

## Mountain Goat Trail Could Have \$1 Million Annual Impact on Local Economy

### Babson Center Issues Economic Analysis Report

The completed Mountain Goat Trail could bring more than \$1.2 million in annual economic benefits to the area, according to a report issued Nov. 20. The economic impact analysis was written by students who are part of the Babson Center for Global Commerce at Sewanee. The trail, when completed, will connect Cowan to Palmer.

"All the stakeholders connected with the Mountain Goat Trail—elected officials, business owners and private citizens—have always believed that the trail would bring economic as well as health benefits to the Mountain. Now, thanks to the Babson Center and the University of the South, we have research to support that belief," said Janice Thomas, board president of the Mountain Goat Trail Alliance.

The report was prepared by the Babson Center's class of 2015 Carey Fellows. Data used in the report included studies of other rail-to-trail projects, local demographic statistics and statistically relevant formulas for calculating effects of tourism on a local economy.

"The Mountain Goat Trail offers unique opportunities to connect communities, as well as attract tourists from across the Southeast. The construction of the trail also benefits the local communities in many ways, ranging from offering a habitat for better outdoor education for local schools to offering community members a place to exercise," the report stated.

The Mountain Goat Trail is a rail-to-trail community outdoor recreation project to convert the abandoned Mountain Goat railroad right-of-way into a multi-use recreational corridor connecting Grundy, Marion, and Franklin counties. Donations to the Mountain Goat Trail Alliance are tax-deductible. For more information, go to <[www.mountaingoattrail.org](http://www.mountaingoattrail.org)>.



Sewanee Elementary School second-graders Addison Hannaway (left) and Amelia Hane share a laugh as they prepare to dance in a preview of "The Nutcracker" for the school on Nov. 15.

## SAS Wreath Sale Continues

The eighth annual St. Andrew's-Sewanee School sixth-grade holiday balsam wreath sale is continuing. Proceeds from the sales will benefit several different outreach projects, including ongoing support of students at Amazing Grace Orphanage in Uganda and a project in Haiti. In addition to these predetermined causes, each sixth-grader will be given the opportunity to research three charities and select one for his or her own donation.

The balsam wreaths are shipped fresh from Maine. They measure at least 22 inches and come with a big red bow, six pinecones and several sprigs of red berries. The wreaths cost \$24 and will arrive during the week of Dec. 11-15.

To order wreaths, contact any St. Andrew's-Sewanee sixth-grade student or contact Cindy Potter by email <[cpotter@sasweb.org](mailto:cpotter@sasweb.org)> or call 598-5651, ext. 1019. The final date for ordering a wreath is Wednesday, Dec. 4.



Clara (Meredith Foster) is surrounded by the mice in "The Nutcracker: A Yulide Ballet," performed by Alabama Youth Ballet and Sewanee Conservatory on Nov. 16. More pictures on page 11. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

## Organist Filsell Performs at All Saints' Chapel Tonight

Jeremy Filsell, acknowledged as one of only a few virtuoso performers on both piano and organ, will perform at 7:30 p.m. (tonight) Friday, Nov. 22, in All Saints' Chapel as part of the University of the South's Performing Arts Series.

Filsell was an organ scholar at Keble College Oxford and as a graduate, he studied piano at the Royal College of Music, later completing a Ph.D. at Birmingham Conservatoire. He has taught at the Royal Academy of Music in London and at universities, summer schools and conventions in both the U.K. and U.S., and has performed around the world. He now combines international performing and teaching activities with being artist-in-residence at the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C.

Gramophone magazine has called Filsell's recordings of Marcel Dupré's complete organ works "one of the greatest achievements in organ recording."

Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$20 for seniors and \$10 for students. (Admission is free with University of the South ID.) For more information go to <[performingarts.sewanee.edu/](http://performingarts.sewanee.edu/)>.



Jeremy Filsell

## Community Fund Launches New "Light Up Lives" Project

The Community Fund of the South Cumberland Plateau is offering holiday donation cards for purchase at many area businesses as a creative alternative to empty holiday gift giving. For a \$10 donation, folks will receive a "Light Up Lives" card that reads: "A gift to the Community Fund of the South Cumberland Plateau has been made in your honor." The person who purchased the card then fills in the name of the family member or friend they want to remember and mails the card in the envelope provided.

"This is truly a way to give the gift of community," said Bonnie McCardell, the Light Up Lives project chair. "A donation to the Community Fund is a simple way to remember people during this season while investing in those who live on the Cumberland Plateau."

During the last two years, the Community Fund's grants to schools and nonprofit organizations have changed lives, McCardell said.

"The grant recipients have begun new grass-roots initiatives in health, jobs and education.

Grants have helped well-established nonprofits—the Mountain Goat Trail, Blue Monarch, Mountain T.O.P., Folks at Home

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## SUD Reviews 2014 Budget

by Leslie Lytle  
Messenger Staff Writer

At the Nov. 19 meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties, the board reviewed the 2014 budget. The utility hopes to complete the automated meter reading (AMR) installation without taking out a loan.

AMR will enable SUD to retrieve customer meter data via a radio transmitter system. By replacing aging meters which are typically inaccurate, SUD projects a revenue increase. SUD Manager Ben Beavers budgeted a 2 percent increase in water and sewer sales and said the added revenue could be as high as 8 percent.

The cost of implementing the AMR technology will be spread over two years, \$250,000 in 2013 and \$100,000 projected for 2014. Beavers said SUD has sufficient cash reserves to implement AMR without taking out a loan, although cash reserves will drop to \$850,000. Beavers projects it will take four to five years to build the cash reserve back to its present level of \$1.4 million. The revenue increase will come from more accurate metering data and a 3 percent rate increase beginning in 2015. No rate increase is budgeted for 2014.

Beavers said SUD's consulting firm, Raffetis Financial Inc., recommends the cash reserve should not drop below 25 percent of the operating budget, projected at \$1.03 million for 2014. The commissioners questioned whether cash reserves should equal 100 percent of the operating budget. Beavers will seek the advice of the state comptroller and report at the Dec. 17 commissioners' meeting.

The AMR system will be the first capital improvement accomplished without a loan. SUD is also undertaking repair to the sewer system and, likewise, plans to accomplish this project without borrowing money. Taking out a loan to implement AMR would cost the utility \$25,000–\$30,000.

In 2006, when SUD went to self-operation, ending its contract with the management firm Severn Trent, it had no cash reserve. SUD has built the cash reserve over the past seven years with careful management practices.

Beavers reviewed other budget highlights. He anticipates revenue will remain relatively flat, increasing from \$1.3 million in 2013 to \$1.37 million in 2014. Operating expenses will increase from \$1.02 million in 2013 to \$1.03 million in 2014. Beavers

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Am I Willie from "Duck Dynasty?"

## SES "Turkey Protection" Project

The Sewanee Elementary School first-grade students have once again created disguises for their turkey friends to help them survive the upcoming holiday and avoid being the main course for dinner.

This is the first of the imaginative creations from the students; more will be in the Nov. 27 issue. See "Willie" in color at <www.sewaneemessenger.com>.

## MESSENGER Break Ahead

It is hard to imagine, but Thanksgiving is soon, and Christmas is just around the corner.

The Messenger will publish on Wednesday, Nov. 27. There will be three issues in December: Dec. 6, Dec. 13 and Dec. 20. The staff will take a two-week break and return to the office on Monday, Jan. 6, with the first issue of 2014 on Friday, Jan. 10.

Deadlines for Wednesday, Nov. 27, are: display advertising and news/calendar, 5 p.m., Friday, Nov. 22; and classified ads, noon, Monday, Nov. 25.

## University Job Opportunities

**Exempt Positions**—Programmer/Analyst.

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### HISTORIC MARKER PLANS

#### To the Editor:

August 2014 marks the 50th anniversary of the desegregation of the Franklin County public school system, and to commemorate this milestone, the Sewanee Civic Association (SCA) has commissioned a historical marker to be placed on University Avenue at Sewanee Elementary School. The text for the marker was submitted to the Tennessee Historical Commission in July and was approved in October.

As seen in the short historical text, it was due to the efforts of Sewanee area families that final integration of the school system was achieved. Most remarkable in the ultimate lawsuit that forced the county to change its policies was that the plaintiffs petitioning for equality were both white and black families working together, something exceedingly rare for that time. Additionally, the entire community banded together to create a welcoming environment to ensure all Sewanee children could be educated successfully together.

The SCA will have a 50th anniversary celebration at 2 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 19, and all are invited and encouraged to attend. The festivities will begin with several prominent speakers and a dedication ceremony at the actual site of the historical marker at SES, and will conclude with a reception.

It is our hope to invite as many former Sewanee residents and families who may be able to return to the Mountain during the long MLK holiday weekend in 2014. Anyone with suggestions or contact information for invitees are asked to contact the Sewanee Civic anniversary planning committee at <sewaneecivic@gmail.com>.

Elizabeth Clark Duncan  
Cameron Swallow  
Sewanee Civic Association Planning Committee

### NUTCRACKER JOY

#### To the Editor:

As the performance of "The Nutcracker: A Yuletide Ballet" ended this year, one child stopped David Herriott with an excited question. "What part will I dance next year?"

