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## Sewanee Arts & Crafts Christmas Fair Saturday

The annual Sewanee Arts and Crafts Association Christmas Fair will be held Saturday, Nov. 20, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. in upper Cravens Hall on Kentucky Avenue. Admission is free, and there is ample parking.

SACA fair exhibitors include: Bob Askew, painting, notecards; Sharon Bandy, knitting; Matt and Linda Barry, plants, crochet; Clay Binkley, recycled metal picture and mirror frames; Tom and Susan Church, woodworking; St. Mary's, cards and photos; Coyote Cove, handmade soaps and lotions; Phylis Dix, painted Christmas ornaments, birdhouses; Sandy Gilliam, photography;

Burkie Gladstone, hand-built and -thrown clay; Anne Griffin, knitting; Sally Harding, paperwhites, candy, marmalade; Connie Hornsby, fabric art, silk scarves; Jasper King, chain-saw carving, bowls, mushrooms; Bill Knight, woodworking, toys, bowls; Marjorie Langston, handmade glass beads; Debra Layne, canned and baked goods; Gary Light, leather; Randy McCurdy, dried, pressed flowers in stained glass; June Miller, lapidary/jewelry; Mary Millsaps, jewelry; Annwn Myers, fiber arts, cards, wall hangings;

Sherry Nickell, flame-worked glass; Christi Ormsby and Jean Tal-



## SAS Student Artists

Three St. Andrew's-Sewanee students' block prints were selected this year to use in publicity for the Sewanee Arts and Crafts Association Arts and Craft Fair which is Saturday. Students honored this year are Wyatt Lindlau (above, left) and Evelyn Seavy (above, right), both of Monteagle, and Kyra Wilson (below) of Sewanee. Student were awarded \$25 each and will receive copies of their work as posters and rack cards.



lec, clayware; Ben Potter, tin figures; Kevin Pulliam, rustic furniture; Kathryn Ramseur, limited edition prints; Louise Richards, sewing, crochet; (Continued on page 2)

## Taizé Service

A Taizé service will be held in St. Luke's Chapel on Friday, Nov. 19, at 7 p.m. Taizé services usually last for an hour. The community is invited to attend. Taizé in Sewanee is sponsored by All Saints' Chapel and is an inter-denominational joint ministry of the School of Theology and the College of Arts and Sciences. These services are rich with opportunities to worship God with silent meditation, reflection, prayer and song.

## Community Thanksgiving Luncheon Friday

The Community Action Committee (CAC) will host its annual Thanksgiving community luncheon at noon on Friday, Nov. 19, in Otey parish hall. All members of the greater Sewanee community are invited to attend this free event.

The University's Phi Sigma Theta and Theta Kappa Phi sororities are helping host this year's event. Aramark Catering Services is providing the turkey and dressing meal. CAC will offer groceries to families in need; clients who pre-registered for turkeys can pick them up at noon on Friday. For information call 598-5927.

## Blue Monarch Turkey Trot 5k Saturday

Story on page 8.

## Council Meets Monday, Agenda Set

The next meeting of the Sewanee Community Council is scheduled for Monday, Nov. 22, at 7 p.m. in the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center. Items on the agenda include: 1) Approval of the October minutes; 2) Update on proposed Duck River Electric building by Jerry Forster, University treasurer and chief finance officer; 3) Sewanee police department by Forster; 4) Safety issues at the new University entrance by council representative John Flynn; 5) Lease policy regarding student rentals by Flynn; 6) Fog visibility on Airport Road by council representative David Coe; 7) Deer cull by Nate Wilson, Domain management manager, and Marvin Pate, sustainability director; 8) Update on the cell tower by Forster; 9) Announcements. Community Council meetings are open to the public.



(L-R) Genevieve Melcher, Katherine Izard, Tori Nettleton and Rebekah Hildebrand have a spirited discussion about going to the harvest dance in "Dancing at Lughnasa." Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Theatre/Sewanee Presents "Dancing at Lughnasa"

Theatre/Sewanee will present the Tony Award-winning play "Dancing at Lughnasa" by Brian Friel Nov. 18-20 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is free, but reservations are suggested by calling 598-3260.

Widely regarded as Friel's masterpiece, this extraordinary play is the story of the five unmarried Mundy sisters, eking out their lives in a small Irish village in 1936. It is August, the time of the Festival of Lughnasa, a traditional harvest celebration filled with revelry and dancing. While the community of Ballybeg, County Donegal, celebrates the festival, the Mundy sisters remain isolated. Their existence is spare, interrupted by brief, colorful bursts of music from the radio—the only link to the romance and hope of the world at large.

The action of the play is told

through the memory of the illegitimate son of one of the sisters, as he remembers the five women who raised him. He is only seven in 1936, the year his uncle, a priest, returns after serving for 25 years as a missionary in a leper colony in Uganda. For the young boy, two other disturbances occur that summer. The sisters acquire their first radio and he meets his father for the first time—a charming Welsh drifter named Gerry Evans.

## SUD Meeting Changed to Nov. 30

The Sewanee Utility District Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session in the utility office on 150 Sherwood Rd. at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 30, instead of Nov. 23 due to the Thanksgiving holiday. The public invited.

## No Sewanee Pre-Cull Deer Hunt on Thanksgiving Day

The Sewanee pre-cull deer hunt resumes this weekend for two days, Nov. 20-21. Hunting begins at sunrise and ends at sunset on these dates.

There will be no hunting on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25. Hunting is conducted in large perimeter zones and, this year, the hunting area has been increased: the zone beyond the Equestrian Center has been extended farther out Brakefield Road and an all-new zone near Lake Dimmick has been added.

Pre-cull maps of the areas are displayed at duPont Library, the SPO and the bulletin board at the Sewanee Market, and are available on the Mes-

senger website at <www.sewanee-messenger.com>.

The pre-cull hunt will continue Nov. 24 and 26-28; and Dec. 4-5 and 11-12. During the pre-cull, hunting will be archery only—with no exceptions. The following trails will remain open at all times: Tennessee Avenue, Rails-To-Trails bike path, entire Perimeter Trail, Bridal Veil Falls trail, Piney Point trail, Beckwith's Point trail, Caldwell Rim trail and Solomon's Temple trail in Thumping Dick Hollow. Bow hunters will be located at least 100 yards from trails and fire lanes.

## Barnes Lecture Tonight on The Debate about the Fall of Rome

Timothy Barnes, professor of classics emeritus at the Universities of Toronto and Edinburgh, will present "The Debate about the Fall of Rome: Is An End in Sight?" tonight at 7:30 p.m. in Gailor Auditorium on the University campus. A reception at McGriff Alumni House will precede the lecture at 5:30 p.m. The community is invited to attend this free event.

The story of western civilization

revolves around several key turning points, principal among which is the so-called decline and fall of Rome. A politically charged topic, this turning point has been debated since the end of the fourth century. In this lecture Barnes addresses the debate and its implications for the stories we tell about ourselves and our civilization.

This lecture is sponsored jointly by the School of Theology and the classics and medieval studies department.



Members of the Sewanee Homecoming Court are pictured (L-R): Runner-up Chalankis Brown, Homecoming King Carson Wright, Homecoming Queen Jenny Robb and runner-up Amy Nelson. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

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## Sewanee Arts & Crafts Fair

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Darlene Seagroves, sewing, quilts, bird feeders; Nell Sholey, crocheted purses, scarves, belts; Jeanie Stephenson, bronze sculpture; Merissa Tobler, pottery; Carolyn Tocco, oil painting, notecards; Ray Torstenson, limited edition prints; Connie Ulrich, jewelry; Sarah Vance, goat's milk soaps; Carol and Glen VandenBosch, mosaic art; and Laurel York, etchings, kudzu baskets.

In addition to artists and craftspeople exhibiting and selling their wares, the Rotary Club will have live,

baled Christmas trees for sale.

The Sewanee Community Center will be serving hearty vegetarian and regular chili with all the fixings, drinks and desserts at the fair from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in lower Cravens. Have lunch and support the Sewanee Community Center, which provides an affordable venue for a wide variety of community activities, such as the Cumberland Farmers' Market, gymnastics, Boy Scouts, various meetings, yoga and many other activities and events.

## SAS Wreath Sale to Benefit Amazing Grace Orphanage

Sixth-graders at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will hold their annual Christmas balsam wreath sale. This year the students will be selling wreaths to help with several different outreach projects, including continued support of three students at Amazing Grace Orphanage in Uganda. This will be the fifth year that SAS students have been sponsors in this program. The deadline to place an order is Dec. 1.

As always, these sweet-smelling balsam wreaths are shipped fresh from the woods of Maine. The

wreaths measure at least 22 inches and come with a big red bow, six pinecones, and several sprigs of red berries. The cost is \$22. The wreaths will arrive in early December and purchasers will be notified as soon as the wreaths arrive.

To order wreaths, contact any St. Andrew's-Sewanee sixth-grade student or SAS teacher Cindy Potter at (931) 968-0210, ext. 3115 or <cpotter@sasweb.org>. The wreaths can be paid for when you order them or on pickup.

## Support Year-Round Cumberland Farmers' Market

Although open-air markets are closed for the winter, the Cumberland Farmers' Market is your year-round source for fresh, locally grown fruit, vegetables, herbs, eggs, meats, artisan baked goods, soaps and so much more! Without leaving home, order conveniently online at <sewanee.locallygrown.net> from 5 p.m. on Saturday through 10 a.m. on Monday. Pick up orders on Tuesday from 4:30 to 5:45 p.m. in the Sewanee Community Center, located behind the Sewanee Market. Home delivery is also available. The fresh, healthy and delicious products are from local growers you know and trust. To join, create an account on

the website or contact market manager Jess Wilson at (931) 924-4539 or <cumberlandfm@gmail.com>. Once you have an account, you will be able to place orders. Become part of this exciting, easy way to eat healthy and support your local growers and artisans!

