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Jerry Smith and Doug Cameron in presentation of David Green Station 1 dedication.



Vice-Chancellor Rob Pearigen and Chief Terry Smith addressed Emeritus Assistant Chief Doug Cameron with a Resolution of Appreciation at the second annual Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department Reunion.

SVFD Dedication to Chief David Green; Award of the Title 'Emeritus Assistant Chief' to Chief Doug Cameron

Chief David Green spent more than 50 years serving the Sewanee community through the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department. Of those years, he spent 39 leading the department as chief. Green was 19 years old and four years deep into the fire service when he first was appointed chief, making him among the youngest fire chiefs in Tennessee. From keeping Sewanee safe during Independence Day to advocating for better equipment in the station to making cross-county connections, Green's influences on Sewanee and the SVFD during his lifetime are invaluable. So great were his influences that in 2022, the government of Franklin County declared April 26 as David Green Day. He passed away on October 2, 2022. Due to Chief Green's years of service and commitment to the Sewanee Community and The Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department, Station 1 located at 111 Alabama Ave was dedicated to Chief David Green on Friday,

March 28.

Chief Doug Cameron who has served the Sewanee Volunteer Fire Department for more than 50 years was awarded the position of Emeritus Assistant Chief on March 29. The Resolution of Appreciation is as follows:

"Whereas, Doug Cameron has dedicated his life to the education and mentorship of young people, instilling in them a love for science, outdoor adventure, and environmental stewardship; and

Whereas, Doug Cameron has selflessly volunteered with Sewanee Fire and Rescue for more than 50 years, currently serving as Assistant Chief, and has further demonstrated his dedication to public safety as an Advanced Emergency Medical Technician and a 32-year veteran of Sewanee EMS, including a term as interim Director; and

Whereas, he has shown unwavering commitment to his community through service on the

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SCC Diamonds and Dedication

Everyone is invited to join the Sewanee Children's Center in celebrating the 75th anniversary of the Center and recognizing 38 years of dedicated service by beloved teacher Carrie Mauzy. The event will take place in Kennerly Hall and on the playground next to St. Mark and St. Paul from 2-4 p.m., Sunday, April 27. Fun activities include: face painting, animal balloon shaping, Go Fishing carnival game, a cookie walk, and an art naming competition. Please come and help us celebrate this vital organization in the Sewanee community, and the legacies that have made it possible.

95th Anniversary of the Sewanee Woman's Club

The Sewanee Woman's Club is celebrating its 95th year anniversary this May! The club has been a social outlet and a source of information for ladies on the mountain since 1930. Members have been interviewing ladies who lived in the area from in 1950 to the present. These interviews provide a glimpse of life for women working, raising families, and celebrating life. These interviews will be added to a book of earlier interviews that was completed in 2010. The first book covered the period from 1930 to 2010.

On the regular meeting day in May members will enjoy a beautifully decorated cake topped by a very elegant hat. Some members will be sporting clothes from past decades. A delicious lunch and perhaps champagne will be enjoyed.

The date of our celebration is Monday, May 12, 2025, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at St. Mary's Sewanee. The public is invited.

Please make reservations by noon, Sunday, May 4, to <reservations.swc@gmail.com>.

Community-Wide Yard Sales, April 12

The Sewanee Community-Wide Yard Sales will be from 8 a.m. to noon, on Saturday, April 12. Nearly 20 sales will be at various locations throughout Sewanee, including several at the Sewanee Community Center. Expect to find clothing, toys, books, furniture, art, antiques, and much more.

Maps are available on the Sewanee Community Center porch, 39 Ballpark Road. Maps include the location of each sale and the categories of items available there.



David Newton Baker

Tale of Two Voices: DNB and Friends

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

"I'm having more fun than I ever imagined," said David Newton Baker, singer, songwriter, and poet. Baker is quick to point out he is not David Baker of Indie Rock fame, not the late Jazz musician, and not the former editor of the Kenyon Review, career poet and college professor. In 2014, David Newton Baker then a folk-rock singer-songwriter living in a small Colorado mining town lost his ability to sing following treatment for lung cancer and partial removal of one lung. Desperate to scratch "the itch," Baker started writing poetry. For Baker "the itch is when something bothers me. It could be good, bad or puzzling. I write to understand and connect with others, hoping they'll say, 'I get that' or 'I hadn't thought of it that way.'" Baker, who confesses, "I have trouble calling myself a poet" and who for ten years couldn't sing, just released his first collection of poems, "Haunting My Own House" and has two gigs coming up, performing both original song and covers at 7 p.m., Sunday, April 13, at the Cowan Arts Center and at 7 p.m., Friday, May 1, at the Tennessee Williams Center. What a long, strange trip it's been.

Baker spent the first 50 years of his life in the metropolitan Fort Worth/Dallas area. "I've always written music," Baker said. In his day job, he wrote music for film and video, mostly corporate, but also children's entertainment for PBS and The Disney Channel, including soundtracks for the popular Benji dog movies. "I was never curious about life until I was in my forties," Baker acknowledged. He retired early and moved to a small Colorado town near Telluride. He played and sang at local venues and produced two studio albums. He describes his life as "a train track with tons of sidelines." Baker lost

his comfortable Colorado living accommodations when gentrification moved into town. "I couldn't afford to live there," Baker said. "I was looking for anything I could find."

His nephew, a student at Vanderbilt, directed him to Sewanee when he mentioned he always wanted to live in a small college town. In what Baker calls "the most impulsive thing I've ever done," he talked with his nephew on Sunday, a realtor on Tuesday, flew to Tennessee on Friday, and signed a contract on Monday, buying a small home in Monteagle. Baker had never been to Sewanee, Monteagle, or the Plateau in his life.

Almost immediately, Baker connected with Spoken Word, a twice-monthly Sewanee open-mic writers' night. "I read my poetry at Spoken Word for seven years before anyone knew I did music," Baker said. In "Haunting My Own House," Baker leads the reader into his imagination to join him in making sense of what neither of them quite understand. In "Heirlooms," questions Baker asks about himself become questions readers find themselves asking about themselves, as well. In poems such as "Making Love" and "Thimble" the reader joins Baker in making fun of the expression "make love" and squandering the thimble full of love "everyone is given on the day they are born" only to discover there is yet more love and no need to make love, because "love makes them." Brooks Egerton, head of Sewanee Spoken Word, said of Baker, "David is a Sewanee Spoken Word essential. He's a terrific writer and musician. I cannot imagine our gatherings without him."

A year ago, someone asked Baker to read song lyrics at an event. "I thought, I wonder if I could sing that. I did. And it went okay,"

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Letter

THANK YOU FROM THE TAYLOR FAMILY

To the Editor:

It is difficult to express my gratitude for the countless cards and letters that I have received from you following the death of my youngest son - and Ken's brother - Brian.

This community is both genuinely caring and supportive of one another, and our family is comforted by your kind expressions.

Evelyn Taylor, Sewanee



Lucy Keeble, chair of Monteagle Tree Advisory Council, introduces Mayor Maloof.

Arbor Day in Monteagle

Greg Maloof, mayor of Monteagle, proclaimed April 3 as Arbor Day in the Town of Monteagle. The proclamation included, "I urge all citizens to celebrate Arbor Day and to support efforts to protect our trees and woodlands. I urge all citizens to plant trees to gladden the heart and promote the well-being of this and future generations."

An October Glory Maple was planted in the Greenway in front of the Police Department. Two other maple trees, a Redpointe and a Red Sunset, were planted in the Greenway near Lee and King Streets later that day. Special thanks to United to Protect the Plateau, a nonprofit located in Monteagle, for donating the funds to purchase the trees that were planted.