This was the third year for Alabama Youth Ballet and Sewanee Dance Conservatory to offer "The Nutcracker." The children, students and adults who dance in it do not come just from Sewanee and Huntsville. They are from communities all around us. And "The Nutcracker" is not just a weekend involvement. It takes rehearsals, but it also takes a vibrant classical ballet

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program available to dancers of all ages in the wider community. And it takes outreach. For example, this year the director with the help of college senior Elizabeth Layman offered lecture demonstrations at schools in Winchester, Sewanee and Monteagle.

We are privileged to have David Herriott in Sewanee to direct a ballet program. As a boy, David learned to love dance in Huntsville. Then he studied at Harkness House in New York City and Canada's Banff School of Fine Arts. He became a principal soloist for the Royal Winnipeg Ballet and later the North Carolina Dance Theater. He has taught at Santa Monica College, directed ballet companies and schools in Columbus, Ga., and Huntsville, danced with such luminaries as Baryshnikov and Gelsey Kirkland, studied with eminent teachers such as Agnes de Mille, and performed nationally and internationally, including at the Kennedy Center and the Montreal Olympics.

Thanks to Sewanee and the University for supporting Nutcracker and the community ballet program.

Each of us must ask ourselves, "What part can we play next year?"

Jerrie Lewallen  
Sewanee

### ART AT IVY WILD

#### To the Editor:

Many, many thanks to the unexpectedly huge crowd of people who braved the gale-force winds and rain to support the artists of IvyWild at our Art of Us reception. Mary Jane Flowers worked her magic to transform the dining room into a bona fide gallery space, and the art—oh my goodness, the art! I can't help but burst with maternal pride at the talents of our IvyWild family. Paintings, drawings, furniture, clothing, jewelry—Leland Deutsch even crafted beautiful sausages out of Sewanee's own Lost Cove Farm lamb. Each piece was distinctive, professionally executed and gorgeous. I once again find myself humbled and grateful to work with such an amazing group of people.

Keri Moser  
IvyWild Restaurant & Catering

### FIRE DEPT. SAVES HOME

#### To the Editor:

A huge thank you to the men of the Sewanee Fire Department for their work on Friday, Nov. 15. My wife and I were awakened at 5 a.m. to the loud banging on our door by our friend and assistant chief Wayne Caldwell, informing us of a ground fire surrounding most of our home and about to engulf my small barn. Quick work by these wonderful young men saved the barn and got control of the fire around the house. Boy, were we glad to see those guys!

A big thanks also to the state crews that had to come in and get control of the fire down the bluff and in the forest near our place. Thanks also to the neighbor who took the time to call in the fire early that morning.

I had just paid my property taxes and now realize very dramatically what those funds are used for. You won't hear any moaning from me for a long time.

I felt so proud to be part of this community and this great country as I watched these young men go about their job serving our community and its citizens.

Charlie and Mary Beth Tate  
Sewanee

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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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### St. Mary's Plants Labyrinth on Saturday

St. Mary's Convent is hosting a planting day as it creates a new labyrinth. Gather at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 23, for a brief liturgy and then the group will plant more than 100 boxwoods.

After the labyrinth has been planted, Becky Crigger (T'16) will lead all who wish to stay in a meditation associated with the creation of the labyrinth. All are invited to participate, regardless of whether they donated to the project.

Please bring a shovel. With many hands and many tools, the group will create sacred space for generations to come.

### Coffee with the Coach Monday Morning

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee's sports teams, continues at 9 a.m., Monday, Nov. 25, with Vice-Chancellor John McCardell. Gather at the Blue Chair Tavern for free coffee and conversation.

### Community Council Agenda Items Due Monday

The next meeting of the Sewanee Community Council will be at 7 p.m., Monday, Dec. 2, at the Sewanee Senior Center. Items for the agenda should be submitted to the provost's office by noon on Monday, Nov. 25.

### Sewanee Garden Club Meets on Monday

At the Monday, Nov. 25, meeting of the Sewanee Garden Club, members will talk about "Great Gardening Sources." Members are encouraged to bring their favorite catalogues for plants, seeds and products. The group will gather at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Flournoy Rogers, 226 Highland Trace, Sewanee. For more information or directions call Judy Magavero at (931) 924-3118.

### May Justus Library Bake Sale Wednesday

The May Justus Memorial Library in Monteagle is having a bake sale, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 27, at the Piggly Wiggly in Monteagle. The event is sponsored by the Friends of the Library summer reading program. For more information, including how to donate a baked item, call Debbie Layne at (931) 924-2740.

### Woman's Club Reservations Due Nov. 29

The next meeting of the Sewanee Woman's Club will be on Monday, Dec. 9, at the DuBose Conference Center in Monteagle. The deadline for lunch reservations is Friday, Nov. 29. John Holleman and Robie Jackson from St. Andrew's-Sewanee School will present the program.

The lunch (\$12) will be oven-fried chicken, creamed potatoes, green peas, hot rolls and coconut cake. A vegetarian meal is available if requested when making a reservation. Child care is also available but must be requested when reservations are made.

To make a reservation, call Pixie Dozier at 598-5869 or email Marianna Handler <mariannah@earthlink.net>.

### Sewanee Tree Lighting on Dec. 6

Sewanee's Second Annual Tree Lighting will begin at 5 p.m., Friday, Dec. 6. The University will join with the community for this year's event. Students and community members will gather at 5 p.m. to light a tree in the Quad and then follow Santa down to the village to light the Christmas tree in the Angel Park at 5:30 p.m.

Santa will be available for photos, there will be lots of refreshments, and the Sewanee Chorale will lead Christmas caroling. Everyone is encouraged to bring food and/or unwrapped new toys. All donated items will go to the Community Action Committee or Operation NOEL. All of the buildings in the downtown area will be lit with holiday lights, as well.

Decorating of the Christmas tree at Angel Park will be at 1 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 4. All are welcome to come help with this festive activity.

### Greening of All Saints' Chapel on Dec. 6

On Friday, Dec. 6, members of the Sewanee community are invited to join in the Greening of All Saints' Chapel in preparation for the 54th annual Festival of Lessons and Carols on Dec. 7-8. Work begins at 9 a.m. All levels of experience are welcome. Coffee and pastries are served throughout the morning, and 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 toward the flowers and poinsettias for the Festival of Lessons and Carols, either in thanksgiving or in memory of a loved one, please contact Kasey Taylor at 598-1274 or email <kasey.taylor@sewanee.edu> by Monday, Dec. 2. These names will be listed in the service bulletin on Sunday, Dec. 8.

### Academy of Lifelong Learning Meets on Dec. 12

The December gathering of the Academy of Lifelong Learning will feature Courtney Cowart at its meeting at noon, Thursday, Dec. 12, at St. Mary's Sewanee.

Cowart, the associate dean at the School of Theology and director of the School's Programs Center, will talk about her experiences on 9/11 and in New Orleans after Hurricane Katrina.

A box lunch (\$10) is available by calling 598-5434 or by emailing <reservations@stmaryssewanee.org>. For more information call Anne Davis at (931) 924-4465 or Stephen Burnett at 598-5479.

### Sing-A-Long with Handel's "Messiah" on Dec. 14

Join the "Messiah" Sing-A-Long at 5 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 14, in All Saints Chapel. The Sewanee Chorale, under the direction of Gary Sturgis, will host the magical event.

Come and bring your own score, or borrow one and sing with the Chorale, or just sit and soak in all of the beautiful music.

## Birth

### Lukas George Carlson

Lukas George Carlson was born on Nov. 11, 2013, at Chattanooga Birth and Wellness Center to Lucie and James Carlson of Monteagle. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. He joins his sister, Elise. Maternal grandparents are Zuzana and Jiri Hauser of Kolovraty, Prague, Czech Republic. Paternal grandparents are Karla and Tom Carlson of Everett, Wash.



Mike Gardner

## Sewanee Names New PPS Director

Mike Gardner has been appointed director of physical plant services at the University following a national search, according to Frank X. Gladu, Sewanee's vice president for administrative services. Gardner will begin his duties the first week of December.

Gardner has an extensive background in facility management and 25 years of experience in higher education administration, including service until 2011 as Butler University's vice president for operations. At Butler, Gardner was involved in the conversion of a vehicle-centric core campus into a green, pedestrian-centered setting, as well as the support of Butler's Center for Urban Ecology.

"I am honored to be appointed as Sewanee's new director of physical plant services. Sewanee holds a special place in private higher education, and I am excited to support Dr. McCardell and the administration in implementing the new Master Plan. I will work hard to secure the resources, human and capital, required to provide prompt and professional services to students, faculty, staff, the Sewanee community and the Domain," said Gardner.

"Mike Gardner brings a significant set of skills to the University of the South. I am excited about his collegiate facilities management experience, along with his business and administrative background," Gladu said. "I also would like to thank the entire PPS management team and staff for their diligent efforts and a job well done throughout the four-month search process for a new director."

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- Completed petitions and a short biography (200 words or less) are due in the SUD office by close of business on December 12, 2013, so start campaigning today!

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# Obituaries

### Bobby Leroy Prince

Bobby Leroy Prince, age 60 of Pleasant View, Tenn., died on Nov. 18, 2013, at Alive Hospice in Nashville. He was born Oct. 4, 1953, in Newport News, Va. He was preceded in death by his father, Clyde Prince.