## Emergency Services Reports

**EMS:** Dennis Jones, director of the Sewanee Emergency Medical Service, reports the service had 20 runs in the month of October.

**FIRE:** Chief David Green reports the volunteers had 16 runs in the month.

**POLICE:** Chief Robert White reports the department patrolled 5,257 miles; investigated four vehicle accidents; made 29 arrests—seven drug violations and 22 underage alcohol consumption; issued five speed warnings and 388 nonmoving violations; and picked up four Sewanee dogs.

### MESSENGER DEADLINES

*News & Calendar:*

Friday, Nov. 19, 5 p.m.

*Display Ads:*

Friday, Nov. 19, noon

*Display Classifieds:*

Friday, Nov. 19, noon

*Classified Ads:*

Monday, Nov. 22, noon

## Serving Where Called

Seven years ago this column began to support the large number of reservists and National Guard members called up for active duty to serve in the war in Iraq. About 50,000 troops remain in Iraq to support and train their military and assist with counterterrorism.

On Dec. 1, 2009, President Barack Obama announced he was sending additional troops to Afghanistan to focus on reversing the Taliban's momentum. Today thousands of our troops are deployed in this volatile area.

This is a reminder that someone else is standing guard and facing fire for us. Please keep the following individuals, their families and all those who fight for freedom in your prayers:

Nick Barry  
Robyn Cimino-Hurt  
James Gregory Cowan  
Robert S. Lauderdale  
Alan Moody  
Brian Norcross  
Christopher Norcross  
Dustin "Dusty" Lee Parker  
Brandon Parks  
Michael Parmley  
Greg Rinkes  
Charles Schaerer  
James Jay Scott  
Charles Tate  
Jeffery Alan Wessel

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

## Editor's Note EARLY EDITION

Thanksgiving is next week and since the holiday falls on our Thursday publishing day, we will print an early issue on Wednesday, Nov. 24. Deadlines will change to accommodate this change: display advertising, noon, Friday, Nov. 19; news and calendar items, Friday, Nov. 19, by 5 p.m.; and classified ads, Monday, Nov. 22, by noon. The office will be closed Nov. 25–26.

### MESSENGER HOURS

The MESSENGER office is open for your convenience:  
*Mon. Tue. Wed & Fri*  
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
*Thursday*  
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

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## Sewanee Operation Noel 2010 Announced

The Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department and FROST (Fund Raising Operational Support Team) announce Sewanee Operation Noel 2010.

Sewanee Operation Noel, formed many years ago by the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department (SVFD) to provide help for families in need, provides food and/or toys during the Christmas season. The SVFD, in conjunction with FROST, organizes the purchasing and distribution of gifts.

Everyone must fill out an application to be eligible, whether you have received from Sewanee Operation Noel before or not. An application will ensure that all the pertinent information is provided so everyone in need may receive. (See application form below.) The deadline for returning applications is Friday, Dec. 10. Only families living in the following areas on top of Sewanee mountain—Sewanee, Midway, Jump-Off and Sherwood Road to the top of Sherwood mountain (not into Sherwood)—are eligible.

If you would like to make a donation of money, nonperishable food items or new toys, please take the items to Fire Chief David Green's office, located in the Sewanee Police Department building, or to Tracy Hall's office in Guerry Hall, room 114.

The gifts will be delivered Christmas Eve morning by the SVFD and FROST members. If you have any questions please call 598-3400.

## Sewanee Operation Noel Application

*Mail completed application by Friday, Dec. 10, to*

*Tracie Sherrill, 138 Lake O'Donnell Road, Sewanee, TN 37375*

**FAMILY NAME:**

**NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS:**

**DELIVERY ADDRESS:**

**CITY:**

**FOOD ONLY:** \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

**FOOD AND TOYS:**

*(Please fill out information below for each child age 16 yrs.  
& under to receive toys.)*

**CHILD'S NAME:**

**AGE:**      **GENDER:** \_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_ Female

**CHILD'S NAME:**

**AGE:**      **GENDER:** \_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_ Female

**CHILD'S NAME:**

**AGE:**      **GENDER:** \_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_ Female

**Attach additional sheet if necessary.**

## Curbside Recycling Tomorrow

Residential curbside recycling pickup in Sewanee is on the first and third Friday of each month. Friday, Nov. 19, will be a pickup day. Recyclable materials must be separated by type and placed in blue bags by the side of the road no later than 7:30 a.m. Please do not put out general household trash on this day. Blue bags may be picked up in the University Lease Office, 110 Carnegie Hall, at the Physical Plant Services administrative office on Alabama Avenue or at the PPS warehouse on Georgia Avenue.

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## New Arrivals



### Wyatt Tate Bolden

Wyatt Tate Bolden was born on Nov. 8, 2010, in Southern Tennessee Medical Center to Kelly Havner and Rickey Bolden Jr. of Decherd. He weighed 6 lbs., 7 oz., and was 18.5 inches long. He joins his brothers, Christian and Little Rick. Maternal grandparents are Reta and Duke Smith.

### Elise Nadine Carlson

Elise Nadine Carlson was born on Nov. 10, 2010, in the Birth Wellness and Women's Center, Chattanooga, to James and Lucie Carlson of Monteagle. She weighed 7 lbs., 14 oz., and was 20.5 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Jiri and Zuzana Hauser of Prague, Czech Republic. Paternal grandparents are Karla and Tom Carlson of Everett, Wash.

### Victoria Lynne Latham

Victoria Lynne Latham was born on Oct. 28, 2010, in Southern Tennessee Medical Center to Jamie and Chris Latham of Belvidere. She weighed 6 lbs., 2.5 oz., and was 18.5 inches long. She joins her brother, Matthew.

Maternal grandparents are Tommy and Vickie Taylor of Elora and the late Ellen Taylor. Paternal grandparents are Dwight and Cindy Latham of Belvidere.

## The Hospitality Shop Invites You to "Shop Local"

Need a new outfit for the holidays? The Hospitality Shop might have just what you're looking for! Lots of clothes and holiday items are in stock. The shop, located on University Ave., is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to noon.

## E-H Hospital Update Employee Recognition

Emerald-Hodgson Hospital (EHH) selected Rachel Thrasher as the October Employee of the Month. Rachel is a radiologic technologist and joined the EHH team four years ago. She and her husband, Brandon, and daughter, McKenzie, reside in Dutton, Ala. Rachel enjoys spending her free time with her family. As the employee honoree, Rachel received a gift basket with movie tickets and other goodies and use of a close-in parking space for the month of October. Rachel was selected for recognition in a random drawing among all employees having October birthdays. Congratulations, Rachel!

### State of the Hospital

EHH Administrator Ralph Underwood reported a decrease in utilization of most of the hospital's facilities—general admissions, observation visits, emergency room visits, and skilled care admissions were all at lower levels than those recorded for the same period last year. Outpatient visits, however, increased by an impressive 22 percent compared to October 2009.

—Reported by Leslie Lytle

## Help Prepare for the Festival of Lessons and Carols

On Friday, Dec. 3, members of the Sewanee community are invited to join in the Greening of All Saints' Chapel in preparation for the 51st annual Festival of Lessons and Carols to be held the first weekend in December. Work begins at 9 a.m. All levels of experience are welcomed (and very much needed)! Coffee and pastries are served throughout the morning; a light lunch will be offered at noon.

Ken Taylor of Taylor's Mercantile

will direct the day's activities. If you would like to make a contribution towards the flowers and poinsettias used during the Festival of Lessons and Carols, either in thanksgiving or in memory of a loved one, please contact Virginia Cunningham at the chapel office, 598-1274, or by e-mail <vcunning@sewanee.edu>. These names will be listed in the Sunday morning bulletin on Dec. 5.

## Rotary Sponsors Holiday Tree Sale

The Monteagle Rotary Club is accepting orders for a variety of trees to be enjoyed this Christmas season.

"We are pleased to continue the tradition of offering trees for sale to fund our club's mission, which is to support education and increase literacy in our community," says John Bratton, program chair of the Monteagle Rotary Club.

Norway spruce, sarvisberry, and boxwood harvested on the Cumberland Plateau with the root ball are available for purchase. There is a new offering this season! The club will also deliver cut evergreen trees ready for Christmas decoration.

Please contact Bob Askew at <bobaskew@askewart.com> or call 598-5311. The Monteagle Rotary will have samples at their booth at the upcoming Sewanee Arts and Crafts Fair on Nov. 20 in the University Cravens Hall on Kentucky Ave.

## Sewanee Senior Center Closed

The Sewanee Senior Center, located at 5 Ball Park Road, behind the Sewanee Market, will be closed on Wednesday through Friday, Nov. 24–26, for the Thanksgiving holiday. For information call 598-0771.

**Upcoming Events**

**Italian Pottery Sale This Weekend!**  
Saturday and Sunday, November 20 and 21

**Fall Harvest Wine Dinner**  
This Saturday, November 20, 6 p.m.  
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## Bonnie Mae Cates

Bonnie Mae Cates, age 68 of Winchester, died Nov. 11, 2010, in Vanderbilt Medical Center, Nashville. She was born Jan. 19, 1942, in Sherwood. She was employed by Emerald-Hodgson Hospital as a certified nursing assistant for 49 years and received the Sunshine Award in April 2008. She was preceded in death by her parents, James Claude and Nellie Guess Barnes; her husband, John Martin Cates Jr.; brothers, Willie, Robert and James C. Barnes Jr.; and sisters Shirley Barnes, Hazel Smith and Glenda Prince.

She is survived by her daughters, Patricia Ann Cates of Huntsville, Ala., and Paula Pierce of Winchester; sisters Carol Hawkins, Vicki Stephens of Woodville, Ala., Mary Bunch and Betty Jo McCarver, both of Stevenson, Ala.; one granddaughter; many close nieces and nephews; and special friends, Odell Ray and Sandra Holder.