David O'Neill explained and demonstrated briefly during the installation the best methods of planting and maintaining a tree. David O'Neill is a certified arborist and owner of High Canopy Tree Service in Sewanee. Tyler Meroney, the Urban & Community Forestry Partnership Coordinator with the Tennessee Division of the Forestry Urban and Community Forestry Program, spoke briefly about planting trees on personal property and he will be leading a workshop, "Roots to Shoots" in Monteagle in the coming weeks where he will present best practices in more detail. The date will be announced soon.

University Job Opportunities

Exempt Positions: Advancement Officer, University Relations; Airport Manager & Chief Instructor, Business Services-Sewanee Airport; Assistant Football Coach, Athletics; Associate University Registrar for Information Systems and Operations, Student Success; Athletic Trainer, Athletics; Digital Archivist, Archives and Special Collections, University Archives & Special Collections; Director of Corporate and Functions Relations, Advancement; Energy Specialist, Facilities Management; Financial Aid Counselor/Senior Financial Aid Counselor, Financial Aid; Golf Course Superintendent-Business Services, Golf Course; Manager of Engagement & Admissions, SSMF, Sewanee Summer Music Festival.

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The Sewanee Utility District's billing software has the ability to round up your bill to the nearest dollar with the difference going to the Project Help fund. Project Help collects donations from SUD customers and passes them on to the Community Action Committee, where it is used to pay folks' water and sewer bill when they need a bit of help.

Please consider rounding up your bill for this worthy cause - it really makes a difference in our community. Call the office at (931) 598-5611 to enroll or if you have any questions.

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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 Shirley M. Lawson at <slawson@sewanee.edu>.

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Upcoming Meetings

American Legion

American Legion Post 51 is scheduled to meet at 9 a.m., Saturday, April 12, at the Legion Hall in Sewanee.

Franklin County School Board

The Franklin County School Board is scheduled to meet at 6 p.m., Monday, April 14, at 215 S. College St., Winchester.

Coffee with the Coach

Coffee with the Coach, an opportunity to learn more about Sewanee's sports teams, will livestream the meeting at 9 a.m., Tuesday, April 15, with Merritt Yackey, softball. The livestream will be available at <sewaneetigers.com/watch>. The meeting will also be in-person at the Blue Chair.

La Leche League

The April La Leche League meeting will be on Tuesday, April 15, at 10:30 a.m. For venue details text Pippa Browne on (931) 636-5317.

Sewanee Utility District

The Sewanee Utility District of Franklin and Marion Counties Board of Commissioners is scheduled to meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday, April 15, at the utility office on Sherwood Road. If a customer is unable to attend but wishes to bring a matter to the board, call (931) 598-5611, visit the office, or call a board member. The board members are Johnny Hughes, Chris McBee, Donnie McBee, Charlie Smith, and Clay Yeatman.

EQB Club

The Ecce Quam Bonum Club, founded by professors in 1870 and is Sewanee's oldest organization in continuous existence. What was once for male professors only, finally admitted some female professors, and is now is a delightful group of professors, both active and retired, and many community members who meet during the academic year every Wednesday at noon at the St. Mary's Sewanee for a social time, a delicious lunch, and then a fascinating talk (called a "Lead") given by a variety of very interesting speakers.

On Wednesday, April 16, 2025, we will look ahead to the upcoming 50th Anniversary of the Sewanee Summer Seminar. The Sewanee Summer Seminar was created in 1975 by Dr. Ted Stirling, renowned professor of English, who wanted to create an opportunity for an intensive, communal, lifelong-learning experience for alumni and friends of the University. The program has evolved for the past 50 years under three successive directors, and the best traditions remain in this week-long experience of fellowship and enrichment. This year, Session 1 runs from June 22-28, and Session 2 is from July 16-22.

This EQB Lead will be given by the Sewanee Summer Seminar's new Director, Chemistry Professor Dr. Bethel Seballos. During her presentation, she hopefully will give us a sneak peek into the names of the faculty for this summer!

Bethel Seballos has been a faculty member in the Department of Chemistry at the University of the South for 16 years. She regularly teaches general chemistry, organic chemistry, biochemistry, and forensic chemistry. She enjoys working in the community, pro-

moting youth science programs. She first participated in the Sewanee Summer Seminar in 2017 as a speaker and returned to speak virtually in 2020 and in-person in 2022. She was delighted to assume the directorship of this 50 year tradition in 2024.

Community members are enthusiastically invited to come at 12:25 p.m., to hear Dr. Seballos speak.

Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club is scheduled to meet at 8 a.m., Thursday, April 17, at St. Mary's Sewanee. Mandy Bouldin, Director of Community Development at the University of the South will present the program.

Franklin County Commission

The Franklin County Board of Commissioners is scheduled to meet at 6 p.m., Monday, April 21, at the Franklin County Courthouse.

Sewanee Business Alliance

The Sewanee Business Alliance will have their monthly meeting on Thursday, April 24, at 5:30 p.m., at Locals. The featured speaker will be Gracie Davis sharing about some new trails being constructed in conjunction with the new Sewanee Welcome Center. All business owners and interested community members are invited to attend.

Town of Monteagle

The Monteagle Beer Board will meet April 28, 2025, at 4:30 p.m. The beer application is for Mountain Top Restaurant.

Following the Beer Board meeting there will be a Public Hearing at 4:45 p.m., for Ordinance 03-25 an ordinance to add additional requirements for special exceptions to the zoning ordinance.

Following the Public Hearing the regular City Council meeting will be at 5 p.m. in the conference room at City Hall

The regular Planning Commission meeting will be on May 6, 2025, at 4 p.m. in the conference room at City Hall.

SCA Membership Meeting, May 5

The Sewanee Civic Association will meet at 6 p.m., Monday, May 5, in Kennerly Hall, St. Mark and St. Paul. Social time with wine begins at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner and a brief business meeting, and the presentation of the 42nd Community Service Award.

Reservations for dinner are due by Friday, May 2, via email <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com>. The SCA is celebrating 116 years of social and service opportunities for the community. The SCA is the sponsoring organization for

the Sewanee Classifieds, and the Sewanee Community Chest. Any adult who resides in the area and shares concerns of the community is invited to participate and become a member.

Sewanee Community Council

The next meeting of the Community Council is scheduled for Monday, May 19, 2025, at 7 p.m.

We have reserved Monday, April 28, 2025, as a possible meeting date and will meet then if there are urgent concerns. If there are items for discussion that cannot wait until May, please submit them to the Provost's Office by noon on Wednesday, April 16.

Public Meeting Scheduled for Franklin County-Sewanee Airport Obstruction Clearing Project

An Environmental Assessment (EA) was completed for the Franklin County-Sewanee Airport Obstruction Clearing project. The airport proposes to remove trees from the runway approaches that are currently obstructing the western and eastern approaches to the airport. The purpose of the proposed project is to clear the runway approaches of obstructions, and this action will meet the airport's need to improve safety for the airport and the surrounding community. The EA is available for review at the Franklin County, Tennessee, County Mayor's Office, 855 Dinah Shore Boulevard, Suite #3, Winchester, TN 37398. Comments about this project can be directed to the County Mayor's Office, at (931) 967-2905. The EA will be available for 30 days for review until April 29, 2025. A public meeting will be at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 29, at the Franklin County Annex Building, 855 Dinah Shore Boulevard, Winchester, for comments from the community.



