

# The Sewanee Mountain MESSENGER

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## Community Gardeners' Forum Learning to Grow Your Own Food

Learn how to live a more sustainable lifestyle by growing what you eat. Area gardeners will share their techniques and strategies for growing vegetables and fruit on the plateau at the Gardeners' Forum panel discussion at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, at the Sewanee Community Center. Topics to be addressed include soil and bed preparation, when to plant, seed and plant varieties, chemical-free pest control, minimal-space gardening and tricks of the trade—those gardening tips and secrets one learns from experience, old-timers or sometimes, just plain luck. Audience members will be encouraged to participate in the dialogue, to ask questions and to share their own experiences and ideas.

Panelists include veteran gardener and organic varieties advocate Joseph Bordley, who has more than 35 years of gardening experience; certified naturally grown gardener Linda Boynton of Dogwood Farm, a 29-acre horse, fruit and vegetable farm; certified naturally grown gardener Deyton Gray of Hawk Hill Farm, which specializes in produce grown from heirloom open-pollinated seed stock; Lee Stapleton, a family physician with 50 years of gardening experience, who is committed to the principle "eat what you grow"; and certified naturally grown gardener Jess Wilson, manager of the Cumberland Farmer's Market, who has a degree in sustainable agriculture.

Organizers hope that this forum will encourage people to garden. According to the New York Times, the food Americans eat travels an average of 1,500 miles before reaching the table. Eating food raised locally reduces reliance on fossil fuels, encourages outdoor exercise and reduces eating food that contain high-fructose corn syrup and trans-fats, both of which are linked to obesity and heart disease, in studies cited by the Times.

The Gardeners' Forum is being sponsored by the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace and the Cumberland Farmers' Market. Everyone attending will automatically be entered in the drawing for door prizes.

A special feature this year is the gardeners' labor-exchange sign-up to bring together community members who need help in their gardens with community members who want to help in gardens or have special skills or services to offer.

For more information, contact Leslie Lytle at 598-9979 or e-mail <sllytle@blomand.net>.

## Taste of the Mountain Food Fair on March 14

The 11th annual Taste of the Mountain Food Fair will be from 5 to 8 p.m., Monday, March 14, at the National Guard Armory in Monteagle. Tickets are \$8 in advance or \$10 at the door. Canned goods will be collected at the event to restock the Grundy County Food Bank.

Trapper Haskins and Friends will provide entertainment, while the following restaurants are providing tastings: Blue Orchid Café, Coke Oven Café, Cookie Jar Café, Crust Pizza, Depot Deli, Dutch Maid Bakery, Dana Sanders Cakes, Dave's Modern Café, Julia's Fine Foods, Lorena's Café, Monteagle Inn and Restaurant, Mountain T.O.P., Shenanigans, Sweet CeCe's, Simply Southern Café, Smoke House Restaurant, Sewanee Catering, Sportsman's Club's "Famous Possum Stew," Steverino's, Tea on the Mountain and the Bridge at Monteagle.

For more information, contact the Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce at (931) 924-5353.



A major storm Monday took down trees like this huge hemlock adjacent to Texas Avenue. For the full story, see page 2.

## Council Hears About E-Mail Systems, Cell Towers and Deer

The Sewanee Community Council had a full agenda at its Feb. 28 meeting, in part as a result of the January meeting being canceled due to heavy snowfall. Top agenda items included a reduction in ground rent for non-university employees (see adjacent story), the community e-mail and mass notification systems, and the location of communication towers to improve cell phone service on the domain. The council also discussed the traffic light on the corner of University and Georgia avenues and deer cull statistics.

Vice-Chancellor John McCardell welcomed new council members Molly Roberts, Theresa Shackelford and Drew Sampson, and then called for a moment of silence honoring former member Phil Loney, who died recently.

Associate Provost and University Librarian Vicki Sells, described the history of community electronic mailing lists and said information about how to subscribe to the lists would appear in the Messenger (see page 3).

Sewanee Police Chief Robert White said the department was working to implement a system that would send emergency alerts by e-mail, text messages and telephone. The program will be overseen by DeltAlert.

University Treasurer Jerry Forster reported that negotiations are underway with AT&T to locate new equipment on the Domain to improve cell phone service. The proposal calls for one antenna on Shapard Tower, adjoining All Saints' Chapel, and for a second antenna on a new tower near the School of Theology. Forster said other sites had been eliminated because of visibility and/or accessibility issues. Domain manager Nate Wilson said there would be further investigation into visibility considerations before any final decision is reached.

Vice-Chancellor McCardell sought input from the council and community members present about the change in the traffic light at the intersection of University and Georgia avenues. With no objections voiced by members of the community or the council, McCardell said the light would stay flashing.

Wilson updated the council on deer population statistics for the region. On the Domain, there are 150 deer per square mile; a healthy, sustainable deer population would be 25 deer per square mile. Wilson said once the population was reduced to an acceptable level, it could be managed with a small cull.

Provost Linda Lankewicz asked for recommendations on who might fill the vacancy in District 3 until next fall's election. The council may fill midterm vacancies by appointment. The next meeting of the Community Council is scheduled for 7 p.m., Monday, March 28, at the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center.

—Reported by Leslie Lytle

## University Revises Ground Rent Fee Policy

At the Feb. 28 Sewanee Community Council meeting, University Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer Jerry Forster announced that the University would reduce the ground rent fee charged to non-university employees from its current rate of 6 percent to 4 percent for leaseholders who choose to participate.

Under a 1989 University policy, ground rent was frozen at 6 percent of 1982 property values; for leases signed after 1989, the ground rent was 6 percent of the property value at the time of the lease signing. In 2007, the Franklin County property assessment increased the average lot value on the Domain by 50 percent, sharply increasing the ground rent for those who had signed leases since then.

For 53 leaseholders, the reduction in the rate from 6 percent to 4 percent will result in a savings of \$34,000.

Those who signed leases prior to 2007 may continue to pay ground rent at their present 6 percent rate based on the frozen assessment value, which for most leaseholders would result in a lower ground rent fee than the 4 percent fee at the 2007 assessment rate.

For leaseholders who desire to have their ground rent reset, the policy will take effect on September 1. The lease committee will notify leaseholders who would benefit by resetting their ground rent. Any leaseholder who wishes to discuss the new policy to see if they should reset their ground rent should contact Barbara Schlichting, the University's lease superintendent, at 598-1998.

For leases signed after September 1, the 4 percent ground rent will be based on the current assessed value and will not be frozen.

Forster said he worked with Sewanee Leaseholders Association president Stephen Burnett on drafting the new policy. Leaseholders Association representative David Haskell thanked Forster for responding to concerns about the ground rent inequity.

—Reported by Leslie Lytle



Shenanigans Gallery is reopening with exhibits focused on spring. For more information see page 8. From the gallery, "Southern Red Trillium, Shakerag Hollow," photograph by David Coe.

## Small-Scale Life Focus of Hike

At 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 5, join the Sewanee Herbarium and biologist Paul Davison from the University of North Alabama on a journey to see life at small scale. Subjects will range from the botanical to the zoological.

In case of inclement weather, the group will work indoors to set up the field microscope and observe material via hand lenses.

Meet at the Blue Chair restaurant in downtown Sewanee. Bring a bag lunch for this trek into the world of the very small. And don't forget a hand lens!

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## Letters

### THANK YOU TO FRIDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS To the Editor:

On behalf of the SES PTO Board, I would like to thank all of our Friday School volunteers. These volunteer teachers taught classes of their choosing to a group of SES children for four consecutive Fridays. This year's Friday School featured 30 different classes, with such topics as first aid, "I Love SES" (outreach), the chemistry of cooking, horse care, outdoor skills, hiking, football, rugby, drama and arts and crafts.

Friday School is in its 35th year at Sewanee Elementary School. The success of this enrichment program is due to the support of our community. The entire Sewanee community was well represented at this year's Friday School: parents, University students, professors and local business members all joined in on the fun.

Of course, you cannot have a volunteer-led school event without the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department. The SVFD students graciously brought the fire trucks and support vehicles to the school and talked with two groups of students. The happy looks on the children's faces as they donned fire safety gear were priceless.

To our 35 Friday School teachers, thank you for volunteering your time and expertise. To Joan Hurst and Sarah Butler, the co-chairs for Friday School, thank you so much for your hard work. Our community thrives because of volunteers like you.

Kiki Beavers  
SES PTO Secretary  
Sewanee ■

### 4TH OF JULY PLANS BEGIN To the Editor:

It is time once again to get our heads together to work on our famous 4th of July celebration in Sewanee. In order to have the best yet, we need your help.

Our first meeting this year will be at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, March 10, at my home, 55 Bob Stewman Rd.

If you can help but cannot come to the meeting, please give me a call at 598-5864. We need as many volunteers as we can get to make the 4th a success.