Funeral services were held on Nov. 14 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Norman Cox officiating. Interment followed in Cowan Montgomery Cemetery, Cowan. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

## Roger Ladon "Doe" Epperson

Roger Ladon "Doe" Epperson, age 66 of Winchester, died Nov. 9, 2010, in Southern Tennessee Medical Center, Winchester. He was born July 6, 1944, in Sherwood. He was employed by Shaw Industries as a tufting mechanic for 35 years, retiring in 2007. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in Vietnam. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse and Odessa Thompson Epperson; and brother, Harold "Sonny" Epperson.

He is survived by his wife, Gail Coffelt Epperson; son, Shane Epperson of Winchester; daughter, Shannon (Scott) Epperson Walker of Winchester; sisters, Nancy (Buddy) Morris of Stevenson, Ala., and Teresa Barnes of Winchester; one granddaughter; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Funeral services were held on Nov. 9 at Epiphany Episcopal Church with the Rev. Bill Barton officiating. Interment followed in Mt. View Cemetery, Sherwood. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.



## Obituaries

### Mary Elizabeth "Mary Lee" Hannah

Mary Elizabeth "Mary Lee" Hannah, age 78 of Decherd, died Nov. 13, 2010, in Southern Tennessee Medical Center, Winchester. She was born Feb. 17, 1932, in Sherwood. She was preceded in death by her parents, Allen and Eunice Steele Epperson; brothers Clarence, Louis and Ted Epperson; sisters Vivian Smith, Ethel King and Louise Garner; and daughters Mary Heath and Sheila Hannah.

She is survived by her sons, Frankie (Cathy) Gover of Estill Springs, Terry (Sherwood) Hannah of Decherd, and Mike Hannah of Tullahoma; daughter Tracie (Jason) McCreary of Decherd; brother Marshall (Jean Ann) Epperson of Tallahassee, Fla.; sisters Dorothy Shealey of Stark, Fla., and Ginger Holt of Nashville; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Nov. 5 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Bill Barton officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. Arrangements were by Moore-Cortner Funeral Home, Winchester.

### James W. "Jimmy" Knight

James W. "Jimmy" Knight, age 55 of Cincinnati, Ohio, died on Nov. 9, 2010. He was preceded in death by his father, Willie Homer Knight.

He is survived by his wife, Debbie Humphress Knight; son, Justin W. Knight of Dayton, Ohio; daughter, Kristy (Shannon) Morrow of Alto; mother, Mary Alice Smith Knight of Beersheba Springs; and sisters, Faye King of Altamont and Mary Ann Meeks of Beersheba Springs.

Funeral services were held Nov. 13 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Alton Scruggs officiating. Interment followed in Hunerwadel Cemetery. Arrangements were by Layne Funeral Home, Altamont.

## Mary C. McCleaf

Mary C. McCleaf, age 68 of Sewanee, died Nov. 4, 2010, in her home. She was born Sept. 10, 1942, in Gettysburg, Pa. She was preceded in death by her parents, Edgar L. and Mary H. McCleaf. She was an art and nursery school teacher, working with children through adults.

She is survived by her husband, David Clough; daughter, Caroline; brother, Edgar L. (Laurie) McCleaf of Grove City, Ohio; and two nephews and one niece.

A memorial service was held in Otey Memorial Parish Church on Nov. 8 with the Rev. Francis Walter officiating. Memorial donations in her honor can be made to the Nashville American Cancer Society, 2008 Charlotte Ave., Nashville, TN 37203.

## Justin Dakota Meeks

Justin Dakota Meeks, age 19 of Monteagle, died Nov. 11 from injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He was employed as a chef at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School and was a student at Chattanooga State Community College. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Cecil Seagroves.

He is survived by his parents, Tammy Seagroves (Doug) Johnson of Monteagle and Bobby (Stacie) Meeks of Palmer; brothers, Joshua (Lia Anderson) Meeks of Monteagle, Wyatt Cooper and Harley Meeks, both of Palmer, and Cade Johnson of Tracy City; sisters, Emily and Lucy Johnson, both of Tracy City, and Jerica B. (Cody) Johnson of Soddy-Daisy; maternal grandmother, Gladys Seagroves of Tracy City; paternal grandparents, Glenda and Larry Meeks of Coalmont; and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held on Nov. 14 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Mike Rigsby and the Rev. Clayton Jones officiating. Interment followed in Plainview Cemetery. Arrangements were by Foster & Lay Funeral Home, Tracy City.

## George Douglas Nunley

George Douglas Nunley, age 63 of Tracy City, died Nov. 11, 2010, in Emerald-Hodgson Hospital, Sewanee. He was a retired truck driver and collector of interesting things. He was preceded in death by his father, Isaac Nunley, and his mother, Geraldine O'Dear Johnson.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Nunley; children, Sabrina, Douglas, Tina, Michael and Shiloh (Dana); five grandchildren; sisters, Laura Ann and Rose; brothers, Lonnie, Jack and Sam; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held on Nov. 14 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Clayton Jones officiating. Interment followed in Plainview Cemetery. Arrangements were by Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle.

## Church News

### Catechumenate on Dec. 1

Catechumenate, a process of exploring our faith together in a relaxed environment, sponsored by All Saints' Chapel, will not meet on Wednesday, Nov. 24, due to the University's Thanksgiving break. The next meeting is Wednesday, Dec. 1.

For information contact Catherine Outten, lay chaplain, at 598-1251 or the chaplain's office at 598-1274.

### Christ Church, Monteagle

This Sunday, Nov. 21, marks the conclusion of the Christian year. Christ Church, Monteagle, will "sum up" one year and begin another. Fellowship begins at 9:45 a.m., and the service follows at 10:30 a.m. The Rev. William Millsaps will preach on the many themes of the day, including the Miracle of the Loaves and the Fishes as recounted in the Gospel of John. Afterward, lunch is served. Visitors are always welcome.

### Decherd Mission Church Bake Sale

The Decherd Mission Church, located on Hwy. 127, will hold its annual Thanksgiving Bake Sale on Friday, Nov. 19, and Saturday, Nov. 20, in front of the United Grocery Outlet next to the Dollar Tree in Decherd. Items will include homemade cakes, pies, cookies and candy. Save time and money by shopping this bake sale!

### Growing in Grace

On Sunday evening, Nov. 21, at 6:30 p.m. in All Saints' Chapel, the last Growing in Grace guest speaker for the semester is Walton Jones, T'07. Jones, a native Mississippian, received a B.S. in computer science from Mississippi State University before discerning a call to become an Episcopal priest. He graduated from the School of Theology with an M.Div. degree and, while on the Mountain, he assisted with music for Growing in Grace. Walton is a member of a band called Passenger Jones and has an album entitled "Float Slowly," available on iTunes. Walton, his wife, Keri, and their two-year-old daughter, Phoebe, are currently serving St. Paul's Church in Meridian, Miss.

Everyone is welcome to join Growing in Grace, an informal worship service with acoustic guitar and drum music, art, refreshments and space to listen for what it means to be part of "The Body of Christ." For information call Catherine Outten, lay chaplain, at 598-1251.



**FIRE ON THE MOUNTAIN**, the Episcopal Youth Coalition, will meet Sunday at 2 p.m. to deliver holiday cookies to senior citizens and shut-ins. The youth group (shown here with Sewanee resident Trink Beasley) is sponsored by St. James and Otey Parish and is open to all youth in grades 6-12. For additional information call Betty Carpenter, 598-5926.

### Sunday at Otey Parish

Please join the congregation of Otey Memorial Parish for Christ the King Sunday, the last Sunday after Pentecost, with the celebration of the Holy Eucharist, Rite II, at both 8:50 and 11 a.m.

During the Sunday School hour, the Rev. Francis Walter will offer the second in the Bishop Otey Society-sponsored series, "Living Well, Dying Well." He will lead a discussion on "The Final Conversation." Adults may choose to attend the lectionary class, led by Pete Trenchi, which will study the Gospel lesson of Luke 23:33-43, where Jesus told the thief, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

During Sunday School for children, nursery care is offered for birth-2-year-olds and three levels of Godly Play classes for 3-year-olds to fifth-graders. Middle school youth are invited to attend Photography: Grateful Reflections, led by Stephen and April Alvarez. High school youth are encouraged to Text and Teach, led by the Rev. Joe Ballard and Betty Carpenter.

Nursery care is available from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. for children 0-3 years old. Coffee hour follows the second service. Questions? Call Robin Reed at 636-0010.

### Midway Church of Christ Services

Keith Hamilton, minister of Midway Church of Christ, will be preaching two lessons this Sunday, Nov. 21. The 11 a.m. sermon is titled "Entering God's Gates With Thanksgiving." At 6 p.m. Hamilton will preach "God's Love For Man."

The 10 a.m. Bible Study is a continuation of a study on "The Life of Christ." To obtain a CD of sermons, call Hamilton at 454-2196 or listen to his radio program on Sunday mornings at 7:30 on FM 94.5, AM 1440 or online at <wzyxonline.com>.

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## SUD Candidate Petitions Due Dec. 12

Sewanee Utility District commissioner Karen Singer will serve as election officer for the upcoming commissioner election. Interested candidates must submit a petition signed by 10 SUD customers by Dec. 12. Petitions are available at the SUD office. Prospective candidates must be SUD customers, and candidates for the Marion County seat must reside in Marion County.

Two commissioners will be elected—one representing Marion County for a full four-year term, and one representing the entire district for a partial three-year term, completing the term for the seat currently held by Randall Henley. (Henley was appointed by the board to fill a vacancy last February.) Henley and the current Marion County commissioner, Cliff Huffman, anticipate running for the seats they now hold.