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MMUMC Food Distribution

Morton Memorial United Methodist Church regular monthly food distribution will be Saturday, April 12. Distribution will take place 8-10 a.m. In order to maintain social distancing, drivers should enter the food distribution line from behind the church where they will be directed to the loading area. If you are unable to load your own vehicle, volunteers will be there to assist. Morton Memorial is located at 322 W. Main St., Monteagle.

Belvidere Firemen's Fish Fry

The Belvidere Fire Department's annual Fish Fry is 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, April 26, at the Belvidere Community Center, 349 Belvidere Rd.

Tickets are \$15, adults; \$5, children 4-12; and free for children under 4. The menu is fish, barbecue chicken, chicken strips, hush puppies, fries, baked beans, cole slaw, drinks and homemade desserts. All seating is indoors, and there will be bluegrass music. For information on the fish fry, call Ed Burns at (931) 636-4488.

The Belvidere Valley Lawn and Garden Pullers Association will also be having a Pulling-in Competition at noon. To enter, call Mike Moore at (931) 273-9314.

Broadview Firemen's Fish Fry

The Broadview Fire Department's annual Fish Fry is noon to 5 p.m., Saturday, April 19, at the Broadview Volunteer Fire Department, 5253 Lynchburg Rd., Winchester.

Tickets are \$15, adults; \$5, children 4-12. The menu is fish, chicken, hush puppies, fries, beans, cole slaw, drinks and desserts. There will be a raffle with a chance to win one of five \$100 Walmart gift cards. Tickets are \$1. For information on the fish fry, call Brooke Boswell at (615) 218-9051.

Community Clean-up Set for April 26

Mark your calendar and plan to join other community members for our annual Arthur Knoll Community Clean-up. Slated for Saturday, April 26, 9-11 a.m., and sponsored by the Community Council, the University Office of Leases and Community Relations and Facilities Management, it's our chance to spruce up our roadsides and finally lasso the pesky trash that's accumulated over the winter. Meet at the Mountain Goat Trailhead (the old Depot) at 9 a.m., to fan out and do the deed. Got a spot you especially want to see cleaned up? Now's your chance! Garbage bags and other supplies will be provided. Afterwards, drop by the Blue Chair for free pastry and drink, then go to Angel Park for presentation of the coveted Platinum Beauty Ring Award.

Local Food Available

The South Cumberland Farmer's Market has breads, fruits, vegetables, eggs, coffee, meats and more available. Ordering takes place each week online from Friday at 9 p.m. to Monday at noon. Walk-in pickup is on Tuesdays, 4-6 p.m., at the Sewanee Community Center. To order go to <https://openfoodnetwork.net/south-cumberland-farmer-s-market/shop>.

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Church News

All Saints' Chapel

Sundays during the Academic Year, services at All Saints' Chapel will be at 8 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite I and 11 a.m., Holy Eucharist, Rite II.

Holy Week & Easter Sunday:

Maundy Thursday Holy Eucharist, Thursday, April 17, at 6 p.m. Worship with an opportunity to participate in a ceremonial foot-washing just as Jesus did to show his love for his followers. We end the service by stripping the altar and begin the vigil with the Reserved Sacrament in St. Augustine's Chapel.

We are offering a Gethsemane Watch after the Maundy Thursday service until the morning of Good Friday. Members of the community who desire to be a part of this vigil over the blessed sacrament in St. Augustine's Chapel will have an opportunity to sign up to come, watch and pray.

Good Friday, April 18, at noon, Stations of the Cross (begins at 216 University Avenue). At 1 p.m., Good Friday Liturgy (All Saints' Chapel). Join the community as we remember Christ's suffering, crucifixion and death on Good Friday with a service of Scripture and prayers.

Holy Saturday, April 19, at 9 a.m. Volunteers are invited to help decorate the Chapel for Easter services. All are welcome.

The Great Vigil of Easter (with incense) at 8 p.m. (All Saints' Chapel). The first celebration of the resurrection begins with the lighting of a fire outside the Chapel and

then moves inside by candlelight to hear stories of God's saving action.

Easter Day, April 20, at 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Continue the celebration of Jesus' resurrection. Brass and incense at 11 a.m.

Christ Church

Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week. At Christ Church we begin with The Blessing of the Palms and a procession, which includes the account of Palm Sunday. The traditional hymns will be sung. This day really has three distinct parts. The triumphant entry of Jesus into the city of Jerusalem is the first part. The second part is the Reading of the Passion narrative, which is done with three readers. The Holy Communion is a bit more solemn, but still done with blessed assurance.

Each weekday in Holy Week there is a service at noon. On Maundy Thursday the Altar is stripped. Good Friday's service is Tenebrae. We welcome visitors at all times, but especially during Holy Week and Easter. We always have Palms to give to people who wish to share with others.

Our faithful readers happily step aside on Good Friday when someone arrives who would like to read. On Maundy Thursday and Good Friday we depart the church quietly, but you can still visit in the parking lot.

We wish everyone blessings for the coming of Spring and especially for Holy Week and Easter.

Morton Memorial United Methodist

We will observe Palm Sunday, April 13, with a parade of palms entering the sanctuary at 11 a.m. while percussionists on the lawn fill the air with lively music. Persons who would like to be part of the parade may gather on the front lawn at 10:45 a.m. Worship will proceed with special music and a message entitled "Palm Branches" from The Rev. Melisa Derseweh.

Maundy Thursday will be observed at 6 p.m. with The Rev. Gene Finnell preaching. Holy Communion will be celebrated with liturgy emphasizing the significance of this night in the life of the Church. The bread and cup are offered to all persons regardless of age or church affiliation. All are invited, even if it's the first time a person has visited Morton. It's an open table, meaning a person of any age doesn't have to be baptized

believer or a member of any church.

Children are welcome at Morton! Pastor Melisa will have a children's time during the worship that will explore washing of feet in the first century as an act of hospitality and a message of servant leadership, when Jesus washed the feet of his disciples. Following worship, children will have time together in activities.

To learn more, accept this invitation to worship at Morton Memorial United Methodist Church. Morton is located at 322 West Main Street in Monteagle and our service begins at 11 a.m. In addition to a thought-provoking message, you can look forward to inspirational music. If you are unable to attend and want to sample worship at Morton, the service will be live streamed at Morton's Facebook and YouTube pages and is available there in the week following the service.

Morton has many active ministries. This Saturday, from 8–10 a.m., our Food Mission team will offer substantial food baskets to approximately 250 families. To receive food, drivers should enter the food distribution line, which begins behind the church. Volunteers are also welcome, should arrive before 7:45 and are asked to park in the CVS lot next door.