I do hope to hear from you.  
Louise Irwin  
Sewanee ■

### MESSENGER DEADLINES

*News & Calendar:*  
Tuesday, 5 p.m.  
*Display Ads:*  
Monday, 5 p.m.  
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Monday, 5 p.m.  
*Classified Ads:*  
Wednesday, noon

### "HOW ARE THE CHILDREN?" EVENT SUCCESSFUL To the Editor:

On the evening of March 1, more than 80 people who live, work or volunteer in Grundy County met to think about services for youth and families in the area. We would like to thank all of those who took the time to share their commitment to the Grundy community and who expressed interest in continued discussions in the weeks ahead. Attendees included educators, social workers, parents, doctors, program directors, clergy, retirees and interested residents.

Among the issues the group grappled with were education, economic development, community programs, health and substance abuse. Under the leadership of facilitator Jennie Turrell, the group considered a variety of complex issues in the context of exploring the question, "How are the children?"

This meeting was the first in a series of gatherings the University is hosting. The next meeting, focusing on Franklin County, will be held on Tuesday, March 29, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the Hearth Room of the Bishop's Common. For further information about the Franklin County event, please contact Erin Smyth at 598-3201.

Dixon Myers and  
Bonnie McCardell  
for the organizing committee  
Sewanee ■

### CCJP DONATIONS STOLEN To the Editor:

Most of the donations made on the evening of the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace awards banquet on February 26 were stolen. The theft occurred during the bustle of clean-up activity immediately following the banquet.

CCJP has learned that the cost of stopping payment on a check is prohibitive, and it is highly unlikely the bank will cash or even accept for deposit a check made out to CCJP without our stamped endorsement on the back.

If you made a donation at the banquet, check or cash, please contact me with the amount, so we can compile a list while we continue to investigate the situation. You may notify me by postal mail, e-mail or phone: CCJP, P.O. Box 307, Sewanee, TN 37375; <sllytle@blomand.net>; 598-9979.

I hope you will join me in forgiveness.

Thank you for your generosity and may generosity of spirit guide you always.

Leslie Lytle  
Executive Director  
Cumberland Center for Justice  
and Peace ■

## Serving Where Called

Please keep the following individuals, their families and all those who are serving our country in your thoughts and prayers:

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If you know of others in our Mountain family who are serving our country, please give their names to American Legion and Auxiliary member Louise Irwin, 598-5864.

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### MESSENGER HOURS

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*Thursday—Production Day*  
9 a.m. until pages are completed  
(usually mid-afternoon)

*Friday—Circulation Day*  
Closed

## Sewanee Police Dept. Reports

### Theft at CCJP Banquet

Sewanee Police are investigating the theft of an unknown amount of cash and personal checks that took place during the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace awards banquet Saturday night at the Sewanee Community Center. During cleanup after the event, organizers noticed the donation basket missing, at approximately 8:45 p.m.

CCJP officials filed a police report, and the SPD is continuing its investigation.

### Tornado in Franklin County

A category EF-2 tornado passed through the north end of Franklin County at about 12:30 p.m., Monday, Feb. 28. Multiple trees, structures and power lines, along with homes, were damaged and/or destroyed. There was significant damage in the UT Farm Road area, with one fatality reported, along with injuries to three other people in that area, according to the Franklin County Sheriff's Office.

In Sewanee, trees came down, blocking access to Sherwood Mountain Road, Lake O'Donnell Road and Laurel Brae Drive, but there was no major structural damage reported.

## New Office Hours, New Opportunities at CAC

The Community Action Committee announces new office hours and is seeking volunteers for its program. It needs helpers from 9 to 11 a.m., Tuesday, March 15, to help stock the CAC's shelves and is looking for people who could drive to Nashville to pick up truckloads of food for the agency.

CAC's new office hours are from 9 to 11 a.m., Monday through Friday, and by appointment. The office is located in the Otey parish hall.

CAC is changing the way it offers food to families in need. It is moving to a "client choice" process of giving. People in need of groceries can either bring in a bag or get one from CAC, and they can choose from the items on the shelves to fill their bag. Rather than pre-packing grocery bags, CAC director Kana Goldsmith said this method was more accommodating for families.

"We have been experimenting with this process for the past month. It has helped us eliminate items that are not wanted, and we then are able to provide the items that are needed," she said.

Another addition to CAC's feeding program is on the third Wednesday of each month. CAC will hold a fresh food and extras day from 9 to 11 a.m. in the parish hall. Items will be displayed on tables, and people can shop for fresh vegetables, meats, toiletries and other grocery necessities.

"We are also in the process of partnering with our local Piggly Wiggly for some of these items, and we will be accepting donations of fresh food from our community," Goldsmith said. "It is our hope that volunteers will offer to plant gardens to help with this effort."

CAC continues to accept donations of food, as well as purchase food from Second Harvest Food Bank in Nashville. "We remain dedicated to providing healthy food for our community," she said.

CAC needs volunteers who have trucks who could help with the Nashville pick up. If you are interested in helping with this part of CAC's ministry, please contact Kana at 598-5927.

For more than 35 years, CAC has been an outreach ministry of Otey Parish that feeds and cares for people in times of need.



### Letters to the Editor Policy

Letters to the editor are a vital part of our community's conversation. Letters need to be no longer than 250 words and may be edited for space and clarity. Letters and/or their author must have some relationship to our community. We do not accept letters on national topics from people who live outside our circulation area. Please include your name, address and a daytime telephone number with your letter. You may mail it to us at P.O. Box 296, Sewanee, TN 37375, come by our office, 418 St. Mary's Ln., or send your e-mail to <news\_messgr@bellsouth.net>. —LW

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## New Arrivals

### Margot Sabine Millar

Margot Sabine Millar was born on Feb. 24, 2011, at Washington Hospital Center to Reva Schwartz and Tom Millar of Washington, DC. She weighed 7 lbs. and was 21 inches long. She is the couple's first child. Maternal grandparents are Roz and Bob Schwartz of Columbus, Ohio. Paternal grandparents are Ann and Roy Millar of Sewanee.

### Lily Jane Potter

Lily Jane Potter was born February 10, 2011, to Lindsay Wernert Potter and Seth Potter of Greenwich, Conn. Lily is their first child. Maternal grandparents are Anne and Bruce Wernert of Greenwich, Conn. Paternal grandparents are Bran and Cindy Potter of Sewanee.

## E-Mail Message and Alert Lists

To sign up for the community e-mail list, send an e-mail to <majordomo@sewanee.edu> and in the body of the message include the words "subscribe community." To sign up for the emergency bulletin e-mail list, send an e-mail to <majordomo@sewanee.edu> and in the body of the message include "subscribe bulletin." If you have any questions in this process, call Vicki Sells at 598-3220.

The existing community e-mail service, managed by Lizzie Duncan, will continue as the new service is being implemented.

## March Lifelong Learning Lunch

The Academy for Lifelong Learning hosts Dr. Walter Nance at its meeting at noon, March 10, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Dr. Nance will speak on the topic "The Evolution of Language in Homo Sapiens."

Nance was educated at Sewanee, Harvard Medical School, Vanderbilt University and the University of Wisconsin. He specialized in human genetics and did work with embryonic stem cells, studies of twins, and the genetics of deafness. This research led to his study of the accelerated evolution of genes for syntactic language in homo sapiens.

Reservations for lunch are due today, March 4. To reserve a boxed lunch, e-mail <stmaryssewanee@bellsouth.net> or call Ivey at 598-5342.

The Academy provides learning opportunities for residents and visitors on St. Mary's bluff campus. For more information, call Anne Davis, (931) 924-4465, or Elaine Goleski, (931) 924-3227.

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## Woman's Club Spring Fund-Raiser

Reservations are due by Wednesday, March 9, for the next meeting of the Sewanee Woman's Club.

The Monday, March 14, meeting at St. Mary's Sewanee will be the annual fund-raiser. The social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m., with lunch served at noon.

The Woman's Club will sponsor a card party and will offer a variety of games to be played, including bridge (sign up a table of players), dominoes, Rook, Uno, Scrabble, and Hand and Foot. The price to play is \$10; play will last from 1 to 3 p.m. Ladies are invited to eat lunch and play, or just come at 1 p.m. and play.

The menu for this month will be beer-braised Irish stew and colcannon, slaw, rolls, Irish cream bread pudding, tea and coffee. Vegetarian plates will be provided upon request when making a reservation. Call

Caroline Shoemaker (598-0982) or e-mail Marianna Handler at <marianah@earthlink.net> to make a reservation. Please specify if child care is needed and if so, plan to bring a lunch for the child.

Members with standing reservations are asked to cancel by March 9 if unable to attend.

Annual membership dues are \$5, and the lunches are \$13. Revenues from the annual fund-raiser and dues are used to support community projects. The Sewanee Woman's Club also sponsors the Book Club, which meets the third Monday of each month, and the Garden Club, which meets on the fourth Monday of each month.