Early voting will begin Jan. 3, 2011, in the SUD office during regular

## University Library Thanksgiving Schedule

The University's duPont Library will begin its Thanksgiving break at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 23. Library hours on Wednesday, Nov. 24, will be 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The library will be closed Thursday, Nov. 25, for Thanksgiving and on Friday, Nov. 26, a University holiday when all offices are closed. The library will be open Saturday, Nov. 27, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 28, from 1 until 11 p.m. Regular hours resume Nov. 29.

## Sewanee Garden Club Welcomes Priestley

The Sewanee Garden Club will meet on Monday, Nov. 22, in the home of Trink Beasley at 1:30 p.m. Meet at the old Sewanee Pharmacy location to carpool at 1 p.m., due to limited parking. The speaker will be Mary Priestley, curator of the Sewanee Herbarium.

Priestley graduated from Sewanee and received her master's degree in biology with an emphasis in botany from Middle Tennessee State University. She is editor of the Friends of the Herbarium newsletter, the Sewanee Plant Press. She is finishing up her second term as president of the Tennessee Native Plant Society and is starting a second term as president of the Friends of South Cumberland Recreational Area. She and her husband, Mac, University professor of mathematics, have three grown children. Priestley is a popular speaker and musician.

Those who have bulbs or houseplants to share are invited to bring them to the meeting. The hostesses for this meeting are Earnie Lumpkins and Jean Yeatman. All individuals interested in flowers or gardening are welcome to attend the meetings. For information call Pixie Dozier at 598-5869 or e-mail <pixied@hughes.net>.



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The newly elected commissioners will be sworn in at the Feb. 22 meeting. The SUD Board of Commissioners also includes Doug Cameron, Ken Smith and Rick Sommer.

## Bausch and Wier Reading Today

Distinguished fiction writers Richard Bausch and Allen Wier will read from their work today, Nov. 18, in Gailor Auditorium, beginning at 4:45 p.m. All are cordially invited to attend the reading, as well as the book-signing opportunity and reception that will follow.

Bausch is the author of 11 novels and eight short story collections, and holds the Moss Chair of Excellence at the Writing Program of the University of Memphis. Wier has published four novels and a collection of stories. He holds the Hodges' Chair for Distinguished Teaching at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

The reading is presented by the English department and the Sewanee Writers' Conference.

## Sewanee Trust To Visit McCrady Home

The Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation will meet at 5 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 18, in the entrance hall of Elliott Residence Hall. After a brief business meeting, at which nominees for next year's officers will be introduced, the group will walk to the Dunbar House, located on the corner of Tennessee and Oklahoma avenues and now the home of Waring McCrady, University professor emeritus. All are welcome.

McCrady bought the Dunbar House in 1972, and has been renovating it ever since. The house was built in 1873, and the materials were salvaged from several other historic Sewanee structures, which McCrady has used in his redesign. He will describe the sources of these materials and how they have been used by him. Light refreshments will be served.

The second Sewanee Trust event of the semester will be held in early December. John Tilford, the outgoing president of the Trust's board, will lead a walk-through of the new and nearly finished archives facility next to duPont Library. The community is invited to attend and to become members of the Sewanee Trust for Historic Preservation.

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## Hoagland Presents Research at Scientific Meeting

Carolyn Hoagland, a student at the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga, recently presented her research at the 2010 Annual Meeting and International Research Conference of Sigma Xi, the Scientific Research Society, in Raleigh, N.C.

Hoagland, an undergraduate senior in environmental science, was selected for the Volkswagen Distinguished Scholar Program at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL). She spent last summer studying the role of farmers' choices in bioenergy scenarios. At ORNL, she worked with agricultural economist Mark Downing and anthropologist Amy Wolfe.

"Most ethanol produced in the United States is currently made from corn grain, and the government would like to limit that process and encourage ethanol to be pro-



Carolyn Hoagland

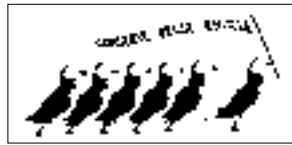
duced instead from non-food crops like switchgrass or hybrid poplar," Hoagland said.

While many aspects of farmers' choices and U.S. farm policy are complex, Hoagland was able to determine that high quality farm ground is unlikely to be converted to cellulosic energy crops if farmers are concerned

about making a profit.

"Current subsidies for cellulosic energy crops are not competitive with subsidies for food commodities. Poor ground that is unable to support food crops is often placed in conservation reserve programs, or is used as low input pasture. These poor quality acres can sometimes be profitably converted to switchgrass or other energy crops, but only if a biorefinery is nearby to buy the biomass energy crop," Hoagland said.

Hoagland plans to graduate from UTC in August 2011.



## Sewanee Veterans Day Dinner Features Address by Watkins

This year the members, Auxillary and guests of Sewanee American Legion Post #51 held its annual Veterans Day Dinner in the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center. After Commander James Rollins led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag, all enjoyed an outstanding potluck meal.

The speaker for the event, Legion Adjutant the Rev. Charley Watkins, gave an informal talk about his observations of the ministry of military chaplains in Vietnam and of his duties and experiences as chaplain of the Franklin County Sheriff's Department.

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## Franklin County Library Hosts Book Clubs

The Franklin County Library offers several ongoing events for youth and adults. On the first and third Friday of each month the Teen Action Group meets at 4 p.m. in the library. A smashed fairy tale is in the works. This group is writing, directing and producing a hilarious play and they need area youth to pitch in. Anyone interested can call 967-3706 and ask for Tina Stevens, youth services director, or come to the next meeting.

Turn the Page teen book club meets the last Friday of every month at 3:30 p.m., with the exception of November due to the Thanksgiving holiday. The Bookies, an engaging adult book club, meets every second Thursday at 3 p.m.

The Franklin County Library is located on 105 South Porter St., Winchester. For information call 967-3706 or visit <franklincountylibrary.org>.

## Visit the Sewanee Senior Citizens Holiday Bazaar Nov. 29–Dec. 3

The Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center will host its annual Christmas Bazaar the week of Nov. 29–Dec. 3. Sale items will include canned goods (jams, jellies, pickles), relishes (chow-chow), fried pies and other goodies, hand-knitted hats and scarves, hand-sewn kitchen aprons, table runners, place mats and coasters, jewelry bags, purses and bags, draft stoppers and white elephant items.

A burgundy snowball quilt will be given away at the drawing on Dec. 21 at noon (you do not need to be present to win). Tickets to win the quilt are \$1 each. The Senior Center is located at 5 Ball Park Rd., behind the Sewanee Market. For information call 598-0771.

## Artist Fellowships

Individual Artist Fellowships are available from the Tennessee Arts Commission for fiscal year 2012 (July 1, 2011–June 30, 2012). Applications must be submitted electronically and in printed form and received no later than Monday, Jan. 24, 2011, 4:30 p.m. (CST). The printed application and required documents must also be postmarked or hand delivered to the Tennessee Arts Commission by the same date and time.

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Art form and discipline fellowship categories are craft; dance (performance and choreography); literary arts (fiction/creative nonfiction and poetry); media (film, video and photography); music (vocal performance and composition); theater (acting); and visual arts (two-dimensional).

Fellowship applicants must be at least 18 years of age and be legal residents of Tennessee at the time of application with a permanent Tennessee mailing address. Individuals may apply in only one fellowship category each fiscal year. Artists who have received full or partial fellowships in the past may not reapply for a fellowship.

For more information contact the appropriate program director: music, dance and theater, Hal Partlow, (615) 532-9801 or <hal.partlow@tn.gov>; visual arts, craft and media, Julie Horn (615) 532-9798 or <julie.horn@tn.gov>; literary arts, Lee Baird, (615) 532-0493 or <lee.baird@tn.gov>.

Guidelines, application forms and other information are available on the commission's website: <www.arts.state.tn.us>.

## Otey Presents “Living Well, Dying Well” Series

The Bishop Otey Society of Otey Memorial Parish is offering the popular “Living Well, Dying Well” series. Presentations will be held on Nov. 21, Dec. 12, and Jan. 9. All are invited to join the discussions beginning at 10 a.m. in the Quintard Room in Otey parish hall on University Avenue.

On Sunday, Nov. 21, the Rev. Francis Walter will share and lead discussion on “The Final Conversation.”

## Nativity Exhibit in Tullahoma

First United Methodist Church in Tullahoma will host the seventh annual “And It Came to Pass” Nativity exhibit on Saturday, Dec. 4, through Tuesday, Dec. 7.

Hours are 10 a.m.–4 p.m. every day except Sunday, Dec. 5, when the exhibit will be open from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. and following the FUMC Sanctuary Choir Christmas Cantata, “Winter’s Grace—A Service of Peace and Light” by Joseph M. Martin at 7 p.m.

A Nativity luncheon is available by reservation from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 7, in the Family Activity Center located behind the church. Cost is \$10. Reservations should be made before Dec. 1 by calling Mary Lee Hoge at (931) 455-3367.

The exhibit features diverse collections of more than 600 nativity scenes and Christmas angels—some rare and exquisite and others simple cherished family keepsakes. From mud figures to fine porcelains, the represented crèche all serve a single purpose—to remind Christians of a miraculous birth over 2,000 years ago.

For additional information, call Jeanne Honeycutt, (931) 857-9286; Emily Thoma, (931) 455-2093; or Nancy Thompson, (931) 455-0835.

## Local Artist Hosts Christmas Open House

The community is invited to a unique Christmas Open House event hosted by local Sewanee artist Gayle Forster, and her daughter, Laura Knight. The open house will be held at the Forsters' residence on 109 Wiggins Creek Dr., Sewanee, on Saturday, Nov. 20, 2–6 p.m., and will feature artwork and Mary Kay products. It will be a great opportunity for Christmas shopping without leaving the mountain!