St. James Episcopal

Please join us at St. James for Holy Week. It begins with the commemoration of Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday. Our Palm Sunday service will begin at 9 a.m. We will have a procession from outside into the church. Maundy Thursday service will commemorate The Last Supper. It will be on April 17 beginning at 5:30 p.m. On the Good Friday

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Church Calendar

Abundant Life Assembly of God, Cowan

10:30 a.m. Worship, Sunday

All Saints' Chapel

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I, Sunday

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Sunday

Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

5:30 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Wednesday

Calvary Baptist Church, Winchester

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

4 p.m. Evening Worship, Sunday

7 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham

9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship, Sunday

6 p.m. Evening Worship, Sunday

7 p.m. Bible study, Wednesday

Christ Church Monteagle

10:45 a.m. Holy Communion, Sunday

Christ Church, Tracy City

10 a.m. Bible Study, Sunday

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

Christ the King Anglican Church, Decherd

9 a.m. Sunday Service, Sunday

6:30 p.m. Healing/prayer service

City Light Church, Monteagle

10:45 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Cowan Fellowship Church

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Worship, Sunday

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

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9 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

Decherd Presbyterian Church

11 a.m. Worship (Sunday)

Decherd United Methodist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

10:50 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Epiphany Mission, Sherwood

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Sunday

First Baptist Church, Cowan

9:15 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

10:25 a.m. Worship, Sunday

First Church of the Nazarene, Cowan

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Decherd

5 p.m. Mass, Saturday

10:30 a.m. Mass, Sunday

12:30 p.m. Spanish Mass, Sunday

Goshen C. P. Church, Winchester

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Grace Fellowship Church

10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service

Harrison Chapel Methodist Church, Midway

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Sunday Morning Service

5 p.m. Sunday Evening Service

Highpointe Apostolic Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Worship, Sunday

7 p.m. Worship, Wednesday

Hobbs Hill Community Church, Tracy City

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

5 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Evening Service, Wednesday

Marble Plains Baptist Church, Winchester

9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

10:30 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

5 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Mid-week Service, Wednesday

Midway Baptist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

10:45 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

Midway Church of Christ

10 a.m. Bible Study, Sunday

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

Monteagle Church of Christ

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

Monteagle First Baptist Church

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

Monteagle Seventh-day Adventist Church

10 a.m. Bible Study, Saturday

11 a.m. Worship, Saturday

7 p.m. Prayer and Study, Tuesday

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle

10 a.m. Sunday School, until 10:45 a.m.

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Mountain of God Tabernacle, Monteagle

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11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Prayer Service, Wednesday

New Creations Ministries, Rayburn Chapel

4 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Sunday

New Hope Church of God in Christ, Cowan

11 a.m. Sunday Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Sunday Service, Sunday

Pelham United Methodist Church

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

St. Agnes' Episcopal Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

St. James-Midway Episcopal Church

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

8 a.m. Mass, Sunday

St. Mark & St. Paul

8:30 a.m. Nursery, basement of Kennerly Hall

(Sewanee Children's Center), Sunday

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

9:45 a.m. Godly Play

9:45 a.m. Youth Sunday School

9:45 a.m. Sunday Forum

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday, livestream Facebook

St. Mary's Sewanee Retreat Center

4 p.m. Centering Prayer Group, Thursday

Sewanee Church of God

10 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Sewanee Zen, Stone Nest Dojo

7 a.m. Zazen, Tuesday-Thursday

10 a.m. Zazen and Ceremony, Sunday

Sisters of St. Mary Convent Chapel

7 a.m. Morning Prayer, Tuesday-Friday

5 p.m. Evening Prayer, Tuesday-Friday

7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Saturday

5 p.m. Evensong, Saturday

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

5 p.m. Evensong, Sunday

Tracy City First Baptist Church

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship, Sunday

Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Sunday

12:30 p.m. Lectionary Bible Study, Tuesday

Unitarian Universalist Church, Tullahoma

10 a.m. Service, Sunday

Valley Home Community Church, Pelham

10 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday

Obituaries

David Wesley Ferry

David Wesley Ferry, age 83 of Sewanee, died on Jan. 8, 2025, at Southern Tennessee Regional Health Systems, Winchester. He was born on Dec. 9, 1941, in Bethlehem, Pa., to Harold William and Irene Elizabeth Troutner Ferry. He enlisted in the U.S. Army, where he was a Specialist 4th Class. He worked for Unfrax Company in New York before retiring, and he was a volunteer firefighter in the late 1970's-1980's. After moving to Tennessee in 2003, he enjoyed gardening, and occasionally deer hunting. He was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Jessica Marie Lucretia Owen; brother and sister-in-law, Robert and Dorothy Ferry; niece, Traci Sepe; nephew, Robert "Bobby" Ferry; and his four-legged best friends, Amber, Rocky, and Brandi.

He is survived by his wife, Lucretia Ferry; children, David Ferry Jr., Irene (Jonathan) Fankhauser, Daniel Ferry (Kelly Coulbourn); son-in-law, Jeff Owen; 16 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

A memorial gathering will be from 2-5 p.m. on Saturday, April 26, 2025, at the Life Celebration Center of Moore-Cortner Funeral Home. For complete obituary go to <www.moorecortner.com>.

Kimberly Hale Tucker

Kimberly Hale Tucker, age 58 of Winchester, died on Friday, April 4, 2025 at her home. She was born on Sept. 16, 1966, in LaFayette, Tenn., to Donald and Ruby Turner Hale. She was a devoted Christian and a lifelong educator who positively impacted the lives of her students and cherished friendships throughout her life. She was preceded in death by her parents.

She is survived by her husband, Kenneth Scott Tucker of Winchester; children, Megan Parsley Klingler (Kyle) and Will Parsley (Sarah) both of Woodbury; Garrett Tucker (Brittany) and Gavin Tucker, both of Winchester; siblings, Terry Hale (Linda) of Gordonsville, June Brown (Craig) of LaFayette, Sandy Langley (Steve) of Harriman and Susie Pew (Randy) of Crossville; three grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Memorial visitation will begin at 10 a.m., Saturday, April 12, 2025 at First Baptist Church of Woodbury. Memorial services will follow at 3 p.m., with Bro. Dakota Logan officiating. Graveside services will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to any Cannon County School or to Sewanee Elementary School. For complete obituary go to <www.woodburyfuneralhome.net>.

Curtis Ervin Williams

Curtis Ervin Williams, age 72, died on Oct. 14, 2024. He was born on April 9, 1952.

He was a musician, teacher for 23 years (social studies at Lithia Springs and Sequoyah High Schools), and a dedicated coach of football, baseball, softball and golf.

He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Melissa (Collins) Williams; children, Rebekah Williams and Trevor (Amy) Williams; brother, James (Holly) Williams, and two grandsons.

A Memorial Service will be at noon on Saturday, April 12, 2025 at the University of the South Cemetery, with a reception at the Sewanee Inn following the service. For complete obituary go to <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

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we will remember and honor the Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ at 5:30 p.m. Easter Sunday we will celebrate Jesus' resurrection from death. The service will be at 9 a.m. We will have the flowering of the cross and following the service we will have a brunch. St. James is located at 898 Midway Rd., Sewanee. All are welcome.

St. Mark and St. Paul

This Sunday the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. The 11 a.m. service will be livestreamed on our Facebook page and remains available there.

Nursery Services: Infants and toddlers through three years old are invited to gather downstairs in Claiborne Hall.

Lectionary Bible Study: Brooks Hall Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m.

Centering Prayer Group: Mondays at 7 p.m. and Tuesdays at 2:30 p.m., both in the church.

Sherwood Epiphany Work Day: Join our two congregations in a spring work day on Saturday, April 12, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Lunch provided. RSVP to Jocelyn Snider (406) 360-6152 (text OK).

Godly Play continues this Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for children (3 years old through 5th grade). Godly Play Classes are combined this Sunday.

Youth Sunday School: Students in 6th-12th grade are invited to gather with friends upstairs in Brooks Hall for games, prayer, and Bible study with Paul and Andrea Richaud.

Holy Week and Easter Schedule
Palm Sunday, April 13, at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Both services begin in front of Brooks Hall (weather permitting).

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday in Holy Week April 14, 15 and 16, Holy Eucharist at 5 p.m.

Maundy Thursday, April 17 Holy Eucharist, Footwashing and Stripping of the Altar, 5 p.m.

Good Friday, April 18, Community Stations of the Cross, noon (beginning at St. Mark and St. Paul in front of Brooks Hall). Solemn Liturgy at All Saints' Chapel, 1 p.m. Solemn Liturgy at St. Mark and St. Paul, 5 p.m.