## CCJP Annual Members Meeting

The annual membership and board meeting of the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace will be at 8:30 a.m., Saturday, March 5, at the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center.

The meeting is open to the public. Guests and visitors are welcome.

Agenda items include election of officers, approval of new board members, an update on the firearms policy of local restaurants serving alcohol and planning for the June retreat.

CCJP's mission is to establish and sustain a community of concerned citizens to promote efforts that bring about peace and justice.

## Edible Book Contest in April

Calling all cake bakers, frosting freaks, cookie cutters and punsters!

April 1 is the day for the Edible Book Contest at duPont Library. Categories for prizes will be children's book, banned books and wittiest (punniest). There will be two best in show prizes: one for adults and one for age 12 and under. More information about the contest is available at the main desk of the library.

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## Obituaries

### Robert William "Bob" Basse

Robert William "Bob" Basse, age 84 of Hermitage, Tenn., died February 25, 2011. A native of Wisconsin, he was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Judy; his daughters, Janet (Tim) Graham of Sewanee and Karen (Buck) Buckner of Hermitage; sister, Ruth Klussendorf; brother, Alvin Basse; five grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be conducted at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, March 5, at Andrew Price United Methodist Church in Nashville with the Rev. Melissa Derseweh officiating. Visitation will precede the service, beginning at 1 p.m. Interment will follow in Hermitage Memorial Gardens. Expressions of sympathy are suggested to the charity of your choice. Condolences may be offered at <www.hermitagefh.com>. Arrangements were by Hermitage Funeral Home.

### Carl David Butner

Carl David Butner, age 68 of Monteagle, died Feb. 26, 2011, at home. He was born Sept. 11, 1942, in Tracy City, a son of Frank and Ruby Walker Butner. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Gail Metcalfe Butner; brothers, James E., Douglas, Billy Frank, Samuel Lee and Donnie Butner; sisters Aline Wilson, Doris Thomas Foshee and Lynda Bennett.

He is survived by his children, David Randall (Rhonda) Butner of Monteagle, Evon (Raymond) Chastain of Chattanooga and Cynthia (Glenn) Chambers of Monteagle; sisters Nellie Butner Bland of Monteagle and Connie Sargent of Manchester; six grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held March 1 in the funeral home chapel with the

Rev. Marvin Brannan and the Rev. John Burge officiating. Interment followed in Summerfield Cemetery, Monteagle. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

### Jennifer Michelle Cunningham

Jennifer Michelle Cunningham, age 26 of Dalton, Ga., died Feb. 19, 2011, in Dalton. She was preceded in death by her father, Joseph Garner; grandfathers, Joe Garner and Robert Hoback. She was born in Winchester and raised in Sewanee.

She is survived by her husband, Marshall Cunningham; children, Marshall Cunningham Jr., Chase Cunningham and Taylor Madison Cunningham; mother, Robin Mosely; brothers, Joseph Garner III and Allen Garner; grandmothers, Jo Ann Garner and Dorothy Hoback; mother-in-law, Cynthia Anderson; and several aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were held Feb. 24 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Clayton Jones officiating. Interment followed on Feb. 25 in O'Dear Cemetery in Sewanee. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

### Rena Mae "Flo" Hall

Rena Mae "Flo" Hall, age 76 of Cowan, died Feb. 27, 2011, at Golden Living Center Mountainview in Winchester. She was born Aug. 25, 1934, in Sewanee, the daughter of Albert and Ruby Yates Sutherland. She owned and operated Flo's Diner in Cowan for 17 years. She was preceded in death by her son, Michael Floyd, and three brothers.

She is survived by her husband, John Hall of Cowan; son, Johnny (Regina) Floyd of Manchester; daughters, Teresa (Larry) Travis of Winchester, and Ann (Ron) Stachel of Winchester; sister, Bobbie (Billy Wade) Wilson of Pelham; stepchildren, Michael (Tammy) Hall of Belvidere, Marvin Hall of Columbia, Lynette (Roger) Ivey of Lynchburg, and Rickey Dean Hall of Shelbyville; nine grandchil-

dren, eight step-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held March 2 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Joe Plunkett officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

### Hattie Summers Stubblefield

Hattie Summers Stubblefield, age 97 of Sherwood, died Feb. 27, 2011, at Golden Living Center Mountainview in Winchester. She was born Jan. 21, 1914, in Sherwood, the daughter of Robert and Callie Willis Summers. She was a homemaker. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Lester Stubblefield; daughter Effie Cunningham; grandsons, Billy Russell Cunningham and Cleve Phillips; brothers, John, J.B., Claude, Cam and Jack Summers; sister, Lucy Sparks; and son-in-law, Archie Phillips.

She is survived by her son, Russell (Joann) Stubblefield of Sherwood; daughters Dot Phillips of Sherwood and Joy (Ken) Matthews of Stevenson, Ala.; nine grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held March 1 in the funeral home chapel with Minister Gordon Matthews and Minister Randolph Gonce officiating. Interment followed in Cumberland Cemetery, Franklin County. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

### Service for Frances Dennis Doherty

A memorial service for Frances Dennis Doherty will be held at 2 p.m., Sunday, March 6, at the Sewanee Cemetery. The Rev. Tom Macfie will officiate. Doherty died on December 23, 2010.

### DuPont Spring Break Schedule

The Jessie Ball duPont Library will follow its interim schedule during the University's Spring Break. Beginning on Thursday, March 10, through Thursday, March 17, the library will be open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday; and closed on Sundays. The library will also be closed on March 18. Regular hours will resume on Monday, March 21.

## CCJP Honors Community Leaders

At its recent awards banquet, the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace honored three individuals for their work that furthers the mission of bringing a measure of justice and peace to the Cumberland Plateau area. This year's winners were Barbara Camm, for community-building in Tracy City and Grundy County; Christine Hopkins, for establishing the Franklin County Community Re-entry Program to help the formerly incarcerated become productively integrated in the community; and longtime Messenger editor Geraldine Hewitt Piccard, for using the power of the press to inform citizens, give voice to the quiet and unite a community.



Award-winner Barbara Camm (left) with presenter April Minkler (far right).



Award-winner Christine Hopkins (left) with Betty Fraley (center), who assists her in the Re-entry Program, and presenter Helen Stapleton.



Award-winner Geraldine Piccard (center) with presenters Kathy Hamman (left) and Sherri Bergman. All photos by Philip Lorenz

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## Scouts Hold Blue & Gold Banquet

Sewanee's Cub Scout Pack 152 celebrated its annual Blue & Gold Banquet on Feb. 28 at St. Mary's Sewanee, with special guest Teddy Roosevelt (aka Joe Wiegand) and a cake baked by Melisa Janeway.

Pictured front, from left: Blake Rittenberry, Gus Goldsmith, James Kirschling, Myers Gorrel, Sam Cochran, Caleb Palmertree, Lisa Rung, Rhys Fricker, Max Adams and David Fricker.

Second row: Porter Neubauer, Brooks Murphy, Wiley Willis, Aidan Baugh, Travis Kershner and Matthew Gilliam.

Back row: Brennan Baugh, John Beavers, Teddy Roosevelt, Jack Morris, Thomas Goldsmith, Jack Bailey and Aden Rung.

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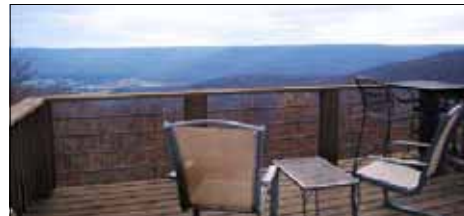
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## Church News



### Otey Parish Sunday at Otey

Sunday, March 6, at Otey Parish, Adult Forum welcomes the Rev. Jerrilee Lewallen, who will discuss her new book, "Making Your Way to the Pulpit: Hethcock's Homiletics Goes to the Parish." She will speak in the Quintard Room.

Other adult offerings include the lectionary class and the Seekers' Class, which will explore "The Resurrection of Christ," including a video featuring James Forbes. Seekers will meet in the Brooks Hall parlor. Middle-school youth will meet with Pratt Paterson and Evan Jones for "Greatful Reflections." High school youth will join Betty Carpenter and the Rev. Joe Ballard for "Text and Teach."

Nursery care is provided each week from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Coffee hour follows the 11 a.m. service.

### Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

An evening of fresh, new talent is on the way to the Mountain on Tuesday, March 8, at the annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper and Entertainment Extravaganza hosted by Otey Parish. This lively evening of delicious food and family entertainment will be at Cravens Hall, with doors open at 5:45 p.m. Pancakes start appearing at 6 p.m. and the entertainment kicks off at 6:15 p.m., with plans to end around 7:30.