Gayle Forster of Gayle Forster Designs will display handcrafted jewelry, belt buckles, paintings, floral arrangements, purses, handbags and more. Knight, a Mary Kay independent beauty consultant, will showcase some of this year's most popular skin care and cosmetic gift items. Refreshments will be served and there will be prize drawings.

For information visit <gayleforsterdesigns.com> and <www.marykay.com/lauraeknight>.

## St. Mary's Sewanee Announces Advent Retreats

The following retreats will be offered at St. Mary's Sewanee Center for Spiritual Development during the Advent season. The center is located on 770 St. Mary's Lane, Sewanee.

On Friday–Sunday, Dec. 3–5, “Waiting for the Lord” will be led by the Rev. Dexter Sutton Brewer. The residential fee is \$275, and the commuter fee is \$175, with a deposit of \$50.

On Friday–Sunday, Dec. 10–12, a “Centering Prayer Advent Retreat” will be led by the Rev. Tom Ward and the Rev. David Frazelle. The residential fee is \$275, with a deposit of \$50.

Further information on any of the retreats may be requested by phoning 598-5342 or visit <www.stmaryssewanee.org>. To join the mailing list, e-mail <stmaryssewanee@bellsouth.net>.

## Senior Citizens' Center Offers Thanksgiving Luncheon Nov. 23

On Tuesday, Nov. 23, the Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center will host its annual Thanksgiving luncheon at noon. The menu includes turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, sweet potato casserole, green beans, apple rings, rolls and dessert. The price is \$6 a plate. Reservations are required and can be made by calling 598-0771. Take-out orders are available. The center is located on 5 Ball Park Rd., behind the Sewanee Market.

## Pharmaceuticals in Treated Wastewater Presentation

A student presentation by Sewanee senior Erica Teasley about pharmaceuticals in treated wastewater and streams draining into the Sewanee Utility District watershed and the potential for water reuse in Sewanee will be given on Nov. 19, at 3 p.m. in Blackman Auditorium. This is the last presentation of the Student Research Symposia for the fall term, not the first as reported in last week's Messenger. The Student Research Symposia is an annual series featuring students discussing their research and scholarly work in a variety of fields. Eight talks were presented in the fall and a new schedule of talks is being prepared for the spring.

Two Sewanee students, Teasley and senior Julie Bennett, supervised by professors Deborah McGrath and Ken Smith, spent last summer conducting research on the potential for reuse of SUD-treated wastewater in times of drought. This is a cooperative project among the University of the South, SUD and Tennessee Tech University.

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## Sewanee Union Theatre

*Cinema Guild Tonight*  
**Thursday, Nov. 18, at 7:30 p.m.**  
**Pink Floyd: The Wall**  
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Inspired by the album of the same name, director Alan Parker's revolutionary rock opera traces the troubled past of Pink (Bob Geldof), a depressed rock star at the end of his rope. With the wall as a metaphor for self-inflicted isolation, Pink is lost in despair, feeling trapped and desperately searching for a way out. The Wall's stylized blend of drama, music and Gerald Scarfe's brilliant animation earned the film instant cult status. ([www.netflix.com](http://www.netflix.com))

*Sewanee Union Theatre This Weekend*  
**Friday–Sunday, Nov. 19–21, at 7:30 p.m.**  
**Eat Pray Love**  
133 minutes • PG-13 • Admission \$3

Julia Roberts stars in this adaptation of Elizabeth Gilbert's best-selling memoir about coping with a depressing divorce. After deciding to reshape her life, Liz (Roberts) travels the world in search of direction. She heads to Italy, India and Bali, indulging in delicious cuisine while seeking the true meaning of self-love, family, friendship and forgiveness. Along the way, she meets a bevy of characters and, possibly, her true love. ([www.netflix.com](http://www.netflix.com))

**No Cinema Guild Next Week—HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**

*Sewanee Union Theatre Next Week*  
**Wednesday, Friday–Sunday, Nov. 24, 26–28, at 7:30 p.m.**  
**Despicable Me**  
95 minutes • PG • Admission \$3

Villainous Gru (Steve Carell) lives up to his reputation as a despicable, deplorable and downright unlikable guy when he hatches a plan to steal the moon from the sky. But he has a tough time staying on task after three orphans land in his care. Julie Andrews voices the role of Gru's malevolent mother in this comical, animated tale with Jason Segel, Kristen Wiig, Will Arnett and Danny McBride rounding out the ensemble cast. ([www.netflix.com](http://www.netflix.com))

*Next Cinema Guild*  
**Thursday, Dec. 2, at 7:30 p.m.**  
**Blue Velvet**  
120 minutes • R • Admission FREE

## Final Opportunity to View Breyer's "After Disappearance"

The University Art Gallery's exhibit of Nell Breyer's, "After Disappearance," an exploration of human movement through live streaming and video installation, ends Nov. 21.

Breyer explores the experience, understanding and representation of movement. Beginning from the premise that the most essential element of movement is change, Breyer worked with software engineers to develop a video-processing program that captures and displays only those elements that change between frames.

Visitors to "After Disappearance" will experience an interactive environment that makes their own actions part of the artwork. Gestures and motion will be captured and projected, "creating a living, unfolding and ephemeral drawing." Breyer seeks to "reveal what is both vibrant and evasive about the moving body" and to make us more conscious of our own physical experience.

Breyer is an artist and research affiliate at Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Center for Advanced Visual Studies and the MIT Program

for Art, Culture and Technology. She received a bachelor's degree in art and humanities from Yale, a master of science degree in cognitive neuroscience from Oxford University and a master of science degree in media arts and sciences from MIT.

Her work has received wide national and international recognition, with choreographic works performed in locations from the Institute of Contemporary Art in Boston, to the Haymarket Theater in London, to the Bangladesh National Museum Auditorium. Her commissioned public art and video installation works have appeared in the Contemporary Art Museum, St. Louis, and the Museum of Contemporary Art in Rovereto and Trento, Italy.

The University Art Gallery is located on Georgia Avenue and is free, accessible and open to the public Tuesday through Friday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday, noon–4 p.m. For more information call 598-1223 or visit <[www.sewanee.edu/gallery](http://www.sewanee.edu/gallery)>.



## Thurmond Library Book Sale Dec. 2–3

Thurmond Memorial Library will hold a book sale in the main room of the Otey parish hall on Thursday, Dec. 2, and Friday, Dec. 3, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Anyone with books to donate to the sale, please drop them off outside of the library or leave a message requesting pickup at 598-0422.

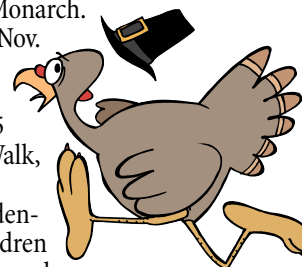
New books at Thurmond Library this week include "At Home, A Short History of Private Life" by Bill Bryson. Readers may be familiar with Bryson's earlier best sellers, "A Walk in the Woods" and "A Short History of Nearly Everything." Bryson is an American who lives with his family in a converted Victorian parsonage in England. One day he realizes how little he knows about the everyday things that make his house a comfortable home. Consequently, Bryson decides to wander from room to room, charting what he calls "a history of the world without leaving home." For example, the bedroom lends itself to accounts of sleep, sex and death. The kitchen brings up musings on nutrition and the spice route. Bryson uses his special talent of showing the seemingly mundane in a fascinating light, and delivers a lively, informative and amusing account of the evolution of private life.

After writing a string of thrilling best sellers, beginning with "The Eye of the Needle" in the early 1980s, it seemed that author Ken Follett had taken a hiatus from writing. He surprised everyone with the release of "The Pillars of the Earth," a meticulously researched tome about the construction of a cathedral in medieval England. "Pillars" was a critically acclaimed, global best seller as was its sequel, "World Without End." Now Follett returns with another historical epic, "Fall of the Giants," the first book in the century trilogy. Volume one follows the lives of five families—American, Russian, German, English and Welsh—as they navigate the twists and turns of fortune brought on by World War I. Like Follett's previous historical fiction, this book is long (985 pages), but it is a captivating journey that will leave you wishing for the next book.

## Run for Blue Monarch in Turkey Trot 5k Race This Weekend

The Turkey Trot is a 5k race in Sewanee sponsored by the Theta Pi, Theta Kappa Phi, Phi Sigma Theta and Phi Kappa Epsilon sororities and the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity to raise funds for Blue Monarch. This year's Turkey Trot 5k will be on Saturday, Nov. 20, starting at the Theta Pi house in Sewanee with check-in beginning at 10:15 a.m. Registration will be available on race day for \$15 for all ages. There is a One Mile Fun Run/Walk, which starts at noon.

Blue Monarch is a 12–24 month long residential recovery community for women and children who are suffering from abusive relationships and addiction. This year's Turkey Trot will be particularly special, as one of Blue Monarch's recent graduates has been training for the 5k.



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*The Culprits (Nick Evans, Will Evans and Zach Blount of Sewanee) have released a second EP, "Around Around."*

## Culprits Release Second EP

Despite their lead singer's departure this fall to Davidson College and a major flood that kept them out of a Nashville recording studio, The Culprits, an alternative indie rock band from Sewanee, have managed to win new fans with their second extended play (EP) recording, "Around Around." The recording's four tracks include the title song and a crowd-pleaser from their live shows, "She Loves the Beat."

The three-man group from Sewanee—Nick Evans on lead vocals and guitar, Will Evans on drums and Zach Blount on bass guitar—began writing "Around Around" in early 2009. In addition to the title song, they composed 10 more tunes. With the guidance of previous Warm Gun Records producer Chad Erickson, the guys chose the four tracks to record for their second outing. "If there is one word to describe the EP it would be 'upbeat,'" says Will.