Easter Day, April 20, Festival Holy Eucharist at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Easter Egg hunt at 10:30 a.m. Celebratory coffee hour following the 11 a.m. service.

Sisters of St. Mary

"I To The Hills Will Lift Mine Eyes" Contemplative Prayer Service, at 7 p.m., Friday, April 11, St. Mary's Convent Chapel. All are invited to attend this contemplative prayer service created by our Organic Prayer Program intern, Sydney Dudley. The topic is care for creation with a focus on care for the mountains. The service will be both educational and inspirational.

Holy Week Services at St. Mary's Convent Chapel

Palm Sunday, 8 a.m., The Liturgy of the Palms; 5 p.m., Evensong
Tuesday in Holy Week, 7 a.m., Morning Prayer; 7:30 a.m., Holy Eucharist; 5 p.m., Evening Prayer.

Wednesday in Holy Week, 7 a.m., Morning Prayer; 7:30 a.m., Holy Eucharist; 7 p.m., Tenebrae.

Maundy Thursday, 7 a.m. Morning Prayer; 5 p.m., Maundy Thursday Liturgy

Good Friday, 7 a.m., Morning Prayer, noon to 3 p.m., Good Friday Liturgy.

Holy Saturday, 7:30 a.m., Morning Prayer; 8 a.m., Holy Saturday Liturgy; 5 p.m., Evening Prayer.

Easter, 5:30 a.m., The Great Vigil; 5 p.m., Evensong.

Baker (from page 1)

Maundy Thursday Service

The various Cowan churches will gather for Maundy Thursday at 6 p.m., April 17, at St. Agnes' Episcopal Church. The speaker will be Rev. John Barker.

Maundy Thursday recalls the Last Supper that Jesus held in the Upper Room with the Disciples. The Last Supper is where Jesus gave the new commandment. (The word "maundy" is based on a Latin word that translates to "mandate" or "commandment".)

All are invited to this meaningful time in worship that reflects on Jesus' time before he was crucified. St. Agnes' is located at 105 E. England St., in Cowan.

Good Friday Gathering at First Baptist

The various Cowan churches will gather at 6 p.m., Friday, April 18, at Cowan First Baptist Church for a shared Good Friday event.

All are invited to this very special and solemn time to reflect on Jesus' arrest, trial, crucifixion, and burial. First Baptist Church is located at 316 W. Cumberland St. in Cowan. The service is sponsored by the Cowan Ministerial Association.

Easter Sunrise Service

The various Cowan churches will gather for an Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m., Sunday, April 20. The service is a joyful celebration of the empty tomb and the news that Jesus is risen! Our speaker will be Pastor Roger Speer, Pastor of Cowan Fellowship Church. The cemetery is located at the end of South Willow Street in Cowan.

In case of rain/bad weather, the service will gather instead at Cowan Fellowship Church. The service is sponsored by Cowan Ministerial Association.

A Sunrise Service will also be at the Goshen Cemetery, 1262 Williams Cove Road between Cowan and Winchester.

Baker said, his voice betraying that he was a little amazed he had a voice again. "I started looking for other songs I could sing." He confided his secret bucket-list wish to lifelong friend Mark Casstevens, a Nashville studio musician who has performed on more than 800 albums with the likes of Dolly Parton, Glen Campbell, Linda Ronstadt, and Johnny Cash. Baker wanted to perform in a session with professional musicians. "I think we can make that happen," Casstevens told him. Sensing Baker's shy, introverted nature, Casstevens proposed a radical strategy: a session with a guitarist or keyboard player to lay down a first track of instrumentation, and then Baker working individually with other musicians to flesh-out the song, each musician adding their own creative impetus. "I get to be God for a while," Baker said, "and the musicians love it. They can be creative and take their time with the leash taken off, without the demands of a high-dollar, intense studio recording session. The vibe is, 'let's try this.'"

In his two shows, Baker will sing and play guitar, accompanied by his "virtual band" DNB and Friends, featuring Blair Masters (Garth Brooks keyboardists), Brian Pruitt (Taylor Swift's drummer), and Jeff King (Reba McEntire's guitarist), along with other greats including session musicians for Yoyo Ma, Dolly Parton, Emmylou Harris, and Brooks and Dunn.

When it comes to original composition, music and poetry alike begin with "the itch" for Baker. He admits to not being particularly disciplined about his writing schedule. "I write because I cannot not write," Baker said.

However impulsive, "the itch" has served Baker well. Find out for yourself. "Haunting My Own House" is available from Amazon and don't miss an opportunity to spend an evening with DNB and Friends. You'll be glad you did.

SVFD (from page 1)

boards of The Cloud Forest School Foundation, Housing Sewanee (as a founding board member), the Land Trust for Tennessee (as Conservation and Stewardship Committee Chair), the Sewanee Utility District, and Blue Monarch; and

Whereas, his past leadership includes serving on the boards of Sewanee Community Action, the Sewanee Community Council, St. Andrew's-Sewanee School (as Trustee and Alumni Council Chair), the Tennessee Environmental Council, the South Cumberland Regional Land Trust (as a founding board member), Leadership Franklin County, the American Canoe Association (as National Slalom and Wildwater Chair and Conservation Chair), and the Merrie-Woode Foundation; and

Whereas, he has made significant contributions to the academic and literary world as co-author of The New York Times "Guides to Outdoors U.S.A.," author of "Under the Sun at Sewanee," contributor to "Small Craft Advisor," and advisor for "Biology, An Environmental Approach," a high school textbook; and

Whereas, in recognition of his extraordinary contributions, the University of the South established the Doug Cameron Award, presented annually to a graduating senior for exemplary emergency service to the community; and

Whereas, his impact on the world of outdoor adventure and conservation has been further recognized through his induction into the Southern Appalachian Whitewater Hall of Fame; and

Whereas, he has demonstrated a lifelong commitment to education, conservation, and service, embodying the highest ideals of leadership and community engagement;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we honor and recognize Doug Cameron for his exemplary service, his dedication to the betterment of his community, and his profound impact on countless individuals through his work in education, emergency services, environmental advocacy, and outdoor leadership."

Mountain Goat Trail Race Set for April 19

The Mountain Goat Trail Race, sponsored by Mountain Outfitters, returns for the 10th time on Saturday, April 19.

The day features a 5-mile run, a 2-mile walk, and a half marathon, all ending at Mountain Outfitters. All proceeds will go to the Mountain Goat Trail Alliance (MGTA) to support Mountain Goat Trail construction.

"We're thrilled that it's time to work once more with our longstanding sponsor, Mountain Outfitters, on the annual race. Entrants can expect the fun and the great drawings for gear that we've had pretty much every year it's been run," said Patrick Dean, executive director of the MGTA.

The 5-mile run will begin at 9:30 a.m., in downtown Sewanee; the 2-mile walk will begin at 10:15 a.m., at La Bella Pearl's. Both will finish at Mountain Outfitters in Monteagle. Prizes will be awarded for the fastest men's and women's 5-mile finishers. Drawings for outdoor gear from Mountain Outfitters and presentation of awards are planned after the finish of the run & walk.

The half-marathon (13.1 miles) will begin at 8 a.m., at Mountain Outfitters and follow the Mountain Goat Trail to Sewanee, looping on side roads before returning to the finish at Mountain Outfitters. Drawings for outdoor gear from Mountain Outfitters and presentation of awards are planned after the finish.