"You can look forward to encore performances of many popular acts plus debuts by some newly discovered talent," said Nancy and Stephen Burnett, event coordinators. Judy and Cary Wofford return as Otey's kitchen coordinators. They need folks who like to flip pancakes or who can help to set up or clean up. If you are interested in helping, contact Ann Morris at <amorris9911@yahoo.com>. Admission is \$5 for ages 6-89, \$2 for ages 5 and under, and everyone 90 years or older dines free.

### Ash Wednesday

Otey will have services at noon and 7 p.m. on Ash Wednesday, March 9, with imposition of ashes at both services. Child care will be available at the 7 p.m. service.

### Lenten Lunch Series

The annual Lenten lunch series begins Tuesday, March 15. Services are each Tuesday at 12:22 p.m., followed by a light lunch. Speakers will include Sr. Madeline Mary, the Rev. Jim Pappas, the Rev. Jim Dunkley and Michael Goldsmith. Soup and bread lunches are prepared by volunteers in the parish.

### Midway Baptist Hosts Singing

Midway Baptist Church in Sewanee will have a singing beginning at 6 p.m., Saturday, March 5. Featured will be the Taylor Family from Rainsville, Ala. Also singing will be Midway's own Green Family and Jamie Terrill. Pastor Mike Johnson encourages all to attend.

### Haiti Fund-raiser Breakfast

An all-you-can-eat breakfast sponsored by Faith Christian Fellowship will be held starting at 7 a.m., Saturday, March 5, at the Belvidere Community Center.

Proceeds will go to benefit Haiti Missions. Donation is \$7 for adults and \$5 for children.

## All Saints' Chapel

### Growing in Grace

Growing in Grace welcomes Professor of Religion Gerald Smith, at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, March 6, in All Saints' Chapel for this informal worship service with acoustic music, refreshments and fellowship.

Known to students and the community simply as "Smith," he has taught countless students to see the world around them in a different and more meaningful way. As a Christian, Smith constantly seeks greater understanding between the Gospel and the world, finding that there is no partition between the sacred and secular.

### Ash Wednesday Services

Ash Wednesday on March 9 marks the beginning of a dramatic transition in the life of the church as we leave behind the season of Epiphany and enter into Lent.

There will be two Eucharists offered that day in All Saints' Chapel (both with the imposition of ashes): one at 7 a.m. held at the High Altar, the other at 4:30 p.m. held in the Nave.

Traditionally, Lent is a season marked with prayer, penitence and fasting. It carries believers slowly, yet deliberately, to Palm Sunday, through the events of Holy Week and finally on to the glorious celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus on Easter Day. Liturgically, this time of "turning inward" is highlighted by simplifying worship and the worship space: no flowers, no Gospel procession, no spoken or sung alleluias, no organ postludes.

Child care will be provided in the chaplain's office at the 4:30 p.m. service.

### Catechumenate

Catechumenate is not meeting during the University spring break, but will resume on Wednesday, March 23. For more information contact lay chaplain Catherine Outten at 598-1251 or the chaplain's office at 598-1274.

## St. Mary's Convent Lenten Services

At the Sisters of St. Mary's, they will have services at noon on Ash Wednesday, March 9, with the imposition of ashes.

Each Friday during Lent, they will have the Stations of the Cross at 12:15 p.m.

On Monday, March 7, the convent will be closed and no services will be held that day.

## Christ Church Shrove Tuesday and Lenten Services

Christ Church, Monteagle, will host its Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 8. The event is free and open to all.

Bishop William Millsaps writes, "As most people know, Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Lenten season."

Christ Church will offer services on Ash Wednesday, March 9, at noon and 7 p.m., including the Penitential Office, the imposition of ashes and Holy Communion. On all other Wednesdays in Lent there will be a noon service followed by a bring-your-own sandwich lunch and a short study time.

## St. Mary's Sewanee March Retreats

St. Mary's Sewanee has two upcoming retreats to consider:

"Spirituality and the Arts: Dream, Pray, Live: Dream Work as Spiritual Practice" will be held March 6-7 with presenter Laura Huff Hileman. The fee for this retreat is \$120 (residential) or \$80 (commuter).

"Reconciliation: Healing Ourselves, Our Relationships, Our World" will be held March 11-13 with presenters the Rev. Gene B. Manning and Nontombi Naomi Tutu. The fee for this retreat is \$275 (residential) or \$175 (commuter).

Fees include meals and materials. For more information, go to <www.stmaryssewanee.org>.

## St. Paul's Church in Chattanooga Offers Courses and Organ Recitals

The Rev. Ben E. King and Paul Holloway of the School of Theology are among the presenters at the 38th Annual Thorne Sparkman School of Religion hosted by St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Chattanooga. The lectures will be held on Wednesday evenings beginning on March 16 through April 13. Each week will begin with an organ meditation at 5:30 p.m., followed by Holy Eucharist at 5:45 p.m., and dinner. Dinner is optional and costs \$7 each week or \$35 for all dinners. Classes begin at 7 p.m. Cost for enrollment in two courses is \$20.

The courses being offered are: "Christian Origins" taught by Hol-

loway and King, faculty members at the School of Theology;

"To Trust and To Love: The Pastoral Wisdom of Michael Mayne," taught by the Rev. Dr. Joel Huffstetler, St. Luke's, Cleveland, Tenn.;

"Islam in the U.S. and Around the World," taught by Dr. Mohsin Ali, M.D., staff psychiatrist, Fort Wood Center;

"King Lear," taught by Paul Campbell III;

"Revelation, Power and Ministry" taught by the Very Rev. Ward Ewing, president and dean emeritus, General Theological Seminary;

St. Paul's is also hosting three organ recitals this season. On Friday, March 11, Paul L. Reynolds, St. Paul's Organist, retired, will present works at 7:30 p.m. by Bach, Clérambault, Alain and Vierne, in celebration of his 81st birthday. Other recitals will be held on Friday, March 18, and Friday, April 1.

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## St. James Activities

### Alleluia Banner Creation

On Sunday, March 6, St. James Church in Midway will host a multi-generational "Alleluia Banner Creation." This is a last-Sunday-of-Epiphany tradition at St. James to call attention to, and remind parishioners, that they don't say the "A" word during Lent. The "Alleluia Banner" is buried as part of the Ash Wednesday service.

### Daughters of the King

Daughters of the King will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, March 8, to continue discussing the book "Praying the Names of Jesus" by Ann Spangler. The different names and titles given to Jesus reveal important insights about his life, and ministry. The book is enriching and faith-building by exploring the promises contained in Jesus's names.

All women are invited to attend to learn more about the mission and ministry of DOK, a religious order for lay women that began in 1885.

### Ash Wednesday Service

St. James Church will host Ash Wednesday imposition of ashes and Eucharist at 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 9.

### Stone Soup & Tolkien Series

St. James is hosting a Lenten Stone Soup multi-generational event. Seminarian Peter Wong will facilitate a five-week program of dinner and conversation on Wednesdays in Lent, March 16, 23, 30 and April 6 and 13.

J.R.R. Tolkien's "Lord of the Rings" is one of the great fantasy epics of the 20th century. Tolkien's writing and storytelling were influenced by his devout faith.

For the Lenten Stone Soup Series, Wong will lead the group in seeing Christian images and messages in the film adaptations of the stories. Each evening, the group will watch part of the movie, then use that as an illustration or reflection on a story or teaching from the Bible.

Well-known as "popcorn theology," this is a way to help people develop the ability to hear and see the good news of God in Christ in everyday media. Please come on Wednesdays for a new and different way of getting into the scriptures. A sign-up list is posted in the parish hall to sign up to provide soup and bread for the gatherings.



This pair of immature Bald Eagles was photographed by Dwight Sholey last week on the Tennessee River in the area between Halletown and the Nickajack Dam.

### Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$3 (50 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call 598-0771 by 10:30 a.m. to order a lunch. Menus follow:

**March 7:** Chicken/rice soup, pimento cheese sandwich, crackers, dessert.

**March 8:** Pork loin, au gratin potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert.

**March 9:** Beef tips/noodles, corn on the cob, salad, roll, dessert.

**March 10:** Kraut/wieners, mashed potatoes, okra, cornbread, dessert.

**March 11:** Cheeseburger, fries, baked beans, assorted desserts.

Menus may vary. For information call the center at 598-0771.

### Monteagle Winery Hosts Mardi Gras Celebration

The Monteagle Winery is celebrating Mardi Gras, Saturday, March 5, from noon to 5 p.m., with Cajun/Zydeco music, King cake, chocolates, Mardi Gras beads and a free wine tasting.

The winery is offering tasting of its new wines, which include peach, sherry-style fortified wine, Eagles Nest and their own Cabernet blend.

### SCC Mardi Gras Parade

The Sewanee Children's Center will make its annual Mardi Gras parade through the Sewanee business district at 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, March 8. Each year, the children dress in costumes and throw beads to onlookers.

Please join in this festive celebration of Shrove Tuesday. The parade will begin at Otey parish and go through the downtown area.