"Last spring the Nashville studio we were planning to record in flooded," explains Nick. "Thanks to professor Stephen Miller, we were able to move our recording to Sewanee." Miller is associate professor in the music department. The band hauled their gear into St. Luke's Chapel to begin recording. Zach says, "Recording is tedious work; your performance and technique have to be flawless, which can be difficult at 2 a.m. I think Sewanee was ready for us to finish, too. Exam week is not the best time to plug up an electric guitar in the middle of the night, but we didn't get too many complaints." The hardest part of the process for the band was trying to be patient through the five months of production. In October the tracks, which include "1964" and "Neon," were finally mastered and ready to be heard.

IndieShows Blog says of the new EP, available on iTunes and Amazon, "I'm feeling pretty good right now. The culprit? The Culprits! I'm listening to 'Around Around,' and seriously,

## Dutch Maid Bakery Topic of Coffee & Conversation

The University's Community Engagement House will host "Coffee & Conversation" on Thursday, Nov. 18, 5–6 p.m. Come get to know Cindy Day, owner of Dutch Maid Bakery in Tracy City. Day will discuss the experience of owning a bakery and how the University community can relate with the community of Tracy City.

Enjoy free coffee, tea and yummy treats! The Community Engagement House is the white house with a red roof and is located at the corner of Alabama and Mitchell avenues. For information contact <hansokd@sewanee.edu>.

as soon as I clicked 'play,' my worries fled my body to make room for this great, catchy music."

Now the band is trying to maintain their live performance schedule despite Nick's move to Davidson, N.C. Zach and Will are juniors at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. "Nick is expecting us to follow him to Davidson," says Zach, "but we're keeping open minds." Will is looking at Princeton and Amherst, and Zach is considering his options, including Kenyon College and Williams College.

In the meantime, the band gets together for writing and playing in Sewanee during school breaks. When summer rolls around, The Culprits plan to take complete advantage of their reunion with a full performance schedule.

For more information visit <www.theculpritsmusic.com>.

## Holiday Area Happenings

### Sewanee

The annual Sewanee Arts and Crafts Association (SACA) CHRISTMAS FAIR will be held Saturday, Nov. 20, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. in upper Cravens Hall on Kentucky Avenue.

The Sewanee Senior Citizens' Center will host its annual Christmas Bazaar the week of Nov. 29–Dec. 3. The center is located at 5 Ball Park Rd., behind the Sewanee Market. For information call 598-0771.

### Cowan

COWAN CHRISTMAS PARADE — "The Characters of Christmas" begins at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 4, at Cookie's Corner and proceeds down Cumberland Street to end at Cowan Elementary School. Also visit "Twas the Night Before" Christmas Boutique in Monterey Station, beginning Friday, Dec. 3, with a visit and photos with Santa, cookie decorating for the children and shopping.

### Lynchburg

OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS IN LYNCHBURG on Saturday, Dec. 4, occurs in the historic town square. Enjoy great food, storytelling and a variety of activities. Tour the Walking Horse Museum, Moore County Jail Museum, Jack Daniels Distillery and local homes. For information call (931) 759-4111 or visit <www.lyncburgtn.com>.

### Monteagle

THE LIGHTED CHRISTMAS PARADE will be held in downtown Monteagle on Saturday, Dec. 4, beginning at 5 p.m. Children are invited to visit Mr. and Mrs. Santa at the Harton Park Gazebo after the parade. This year's parade theme is "We're Having an Old-fashioned Christmas." For information call the Monteagle Chamber of Commerce at (931) 924-5353.

## Thanksgiving Marketplace and Cream Tea at Historic Rugby

Step back in time on Friday, Nov. 26, at Historic Rugby, Tenn., for the annual British Cream Tea and The Shoppes of Rugby's Thanksgiving Marketplace. It's a delightful alternative to Black Friday madness.

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Call Historic Rugby at (888) 214-3400 to make reservations for the tea or for information on Thanksgiving Marketplace or Christmas at Rugby on Dec. 4 or visit <www.historicrugby.org>. British-founded Historic Rugby is located on State Scenic Hwy. 52.

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## Gallery Installation Explores Space and Place

Sewanee's Carlos and University Art Galleries present Glenn Herbert Davis's "Pale; place into parts," a two-part installation exploring demarcations of space and definitions of place. Opening events will begin on Friday, Dec. 3, at 4:30 p.m. in the Carlos Gallery of the Nabit Art Building with a brief artist's talk and continue in the University Art Gallery at 5:15 p.m. with a performance by the artist. Refreshments will be provided in both galleries.

Everyone is welcome to come to one or both locations to see the work unfold. The installations will be on view from Dec. 3 through Feb. 13, 2011, with the exception of Sewanee's winter break, Dec. 17–Jan. 17.

A "pale" is defined by the Oxford English Dictionary as "a stake, fence or boundary." By extension, a pale is also a domain, a territory or a field of knowledge. To go "beyond the pale" is to violate boundaries, to behave in a way that transgresses acceptable limits. A simple piece of wood driven into the ground is a statement about power. Are you in, or are you out?

In his work Davis explores "relationships between the individual human body and (contrived) systems." By creating buildings, tools and pieces of furniture that frustrate viewers' expectations about function and use, he seeks to challenge the assumptions that inform our behavior as we respond to our environment.

Davis cites a diverse range of influ-

ences for his work, including architect Gerrit Rietveld for his engagement with materials and artist Chris Burden for the challenges he posed to the limitations of his own body. They also include the films of Buster Keaton and Charlie Chaplin for the witty and practical triumph of their characters over impersonal systems. Davis received a master of fine arts degree from the Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfields, Mich., in 2000. He was awarded a 2010 Oklahoma Visual Arts Fellowship from the Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition.

A significant portion of the lumber used in these installations was salvaged, made possible by the diligent efforts of Sewanee's Physical Plant Services, as well as associate professor Greg Pond, Tyler Cooney and the University Art Gallery's team of gallery attendants. Their efforts are greatly appreciated.

The University Art Gallery is located at 68 Georgia Ave. The gallery is free, accessible and open to the public. Hours are 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Tuesday–Friday; 12–4 p.m., Saturday and Sunday. For more information call 598-1223, or visit <www.sewanee.edu/gallery>.

The Carlos Gallery in the Nabit Art Building is located at 105 Kennerly Rd. Parking is available in the gravel parking lot behind the building. The gallery is free, accessible and open to the public. Hours are 8 a.m.–5 p.m., Tuesday–Friday; 12–5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday. For more information call 598-1870.

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### SES Turkey Protection Project

Sewanee Elementary School first-graders have once again taken on the task of creating Thanksgiving turkeys and disguising them so that they will make it safely through the holidays. Some of these imaginative creations are pictured here—see them in color at <[www.sewaneemessenger.com](http://www.sewaneemessenger.com)>. Look for more throughout next week's Messenger, which will be available on Wednesday, Nov. 24.



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# School Scoop



The second-graders at Sewanee Elementary (above) have been busy studying how to write a friendly letter. The students put what they had learned into practice and wrote to friends and family members. The students then visited the Sewanee Post Office to mail their dispatches. Below, Myers Gorrell mails his letter with the help of his friend Camden Eslick.



Grundy County High School French and art students participated in a field trip to the Frist Museum in Nashville on Nov. 10. The students viewed more than 100 French Impressionist paintings from the Orsay Museum in Paris created by artists Monet, Manet, Cezanne, Renoir, and others. Grundy County High School advisors are French teacher Scott Sloan, art teacher Elizabeth Bell, and English teacher and yearbook advisor Judi Brown.

## What's Cooking at SES?

**Monday-Friday,  
Nov. 22-26  
LUNCH**

**MON:** Chicken strips, steamed broccoli, whole wheat roll, pears; or grilled cheese sack.

**TUE:** Turkey, dressing, green beans, sweet potatoes, whole wheat roll, cherry tart; or grilled cheese or yogurt sack.

**WED:** No classes.

**THU:** No classes. Happy Thanksgiving!

**FRI:** No classes.

### BREAKFAST

**MON:** Mini pancakes or cereal.

**TUE:** Steak biscuit, cereal.

**WED:** No classes.

**THU:** No classes.

**FRI:** No classes.

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

## Local Students Make Honors Lists at SAS

The following students from Sewanee, Monteagle, Cowan and Decherd have been named to the honors lists at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School for the most recent grading period. Overall, 109 students, including 48 boarders and 61 day students achieved academic distinction for this term.

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

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Martin Brownridge  
J.R. Clay  
Katie Craighill  
Will Evans  
Blythe Ford  
Emma Clare Holleman  
Eliza McNair  
Sadie Shackelford  
Emily Thomas  
Will Thomas  
Kate Wiley  
Helen Wilson  
Marisa Wilson

### Honors

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Sarah Beavers  
Alex Berner-Coe  
Ethan Burns  
John Fisher  
Camas Gazzola  
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Franklin County Swim Team members pictured (L-R) are (front row) Sam Smith, Drew Keith, Adam Farris, Jose Serna, Pachel Cortazzo, Logan Glover and Blake Shaw; (middle row) Jacob Clark, Dean Graves, Wesley Dittmar, Kelsey Wiggs, Autumn Bowman and coach Sue Hiscock; (back row) Moira Buck, Tabitha Pyclik, Taryn Burgraff, Shalby Shaw, Hannah Gipson, Sydni Wilkinson and Caroline Thompson.

## Franklin County Swim Team

The Franklin County Swim Team, consisting of members from Franklin County High School, Huntland, North Middle School, South Middle School, Good Shepherd School and home-schooled students, has plunged into their 2010-11 season. On Nov. 4 the swimmers participated in their opening meet against Tullahoma and Lincoln County. The high school and middle school teams were victorious, with several swimmers reaching qualifying standards for regional competition.