He is survived by his wife, Tammy (Elliott) Prince; mother, Ann Prince of Winchester; brothers, George (Brenda) Prince of Cowan, and Michael D. Prince of Winchester; and stepdaughters, Natasha and Rebecca Webb.

Funeral services were on Nov. 22 in the funeral home chapel with Bro. Ray Winton officiating. Interment followed in Franklin Memorial Gardens, Winchester. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

### Samuel Edward Sargent

Samuel Edward Sargent, age 90 of Monteagle, died on Nov. 18, 2013. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Sargent; parents, Samuel Aaron and Olive Sargent; and grandson Travis Partin.

He is survived by his sons, Sam A. Sargent of Portland, Ore., Dan (JoAnn) Sargent of Monteagle and Ben (Kim) Sargent of Monteagle; daughters, Sheila Flynn of Monteagle, Myra (Sam) Merckle of Cowan, Sibyl Partin of Morrison, Rebecca (Tim) Taylor of Grifton, N.C.; brother, Joe Sargent of Monteagle; and 23 grandchildren, 51 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Funeral services were on Nov. 20 in the funeral home chapel with Dan Sargent officiating. Interment followed in Lappin Cemetery, Monteagle, with full military honors by Sequatchie Valley Honor Guard. For complete obituary go to <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

### Henry “Harry” Clay Yeatman

Henry “Harry” Clay Yeatman, age 97, died on Nov. 20, 2013, at his home in Sewanee. He was professor emeritus of biology at the University of the South and a beloved naturalist. He and his wife have written “Nature Notes” for the Sewanee Mountain Messenger since 1985.

Yeatman was born in Ashwood, Tenn., on June 22, 1916. He attended the Baylor School and then University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, where he earned a bachelor’s degree in zoology and a master’s degree in zoology with a minor in botany. He served in World War II as a staff sergeant medic and completed his Ph.D. after the war at UNC-Chapel Hill. He taught at Chapel Hill and came to Sewanee in 1950 to teach biology.

He was the William Kenan Professor of Biology until he retired from teaching in 1981.

In addition to teaching at Sewanee, he served as a visiting professor of marine biology at the Virginia Institute of Marine Science in 1967 and worked with the Centers for Disease Control.

In 2007, he was the first recipient of the Trails and Trilliums Environmental Education Award established in his honor. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, listed in Who’s Who in the World and in Who’s Who in Medicine and Healthcare.

He is survived by his wife, Jean Anderson Yeatman; son, Henry Clay (Paula) Yeatman III of Lilburn, Ga.; daughter, Jean H. Yeatman (Claude de Pamphilis) of State College, Pa.; and two grandsons, Walker and Harry.

The family will have a private burial service at St. John’s Episcopal Church in Ashwood.

A memorial service will be at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 18, 2014, at All Saints’ Chapel, University of the South, Sewanee. There will be a reception following the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to the Harry C. Yeatman Award in Biology at the University of the South, 735 University Ave., Sewanee TN 37383 or to the Community Action Committee, P.O. Box 267, Sewanee TN 37375. Arrangements are by Cumberland Funeral Home.

# Otey Names New Youth Director

Otey Parish has named Neil Patterson as its new youth director. He will coordinate all middle-school and high-school age youth programs, including Sunday school, Fire on the Mountain and confirmation classes.

Patterson follows Betty Carpenter, who after many years as youth director, is now the director of the Community Action Committee.

Before moving to Sewanee, he served as a junior- and senior-high Sunday school teacher and church youth group leader. He attends Otey Parish with his wife, Amy, and daughters, Sophia and Isabelle.

“I’m honored to be offered this position and I’m eager to meet the youth and continue the great work that Betty and her team of volunteers have been doing,” said Patterson.



Neil Patterson

# Church News

### Growing in Grace

Growing in Grace, All Saints’ Chapel’s contemporary worship service, meets at 6:30 p.m. on Sundays. The speaker on Sunday, Nov. 24, will be Richmond Jones, T’14.

### Morton Memorial Methodist

The Morton Memorial United Methodist Church is sponsoring its Angel Tree Project. The tree provides residents the opportunity to give gifts to local children in need. It will be at the Monteagle Piggly Wiggly on Dec. 1, and there will be information about each recipient.

### Otey Memorial Parish Church

Otey Parish’s “Faith and Film” group invites children of all ages to watch the movie, “Up,” at 6:30 p.m., Friday, Nov. 22, in Brooks Hall. Light refreshments will be served.

On Sunday, Nov. 24, Otey Parish welcomes its new interim rector, the Rev. Jess Reeves, who will preach and celebrate at the 8:50 and 11 a.m. services. During the Sunday School hour and following the second service, there will be a reception for Fr. Reeves.

Godly Play (ages 3–11) will also meet at 10 a.m. Nursery care is available for infants six weeks to children 5 years old from 8:30 a.m. until the coffee hour, which follows the 11 a.m. service.

Looking ahead, Otey Parish will have its annual meeting at 10 a.m., Sunday, Dec. 8.

### St. James Episcopal Church

St. James will have its annual meeting on Sunday, Nov. 24, immediately following the service. A covered-dish dinner follows the meeting. Business includes the election of three mission council members and two delegates to the Diocesan Convention Jan. 23–24 at St. Paul’s in Murfreesboro.

### Unitarian Universalist, Tullahoma

At the 10 a.m., Sunday, Nov. 24, gathering at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Tullahoma, Bob Webster will discuss “Zoroastrianism: The Good Thought Well Thought, the Good Word Well Spoken, and the Good Deed Well Done.” Following the service, there will be refreshments and a discussion period.

# CHURCH CALENDAR

### Weekdays, Nov. 25–29

7:00 am Morning Prayer/HE, St. Mary’s (not Mon)  
7:30 am Morning Prayer, Otey  
8:10 am Morning Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles (M-T)  
8:30 am Morning Prayer, St. Augustine’s (M-T)  
12:00 pm Eucharist, Chapel of the Apostles (M-T-W)  
12:30 pm Noon Prayer, St. Mary’s (not Mon)  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, Otey  
4:30 pm Evening Prayer, St. Augustine’s (M-T)  
5:00 pm Evening Prayer, St. Mary’s (not Mon)  
5:10 pm Evening Prayer, Chapel of the Apostles (M-T)  
7:00 pm Worship Service, Mtn of God Tabernacle (1st Fri)  
7:45 pm Sung Communion, St. Mary’s Convent (Tues–Fri)

### Saturday, Nov. 23

#### Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

5:00 pm Mass

#### Monteagle Seventh-day Adventist Church

10:00 am Sabbath School/Bible Study  
11:00 am Worship Service

#### St. Mary’s Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

### Sunday, Nov. 24

#### All Saints’ Chapel

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

#### Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

11:00 am Worship Service  
5:30 pm Evening Service

#### Christ Church Episcopal, Alto

11:00 am Holy Eucharist  
11:00 am Children’s Sunday School

#### Christ Church, Monteagle

10:30 am Holy Eucharist  
10:45 am Children’s Sunday School  
12:50 pm Christian Formation class

#### Church of the Holy Comforter, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

#### Cowan Fellowship Church

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

#### Cowan First Church of the Nazarene

6:00 pm Community Thanksgiving Service

#### Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

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

#### Epiphany Episcopal Church, Sherwood

10:30 am Children’s Sunday School  
10:45 am Holy Eucharist

#### First Baptist Church, Monteagle

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

6:00 pm Evening Worship

#### Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

10:30 am Mass

#### Grace Fellowship

10:30 am Sunday School/Worship Service

#### Harrison Chapel Methodist

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

#### Holy Comforter Episcopal, Monteagle

9:00 am Holy Eucharist

### Midway Baptist Church

9:45 am Sunday School  
10:45 am Worship Service

### Midway Church of Christ

10:00 am Bible Study  
11:00 am Morning Service

6:00 pm Evening Service

### Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service

### Mountain of God Tabernacle, Monteagle

11:00 am Worship Service

### New Beginnings Church, Jump Off

9:00 am Worship Service  
10:45 am Worship Service

### Otey Memorial Parish

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

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

### Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service

### St. Agnes’ Episcopal, Cowan

11:00 am Holy Eucharist Rite I

### St. James Episcopal

9:00 am Bible story time for little ones  
9:00 am Holy Eucharist

### St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8:00 am Mass

### St. Mary’s Convent

8:00 am Holy Eucharist  
5:00 pm Evensong

### Sewanee Church of God

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

6:00 pm Evening Service

### Sewanee Cumberland Presbyterian Church

9:00 am Worship  
10:00 am Sunday School

### Society of Friends

9:30 am Meeting, 598-5031

### Tracy City First Baptist Church

9:45 am Sunday School  
10:45 am Morning Worship

5:30 pm Youth

6:00 pm Evening Worship

6:00 pm Evening Worship

### Tuesday, Nov. 26

6:30 pm Community-wide Thanksgiving Service, First Baptist Church, Monteagle

### Wednesday, Nov. 27

6:00 am Morning Prayer, Cowan Fellowship  
12:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Christ Church, Monteagle  
5:00 pm Children/youth, First Baptist, Monteagle  
5:30 pm Evening Worship, Bible Baptist, Monteagle  
6:00 pm Prayer and study, Midway Baptist Church  
6:00 pm Worship, First Baptist Church, Monteagle  
6:00 pm Youth (AWANA), Tracy City First Baptist  
6:30 pm Prayer Service, Harrison Chapel, Midway  
7:00 pm Adult Christian Ed., Epiphany, Sherwood  
7:00 pm Evening Worship, Tracy City First Baptist

## Death Notice

### Mary Susan Cushman

Mary Susan Cushman died Thursday, Nov. 21, 2013, at her home in Sewanee. Funeral arrangements were not available at press time.