## Red Cross Provides Tornado Relief to Families in Franklin County

Volunteers from the Heart of Tennessee chapter of the American Red Cross have been working on the scene of Monday's

tornado in northern Franklin County to provide damage assessment, mobile feeding, client casework and offer referrals to other local agencies to assist the affected families in their recovery.

Red Cross volunteers were on-site immediately following the tornado that ripped through a rural community near Estill Springs. Volunteer crews distributed meals, snacks and water to families, as well as emergency workers at the main tornado-ravaged locations.

All Red Cross disaster assistance is a gift, made possible through the generous contributions of the community and the service of dedicated volunteers.

Help the local Red Cross assist tornado victims, as well as other local disaster victims in our community, by making a contribution to the Heart of Tennessee Chapter, 502 South Jackson St., Tullahoma, TN 37388 or at <www.midtnredcross.org>.



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—LW

SUT will show "Tangled" again on Friday and Saturday, March 11 and 12, at 7:30 p.m.

### Backlund Awards Given to Seniors

The University's department of theatre arts is pleased to announce the recipients of this year's Kathryn Diane "Kathy" Backlund Awards: Keller Anderson, Megan Burnham, Samantha Gribben, Caroline McNair, Jeri Meador and Sarah Powell. All the recipients are seniors in the college.

This award uses funds donated in Backlund's memory to help theatre arts majors by providing support for travel to interviews and conferences, and to help students who receive internships at major companies throughout the U.S.

Students selected for the award are skilled in multiple aspects of the theatre, much as Backlund was, with strengths in performance, production, design and direction. They must display the same dedication and hard work that Backlund demonstrated in doing whatever it took to create the best performance possible.

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### Clay Exhibit at SAS Gallery



Shadow May's exhibit "Eat, Sleep, Clay" will be in the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School Gallery through March 31. The gallery will be closed March 5-20. May will offer a workshop, "Bold Pots," on Saturday, March 26. To register for the workshop, call 598-5652, ext. 3151.

### Cowan's Artisan Depot Hosts Artist's Talk

The first "Conversation with the Artist" will be held from 5 to 7 p.m., today, March 4, at the Artisan Depot, 201 E. Cumberland St., Cowan.

Artist Melissa Long Krosnick is interested in creating dialogue about her unique art and art in general with her mini-show at the gallery. On the first Friday of each month during the year, Melissa will replace the currently displayed mixed media art work with stimulating new pieces in pursuit of lively discussion. By exhibiting her work for a limited period of time, and only using a detail image to promote her work, she hopes to stimulate anticipation about what's coming next and encourage a direct encounter with art in the gallery setting. The creative challenge of replacing existing work monthly also motivates her to keep making new work with the goal of connecting with the viewer. Melissa will be available at the gallery each first Friday for conversations.

"In an age when so much of our lives is spent viewing images on a flat, two-dimensional screen, I strive

to make art that is best experienced when given its stand alone before the work's moment. I am calling this series 'Conversation Pieces.' I am excited to discover what will be revealed during the upcoming months, and I look forward to sharing the art of conversation with you."

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"Mixed Media" by Melissa Krosnick

### Shenanigans Gallery Reopens with Works by Local Artists



"Interface 12," oil on panel, by Dan Pate

Warmer temperatures have brought the first flashes of spring color to the mountain and the artists of Shenanigans Gallery have new work on display to mark the coming change of seasons, including textiles, paintings, wooden bowls and boxes, sculpture and a variety of other crafts.

Ward and Shelley Cammack, the new owners of Shenanigans, have expressed great enthusiasm for the gallery and are planning to make it an even more integral part of the restaurant.

Shenanigans Gallery is open every day from 11:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. For more information visit the Shenanigans Art Gallery page on Facebook.

Artists with work in the gallery include: Bob Askew, watercolor and oil paintings; Larry Carden, weaving; Jill Carpenter, patchwork and quilting; Tom and Susan Church, wood-working; David B. Coe, photography; Ginger Freeman, mixed media;

Diane Getty, fibers; Robley Hood, handmade books; Barbara Hughes, ceramic sculpture and painting; Diane Jones, Calligraphy; Sanford McGee, copper and mixed media; Dan Pate, painting and sculpture; Claire Reishman, pottery; Peggy Solomon, fiber art; Jeanie Stephenson, bronze; Christi Teasley, textiles; Merissa Tobler, pottery; Mae Wallace, pottery; and Laurel York, printmaking and basketry.

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"H2O," a handmade book by Robley Hood, at Shenanigans Gallery

## Chikamaka Meeting and Social

The Chikamaka Band American Indian Tribe invites those of American Indian descent to its monthly meeting and potluck social at 2 p.m., March 5, at the Coalmont Community Center. For more information, call (800) 989-4691 or go to <www.chikamakaband.com>.

## Meeting for Alzheimer's Caregivers

The Alzheimer's Association will hold a free "Lunch and Learn for Caregivers" at noon, Thursday, March 10, at the STMC Sleep Center located at 185 Hospital Rd., Winchester.

Tiffany Maicke, area director of the Alzheimer's Association, will speak on the topic of "Alzheimer's Basics." The meeting is free of charge, and lunch is provided by Senior Advantage. Anyone caring for someone affected by Alzheimer's or a related disease is encouraged to attend.

Please RSVP by Monday, March 7. For more information or to reserve a place, call the Alzheimer's Association at (931) 455-3345.

## Community Forum on Education

Education in Franklin County will be the topic of a supper and meeting on March 29 in the Hearth Room at the Bishop's Common. The forum is open to anyone interested in Franklin County, including educators, parents, town and civic leaders, clergy and area residents.

To aid in planning, please make a reservation by calling 598-3100 with the number of people who will be attending. There is no charge to participate.

## Sewanee to Host Conference on C. S. Lewis

On Saturday, March 26, the University of the South and The School of Theology will co-host a one-day conference on C. S. Lewis. The focus for the occasion is the recently published book "The Cambridge Companion to C. S. Lewis," which was co-edited by Robert MacSwain, assistant professor of theology and Christian ethics. The day's events include both the official North American launch for this book as well as a forum with various faculty members of the University of the South responding to its contents.

The conference will begin at 1 p.m. and conclude at 6 p.m. in Guerry Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public. Online reservations are requested. For complete details about the conference, please visit <www.sewanee.edu>.

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## Sustainability Lecture on Monday

Sewanee alumna Valerie Moye will give a talk on "Sustainability Initiatives in Chattanooga" at 4:30 p.m., Monday March 7, in Blackman Auditorium on the University campus.

Moye is the green infrastructure coordinator for the city of Chattanooga. Her talk will address the many sustainability initiatives that are underway in and around Chattanooga, including energy management, natural areas management, regional planning, climate action and how to introduce "whole systems thinking" into city government.

She graduated from Sewanee in 2007 with a degree in ecology and biodiversity (environmental studies). From 2007 to 2009, she lived in Peru as a Peace Corps volunteer working as a community-based environmental manager with a focus on solid waste management and environmental education. Upon her return to the United States, Moye was a fellow at the Sewanee Environmental Institute, initiating the work of the South Cumberland Conservation Action Plan.

## Roman Britain Topic of Lecture

The University's program in medieval studies and the departments of classical studies and English present a talk by Dr. Matthew Symonds titled "Roman Britain: Imperial Paradise or Failed State?" at 4:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, in Gailor Auditorium.

Symonds received his B.A. in archaeology from the University of Nottingham and then moved to Christ Church, Oxford, to pursue first an M.Phil. and then his D.Phil. in classical archaeology.

A specialist on Roman military architecture, he has published extensively on Hadrian's Wall. He taught for the British studies program at Oxford in 2010.

The lecture is free and open to the public.

We're glad you're reading the Messenger!

## Fermentation Class on Campus

The University's GreenHouse will sponsor a fermentation workshop at 7:30 p.m., Monday, March 7. Sandor Katz, a fermentation revivalist and author from Short Mountain, Tenn., will lead the workshop, which will take place at the GreenHouse (the white house on the corner of Alabama and Mitchell Ave).

Katz will teach how to make fermented delicacies in context of their healing qualities, history and integral role in human cultural evolution. His books include "Wild Fermentation: The Flavor, Nutrition, and Craft of Live-Culture Foods" and "The Revolution Will Not Be Microwaved: Inside America's Underground Food Movements."

There is no charge to attend the workshop.

## Business Alliance Open to New Members

Are you a Sewanee business owner that would like to participate in the development process of creating and promoting more business opportunities for our town? Would you like to network with other business owners here in Sewanee? The Sewanee Business Alliance is looking for you!

With more than 30 members, the alliance is strong and growing. It meets once a month and is currently working on building the Pocket Park Project in the downtown village.

The membership fee for 2011 is currently \$20. To become a member, please e-mail Barbara Schlichting <bschlich@sewanee.edu> and she will add you to the distribution list for communication.