On Nov. 9, the team traveled to Sewanee for a dual contest against the Mountain Lions of St. Andrew's-Sewanee School. It was a close competition, with the high school teams tying in combined scoring. The Franklin County middle school swimmers bested the Mountain Lions in overall competition.

On November 11 Franklin County swimmers were back in their home pool, with a meet featuring swimmers from Zion Christian Academy, Tullahoma, Spring Hill Middle School, Lawrence County High School, Lawrence County Middle School and the Home School Wahoos. It was quite a night, with Franklin County swimming again victorious in overall competition.

## Sewanee Cross Country Teams Bring Home All-Region Honors

The Sewanee women's and men's cross country teams competed in the South/Southeast Regionals on Nov. 13 in Memphis, and three runners brought home All-Region honors. Cara Martin of Oklahoma City, Okla., placed 30th in the women's race and in the men's race, Clay Bond of Atlanta and John Gilmer of Mobile came across the line in 24th and 26th places, respectively.

Coach Jeff Heitzenrater was very pleased with his team's effort, citing that nine of the 14 Sewanee runners posted their best times of the year. Martin posted a time of 23:22 in the women's 6k race, while Willow Smith of Rhinelander, Wisc., finished in a time of 24:41, good for 71st place. Rhodes College captured the women's team title. Sewanee finished in 16th place. Bond (26:24) and Gilmer (26:32) led the Tiger men's team to a 12th-place team finish. Lynchburg College was the men's team champion.



# Sports Scoreboard



Curtis Johnson (#1) scores a touchdown in Saturday's Homecoming football game. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Tigers Lose Close One to Rhodes

In front of a massive Homecoming crowd, the Sewanee Tigers and the Rhodes College Lynx battled for the Orgill Trophy on a beautiful, crisp November afternoon, before falling in a heartbreaker to Rhodes, 20-16, on Nov. 13. The Sewanee football team took a 16-13 lead late in the fourth quarter before the Lynx were able to score with less than a minute left. The Tigers put together one last rallying drive, but were not able to pull it out.

The Tigers finish out the 2010 season with a 1-9 record and a 0-7 record in SCAC play. Rhodes finishes the year with a 4-6 record and a 3-4 record in the conference. Sewanee graduates six seniors: Michael Boller, Chalankis Brown, Geoffrey Marolda, Blake Satterfield, McLain Sill, and John Ugorji.

The Sewanee Tigers put together their best complete effort of the season. Offensively, the Tigers came up with 160 rushing yards. Lee Schurlknight completed six passes on just 17 attempts, with five of those attempts coming on the last drive, for 95 yards and one touchdown. The Tigers never turned the ball over on their way to 14 first downs in the contest.

Zeke Wilson led the Tiger charge with 103 rushing yards on 25 tries. Johnson came up with 57 yards on 16 attempts. Ugorji led the receiving corps with 35 yards, while Johnson hauled in 23. Marolda punted seven times for an average of 36.3 yards per punt.

Defensively, Zac Atkins led a Tiger effort that put on a show. Atkins finished with an astounding 17 tackles, nine of which were solo. Alfonza Knight finished with 10 tackles, giving him 101 on the season. J.D. Crabtree tallied seven tackles, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery. John Philip Boudreaux came up with four tackles, a fumble recovery and an interception return for 24 yards.

## Three Tigers Gain All-SCAC Field Hockey Honors

Three Sewanee seniors were recognized recently with All-SCAC Field Hockey honors. Caroline Carlin and Caitlin McNaughton were both named to the All-SCAC Field Hockey First Team, while fellow senior Taylor Skeen was named Honorable Mention.

Carlin, a midfielder from Gladwyne, Pa., was named to the first team for the third year in a row. Carlin started all 17 games for the Tigers in 2010 and tied for the team lead with eight goals. She tallied two assists over the course of the year to bring her point total to a team-leading 18. Over her four years as a Tiger, Carlin has started 72 games, tallying 25 points and four assists, while amassing 54 points.

Joining Carlin on the first team is fellow senior McNaughton. McNaughton, a defender from Middleburg, Va., serves as an anchor for the Tiger defense. This year marks her first appearance on the All-SCAC First Team after being named honorable mention in 2009. McNaughton has started 52 games as a defender and recorded four goals, three assists, and 13 points while wearing the Tiger uniform for four years.

Also honored by the conference was Taylor Skeen, a forward from Baltimore, Md. Skeen finished out the year second on the team with six points. She started 17 games for the Tigers and gained one assist, bringing her season point total to 13.

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## Lady Tigers Fall to Broadview

The Sewanee Elementary School girls' basketball team took on a tough Broadview Elementary School team in basketball action on Nov. 11.

Broadview had the lead at the half, 5-2. The Lady Tigers did well rebounding and stopping Broadview's leading scorers. Offensive miscues and passing turnovers plagued SES throughout the game. The Lady Tigers hustled the whole game and did not give up, but fell 17-8.

Leading scorer for SES was Blake Collins with four. Alesha Gray and Emilie LaVoie-Ingram got on the scoreboard with two points each. SES is now 1-1 for the season.

SES faces Huntland on Nov. 18 in Cowan Elementary at 6:30 p.m..

## SAS and North Middle Girls' Basketball Match Up

On Thursday night, Nov. 11, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee and North Middle School girls' basketball teams squared off. SAS Mountain Lions tried their hardest to overcome the pressure by North, but could not make up the early deficit from the first half. With a first quarter score of 19-2, the Mountain Lions played catch-up the rest of the match, but after a few minor adjustments, the girls were able to finish the match strong. The Mountain Lions continue to improve, as the final score of 23-44 gave SAS the highest score so far this season and North the victory. Isabel Butler scored all 23 points for the Mountain Lions.



## Shannon Brown Memorial 5k Angel Run/Walk Set for Dec. 4

The Shannon Brown Memorial 5k Angel Run/Walk will be held on Saturday, Dec. 4, beginning at 9 a.m. Racers should pre-register by Nov. 24 to guarantee receiving a T-shirt. Registration also takes place at 8 a.m. at Pelham Elementary School, before the start of the race. The school is located at 2402 State Route 50, Pelham.

The event is sponsored by the Angel Fund as a memorial to Shannon Brown, a teacher at Pelham Elementary School, who died in January 2009. The proceeds will benefit the Shannon Brown Scholarship Fund.

Entry fees are \$15 for pre-registered runners/walkers, \$20 the day of the race and \$10 for the Kids Fun Run. Prizes will be awarded in all race categories. For information call Mary Jo Gallagher at (931) 212-6048.

## SAS Middle School Boys Basketball Report

On Nov. 4, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee Middle School boys' basketball team defeated Pelham, 38-5. Jake Wiley had 10 assists, and Sam Thomas had eight points, to lead the way.

On Nov. 9, SAS hosted the Montecagle Hornets and suffered their first loss of the season 66-20. The lopsided score did not reflect some aspects of the game, according to coach William Seavey. "We haven't learned how to play effectively against such a tall team and our passing needs work, but we hustled just as well as they did and displayed better skills in some respects. I'm satisfied with our effort and desire," he said. Kyle Johnston had 10 points and numerous steals to lead the Mountain Lions, while Andrew Heitzenrater had eight; Sam Smith, six; and Henry Fisher and Alex Hanson, two points each. Terrince Branhall had 36 for Montecagle.

On Nov. 11, SAS was surpassed in height at every position for the second game in a row, but the team nevertheless learned from the past and made this contest a close one against the North Warriors, with the final score 37-53 in North's favor. Johnston scored 15 points and showed great defensive hustle. Heitzenrater drained three three-pointers; Casey Willis had five; Sam Smith, four; and Fritz Stein chipped in a free throw.

## SAS Swim Team Ties FCHS

The swim meet between St. Andrew's-Sewanee School and Franklin County High School ended in a tie, 85-85, on Nov. 9.

The SAS girls' swim team led the way in this tight meet with points scored by Eliza McNair, Katie Craig-hill, Sophie Register, Helen Wilson and Marisa Wilson. The girls scored points in all of their races.

The boys' team was led by Zach Blount and Will Evans, who finished first in all of their events. Also scoring for the boys in all of their races were Jimmie Joe Boone and Sidney Durant.

## Overtime with Coach Shack

By John Shackelford

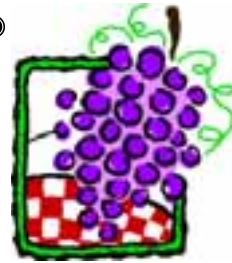


Sweet potato casserole, Sunday morning newspapers, youth-sport volunteer coaches, Sewanee Elementary School teachers, matrons in the dorms, Division III athletics, cold-weather football games on a flat screen in HD, cotton farmers, cleanup volunteers in the Gulf, four great daughters, good books, rain on a metal roof and fog between the trees, Wrightsville Beach in the summer, cousins on the holidays, 70s music, the smell of deer repellent on a warm summer morning, people who ride their bikes to work, buttered popcorn at the movies, Hospice nurses, Coca-Cola in a frosty 8-oz. glass bottle, students who climb rocks, bike up mountains and paddle rivers, our admissions staff, the tuition exchange program, lunch at Shenanigans, the birth of electric cars, small towns, our new sign, artists from Haiti, the town square in Winchester, the right tool for the right job, a pizza from the Sewanee Market late at night or from Crust for lunch, the Messenger on Thursdays, basketball season and the Tar Heels, no Yankees in the World Series, professors that spend time with their students just like the brochure says, the Piggly Wiggly, campaign ads that are over, the PPS staff, a child asleep on your shoulder, need-based aid, leaves that change colors, my dog Annie waiting for me by the car, teenage boys smart enough to stay on my good side, the Blue Chair and the Blue Monarch, yoga instructors, the ice at Sonic, screen porches, new landscaping, alums who don't forget, freshly baked bread from the Bread Peddler, the Plateau, people who keep and balance the books so I don't have to, tennis campers on bikes, Spring Break with my team, the Fowler Center, SAS students, faculty and staff, Google search, sunset at the Cross, the senior students' exit from All Saints' at graduation, arriving students at PRE, the library at Otey and preschool teachers in the basement below, locally run businesses, visits from grandma, long past broken-in sweat-shirts, friends that make you run when you don't want to, Rails-to-Trails, parents who read to their kids, poor cell phone reception, dinner time with the family, the next game, good friends from Como, Mississippi, stuffing with turkey gravy, ice tea, homemade chocolate chip cookies, World Cup games from South Africa, mission statements that are tucked away unread in a file somewhere, home runs hit by little leaguers, trick or treating in Sewanee, the red tag sale price of women's and girls' clothes at Ross, TJ Maxx or Marshall's and knowing that it isn't me doing the shopping, the fact that things and people are rarely what they seem to be, good advice, recycling at the convenience center, a great playlist on someone's iPod, a well-written letter on paper, children coming home from college, people who recognize that the opposite viewpoint is a necessary and equal part of the equation, "Godfather I" & "II," "Rocky," "The Big Chill" and "Bull Durham" or anything with Robert Duvall, a gorgeous wife who is a better coach than me, orange juice with breakfast, key lime pie, one stop light. . .