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Finalizing plans for the Community Fund of the Cumberland Plateau's "Light Up Lives" Holiday Card project are (from left) Community Fund co-chairman Scott Parrish, board member Bonnie McCa-dell and development chair Leah Rhys.

### Cards (from page 1)

and many more; and they have also encouraged those with ideas and energy to step forward and launch new projects," she said. "The Light Up Lives holiday cards are a perfect way for people to support the Community Fund during this season of giving."

Light Up Lives cards will be available for purchase at businesses across the Plateau. Look for cards at the Blue Chair, Citizens State Bank, Citizens Tri-County Bank, Dutch Maid Bakery, the Grundy County Courthouse, the Grundy Heritage Center, Julia's Fine Foods, the Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce, the Monteagle Inn and Southern Community Bank.

"We are pleased with the many donors who give to the Community Fund," said Chair Scott Parrish. "And we hope that offering these holiday cards will be a way to include many more in our ranks of supporters. "Though \$10 is a small amount, when you use it to purchase a card, it makes a big statement about our community and how we care for each other."

### SUD (from page 1)

attributed 17 percent of the increase to rising health care costs. For SUD's employee health insurance plan to qualify, it was necessary to add visual and dental care for children to the plan.

SUD budgeted \$261,000 for debt expense in 2014 (the new water plant loan) and \$420,000 for capital improvements, nearly half for AMR and sewer repair.

The board will vote on the budget at its December meeting after reviewing the comptroller's recommendation on cash reserves.

In other business, Beavers reported that the \$2,200 repair to the water tank was \$1,200 less than expected.

Two SUD commissioners will be elected in January to fill the at-large seats for District B and District C. The SUD commissioners currently holding these seats, Randall Henley and Karen Singer, will seek re-election.

All SUD customers are eligible to seek election to the board. Potential candidates must present a nominating petition with the signature of ten SUD customers by Dec. 12. Nominating petitions are available 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays, at the SUD business office.

## Holiday Garbage Schedule

Sewanee garbage pickup will run as normal on Thanksgiving day, Thursday, Nov. 28. If you miss the garbage pickup, please contact Joe B. Long at (931) 924-2555 or 598-0251.

The community garbage policy is found on the University's Lease Office website at < <http://leases.sewanee.edu/policies>>.



## MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR

by Kevin Cummings  
Messenger Staff Writer

After surviving a terrorist attack and wading deep into catastrophe, Courtney Cowart's life is much quieter here on the Mountain.

The new director of the School of Theology's Programs Center moved to Sewanee four months ago following a path with sharper curves than Roark's Cove Road.

Sitting in her office at the School of Theology, she wears a plush red sweater, black slacks and brown boots. Cowart is soft-spoken as she talks about growing up in the 1960s in Atlanta, the daughter of parents active in the civil rights movement. Her mother was an assistant for Coretta Scott King.

She speaks about a documentary on Martin Luther King Jr., which opened in movie theaters shortly after his assassination. People flocked to see the film and theaters were sold out, so she and her mother ended up at a theater on Auburn Avenue, not far from Ebenezer Baptist Church. There she learned one of her first social justice lessons.

## Courtney Cowart

"The theatre was totally rat-infested," Cowart says. "I remember a woman saying, 'Honey, don't sit in that chair, that's a rat nest in that chair.' And people were catching the rats and carrying them out with newspaper all through the movie. That was a shocking experience for me, a real eye-opener."

That early education in social justice foreshadowed future ministries. She says she loved the church even as a child because she already had the "sense of God's presence."

Cowart thought she was to be a normal scholar, teaching at a seminary, but soon after defending her dissertation at General Seminary, those plans changed. She worked for the grants department for historic Trinity Church in New York. On the morning of Sept. 11, 2001, she was overseeing the taping of a television special at Trinity Church featuring Rowan Williams, Archbishop of Wales and future Archbishop of Canterbury. Williams was to deliver four meditations in the TV studio on the fourth floor of a building less than a block from the south tower of the World Trade Center.

At 8:46 a.m., the world changed as the first plane hit the north tower. Cowart chronicles the surreal evacuation and chaos that followed in her book, "An American Awakening."

The second tower collapsed, and she ran from the massive black cloud of dust and debris. She stopped and turned.

"With every drop of being I inhale and summon all the life within me. Then, I release it, screaming in my head, 'Take me!'" Cowart wrote.

The debris storm swallowed her. "I literally feel the life force inside me starting at my toes and rising through my spine go out of my head and rocket for somewhere and Someone," she wrote.

After the tragedy, Cowart worked with a small group of people to manage an incredible ministry center at St. Paul's Chapel, where people from all over the world came to serve the needs of rescue workers.

Her work in New York led to a job as Director of Disaster Response for the Episcopal Diocese of Louisiana following Hurricane Katrina. She planned to stay only six months, but ended up there for six years, living in the Tremé neighborhood.

"That is the most profound justice work I've ever had the opportunity to

do," Cowart says. "We wanted to bring about systemic change and healing of deep, deep social wounds, and very early on we decided it wasn't going to be about the quick fix."

The two catastrophes carved a stronger passion in Cowart.

"If I hadn't had those experiences, I'm not sure I'd have quite the depth of conviction that I have about how important that work can be," she says.

"I've seen what kind of impact the church can have in communities and so the kind of training we are bringing to the Programs Center and offering lay people is going to be the kind of training that can set the laity on fire and really rebuild the church's credibility as a positive force in society, a response to that longing that so many people in the church have to exercise their faith in a way that's meaningful and really matters," she says.

The Programs Center is already home to Education for Ministry (EFM), a world-renowned training program. Cowart says she wants to build on that "gold standard" flagship program. A number of new initiatives for leadership and education are underway, including incorporating VocationCare, a vocational discernment and ministry design system created by Cowart and associate director James Goodmann.

Recently, about 20 leaders of agricultural ministries gathered in Sewanee for "Faith, Farm and Food." A national network for people in agrarian ministries could be headquartered at the Programs Center, Cowart notes.

Outside of her work, Cowart is a great cook, with a special interest in New Orleans and French food. She has New Orleans roots; both her mom and stepmom are from the Crescent City.

"I'm trying to develop my grilling skills now that I'm up here in the mountains," she says. "For Christmas I'm going to ask for a really great Weber grill so I can start practicing."

## UPCLOSE

### Courtney Cowart

**Favorite Color:** Aqua green  
**Favorite Movie:** "The Mission"  
**First Perfume:** Chanel No. 5  
**Favorite Author:** Iris Murdoch  
**Earliest Childhood Memory:** I remember the first solid food I ate: corned beef hash. It's still my favorite.

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## Turkey Trot on Saturday

The Ninth Annual Turkey Trot 5K will be on Saturday, Nov. 23, to benefit Blue Monarch. This year's event will begin and end at the Angel Park in downtown Sewanee.

In 2005 Theta Pi, along with partnering fraternities and sororities, established the first annual Turkey Trot benefiting Blue Monarch in efforts to uphold their commitment to give back to their community. In keeping with this long-standing tradition, Theta Pi hopes to make this the most successful year yet as Blue Monarch celebrates its 10th birthday!

Register by individual or by team. There is a \$25 registration fee for each runner, \$10 for participants under the age of 10, or \$100 for a team of up to five runners. For more information email <bairdtr0@sewanee.edu> or go to <www.blumonarch.org>.

## Cowan Hosts "Shop Small"

Cowan businesses invite area residents to "Shop Small" on Nov. 30, the Saturday after Thanksgiving.

The local shops will be having Christmas Open Houses, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., with special offers, refreshments and a delightful small-town shopping experience.

## Monteagle Christmas Parade

Monteagle Mountain Chamber of Commerce and the Town of Monteagle will have its 2013 Christmas Parade of Lights beginning at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 7. This year's theme is "Winter Wonderland." The lights throughout town will be on display at this time, as well.

All area clubs, churches, organizations, schools and businesses are encouraged to take part in this community parade. Registration will be at 4 p.m. between the Smoke House/Best Western and Piggly Wiggly. Line-up and judging for the parade will be behind the Smoke House, where the parade will begin.

The parade will end at Monteagle City Hall. Trophies will be awarded in six different categories: Best Overall, Best Animal, Best Youth, Best Passenger Vehicle, Best Public Service Vehicle and Most Christmas Spirit.

Meet Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus after the parade at Harton Park and enjoy hot chocolate and cookies. For more information contact the chamber at (931) 924-5353, by email at <mmtncchamber@blomand.net>, or go to <www.monteaglechamber.com>.