## Blood Drive at EHH Thursday

Blood Assurance and Emerald-Hodgson Hospital will host a blood drive from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Thursday, March 10. The bus that houses the donation bank will be outside EHH. Southern Tennessee Medical Center in Winchester is hosting a blood drive on the same day and time.

To be eligible to donate blood, a person must be at least 17 years old (16 years old with parental consent), weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health. The process usually takes about 30 minutes and includes a complimentary snack and t-shirt. Donors are asked to drink plenty of fluids, avoiding caffeine, and eat a meal that is rich in iron prior to donating.



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**WED:** Chicken noodle soup, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich half, orange half; or salad tray or grilled cheese sack.

**THU:** Spaghetti w/meatballs, green beans, whole grain breadstick, sliced peaches; or grilled cheese sack or yogurt tray.

**FRI:** Hamburger on whole wheat, baked sweet potato fries, banana half; or chef salad or grilled cheese sack.

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**TUE:** Dry cereal.

**WED:** Chicken biscuit.

**THU:** Steak biscuit.

**FRI:** Sausage biscuit.

*Milk or juice served with all meals. Menus subject to change.*

# School Scoop

## Maynard Earns Dean's List

Robert D. H. Maynard, son of Susan Holmes and Greg Maynard of Sewanee, has been selected for the Dean's List at Eugene Lang College of the New School University in New York, New York. Robert is a second-year dance major working in contemporary ballet and choreography. A student must earn a GPA of 3.7 to be eligible for the Dean's List.



## Sewanee Elementary Announces Honor Rolls, Award Recipients

Sewanee Elementary School principal Mike Maxon announced honor rolls and award recipients for the most recent six-week period during assembly earlier this month.

### First Honor Roll

**3rd grade**—Cate Bachman, Lucy Carroll, Sam Cochran, Chloe Fontenelle, Evan Fox, Matthew Gilliam, Harrison Hartman, Saje Mangru, Daniel McDonough, Gabriel Pongdee, Aidan Smith and Tessa Shackelford;

**4th grade**—Kate Butler, John Beavers, Chloe Frith, Rachel Hammer, Sophia Hartman and Larson Heitzenrater;

**5th grade**—Aubrey Black, Carolyn Bruce, Callie Cantrell, Genevieve Rogers, Ryan Toomey and Kellen Vogelfanger.

### Second Honor Roll

**3rd grade**—Aidan Baugh, Chloe Cantrell, Katie Finn Hurst, Bryce Moser, Tim Nelson, Zachary Ortiz, Aden Rung, Isaac Smith, Thomas Stapleton and Zoe Wallace;

**4th grade**—Zoey Craft, Sidu Nambiar, Grace Omohundro, Emily True, Madeleine Widemann and Maggie Vaughn;

**5th grade**—Rachel Alvarez, Andrew Bachman, Brennan Baugh, Blake Collins, Thomas Goldsmith, John Grammer, Sam Green, Lily Jenkins, Amelia Martinez-White, Sam Omohundro, and, Carly Grace Pate, Laurel Wall and Lyndsey Wall.

### ABBA BABBA Club

(all As and Bs)

**3rd grade**—Jack Bailey, Jacob Gravitt, Christina Jolly, Damon Marshall, Anna Post and Laura Katherine Whitsett;

**4th grade**—Kenneth Dykes, Mitchell Garner, Rivers Jenkins, James Kirschling, Lucy Lancaster, Jack Morris, Reagan Rhoton, Mariel Rinck, Blake Rittenberry, David Stafford and Kelley Williams;

**5th grade**—Blake Drinen, Sloan Jolley, Emilie Lavoie-Ingram, Isaiah Ortiz and Liesal Wall.

### BUG Club

(students who brought up grades without letting any go down)

**3rd grade**—Matthew Gilliam, Bryce Moser and Zachary Ortiz;

**4th grade**—John Beavers, Kate Butler, Mitchell Garner, James Kirschling and Madeleine Wiedemann;

**5th grade**—Alexis Barnes, Aubrey Black, Callie Cantrell, Blake Drinen, Grace Goubeaud, Naomi Grider, Meagan Havner, Mia Sanson and Blaise Zeitler.

### Citizenship Award

(selected by their teachers)

**Pre-K**— Ana Dombrowski; **K**— Sara Goldsmith, Landon Havner and Ada Watkins; **1st grade**—Wesley Cooper and Elijah Seavey; **2nd grade**—Elaina King and Allie Vaughn; **3rd grade**—Zachary Ortiz and Gabriel Pongdee; **4th grade**—Megan Griffith and Larson Heitzenrater; **5th grade**—Callie Cantrell and Kellen Vogelfanger.

### Templeton Award

(selected by their peers as most exemplifying the character trait "helpfulness")

**Pre-K**—Madison Gore; **K**—Cate Cochran, Morgan Jackson and Madison Taylor; **1st grade**—Madison Arp and Tanner King; **2nd grade**—Nathan King and Caroline McCullough; **3rd grade**—Matthew Gilliam and Harrison Hartman; **4th grade**—Jamie Clark and Madeleine Wiedemann; **5th grade**—Rachel Alvarez and Alexandria Short.

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## Local Students Make Honors Lists at SAS

The following Sewanee, Monteagle, Cowan and Decherd students have been named to the Honors Lists at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School for the fourth term. Overall, 118 students, including 46 boarders and 72 day students, achieved academic distinction for this grading period.

Grades are averaged on a 4.33 scale to determine the Honor Roll, A+=4.33. Students who earn a grade point average of A- or above (3.67 to 4.33) are named to the High Honors List for academic achievement. Students with average ranges between B and B+ (3.0 to 3.33) and who have received no grade below C are named to the Honors List. Satisfactory completion of afternoon programs is required for students to be eligible for the Honor Roll.

### High Honors

Elise Anderson  
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Zachary Blount  
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Katie Craighill  
Will Evans  
Blythe Ford  
Eliza McNair  
Russell Mays  
Sadie Shackelford  
Kami Spaulding  
Sam Stine  
Justin Thomas  
Will Thomas  
Isabel Tucker  
Marisa Wilson

### Honors

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Ashley Barry  
Sarah Beavers  
Alex Berner-Coe  
Martin Brownridge  
Ethan Burns  
Seth Burns  
Hunter Craighill  
John Fisher  
Helena Hofmeyer-Lancaster  
Hannah Horton  
Lucy Howick  
Sam Howick  
Johanna Johannsson  
Will Johannsson  
Kellen Mayfield  
Joel McGee  
Evan Morris  
Tilghman Myers  
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Sophie Register  
Marianne Sanders  
Michaela Shackelford  
Greg Singer  
Margaret Stapleton  
Zoë Stringer  
Elaine Taylor  
Emily Thomas  
Christiana True  
Morgan Westling  
Kate Wiley  
Helen Wilson

## SAS Middle Schoolers Learn New Skills in Winterim Sessions

Each February, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School's middle-school students pick up a new set of skills. In lieu of their regular class schedule for a week in the bleak winter, they participate in morning and afternoon workshops called Winterim, an annual tradition that gives students a new perspective on learning.

Working in small groups that spanned the middle school, students had the opportunity to explore climbing, acting, knitting, radio broadcasting, cooking, costume design, sewing, hiking, hip hop choreography, paleontology, photography, yoga and felting. SAS teachers and community members, including Amy Clark, Helen Stapleton and Carolyn Fitz, led classes.

Reid Fisher and John Owsley led the climbing program, one of several mini-classes designed to get the students outdoors and take advantage of the beautiful environment in which we live. The students climbed in Sewanee and took two trips to Little Rock City in Chattanooga. Rachel Malde's photography class and Marion Knoll's paleontology class also used the stunning resources of this area.

In some instances, the Winterim week is the opportunity to explore a vocation. The opportunity to create and broadcast a radio show is usually reserved for SAS upper school students, but during this week Tracy Randolph guided interested middle school students in planning and recording their own show for WMTN-LP 102.5 FM, the SAS radio station which broadcasts to a 10-mile radius. Cindy Potter took an eager group of aspiring chefs and taught them to concoct cream puffs, sweet rolls, soft pretzels, cookies, hors d'oeuvres and a casserole. With the help of University of the South costume professor Jennifer Matthews, students explored the basics of clothing design using several types of materials to create costumes and pajama pants. Their efforts culminated in a fashion show.

"Winterim allows us to live out our philosophy that learning encompasses all aspects of life," explained sixth-grade teacher Cindy Potter. "These mini-courses are great opportunities for students and teachers to embrace the philosophy that some of our best learning happens outside of the classroom. We have also noticed that students return to the classroom the week after Winterim with a renewed energy and interest. That truly affirms how valuable this experience is."



Jennifer Matthews explains costume design to St. Andrew's-Sewanee School students participating in Winterim.