To learn more or to register, go to <www.mountaingoattrail.org/race/>. Registration closes Friday, April 18.

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Introductory AI Workshop Series Offered at Sewanee Community Center

Larry Wilson, a longtime Sewanee resident and early Artificial Intelligence (AI) practitioner, is offering a three-part introductory workshop series at the Sewanee Community Center. The sessions are free and open to both adults and students in sixth grade and above. Participation with provided Wi-Fi is limited to 20 people.

Workshops will be on three consecutive Saturdays, Saturday, April 19, Saturday, April 26, and Saturday, May 3, 2025, at 11 a.m. Each session will last one hour and will focus on hands-on interaction with AI tools.

Rather than discussing AI in theory, participants will use AI directly — exploring how to write effective instructions, or “prompts,” for large language models like ChatGPT, Claude, and Gemini. These tools are widely available and increasingly used in education, work, and daily life.

Each session is designed to be practical and beginner-friendly, offering step-by-step support. While the sessions build on one another, participants are welcome to attend even if they cannot make all three. The focus will be on helping attendees explore topics or questions that matter to them, using AI tools as learning partners.

The workshop is designed to meet you where you are. Whether you’re totally new to AI or already experimenting, you’ll have space to explore at your own level.

Participants should bring a fully charged, Wi-Fi-enabled laptop (laptops will not be provided) and ensure they can log into a personal account on at least one AI platform — such as ChatGPT, Claude, or Gemini — before the first session. They are also encouraged to bring a specific question, assignment, or goal to explore — for example, a writing prompt, a topic they’re researching, or a letter they’d like help drafting.

Before the first session, please make sure your device is fully charged, connects to Wi-Fi or mobile data, and that you have successfully logged into an AI platform like ChatGPT, Claude, or Gemini at least once.

All work will remain on participants’ own devices and within their personal AI accounts. Nothing will be collected or shared by the instructor unless participants choose to share it themselves.

Registration is available at <www.sewanee.ai> on a first-come, first-served basis. Due to internet limitations at the Community Center, only the first 20 registrants will be guaranteed access to Wi-Fi. However, others are welcome to attend and can participate using their own smartphones with mobile data.

To sign up, visit <www.sewanee.ai>.

Mountain T.O.P. Women’s Renewal Event

Women of all ages are welcome to join in our Women’s Renewal Weekend May 15–18, at Mountain T.O.P., 480 Old State Hwy 56, Coalmont. The focus of this event is a gift of time.

There will be many options of activities. Beginning with dinner Friday evening and ending after breakfast Sunday morning, come and have the time to read, enjoy crafts, go hiking, try tai chi, get a massage, enjoy a musical evening (bring your instrument) and more. Contact Martha Pierce at <martha@mountain-top.org> for full information.

Farm to Table 2025

Farm to Table 2025 will be at 4 p.m., Friday, April 11, in Manigault Park. If you haven’t been able to attend in the past, Farm to Table is a free event, planned by students with the help of faculty, staff, and community members, which brings together the University and the surrounding community. Farm to Table features a live band, contra-dancing, local crafts fair, yard games, and farm-sourced food, and is one of the largest community events of the year in Sewanee.

SENIOR CENTER NEWS

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$5, regardless of your age. Please call (931) 598-0771 by 9 a.m. to order lunch. Menus follow:

Monday, April 14: Chuck wagon salad, chips.

Tuesday, April 15: Fajita chicken, rice, salad, chips.

Wednesday, April 16: Pinto and pork salad.

Thursday, April 17: Bacon cheeseburger soup.

Friday, April 18: Lasagna, salad, garlic bread.

Menus may vary. For information call the center at (931) 598-0771.

Chair Exercise Class is 10:30–11:30 a.m., every Monday and Wednesday at the Community Center. Contact Susan Roberson at (516) 987-8440 for further information.

The Center is in need of kitchen volunteers, and regular and substitute drivers.

The Sewanee Senior Center does not charge any membership fee. All persons 50 or older who take part in any of the activities are considered members.

Mindfulness in May at the Ayres Center

St. Mary’s Sewanee Ayres Spiritual Development Center will be sponsored a month of mindfulness retreats during the month of May. Choose from a one-day workshop, weekend or four-day retreat to experience various mindfulness practices.

Gordon Peerman and his team will lead Mindfulness on the Mountain May 2–4. A combination of silent meditation, Tai Chi, and kirtan, this retreat promises to lead participants to deep, meaningful insight.


If you don’t have time to stay overnight, visit for the day May 10th and join June Mays, garden designer, in a one-day workshop, Grace in Gardens. June will demonstrate how gardening is a mindfulness practice that helps those seeking “deep stillness ... from hectic modern life.”

If you have more time, Janka Livoncova, Insight Meditation Teacher and trained Somatic Movement Teacher, will lead Awakening Joy, a four-day retreat May 15-18. This retreat allows guests to disconnect from the busyness of daily life and retreat inward to silence and inner peace.

To register, contact <Reservations@stmaryssewanee.org>, <www.stmaryssewanee.org> or call (931) 598-5342. Scholarships are available.

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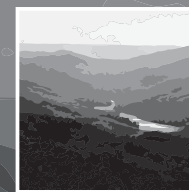
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BREAKFAST

All reimbursable breakfast meals must include a minimum of three items with at least one being fruit or fruit juice. A variety of fruit, fruit juice & milk offered daily. All entrees = 2 items. Every effort will be made to follow the published menu; however, last minute changes may be necessary.

Monday, April 14: Cereal cup or pancakes or waffles.

Tuesday, April 15: Cereal cup or breakfast pizza.

Wednesday, April 16: Cereal cup or breakfast pastry.

Thursday, April 17: Cereal cup or meat biscuit.

Friday, April 18: No School.

LUNCH

All reimbursable meals must include a fruit or vegetable on the tray. Students may decline 2 of the 5 meal components – meat/meat alternative; grain; fruit; vegetable; milk. Daily offerings may include Yogurt Fun Packs and/or PB&J Power Packs.

Monday, April 14: Hot dog, bun, French fries, pinto beans, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, April 15: Breakfast for lunch: biscuit, salsa, tater tots, veggie cup, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, April 16: Pork rib patty, dinner roll, creamed potatoes, roasted vegetables, fruit, milk.

Thursday, April 17: Pizza, carrot dippers buttered corn, cookie, fruit, milk.

Friday, April 18: No School.

For meal pricing, go to <https://franklincountytn.schoolsites.com/menus-mealpricing>.

Spring Classes at Cumberland Folk School

Announcing new classes at the Cumberland Folk School for this Spring. The Cumberland Folk School, located at Sequatchie Cove Farm, is a place to celebrate and commune around traditional crafts and skills, offering weekend workshops taught by skilled craftspeople. Our classes are built upon the inherent connection between traditional skills, sustainable land management, and farming to teach self-reliance and the use of natural materials to create beautiful utilitarian objects.

Check us out at www.cumberlandfolkschool.com for more information, detailed class listings, and to sign up for upcoming classes.

Shaker Box, April 12; Learn Basic woodworking skills and build a Shaker Box.

Plant ID and Spring Wildflower Walk, April 13; Learn to identify our native spring wildflowers and other plants growing in our region with Sewanee Herbarium's Mary Priestley.

Birding by Ear Bird Walk-April 27; Learn basic bird ID with a special emphasis on identification by bird song with Richard Candler, Author of "Birding Sewanee."

Mushroom Foraging, May 3; Learn essential mushroom biology and romp through the woods in search of choice edibles with Midway Mushrooms.

Wool Yarn Spinning, May 10; Learn to spin yarn from local wool using a drop spindle.