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## Community Chest Spotlight Community Action Committee

The 2013-14 Sewanee Community Chest Fund Drive is underway. The power of people helping people makes a difference in the life of the community. Sponsored by the Sewanee Civic Association, the Community Chest raises money yearly for local charitable organizations serving the area. This year's goal is \$108,000. To date, 51 percent of the goal has been reached.

This week's recipient spotlight is on the Community Action Committee.

The CAC is Otey Parish's primary outreach ministry, and has been in existence for more than 39 years. The mission of the CAC is to provide assistance to persons in crisis; to provide services related to basic human needs; and to identify ways to break the cycle of poverty and need. The CAC director and volunteers serve more than 75 families. Some families regularly receive food and financial assistance, while others receive only occasional support.

The CAC is requesting \$15,000 to help support its mission and continue its work among the poorest of the poor in the community. The needs are great, and there is no other organization or agency that provides the services and safety net for the poor, hungry and oppressed. CAC provides food, and also assistance for utilities, medical, dental, housing and educational needs.

The CAC receives other income from the community, including businesses, Otey Parish, grants and individuals. Its expenses totaled more than \$36,000 from January to July 2013.

The goal of the Sewanee Community Chest is to help citizens by funding the community. The Community Chest is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, and donations are tax-deductible. Send your donation to Sewanee Community Chest, P.O. Box 99, Sewanee, TN 37375. For more information, or to make a donation through PayPal, contact <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com> or go to <www.sewaneecciv.wordpress.com>.



## Senior Center News

### Christmas Bazaar Planning

The Center is preparing for its annual Christmas Bazaar Dec. 9-13. Items for sale will include baked goods (cookies, cakes, pies and candies), fried pies (orders will be taken on Monday and Wednesday and be available for pickup on Tuesday and Thursday); crafts, canned goods (jams and jellies), handmade items, and white elephant items will be for sale.

### Senior Menus

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon on weekdays. The suggested donation is \$3 (\$0 or older) or \$5 (under 50). Please call by 9 a.m. to order lunch.

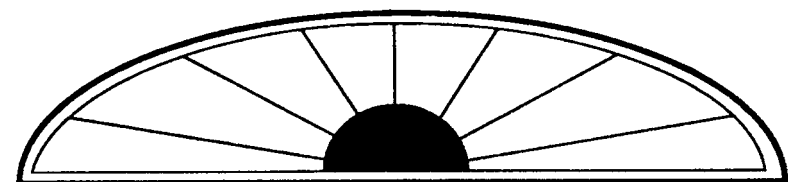
**Nov. 25:** Gumbo, rice, slaw, roll, dessert.

**Nov. 26:** Cheeseburger, tater tots, dessert.

**Nov. 27-29:** Closed.

*Menus may vary.*

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## SAS Supports Outreach Projects Near and Far

Students at St. Andrew's-Sewanee School are supporting outreach projects near and far this fall.

Grace Liu, '16, and Vanessa Luo, '16, collected more than 60 coats for distribution through Mountain T.O.P. in Altamont earlier this fall.

Allison Bruce, '15, is taking classmates to help distribute food at the monthly food pantry at Morton Memorial Methodist Church.

Taylor Ballard, '14, led a fund-raising effort for breast cancer awareness.

Sixth-graders Aidan Smith and Thomas Stapleton are raising funds and awareness for victims of the recent disaster in the Philippines. Mrs. Potter's sixth-grade class is in the midst of their annual wreath sale to raise money for a variety of outreach projects, including ongoing support of the Amazing Grace Orphanage in Uganda.

And, on December 13, SAS chaplain Bude Van Dyke and teacher Rachel Malde will be performing a benefit concert at Crossroads Café to help raise funds for building materials and supplies for the annual SAS Jamaica Outreach trip. The latest project, with a holiday theme, will be another opportunity for area residents to easily and enjoyably help students who are helping out around the world. Ornament purchases will benefit both the gift recipient and poverty-stricken communities in Haiti.

Vanessa Moss, '16, and Savannah Lockwood, '14, are currently spearheading an ornament-making project to benefit the Haiti-Sewanee Institute. Students are meeting during their work periods to create and decorate ornaments that will be offered for sale at the community Christmas Tree Lighting in Angel Park on Friday, Dec. 6.

The ornament project was inspired by SAS's all-school reading of "Mountains Beyond Mountains," the account of Paul Farmer's activities to build public health facilities on the central plateau of Haiti, and a subsequent presentation by Sewanee professor Deb McGrath and her students. McGrath and her interns described the need and work that is underway in Haiti. They were joined by Sam Smith, '17, school nurse Janice Thomas and local resident Peggy Farmer, who worked alongside McGrath's spring break crew. Inspired by the talk, several SAS students initiated projects to help support McGrath's work.

The talk inspired St. Andrew's-Sewanee's Global Outreach club to donate \$2,000 to the Sewanee Haiti Institute to help fund shade coffee projects in rural villages. The money was raised last year through bake sales and sales of "Grub Day" bracelets that give SAS students permission to be out of dress code once a month. The ornament project will provide additional funds. Lockwood has also launched a project to collect gently used (and climate appropriate) footwear to be delivered to Haiti by Sewanee students this spring.

To learn more about these and other Global Outreach efforts at SAS, contact faculty sponsor Burki Gladstone at <bgladstone@sasweb.org>.



SAS senior Brenna Paxton displays one of the ornaments being created and sold by SAS students. Photo by Nica Ellis



Rotary District 6780 Governor Ray Knowis (right) was a guest at the Franklin County A.M. Rotary Club in Winchester recently. He is joined here by (from left) Assistant District Governor Dan Hatfield of Sewanee and Club President-elect Alan Clark.

## Grundy Co. Farmers' Market Closes for Winter

Saturday, Nov. 23, is the last day the Grundy County/Tracy City Farmers' Market will be open this year, as fresh produce will no longer be available.

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Market organizers said they have appreciated the support of the Mountain community.

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## KILLING THYME

by Buck Gorrell



This season, specifically the last two weeks, a very particular stripe of plant has my attention—the long-lasting fall color shrubs. This palette of plants does not even take into account the vast choices among evergreens. As we creep toward winter, and the bulk of the autumn show is over, what is there to hold interest? I have realized there are some standouts that flourish on the Mountain. These plants can stretch garden interest as far as possible into the bleak months ahead.

The oakleaf hydrangea is a fabulous plant with a full repertoire of seasonal benefits and durability. Currently, on my exposed bank of hydrangeas, the leaves are still largely intact and are of the most beautiful color. I am reminded of a cabernet sauvignon, a deep, very alive purple. Driving near Benedict and the SAE house today, I noticed some arms of this reaching out from the privet, the victorious invader. Be warned, it can be deer salad.

In addition to foliage now, the oakleaf show goes on all year long. In the early summer, large panicles, cone-shaped flower heads, emerge. Different varieties offer niche benefits such as extremely white flowers or a pinker than normal flower as it dies and dries.

As I have said, fall is foliage, but then some. The spent and dried flower heads, some 8 inches long or more, grace the tip of the stems with a seasonally appropriate crepe paper appearance. Once the leaves are entirely gone, when the garden is most desperate for any benefit, the trunks and stems have an intricate exfoliating pattern.

Other attributes are ease of propagation and ultimate size. Propagation is as easy as finding root suckers to pot up or put in a nursery area. Size-wise, I have seen one Mountain specimen that although facing due west on a bluff, sited in an alcove of stone walls three stories tall, is more than 15 feet tall. Most would realistically top out at 7 to 10 feet, and as wide.

Culturally, the only real challenge is keeping an eye on the water while the shrub gets established and isn't that much of a challenge.

Many, many other plants fill some or all of these qualifications. The burning bush (*euonymus alatus*), is another popular choice. The fiery red leaves did not last until this writing but they put on quite a show. The main downside is their invasive tendency.

One I especially like, for its chartreuse leaves lasting very late, is sweetshrub, aka bubbly bush (*calycanthus floridus*). Though not extremely showy in flower, the intricate flowers are pleasantly fragrant. *Calycanthus* is a native, but this does not mean it is without sin. These plants spread vigorously from the base so they need room and a strict pruning regimen.

As always, I invite your questions and comments. Please contact me at <buckgorrell@gmail.com> with any advice or inquiries regarding gardening on the Mountain.



The Monteagle Sewanee Rotary Club of Monteagle and Sewanee presented the "Don't Meth With Us" program to fifth-graders at Sewanee Elementary School recently. This program is intended to create awareness of the dangers of methamphetamines. Officer Tony Gilliam spoke to the students about the dangers of the drug. The students were presented T-shirts provided by the Rotary Club to show their support for the program and their promise to stay off drugs.

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#### *The Bling Ring*

Rated R • 90 minutes

We all know that the celebrity-worship culture has gotten out of hand, but “The Bling Ring” tells the true story of some teenage girls in LA who take their obsession to a new level. Sofia Coppola’s tart and clever film is adapted from the Vanity Fair article, “The Suspect Wore Louboutins.” A group of girls use the Internet to track the whereabouts of stars such as Paris Hilton and Kirsten Dunst. When the celebrities are out of town, the girls break into their homes and steal their possessions, which they sometimes parade to friends and sometimes sell. Emma Watson and Taissa Farmiga star. One reviewer wrote, “It could have been one of those ripped-from-the-headlines quickies you see on subpar cable. Instead, “The Bling Ring” plugs into the zeitgeist of trash culture and sparks like a live wire.” Rated R for teen drug and alcohol use, and for language including some brief sexual references.