Addie Babcock, a sixth grader at SAS, learns to use the sound board in the school's radio station, WMTN-LP, 102.5 FM.

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## SAS Middle School Soccer Splits Two

The middle school boys' soccer team of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School had a great game against Fayetteville City on March 1. Sam Thomas scored a goal early in the first half, and Alex Hanson scored another with a terrific shot, making it 2-0. In the second half Fayetteville City put the pressure on to try and come back, but SAS held strong. Andrew Heitzenrater and Aaron Willis had several great saves, giving SAS their first shutout of the season.

SAS started the season on February 24 with a hard-fought loss to Westwood. SAS went down 2-0 early in the first half, but Kyle Johnston put the Mountain Lions on the scoreboard with a well-placed shot. Westwood scored two more before the first half ended, making it 4-1. In the second half both teams went scoreless despite several shots on goal for both sides. Sam Smith and Henry Fisher made many great defensive plays to keep Westwood from increasing their lead.



During a recent SAS varsity soccer practice, seniors Taylor Degen (left), and Dylan Swetmon battle for the ball. Photo by Bob Hoagland.

## SAS Hosts Annual 3v3 Soccer Tourney

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School varsity and junior varsity boys' soccer programs competed in the third annual SAS 3v3 Tournament last weekend.

As has been tradition, the day started off cold. However, as the temperature heated up, so did the action. Aside from the boys, one faculty team and one middle school girls' team joined in the fun. After five round-robin matches, the tournament bracket was set.

Many close games led to the final two teams: SAS players Mario Koelbel (junior from Hamburg, Germany), John Fisher (junior from Sewanee), Tilghman Myers (senior from Sewanee), and Doo Bin Nam (sophomore from Seoul, South Korea) took on SAS faculty members Reid Fisher (adventure education and athletic training), Margot Burns (math and soccer), Mark Trawick (math and soccer) and John Owsley (science).

Both teams were fatigued after being on the field for more than four

hours, but competitive spirit was raging. The SAS faculty got on the board early but the SAS players would not roll over. Both teams fought hard back-and-forth through the 20-minute match. When the dust settled, SAS faculty emerged victorious, a first in the tournament's history.

"It was great to see the players and other SAS community members having fun and enjoying themselves," said head coach Andrea Fisher. "We use this as a nice way to transition from preseason conditioning sessions into main season practices. The guys get to let loose while preparing for the rigors of regular season."

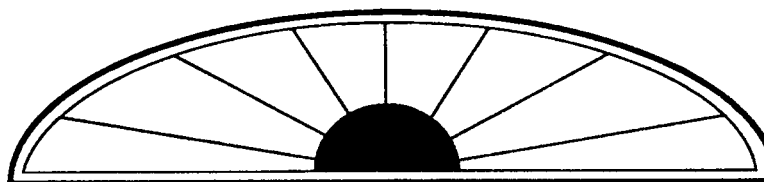
## Sewanee Tennis Win

The Sewanee men's tennis team rallied Saturday afternoon to knock off Transylvania, 5-4. The Tigers found themselves down 2-1 after the doubles matches but came back to take four of the six singles matches and defeat the Pioneers, 5-4. Jay Hill and Levi Joy highlighted the Sewanee effort as they paired up at doubles and took down Transylvania's Will Palmer and Patrick Lambert, the South Region's 15th-ranked doubles team.



Slater Goodson, a 10th-grader at SAS from Sewanee, at afternoon tennis practice. Photo by Bob Hoagland.

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## University Sports News

### Baseball

The Sewanee baseball team went 1-2 on the week after splitting a doubleheader with Spalding University on Saturday and falling to Maryville College. The Tigers dropped a 15-4 decision to a strong Maryville team early in the week. On Saturday, the Tigers split a doubleheader with Spalding after winning a come-from-behind thriller to start the day. Trailing 10-3 after four innings, Sewanee stormed back, scoring five runs in the fifth inning and three in the sixth to capture their first win of the season. Spalding got the best of the Tigers in the second game, dropping the hosts 9-5. The Tigers are now 1-4 on the season and will take on Maryville College Tuesday, March 8, at 6 p.m. in Winchester.

### Women's Lacrosse

Sewanee opened up the season on the short end of a 21-13 decision with Washington and Lee University Thursday evening. Sewanee took an early lead, 2-1. W&L tied the game at 2-2 before scoring eight unanswered goals to go ahead 10-2. The Tigers finally found their offensive attack in the second half, but it was too late, as W&L took home the 21-13 win. Sewanee will host Redlands University at noon on Saturday, March 5.

### Men's Lacrosse

The Sewanee Tigers lost their only game of the week on Saturday, dropping a 6-5 decision in the final seconds to Wittenberg in a game played at Montgomery Bell Academy in Nashville. Spencer Graves was steady in goal for the Tigers, capturing 13 saves on the day. The loss drops Sewanee to 1-1. The team plays Kenyon next on Saturday, March 5.

## Sewanee Tiger of the Week

Connor Liston, a junior from Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., has been named Tiger of the Week for his play the week of February 21-27.

Liston, an infielder for the Tigers' baseball team led Sewanee to a thrilling come-from-behind victory over Spalding on Saturday afternoon and was a force at the plate in three games during the week. Liston finished the week 5-for-10 at the plate, with four RBIs and two doubles.

During Saturday's doubleheader against Spalding University, he went 4-for-6 at the plate and knocked in the game-winner in the first game of the day. Sewanee trailed 10-3 after four innings against the Golden Eagles before mounting a furious comeback to tie the game in the bottom of the sixth of a scheduled seven-inning contest. Liston's sacrifice fly in the bottom of the sixth drove in Chris Mauro from third base and became the deciding run in the Tigers' 11-10 win.

"Connor stepped up offensively



Connor Liston

this weekend at a time when we really needed it, due to two of our leading hitters being out of the lineup," said head coach Scott Baker.

### Swimming

Sewanee's Courtland Day journeyed 12 hours to Grinnell, Iowa, this weekend for Grinnell College's Pioneer Last Chance Meet. The Last Chance Meet gives swimmers a final opportunity to make NCAA cuts in order to qualify for the NCAA Championships. Day won the 200 breast, setting a new pool record and making an NCAA 'B' cut.

Day's time of 2:05.70 ranks him 19th nationally among Division III swimmers. Day also won the 100 breast in 59.33. Day, along with several other Tiger swimmers, will find out this week if their best times of the season qualify them for the NCAA Championships, to be held March 23-26 in Knoxville.

### SCAC Basketball Honors

The Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference announced the 2010-11 men's and women's basketball honors. Junior Claire Elliott and freshman Valentino Bryant were both selected as honorable mention.

Elliott, a member of the Tiger women's team, was honored for the first time in her career, as was Bryant, a guard for the Sewanee men's team.

Elliott played in all 25 of the Tigers' games this season and was third on the team in scoring, averaging 11.4 points per contest. She led Sewanee in assists, dishing out 2.9 per game, while grabbing 1.2 steals a night.

Bryant led the Tigers in scoring as a freshman, averaging 11.0 points per night in 25 appearances.

## Overtime with Coach Shack

By John Shackelford

I enjoy spreading the sports page out on the breakfast table each morning and reading through the stories about how my Tar Heels or my Atlanta Braves did the night before. My curiosity wants to relive the glory of the Packers in last month's Super Bowl through a well-written feature. As a child I would turn on the local news at 20 minutes past the hour just to catch the sports report. There would be the scores, maybe a still photograph, but there were no video highlights back in those days. If you were two minutes late, you missed it and had to wait until the paper arrived the next morning for your fix of daily scores.

Winning and losing may seem to be a simple equation, but great sports reporting can fill that gap with a mortar made from, as we were so often reminded by ABC's Jim McKay, "The thrill of victory and the agony of defeat." A few years ago, ESPN started a 28/58 score line on the bottom of the channel's screen that seemed a bonanza to me. At 28 minutes or 58 minutes past the hour you could catch all the scores on the scroll bar at the bottom of the screen. That scroll bar has now been replaced by the "Bottom Line" and it is present 24/7. While watching Duke vs. Carolina on ESPN, I can learn every two minutes that the Atlanta Thrashers defeated the Nashville Predators 3-2 in tonight's hockey action. Or I can change to ESPN News for 24 hours of the latest sports reports. If I want, I can get an app for my phone that rings every time there is a score update for the Braves, Red Sox, or any other team I wish to follow. I don't do that, and I don't really want to know about that hockey game mysteriously played below the Mason-Dixon line.

I grew up listening to the Tar Heels on the radio in my father's wood shop while we were building a birdhouse or a new set of shelves. Chapel Hill was five hours away, and I had never seen the inside of Carmichael Auditorium at the time, but I could sense and imagine what it was like by listening to the voice of Woody Durham describing the action. If we were busy that day and missed the game on the radio, I couldn't wait to find out who won by reading all about it in the paper the next day. Today, between my laptop's connection to the entire world, my cell phone that does things I can't really operate, and ESPN's six channels, there is really nothing left for me to wonder about. Direct TV ensures that I can watch any game in America for a price, and the DVR will make sure I don't miss it. My HDTV leaves nothing to the imagination. The color of Carolina Blue on the floor of the Dean Dome is now perfectly vivid right in front of me without me having to imagine it in my mind.