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Mon	Nov 08	64	38
Tue	Nov 09	67	38
Wed	Nov 10	72	46
Thu	Nov 11	66	49
Fri	Nov 12	74	49
Sat	Nov 13	70	44
Sun	Nov 14	67	48

### Week's Stats:

Avg max temp =	69
Avg min temp =	45
Avg temp =	51
Precipitation =	0.12"

Reported by Nicole Nunley  
Forestry Technician

## State Park Events

### Friday, Nov. 19

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### Saturday, Nov. 20

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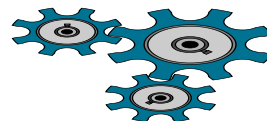
A Fall Party for Paws to benefit the Franklin County Humane Society and their shelter, Animal Harbor, will be held on Saturday, Nov. 20, 6–8 p.m. in the Sewanee Inn on University Avenue.

Tickets are \$30 per person, or bring a friend and pay \$50 for two. Tickets are available from Animal Care Center (967-6345), Town and Country Veterinary Hospital (967-3666), Bubbles and Bows (967-9397), Animal Harbor (962-4472), Carolyn Maher (962-9750), Andie Pate (308-8752), Cecelia Brodnoi (967-2065), Sue Ridyard at <sridyard@sewanee.edu> or 598-9260, Pat Thompson at <pthompson313@gmail.com> or 598-1657, and Susan Rupert at <sru pert@sewanee.edu> or 967-8903. The proceeds from this event will be used by Animal Harbor to rescue, care for and re-home companion animals.

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I kdown dot what it is to which I cligg  
That stirs to sogg add sorrow, yet I trust  
That still I sigg, but as the liddets sigg—  
Becuse I bust.

Add dow, farewell to roses add to birds,  
To larded figs add tigkligg streablets eke;  
Farewell to all articulate words  
I faid would speak.

Farewell, by cherished strolliggs od the sward,  
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## community calendar

### EVENTS

#### Today, Nov. 18

- 3:30 pm Mntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr, ages 5-7, till 4:30
- 3:30 pm Yoga w/Hadley, St Marys Sewanee
- 4:30 pm Mntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr, ages 8/ up, till 5:30
- 4:30 pm Fiction rdg, Bausch, Wier, Gailor, rcptn follows
- 5:00 pm Coffee/conversation, Cmty Engagemt Hse, corner Ala & Mitchell, till 6
- 5:00 pm STHP tour Dunbar Hse, meet front hall Elliott Res Hall to walk there
- 6:00 pm Buddhist sitting grp, St Augustines
- 6:30 pm Martial arts w/Raven, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 6:30 pm NA, Otey
- 7:30 pm Cinema Guild, Pink Floyd, The Wall, free, SUT
- 7:30 pm Fall of Rome, Iec, Barnes, Gailor, rcptn McGriff Alumni hse at 5:30
- 7:30 pm Theatre/Sew, Dancing at Lughnasa, Tn Wms Ctr
- 7:30 pm Young People AA, St James

#### Friday, Nov. 19

- 7:00 am AA, (open), Holy Comforter, M'eagle
- 7:30 am Curbside recycling pickup
- 8:30 am Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 9:00 am CAC open, Otey, till 11:30
- 10:00 am Game day, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
- 12:00 pm CAC Thanksgiving luncheon, Otey
- 12:00 pm Men Bible study, Otey
- 12:00 pm MESSENGER display adv dline
- 3:00 pm Stdnt Research Symposm, Rx meds in Treated Wastewater, Blackman
- 5:00 pm MESSENGER news/calendar dline
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:00 pm Taizé svc, St Lukes Chapel
- 7:30 pm Theatre/Sew, Dancing at Lughnasa, Tn Wms Ctr

#### Saturday, Nov. 20

- Deer Pre-cull, sunrise-sunset except 10 to 2
- SACA Christmas Fair, upper Cravens, 9 to 4
- SAS Thanksgiving break, thru 11/28
- 8:00 am Martial Arts w/Raven, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 10:15 am Turkey Trot 5K race, benefits Blue Monarch, regist, Theta Pi hse,
- 10:30 am Mntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr, beginners, till 11:30
- 11:30 am Mntop Tumblers, Sew Cmty Ctr, intermediate, till 12:30
- 12:00 pm Turkey Trot One Mile Fun Run/Walk
- 7:00 pm NA, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA (open), Otey parish hall
- 7:30 pm Theatre/Sew, Dancing at Lughnasa, Tn Wms Ctr

#### Sunday, Nov. 21

- Deer Pre-cull, sunrise-sunset except 10-2
- 10:00 am Living Well, Dying Well disc, Walters, Quintard rm, Otey parish hall
- 2:00 pm FOM, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 4:00 pm Adult yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 4:00 pm Women Bible study, Otey
- 6:30 pm AA (open), H Comforter, M'eagle
- 6:30 pm Growing in Grace, Jones, All Sts
- Monday, Nov. 22**
- 8:30 am Body Recall, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 10:30 am Chair exercise, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
- 12:00 pm MESSENGER classified deadline
- 1:30 pm Garden Club, Trink Beasley res
- 5:00 pm Women 12-step, Otey parish hall
- 7:00 pm AA, Christ Church, Tracy City
- 7:00 pm Centering prayer, Otey sanctuary

- 7:00 pm Community Council, Sr Cit Ctr
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Chorale, Hamilton Hall
- Tuesday, Nov. 23**
- 8:30 am Yoga w/Carolyn, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 9:00 am Yoga w/Hadley, St Marys Sew
- 10:30 am Bingo, Sr Cit Ctr, till 11:45
- 10:30 am Tai Chi w/Kat, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 4:00 pm Centering prayer, St Marys, till 5:30
- 6:30 pm Martial Arts w/Raven, Sew Cmty 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, Nov. 24

**COL, Soft, FC Schools, MES Thanksgiving Break, thru 11/26**

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**Sew Sr Cit Ctr closed, thru 11/26**

- 5:30 pm Adult yoga w/Helen, Sew Cmty Ctr
- 7:30 pm AA (open), H Comforter, M'eagle

#### Thursday, Nov. 25

##### Thanksgiving Day

- 12:00 pm AA (open), 924-3493 for location
- 6:00 pm Buddhist sitting grp, St Augustines
- 6:30 pm NA, Otey
- 7:30 pm Young People AA, St James

### CHURCH SERVICES

#### This Evening, Nov. 18

- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
- 5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys
- 5:45 pm S of T Community HE, COTA
- 6:30 pm Worship svc, Church of God

#### Friday, Nov. 19

- 7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys
- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, St Augustines
- 8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA
- 12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, COTA
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, St Augustines
- 5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys
- 5:40 pm Evening Prayer, COTA

#### Saturday, Nov. 20

- 8:00 am Holy Eucharist, St Marys

#### Sunday, Nov. 21

##### 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 am Catholic mass
- 8:00 pm Complines

##### 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 Worship and Fellowship
- 9:00 am Children Church School

#### 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, Nov. 22

- 7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys
- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, St Augustines
- 8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA
- 12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, COTA
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, St Augustines
- 5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys
- 5:40 pm Evening Prayer, COTA

#### Tuesday, Nov. 23

- 7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St Marys
- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, St Augustines
- 8:10 am Morning Prayer, COTA
- 12:00 pm Holy Eucharist in Spanish, COTA
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, St Augustines
- 5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys
- 5:40 pm Evening Prayer, COTA

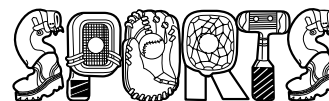
#### Wednesday, Nov. 24

- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey

#### Thursday, Nov. 25

##### Thanksgiving Day

- 7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey
- 9:00 am Holy Eucharist, St Marys
- 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Otey
- 4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey
- 5:30 pm Evening Prayer, St Marys



## HOME GAMES

### THIS WEEK

#### Today, Nov. 18

- 4:30 pm SAS V Girls' Basketball v Ridgeland HS (Ga.)
- 6 pm SAS JV Boys' Basketball v Richard Hardy Mem Sch
- 6:30 pm SES Girls' Basketball v Huntland
- 7 pm SAS V Boys' Basketball v Richard Hardy Mem Sch
- 7:30 pm SES Boys' Basketball v Huntland

#### Monday, Nov. 22

- 6:30 pm FCHS V Girls' Basketball v Blackman
- 8 pm FCHS V Boys' Basketball v Blackman

#### Tuesday, Nov. 23

- 6 pm Women's Basketball v Agnes Scott



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