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Wednesday, Friday–Monday, Nov. 27, Nov. 29–Dec. 2

#### *Monsters University*

(No show on Thanksgiving)

Rated G • 95 minutes

Mike Wazowski and James P. Sullivan are an inseparable pair, but that wasn’t always the case. From the moment these two mismatched monsters met, they couldn’t stand each other. “Monsters University” unlocks the door to how Mike and Sulley overcame their differences and became the best of friends. Billy Crystal and John Goodman reprise their roles as Mike and Sulley; this time they are joined by Steve Buscemi, Helen Mirren and Sean Hayes.

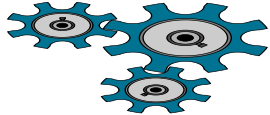
Reviewers were a bit tepid about this sequel; but this is Pixar, so the standards may be unreasonably high. One reviewer wrote, “An amusing and amiable addition to Pixar’s roster of animated coming-of-age stories.” Rated G. —LW

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## Arts Notes

### Book Signing on Thursday

Local author Kate Murray Brown will be having a reading and book signing, 11 a.m.– 3 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 28, at the Smoke House in Monteagle. Brown will be reading from “Sassafras Tales: Book II: The Book of Nice,” which includes a sweet Christmas story.

### Sewanee Review Open House

The Sewanee Review will celebrate the publication of its fall issue and the wrap-up of its 121st year, with a reception at 8 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 3, at the McGriff Alumni House. There will be food, drink, prizes and short readings from Oliver Crawford, Meg Hall, Hastings Hensel, Sara Jane Kachelman, Ross Macdonald, Richard Milby, Maggie Dunlap, Lisa Howick, Becca Hannigan and April Alvarez. A reception, courtesy of Julia’s, will be served, while guests enter multiple drawings for door prizes, including two valises packed with poetry and fiction by Sewanee Review authors.

### CAST-TACA Holiday Tour

The CAST-TACA 2013 Annual Holiday Tour of Artists’ Studios and Galleries will be held Dec. 7–8. Thirty-five artists will show work for sale at 13 locations around Sewanee and Monteagle. The tour includes clay, metal, fiber, jewelry, painting, wood and soap. The following artists will be offering their work for sale:

Bob Askew, watercolor and oil; Becky Braddock, pottery; Tom and Susan Church, wood; Lisa Dorney, fused glass; Olive B. “Lolly” Durant, marbling on paper and fabric; Anne Griffin, knitting; Shore Griffin, jewelry; Barbara Hughes, sculpture and painting; Sherri Warner Hunter, concrete and mosaic sculptures; Carol Kimmons, ceramics; Jasper King, chain saw-carved wooden bowls; Marjorie Langston, glass; Cheryl Lankhaar, oil on canvas;

Mary L. Lynch, hand-built functional clay; Bill Mauzy, wood; Mary Beth McClure, glass; Mary McElwain, concrete and silver-plate flatware; G. Sanford McGee, etched copper and mixed media; Denise Miller, pastels, collage, watercolor; June B. Miller, lapidary, jewelry; Sherry Nickell, glass; Christi Ormsby, clay; Dan Pate, oil paintings; Ben Potter, cut copper figures; Jan Quarles, textiles and natural dyes; Claire D. Reishman, clay; Thomas Spake, blown glass; Archie Stapleton, ceramics; Jeanie Stephenson, bronze sculpture; Merissa Tobler, pottery; Connie Ulrich, jewelry; Sarah Vance, goat milk soaps; Ursula Vann, clay; Lynne Vogel, textiles; and Linda White, fiber.

## Hughes Publishes Book on Art & Healing

Barbara Hughes of Sewanee has just published “Enfolded in Silence: A Story in Art of Healing from Sexual Trauma in Childhood” (Border Press, 2013).

This book of paintings, poetry and narrative tells the story of healing from child sexual abuse. It also contains a manual of things that help in healing.

“Many adults walk around with horrendous pain inside,” Hughes said. “For some, this is because of sexual abuse they experienced in their childhood. At least one in four (some studies say one in three) girls and one in six boys are raped, molested, fondled and otherwise sexually abused in the United States.”

Hughes said, “People who heal from this kind of childhood atrocity may become healers for others.”

Early praise for “Enfolded in Silence” includes:

“Barbara Hughes’ breathtaking art takes the viewer down into the raw depths of trauma and upwards by grace to experience with her a journey of incarceration redemption ... Highly recommended for anyone who has experienced abuse on the level of personal desecration.” —Isabel Anders, author of “Miss Marple: Christian Sleuth.”

“This is a profoundly hopeful book ... The book ... will be helpful for those of us who have experienced trauma of any kind.” —The Rev. John deBeer, Rector, St. Mark’s Episcopal Church, Burlington, Mass.

“Enfolded in Silence” is a memoir that professes with bold colors and words that healing is possible for all. Barbara Hughes, through personal story, art and poetry, traces the courageous intentional journey of healing which took place over many years of suffering and searching. Now as a truth-teller and healer of souls, Barbara stands firmly on the ground of all being. We are blessed because of her story.” —The Rev. Canon Hannah Anderson, Diocese of New Hampshire.

Hughes is an artist, teacher, and workshop leader whose work is centered in the connections between art, spirituality and healing. She has exhibited her figurative sculptures and paintings in a variety of venues throughout the country, and her Cathedral Nativity is the official crèche of the Washington National Cathedral.

Hughes has taught art and spirituality for many years. She leads workshops, retreats and support groups, using art for women survivors of child sexual abuse from her studio, Rahamim Retreat and Clay House, and for churches and other healing centers.

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Andy Cohen

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Cohen sings the songs that present-day traditions are built upon. His concerts are funny and fast-paced, bringing the roots of folk and blues into the present with humor and skill. His special focus is on Piedmont-style country blues.

A versatile favorite performer at festivals including Old Songs, Fox Valley, King Biscuit, Chicago Blues Festival and Winnipeg, he is also a musicologist of sorts, teaching workshops on topics such as how music theory applies to the picking of Rev. Gary Davis. For many years, he made his living doing performances and touring with the Old Guys.

Recently Cohen was honored with two Lifetime Achievement awards: one from the Autoharp Hall of Fame for his work with the Dolceola; the other, the Eisteddfod Award, is given to people who have made a substantive contribution to the continuance of traditional music.

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## "The Nutcracker: A Yuletide Ballet"

"The Nutcracker: A Yuletide Ballet" was performed by Alabama Youth Ballet and Sewanee Conservatory on Nov. 16. Photos by Lyn Hutchinson



Ilana Pate (left) and Verena Pate in the Gingerbread scene.



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## Mountain Biking Ends Season in Second Place

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity mountain biking team concluded its fall season November 16-17 in the state championship race for the Tennessee High School Cycling League. The race was held at the Lock 4 trail in Gallatin, with riders from five schools plus independent riders. Eight SAS varsity riders completed the race under very wet and muddy conditions, with standing water, slick roots and rocky sections on the technically challenging 10-mile trail.

Daryllann Ferguson finished first in her race and also earned the state championship title in the freshman girls' division, while junior Namkha Norbu raced to a second-place finish in the junior varsity girls' division. Norbu also earned second place overall in the state for the four-race season in her division. Abby Mainzer and Fields Ford each capitalized on strong technical riding skills to pass other riders in their groups and secure third-place finishes

in the sophomore girls' division and junior varsity boys' division, respectively. Ford also earned a fourth-place finish overall in the state for junior varsity boys. Andrew Bachman rode a great final race in the freshman boys' division, sprinting to third place but finishing a strong fifth after suffering a crash near the finish line. Crawford Emory, Matthew Baranco and Nathan Johnson also endured the difficult trail conditions and rode hard for the SAS team. SAS student Sam Smith competing as an independent rider.

In final team rankings for the season, St. Andrew's-Sewanee earned second place behind Marshall County (Ky.) High School at the conclusion of four league races. Speed Baranco and Beth Pride Ford coach the SAS varsity mountain biking team. The coaches and team are also grateful for volunteer assistance from community members Rob Bachman, Dan Ferguson and Adam Krosnick.

## SAS Varsity Girls' Open Season

On Nov. 12, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School girls' varsity basketball team lost to Lookout Valley, 39-29.

Michaela Shackelford led all scoring with 12 points, including three 3-point shots. Jenna Burris had eight points; Sam Stine had six points; Isabel Butler had two points; Madison Culpepper had one point. Katelyn Howard and Sam Wiegand had great defensive performances.



Lexie Laurendine going for the layup against Coalmont. Photo by Paul Klekotta



SAS middle school boys' basketball playing some tough defense under the net against Coalmont. Photo by Paul Klekotta



SAS senior Jenna Burris (seated, center) recently signed an NCAA Letter of Intent to golf for Division-I Middle Tennessee State University in the fall.

## Burris Signs with MTSU

On Nov. 13, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School senior Jenna Burris of Manchester, Tenn., signed an NCAA Letter of Intent to golf for Division-I Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU) in the fall.