They say the more you know, the less you understand. Google takes care of that for me. I can know the answer to any question with the click of a mouse. Somehow all this knowledge and instant information is leaving me empty. I miss the hoping—the wondering—the faith that my sports heroes have taken care of the challenge from the enemy. I miss the imagination required to conjure up images from the battle. I miss that gap between what happened and reading about it through the hand of a skilled sports writer. Jim Murray of the Los Angeles Times once wrote in describing the start of the Indy 500, "Gentleman, start your coffins." Or better still when Murray wrote that baseball's greatest lead-off hitter, Rickey Henderson, whose batting stance was an exaggerated crouch, "had a strike zone that was the size of Hitler's heart." That is a story worth reading about the morning after. Delayed gratification has become a lost art. What happened to the fact that the best things in life were worth waiting for? I will happily admit to being a dumb jock, comforted by the blanket of my own ignorance. Here is to hoping that my teams won last night and in the faith of what can't be seen in high definition. The more I know, the less I understand.



## HOME GAMES THIS WEEK

**Saturday, March 5**  
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 12 pm Tigers Baseball v Oglethorpe  
 12 pm Men's Tennis v Huntingdon  
 2 pm Men's Tennis v Berry  
 2 pm Women's Tennis v Berry  
 3 pm Tigers Baseball v Oglethorpe

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## Nature Notes



### Wild Turkey Sighting

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### South Cumberland Wildflowers

Wildflowers are popping at South Cumberland, too! Last weekend, while on a 13-mile hike in Collins Gulf with Ethel King, Sally Hubbard and Mary Priestley, Nicole Nunley spotted several hepaticas and toadshade trilliums and numerous salt-and-pepper plants, all except the trilliums in full bloom.

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## Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Feb 21	65	49
Tue	Feb 22	62	42
Wed	Feb 23	55	32
Thu	Feb 24	62	33
Fri	Feb 25	68	40
Sat	Feb 26	49	30
Sun	Feb 27	63	30

### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	61
Avg min temp =	37
Avg temp =	43
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Reported by Nicole Nunley  
Forestry Technician

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## From Bard to Verse

by Scott and Phoebe Bates

Unfold the cortex and lay it on the table—it's thin and smooth as a napkin, as in an embryo until as the animal grows the tissue begins to ripple and crush so the neural tangle will fit inside the skull. The number of folds, how deeply crenellated, and the direction in which the tissue is pressed vary dramatically from animal to animal. To count the neural connections in the human brain, one per second, would take thirty-two million years. How is it then that "I" am one thing, my life as dear to me as if I knew each neural pathway by heart? That jungle, lush and interwoven, a brief protected habitat that writes the rules for its survival in a language I can't read, but must believe.

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# community calendar

## EVENTS

### Today, March 4

#### Curbside recycling

#### Reservation deadline for Lifelong Learning

#### SES Friday School

7:00 am AA (open), Holy Comforter, M' eagle  
8:30 am Iyengar yoga, Sew Cmty Center  
9:00 am CAC open, Otey  
10:00 am Game day, Senior Center  
10:00 am Men's cards, Senior Center  
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Saturday, March 5

#### SAS Spring Break begins, thru 3/20

8:00 am Tai Chi w/Lance, Community Center  
8:30 am CCJP annual meeting, Senior Center  
10:00 am Herbarium Hike, meet at Blue Chair  
10:30 am Mnttop Tumbler, beginners/intermediate, Community Center  
11:30 am Mnttop Tumbler, advanced, Community Center

6:00 pm Midway Baptist Church Singing  
7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist  
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall

### Sunday, March 6

4:00 pm Women Bible study, Otey  
4:00 pm Adult Yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr  
6:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, M' eagle  
6:30 pm Growing in Grace, All Saints'

### Monday, March 7

8:00 am Yoga w/Wendy, Fowler Center  
8:30 am Sr Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Center  
9:00 am CAC open, Otey  
10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center  
1:30 pm Garden club, Wilson, Provo home  
3:30 pm Zumba class, Sew Cmty Center  
4:30 pm Roman Britain lecture, Gailor  
4:30 pm Sustainability lecture, Blackman  
5:00 pm Women's 12-step, Otey parish hall  
5:15 pm 12-step meditation mtg, Stillpoint  
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City  
7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary  
7:00 pm Chorale rehearsal, Hamilton Hall  
7:30 pm Fermentation wkshp, GreenHouse

### Tuesday, March 8

8:30 am AM Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Ctr  
9:00 am CAC open, Otey  
9:30 am SCC Mardi Gras Parade  
9:00 am Yoga w/Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee  
10:30 am Bingo, Senior Center, till 11:45  
4:00 pm Centering Prayer, St. Mary's, till 5:30  
5:00 pm Zumba class, Women's Center  
6:00 pm Daughters of the King, St. James

6:00 pm Otey Pancake Supper, Cravens Hall  
7:00 pm Gardener's Forum, Community Ctr  
7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist  
7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall  
7:30 pm Al-Anon, Otey parish hall

### Wednesday, March 9

#### Ash Wednesday

#### Womans' Club Reservations Due

#### Univ. Spring Break begins 5:30 pm, thru 3-20

8:00 am Lifelong Learning Bible study, Wright, St. Mary's Sewanee  
8:00 am Yoga w/Wendy, Fowler Center  
9:00 am CAC open, Otey  
10:00 am Sewing/quilting class, Senior Center  
10:30 am Wii sports, Senior Center  
3:45 pm Girl Scouts, Brooks Hall, Otey  
4:00 pm Zumba class, Sew Cmty Center  
5:30 pm Adult Yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr  
6:00 pm Buddhist sitting grp, St. Augustine's  
7:30 pm AA (open), Holy Comforter, M' eagle

### Thursday, March 10

8:30 am AM Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Ctr  
9:00 am CAC open, Otey  
10:30 am Tai Chi w/Kathleen, Sew Cmty Ctr  
10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center  
11:00 am Blood Drive, EHH, until 4 pm  
12:00 pm AA (open), 924-3493 for location  
12:00 pm Lifelong Learning, Nance, St. Mary's  
12:30 pm EPF, Otey parish hall  
3:30 pm Mnttop Tumbler, beginners/intermediate, Sew Cmty Center  
3:30 pm Yoga w/Hadley, St. Mary's Sewanee  
4:30 pm Mnttop Tumbler, adv, Cmty Center  
4:30 pm Weight Watchers, EHH  
5:00 pm Zumba class, Women's Ctr  
6:30 pm FC School Board, Board office

### Friday, March 11

7:00 am AA (open), Holy Comforter, M' eagle  
8:30 am Iyengar yoga, Sew Cmty Center  
9:00 am CAC open, Otey  
10:00 am Game day, Senior Center  
7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City

## CHURCH SERVICES

### Today, March 4

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, COTA

## PEDESTRIANS/BIKERS – EXERCISE CAUTION...



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4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:40 pm Evening Prayer, COTA

### Saturday, March 5

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, St. Mary's

### Sunday, March 6

#### All Saints' Chapel

8:00 am Holy Eucharist  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist  
6:30 pm Growing in Grace

#### Chapel of the Apostles

8:00 pm Compline

#### Cumberland Presbyterian

9:00 am Worship Service  
10:00 am Sunday School

#### Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

#### Harrison Chapel Methodist

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service

#### Jump-Off Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
6:00 pm Worship Service

#### Midway Baptist

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Service  
6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study  
11:00 am Morning Service  
6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Otey Memorial Church

8:50 am Holy Eucharist  
10:00 am Christian Formation  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Children's Church School  
9:00 am Worship and Fellowship

#### St. Mary's Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### Sewanee Church of God

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Service  
6:00 pm Evening Service

#### Society of Friends

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

### Monday, March 7

7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, COTA  
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:40 pm Evening Prayer, sung, COTA

### Tuesday, March 8

#### Shrove Tuesday

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:40 pm Evening Prayer, COTA

### Wednesday, March 9

#### Ash Wednesday

7:00 am Holy Eucharist, Ashes, All Saints'  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Ashes, Otey  
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Holy Eucharist, Ashes, All Saints'  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
5:30 pm Holy Eucharist, Ashes, St. James  
7:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Ashes, Otey

### Thursday, March 10

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
6:30 pm Worship, Church of God

### Friday, March 11

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary's  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine's  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

## Christ Church Monteagle

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**Shrove Tuesday  
Pancake Supper**  
March 8, 5:30pm

**Ash Wednesday**  
March 9, Noon and 7pm