Color Run for Literacy

Early Literacy Ambassadors (ELA) invites you to participate in their second annual color run fundraiser. This family-friendly event will take place at Cove Creek Farm on Saturday, April 12, from 10 a.m. to noon. Run, walk, roller skate, etc., along the Mountain Goat Trail from the farm to Mooney's and back. There will be color splash stations along the 3-mile loop. Come for the run and stay for a hayride or a picture with the Easter Bunny! Registration is free for ages 0-12 and \$15 for ages 13 and up. T-shirts are included with registration while supplies last. Pre-registration is recommended. Check-in starts at 9:30 a.m. Visit <https://forms.gle/EmdzasnSRSD1EAd6> for registration and information.

Founded in 2021, ELA is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit that provides free, evidence-based reading interventions to children in Franklin and Grundy counties in order to break the cycle of poverty through literacy. During the 2023-2024 school year, ELA provided 140 hours of instruction to 144 students with the help of 7 college student Ambassadors. 120 books were read to Story Time students, and 100 percent of Reading Group students met or exceeded their reading goal. ELA is currently supported by private donors and the following organizations: United Way of Franklin County, South Cumberland Community Fund, Sewanee Community Chest, Community Foundation of Middle TN, Lodge Cast Iron, Louie M. and Betty M. Phillips Foundation, and Sewanee's Office of Civic Engagement.

The color run is ELA's primary fundraiser for the year. Their goal is to raise \$25,000, which will ensure the continuation of this vital service. Please join the following event sponsors: Theta Kappa, TKP alumni, Megan Hart, Mildred Wakefield, Katie Ward, Parrin Patterson, Sarah Wallace, Cornelia, Caroline, Anne-Marie, Margaret, Wren, Julia, Leigh Ann, and Romy. Become a sponsor here: <https://givebutter.com/ELA-colorrun>. ELA is thankful for all the community support and hopes to see you at the Color Run.



Sewanee Elementary's Students of the Month for March: fifth grade, Gauge Harmon; fourth grade, Westin Walker; third grade, Lavender Barry; second grade, Charlie Wells; first grade, Bryson Barnes; Kindergarten, Aiven Ladd

Sewanee Elementary Announces Honor Rolls, Award Recipients

Sewanee Elementary School principal Allison Dietz announced honor rolls and award recipients for the most recent nine-week period.

First Honor Roll

Third grade—Bella Barnes, and Axton Ladd;

Fourth grade—Hank Borneman, CeCe Brehm, Suzy Camp, Kaisen Dietz, Edie Holmes, Will Mahler, and Lilian Mylonas-Garcia;

Fifth grade—Daniel Comoretto, Nick Fino, Kenedee Hale, Esme Hopwood-Meyer, Mae Polansky, Lucy Seballos, Bea Shealy, Elliott Sowell, Gracie Sparacio, Fynn Spear, Cullen Thompson, and Rainey Wood.

Second Honor Roll

Third grade—John Austin, Lavender Barry, Mia Casey, Ellie Green, Iris Hopwood-Meyer, Nora Jackson, Darien Kaluzny, Zeke Matson, Birch McAnally, Violet Stefanut, and Luke Winkler;

Fourth grade—Annie Beaumont, Lucy Beaumont, Theo Leffler-Mitchell, Amelie Watson, and Averett Welch;

Fifth grade—Jo DiDomenico, Julian Elrod, Jon Fino, Aliza Jackson, Imogene Latham, McKenzie Loewer, Ora Simpson, and Kate Summers.

BUG Club

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

Third grade—Miles Bruscato, Darien Kaluzny, Jack Olsen, and Conor Sparacio;

Fifth grade—Joe DiDomenico, Nick Fino, Kenedee Hale, Krislyn Prater, Bea Shealy, and Fynn Spear.

Citizenship Award

(Selected by their teachers)

K—Marc Andres Torres; **First grade**—Isabelle Swerske and Rylann Haney; **Second grade**—Griffin Stewart and Joseph Oliver; **Third grade**—Mia Casey; **Fourth grade**—Stratton Barry and Hank Bornemann; **Fifth grade**—Jasmine Long and Kate Summers.

Tiger Traits

(Selected by their peers as most exemplifying the character trait "Respectful")

K—Greyson Alexander; **First grade**—Mae Hambrick and Anthony Carlson; **Second grade**—Emilie Asiedu-Acquah and Beckett Green; **Third grade**—Miles Bruscato; **Fourth grade**—Sam Ramirez and Brody Bivens; **Fifth grade**—Micah Curtis and David Gray.

(Selected by their peers as most exemplifying the character trait "Organized")

K—Flora Christopher; **First grade**—Catherine Sturdy and Alize Martinez; **Second grade**—Aralyn Ladd and Maisyn Staples; **Third grade**—Zeke Matson; **Fourth grade**—Cash Hall and CeCe Brehm; **Fifth grade**—Gracie Sparacio and Imogene Latham.



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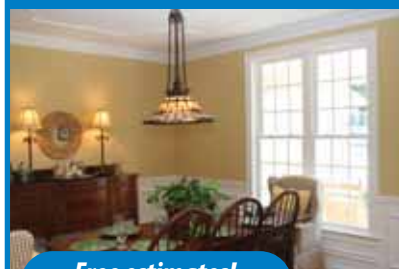
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Martin Lecture for Sewanee Herbarium, 'Imperiled Beauty'

The Sewanee Herbarium will be hosting a series of public events in April as part of a celebration of plant diversity on the Cumberland Plateau and specifically the 40th anniversary of the Tennessee Rare Plant Protection and Conservation Act and our discovery of the Sewanee Purple Phacelia (*Phacelia sewaneeensis*) in Shakerag Hollow! The events are sponsored by the Department of Biology and the Office of Civic Engagement.

Join us for an enticing presentation by Laura Martin, on Thursday, April 17, from 4:45–5:45 p.m. in Spencer Hall Room 172 at The University of the South. Martin will discuss "Imperiled Beauty: Tennessee's Endangered Plants," and the critical role of her artistic work at capturing rare and endangered plants in the state.

Laura C. Martin has had a long and happy career as a botanist, author and botanical artist. She has a degree in botany from the University of Georgia and a certificate degree in Botanical Art and Illustration from the New York Botanical Gardens. In addition to publishing 26 books, she also wrote a weekly gardening column for *The Atlanta Journal and Constitution* for 9 years and, for many years, was gardening editor for both *Atlanta Homes and Lifestyles Magazine* and *Georgia Magazine*. Her art and information exhibit, "Imperiled Beauty, Georgia's Endangered Plants," opened at the Atlanta Botanical Gardens Fall, 2024 and was then shown at libraries, schools and cultural centers throughout the state. She is currently working on writing and illustrating "Imperiled Beauty, Endangered Plants of the Southeast" to be published by University of Georgia Press.

Tennessee has 12 native plants that are on the federal endangered species list, meaning that wherever they grow, they are in danger of extinction. The story of how we are protecting these plants and safeguarding them for future generations is a fascinating tale. From drones to dogs, genetics to cryostorage for seeds, scientists are using an entirely new set of tools to ensure the future of our environment. Laura Martin will discuss the five main reasons for the loss of our native plant species: habitat loss, habitat degradation, fire suppression, invasive weeds, and pests and disease and will then talk about how teams of scientists, volunteers and conservationists are working together to save our species. Her talk is, in part, illustrated with photos of paintings from her upcoming book on the endangered plants of the Southeast. Though the topic is serious, Laura's optimism and light-hearted approach make this a presentation that is both educational, interesting, and inspirational.