Burris has received Tennessee Golf Association and All-American Junior Golf Tour honors. She won Player of the Year honors on the 2012 TGA Taylor-Made Adidas Jr. Tour and MVP for the 2013 Tennessee Junior Cup. The 6-foot-1-inch student is a long-ball hitter. She played in her first state tournament in 2009 as an eighth-grader, tying for eighth place that year. As a junior, she placed fourth in the state tournament and finished third this year. During her SAS career, Burris also played volleyball and basketball, excelling at both.

"Jenna is an amazing young lady and a very determined golfer," said SAS golf coach Dan Hatfield, who noted that the SAS honors student is so long and consistent off the tee that most of the time she hits last on second shots. "She works so hard at her game that I have to run her off the practice tee. Jenna is the best golfer SAS has had in more than a decade, boy or girl."



The SAS varsity boys' basketball team celebrating a 2-0 season. Photo by St. Andrew's-Sewanee

## SAS Varsity Boys' Team Opens with Two Wins

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee varsity basketball team won their season opener on Nov. 2, defeating Lookout Valley High School, 58-52. Lookout Valley led most of the game, but midway through the fourth quarter Eric Baynard hit a running floater to give the Mountain Lions the lead. Baynard led SAS with 15 points, six assists and nine rebounds; Andrew Heitzenrater added 13 points and six rebounds; Levi Higgins had 11 points and five rebounds; James Beasley had nine points and three steals; Will Pratt had six points; Andres Nylander had two

points and five rebounds; and Pablo Ramos had two points.

SAS defeated Richard Hardy Memorial School on Nov. 14 for their second win of the season, 74-47. The Mountain Lions were led by Baynard's 20 points, eight rebounds, five assists and four steals; Higgins had 14 points; Will Pratt had 11 points and six rebounds; Nylander had six points and five rebounds; Burton Dorough had two points; Kenneth Thomas had four points and three steals; Ramos, four points; Beasley, six points; and Heitzenrater, seven points.



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## Tigers Open Season 2-0

After a sluggish start, the Sewanee men's basketball team cruised to an 80-45 season-opening win against Crown College on Nov. 15.

After Crown (0-1) opened the game on a 7-1 run, the Tigers came alive. Sewanee used a 23-7 spurt over the next 10 minutes to take command.

The Tigers continued to roll after a 3-pointer by Seth Brown and layup by Byron Turner pushed the lead to 11, 29-18, late in the first half.

The Tigers quickly extended their lead to 24, 50-26, with a free throw by Alex Arnold in the second half. Later in the half, Sewanee closed the game on a 30-19 run.

The Tigers finished with a 53.8 field goal percentage. That total included a 15-of-26 effort in the second half.

Sewanee played outstanding defense. They forced 23 turnovers which led to 27 points.

Forward Keshonn Carter led Sewanee with 15 points. Turner and Marcellus Caldwell each finished with seven points.

The Sewanee men's basketball team closed out the 2013 Lon Varnell Classic with a 96-66 win over Columbia (S.C.) International on Nov. 16.

Early on, both teams kept the game close. Sewanee opened the game on a quick 9-0 run before CIU responded with an 8-0 spurt of its own.

From there, the Tigers took control. A 17-8 run during the next five minutes pushed Sewanee's lead to 12, 26-14.

During that stretch, the Tigers came alive behind a balanced offense. Brown, Jordan Williams, Robert



Keshonn Carter (No. 11) scored 18 points in Saturday's win over Columbia International. Photo by Lyn Hutchinson

Veal, Matt Tome, Garrett Heatherly and Anvil Nelson all made field goals.

Sewanee eventually led 50-32 at halftime.

Out of the locker room, Sewanee stayed strong. A 3-pointer by Tome extended the lead to 20, 56-36, with 18:07 to play. From there, CIU would not get to within 22 points the remainder of the contest.

Carter led 11 Tigers with a game-high 18 points. Leo Born and Williams each finished with 16 points. Brown finished with a complete stat line with six points, five rebounds, three steals, two blocks and one assist.



Stephanie Lane, daughter of Deborah and Gordon Lane of Sewanee, won a gold medal at the Philadelphia Marathon held Nov. 17. Stephanie, a 2000 graduate of St. Andrew's-Sewanee, teaches biology at the International High School in the Bronx, New York. She ran the 26-mile course in 5:42:19.



## Home Games

**Today, Nov. 22**  
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4:45 pm FCHS V Boys' Basketball  
v Oakland HS  
6 pm Tigers Women's Basketball  
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**Tuesday, Nov. 26**  
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## OVERTIME

by John Shackelford



Grandmothers have a tendency to remind us all to "count your blessings." That's a pretty good habit to develop and one that really isn't very difficult if you consider the proposition for just a moment. Although it may even be easier to find fault in those things that we are dissatisfied with, the negative process seems to me to be a road that leads to nowhere.

I had the pleasure of catching up with our old friend, David Lesesne, on his campus at Randolph Macon College in Ashland, Va., recently. David told us the story of how, in an attempt to create an identity for Ashland, the residents of this quaint town had discovered that no one had claimed the title of "Center of the Universe." Ashland quickly declared itself as such. Who doesn't want the pleasure of living in the center of everything?

I was considering this positive way of looking at something on a morning walk with my new dog early one morning in Sewanee last week. We were rounding the bluff out at the cross, and the sun had not yet crept over the edge of the horizon, but it was pushing the day's first light up into the morning clouds. I would need to borrow a poet's words to describe the pinks, yellows and blues in front of us. For Boo and me, however, the scene was a reminder that if Ashland was the center, then surely we lived on the edge.

Edges and borders are comforting for me. I love standing on a bluff and considering what lies in the valley below or standing on a beach and watching waves roll in from untold distances. I like the edge of a season when leaves turn red or the border of spring as they begin to sprout green once again. I like the edge of morning as the light is forming a new day or the evening when the sun begins to descend rapidly over the cliff of tomorrow. Perhaps we live on the edge of the universe.

Boo stood there with me examining this postcard of daybreak when I noticed a bright and full moon still visible in the pastel sky. I was moved. Boo was moved to poop in the fallen leaves while I breathed in the brittle November air. For both of us it was a time to count the blessings of simple pleasures. This week I will be thankful for families coming together and thankful for food prepared with slightly more than the recommended daily allowance of butter, flour and sugar. I will be thankful for the obvious blessings on our table and in our home but also equally appreciative of the less visible connections of friendships that are as palpable as a moon in broad daylight. Perhaps it is for the things that are less obvious to the naked eye that we should truly give thanks during this season.

I have written in this space about my on-again, off-again skirmishes with field mice that want to live rent-free under our roof. They are not welcome guests in a house full of five women, and I am often called upon to take up arms in the battle. As I was sitting at our breakfast table after our early morning stroll, I saw a repeated and rapid movement through the porch window. My first impression was that a brown leaf was blowing against the windowpane. It turned out to be a tiny mouse trying to escape from a clear recycling bin that he had inadvertently fallen into. I became fascinated with the athleticism of a mouse about the size of my thumb. This little guy was jumping like a Kangaroo on a pogo stick. It was clear that Super Mouse wasn't going to give up anytime soon and that he would not concede to the plastic cliffs more than 20 times his height. If I made my college athletes jump this high as many consecutive times as my furry friend, they would quickly pass out from exhaustion. Technically this little vermin was my sworn enemy and I really had him trapped in what was a no-win situation for him but I could not get over my respect for the size of his heart in refusing to give in to the inevitable.

*Do not go gentle into that good night.  
Rage, rage against the dying of the light.*

I carried the bin deep enough into the woods to a spot where I hoped that he could not find his way back into my basement and far enough away from the jaws of my puppy to keep him safe. I am thankful to learn what it means to fight with all of your might against great odds and thankful for the compassion given to me allowing his freedom. He will surely be thankful sitting under my Thanksgiving table counting a mouse's blessings of life—butter, flour and sugar.

## Cross Country Ends Season

Led by the Sewanee women's cross country team's great performance, the Tigers wrapped up the NCAA South/Southeast Regionals on Nov. 16

In the women's race, Sewanee, the conference runner-up, finished sixth behind rival Rhodes. That finish was the program's best finish since the 1998 season.

Leading the way for the Tigers were Willow Smith (23:23.18), who finished 25th and Ansley McDurmon (23:47.14), who finished 36th. Amy Lee (43rd), Zoe Dubin (48th) and Caroline Roberts (52nd) round out the top-five runners for Sewanee.

With her top-35 finish, Smith received all-region honors while McDurmon fell just one spot short of that honor.

In the men's race, the Tigers finished 16th, which topped conference rival Birmingham-Southern.

Led by Mark McAlister's (26:33.96) 47th-place finish, many of the men had personal bests in their final race. Jason Grimes (76th) and Logan Stockton (84th) ran great times for the Tigers. Alec Hill (106th) and Terrence Cronin III (129th) closed out the top finishers.

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## NATURENOTES

By Jean Yeatman

### By the Light of the Moon

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"We had three winter visitors appear this week: the first, a Winter Wren, appeared on the walkway. It is smaller than the Carolina Wren, and a much darker brown, with a short jaunty tail. It is shy and usually lives in the deep woods."

