevin Walker, Bill Wallace, Cole Williams, Nancy Zorniger. Prayers for deceased, Al Laughrey. *We pray for regions of our world troubled by violence & natural disasters. We remember all the men and women of our armed forces, at home and overseas.*

Pastoral Care – *If you are in need of pastoral care, or if you know of someone else in need of pastoral care, please do not hesitate to contact me immediately. I may be reached on my cell at 545-5508 or through the Parish Office, 434-1781.Thanks - Fr. Jim*