"Second, two male Sapsuckers were having a fight on our Ginkgo tree. We like having these birds around, as they drill holes in the maple trees, and other birds go up and sip the sap also."

"Finally, the Slate-colored Juncos were back, eating corn I had scattered in the grass."



Winter Wren

## Pets of the Week

### Meet Lucy and Chloe Bell



Lucy



Chloe Bell

The Franklin County Humane Society's Animal Harbor offers these two delightful pets for adoption.

Lucy is a sweet middle-aged kitty who was upset to find herself suddenly homeless. She needs a new place to call home as soon as possible since shelter life has been very hard on her. Lucy is accustomed to living indoors and she will get along well with other cats. She is negative for FeLV and FIV, house-trained, up-to-date on shots and spayed.

Chloe Bell is a tiny blonde Chihuahua who loves to be the center of attention. Not one for being left alone, she would prefer a family with someone who stays at home a lot, or who will take her with them when they leave. Chloe Bell gets along well with her other small dog friends, children, and the cats she's been around. She is house-broken, up-to-date on shots and spayed.

For a limited time, two kittens may be adopted together for one adoption fee of \$75. Having two kittens is better than one because they play together and keep each other company. Adult cats may be adopted for a \$40 fee during this special.

## Weather

DAY	DATE	HI	LO
Mon	Nov 11	65	38
Tue	Nov 12	64	31
Wed	Nov 13	37	20
Thu	Nov 14	54	28
Fri	Nov 15	54	39
Sat	Nov 16	61	47
Sun	Nov 17	nd	nd

**Week's Stats:**  
 Avg max temp = 56  
 Avg min temp = 34  
 Avg temp = 41  
 Precipitation = 0.48"

Reported by  
 Nicole Nunley  
 Forestry Technician

Every Friday is Black Friday at Animal Harbor. On Fridays, adoption fees will be reduced 50 percent for black or mostly black pets more than 4 months old who have been at Animal Harbor for more than a month. Pets adopted from Animal Harbor qualify for a free post-adoption wellness exam by local veterinarians.

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## Forest Service Offers Maps for Mobile Devices

The U.S. Forest Service now offers access to a variety of visitor maps for people using Android and iOS devices.

"This mobile app makes it easier than ever to plan your visit to a national forest or grassland," said U.S. Forest Service Chief Tom Tidwell. "By putting important forest information right at your fingertips, it will encourage more Americans to get outside and explore their forests."

The digital maps are part of USDA's work toward reaching President Obama's initiative to create a paperless government that also provides the American public with better, more accessible information.

Online customer surveys also indicated a desire for more online products and information, such as maps.

The Forest Service is currently working on the first phase of a website redesign, expected to debut early in 2014, which centers on a map-based tool for planning trips onto our nation's forests, grasslands and other special places.

The PDF Maps mobile app is available as a free download. Through the app, users can purchase and download professionally created maps that are stored on their devices. They can use the maps based on their location when GPS is available. The maps will also allow users to measure distance and area, find coordinates, open a current view in Google maps, plot place marks, add notes, enter their own data and add photos as attributes. Almost 700 Forest Service maps are available through the app.

In areas of national forests and grasslands where Internet connections are unavailable, the app and static maps work well if users download the maps prior to their visit. The apps and maps also will be useful for wildland firefighters.

In geographic areas with Internet availability, users will be able to use the products with live data. The interactive map is expected to be available on a limited basis starting in March 2014. The Forest Service's seven regions are tasked with uploading maps. Users should contact the regional office where a forest or grassland is located if maps are not available on the app.

Paper maps are still available for purchase online at the National Forest Store. The Forest Service differs from other federal government agencies in how the Forest Visitor map is funded. The Agriculture Adjustment Act of 1938 calls for the sale of maps as the funding mechanism to revise and produce maps for the public. In 1999 the Act was amended to include products available through the web as "geo-referenced data."

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them days  
when the word had meaning  
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those days  
when honor was honorable and  
good and right were good and right  
them days  
when the spirit of hope  
reached toward us waving a wide hand  
and smiling toward as yes  
those days  
them days  
the day  
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# Community Calendar

## Today, Nov. 22

- 8:00 am GC clothing bank open, old GCHS, until 12
- 8:30 am Yin yoga with Carolyn, Sewanee Comm Center
- 9:00 am CAC office open, until 11 am
- 10:00 am Game day, Senior Center
- 11:30 am CAC Thanksgiving meal, IvyWild
- 12:00 pm Contract/release stretching with Kim, Fowler
- 3:30 pm Creative movement, age 4–6, Comm Center
- 4:30 pm Creative movement, age 7 & up, Comm Center
- 5:30 pm World healing meditation, Community Center
- 6:30 pm Faith and Film series, “Up,” Brooks Hall, Otey
- 7:00 pm Bible study, Mtn of God Tabernacle, Monteagle
- 7:00 pm Concert, Cohen, Cowan Center for the Arts
- 7:00 pm Film, “Hunger Games 2,” Alma Mater, Tracy City
- 7:30 pm Film, “The Bling Ring,” SUT
- 7:30 pm Organ concert, Filsell, All Saints’ Chapel

## Saturday, Nov. 23

SAS Thanksgiving break, through Dec. 1

- 9:00 am Turkey Trot 5K, Angel Park, benefits Blue Monarch
- 9:30 am Mtntop Tumblers, 5 and under, Comm Ctr
- 9:30 am Labyrinth planting, St. Mary’s Convent
- 10:00 am Hospitality Shop open, until noon
- 10:00 am Tracy City Farmers Market open, until noon
- 10:30 am Mtntop Tumblers, boys, all ages, Comm Ctr
- 3:00 pm Operation Christmas Child, box-packing party, BC
- 7:00 pm Film, “Hunger Games 2,” Alma Mater, Tracy City
- 7:30 pm Film, “The Bling Ring,” SUT

## Sunday, Nov. 24

- 3:00 pm Film, “Hunger Games 2,” Alma Mater, Tracy City
- 4:00 pm Bible study, Otey Parish
- 4:00 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 5:00 pm Women’s Bible study, Midway Baptist
- 7:30 pm Film, “The Bling Ring,” SUT

## Monday, Nov. 25

Franklin Co. Schools closed through Nov. 29

Franklin Co. Schools staff development day

- 9:00 am Coffee with Coach, McCardell, Blue Chair Tavern
- 9:00 am Yoga with Sandra, St. Mary’s Sewanee, until 10:30
- 10:30 am Chair exercise, Senior Center
- 12:00 pm Community Council agenda deadline, Provost’s office
- 1:30 pm Sewanee Garden Club, 226 Highland Trace
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Sandra, St. Mary’s Sewanee, until 7
- 6:00 pm Karate, youth, American Legion Hall; adults, 7
- 7:00 pm Centering Prayer, Otey sanctuary
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Chorale rehearsal, Hamilton Hall “Pit”

## Tuesday, Nov. 26

Franklin Co. Schools staff development day

- 8:00 am Grundy County Food Bank open, until 10 am
- 8:30 am Yin Yoga with Carolyn, Sewanee Comm Center
- 9:30 am Blood pressure checks, Sewanee Senior Center
- 9:30 am Pilates with Kim, inter/adv, Fowler

- 10:00 am Crafting Ladies, Morton Memorial, Monteagle
- 10:30 am Bingo, Sewanee Senior Center
- 10:30 am Pilates with Kim, beginners, Fowler Center
- 11:30 am Grundy Co. Rotary, Dutch Maid, Tracy City
- 12:30 pm Pilates with Kim, inter/adv, Fowlers
- 2:00 pm CAC open with fresh produce, until 4
- 6:30 pm Prayer/Study, 7th Day Adventist, Monteagle
- 7:00 pm Sewanee Symphony rehearsal, Guerry

## Wednesday, Nov. 27

Grundy, Marion County Schools closed through Nov. 29

College and SoT break through Nov. 29

- 10:00 am May Justus bake sale, Piggly Wiggly, Monteagle
- 1:30 pm Duplicate bridge, Templeton, call 598-9344
- 5:30 pm Yoga with Helen, Community Center
- 7:30 pm Film, “Monsters University,” SUT

## Thursday, Nov. 28 • Thanksgiving Day

- 11:00 am Book signing, Murray Brown, Smoke House, until 3

## Friday, Nov. 29

Reservations due for Sewanee Woman’s Club Dec. 9 meeting

- 8:00 am GC clothing bank open, old GCHS, until 12
- 8:30 am Yin yoga with Carolyn, Sewanee Comm Center
- 12:00 pm Contract/release stretching with Kim, Fowler
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## LOCAL 12-STEP MEETINGS

### Friday

- 7:00 am AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle
- 7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Saturday

- 7:30 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey

### Sunday

- 6:30 pm AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Monday

- 5:00 pm Women’s 12-step, Brooks Hall, Otey
- 7:00 pm AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City

### Tuesday

- 7:00 pm AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Brooks Hall, Otey

### Wednesday

- 10:00 am AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493
- 7:00 pm NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- 7:30 pm AA, open, Holy Comforter, Monteagle

### Thursday

- 12:00 pm AA, (931) 924-3493 for location
- 7:00 pm AA, closed, Big Book study, St. James
- 7:30 pm ACA, Brooks Hall, Otey

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