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Faculty Awards Recognize Excellence in Advising, Teaching, Scholarship, and Service

On March 31, Interim Dean of the College Betsy Sandlin and Interim Associate Dean of the College Deon Miles honored the dedication and impact of Sewanee's exceptional faculty with the presentation of the 2025 Faculty Awards. These awards recognize outstanding contributions to advising, scholarship, service, and teaching.

Associate Professor of Chemistry Evan Joslin received the Award for Excellence in Academic Advising or Mentoring. In support of Joslin's nomination, students noted her willingness to go above and beyond to help her students and recognized her support of student-athletes in her role as faculty athletic representative. Wrote one student, "[Joslin] is someone that I know I can count on to help me through troubling times that arise, personal or academic-related."

Assistant Professor of French and French Studies Julian Ledford was recognized with the Award for Excellence in Service to the Institution. Nominated for this award by his faculty colleagues, Ledford was honored for his work on University committees including the Vice-Chancellor Search Committee. In support of his nomination, one colleague wrote, "[Ledford] has taken on an enormous load of service across the institution and over his years here. He is organized and committed, and should really be rewarded for his service to this institution."

Professor of History Andrea Mansker won the Award for Excellence in Scholarship, Research, or Creative Activity. Mansker's scholarly work includes *Matchmaking and the Marriage Market in Postrevolutionary France*, published in 2024 by Cornell University Press. In an endorsement of Mansker's book, University of South Carolina historian Carol E. Harrison wrote, "[It] is a successful and original approach to the history of marriage. The connections that Mansker draws to our own moment—in which the anomie of the early-nineteenth-century city now characterizes our digital lives—invite all readers into this engaging history."

The Award for Excellence in Teaching was shared by two faculty members: Visiting Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Computer Science Shuler Hopkins and Professor of English Bill Engel. In support of Hopkins' teaching, one student wrote, "Hopkins is a golden standard for professors. His calm demeanor, combined with his uncanny ability to simplify topics creates an awesome learning environment." About Engel's teaching, another student wrote, "Engel's insistence on student-centered constructivist learning has helped me gain confidence in and outside of the classroom. He has helped me believe in the knowledge I have acquired and trust my ability to share it with others."

At the ceremony, Miles also recognized the three College faculty members who received external grant awards in the previous year: Professor of Politics Andrea Hatcher, who received an Appalachian Colleges Collaborating for Equity Grant from the Appalachian Colleges Association; and Professor of Biology Elise Kikis and Professor of Biology Kirk Zigler, who both received Appalachian Colleges Association Faculty Fellowships.

Students in the College and faculty colleagues collectively submitted 130 nominations for consideration for this year's awards. The winners were selected by faculty committees composed of previous honorees for each award. View previous award recipients here: <https://new.sewanee.edu/offices/the-college-of-arts-sciences-offices/dean-of-the-college/faculty-awards-recognition/>.

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Professor Tiffany Momon Curates Exhibition at DAR Museum

On March 29, the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) Museum in Washington, D.C., opened its latest exhibition, "Fighting for Freedom: Black Craftspeople and the Pursuit of Independence." The exhibition was co-curated by Sewanee Associate Professor of History Tiffany Momon.

"Fighting for Freedom" seeks to embrace the stories of all those who pursued independence by centering on the lives and experiences of Black craftspeople and artisans from the 18th and 19th centuries. Featuring 47 objects from both public and private lenders, the collection showcases the multitude of ways in which Black artisans sought liberty and agency through craftwork.

"The Founding Fathers, while enslaving tens of thousands of people, unintentionally created a ripple effect," says Momon, "and we hope that visitors will see just how important those cries for liberty were to Black craftspeople and how they pursued it despite being marginalized."

Four years in the making, the exhibition includes furniture, metals, ceramics, textiles, art, tools, and personal accessories. Among the objects on display is a ceremonial chair from Sewanee's own archives that was made by enslaved artisans on Leonidas Polk's plantation.

Other notable objects include: a dumbwaiter and revolving table from Thomas Jefferson's Monticello; pottery from well-known ceramicist David Drake; an armoire from the Historic New Orleans Collection; a chest from the Philadelphia Museum of Art; and a bed from the Tennessee State Museum — the latter three of which have never previously been displayed outside of their lending institutions. "One of the highlights of the show is that it brings together so many objects made by Black craftspeople that have never been seen together in an exhibition," says Momon.

A member of Sewanee's faculty since 2019, Momon is the founder and co-director of the Black Craftspeople Digital Archive, which focuses on telling the stories of Black craftspeople working in America before 1900 by mapping the connections among them and curating images and stories that illuminate their work.

Fighting for Freedom will be on view at the DAR Museum through Dec. 31, 2025. Explore a digital version of the exhibition: <https://app.smartify.org/en-GB/exhibitions/fighting-for-freedom-black-craftspeople-and-the-pursuit-of-independence>.

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Sewanee in Print

Come to the Mountain this spring for Sewanee in Print — a two-day celebration, April 25-26, of print culture on the Cumberland Plateau and beyond, with author readings from the Sewanee Review, SWING, and Sewanee Poetry (a new book series from Louisiana State University Press). Sewanee in Print opens Friday at 5 p.m. in Angel Park with readings and a reception; return downtown on Saturday morning for the Zine and Small Press Book Fair from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and lots more great readings of poetry, fiction, and true stories at 11 a.m., 2 p.m., and 5 p.m. The Blue Chair and LUNCH will be on hand for drinks and nibbles. If you are interested in displaying or selling your zines or your small-press book, please get in touch with Leigh Anne Couch at <swingeditors@porchtn.org>.

Readings are: April 25, at 5 p.m., with Sewanee Review, Pamela Royston Macfie (NF), and Kanak Kapur (F). April 26, at 11 a.m., with SWING, Corrie Lynn White (P), Mark Doyle (F), Sophie Abbott (NF), and Gaylord Brewer (P). At 2 p.m., April 26, readings are SWING, Jeff Hardin (P), Sandra Crouch (P), Stephanie Nelson (F), Huan He (P), and Erica Anderson Senter (P). At 5 p.m., April 26, Sewanee Poetry, Dan Albergotti (P), Nida Sophasurun (P), Christopher Bakkun (P), and Chelsea Whitton (P).

Novelist and Editor Adam Ross in Conversation with Dr. Pamela Royston Macfie

Sewanee Review editor Adam Ross will appear in conversation with Dr. Pamela Royston Macfie to discuss his latest novel, "PLAY-WORLD," at 4 p.m., Monday, April 14, at the University Bookstore. "PLAYWORLD" is a sweeping bildungsroman centered on child actor Griffin Hurt, whose story spans a year in his life as he grapples with the perils of self-performance and the crude dissolution of youth. Coffee and light fare will be provided. Ross's books will be available for purchase.

Westminster Abbey Organ Recital Preview

University Organist and Choirmaster, Dr. Geoffrey Harris Ward, has been invited to play an organ recital this summer at Westminster Abbey in London, England. The community is invited to enjoy a special preview of the program at All Saints' Chapel at 3 p.m., Saturday, April 12. Organ composers to be featured in Dr. Ward's preview recital include: Alain, Bach, Duruflé, Mesiaen, and Price. Admission to the recital is free.

Senior Voice Recital: Ruthie Rhodes

Join Ruthie Rhodes, C'25, for "Perspectives on Love!" The recital will be at 3 p.m., Saturday, April 26, in St. Luke's Chapel.

In this recital, Ruthie explores the different types of love through the lens of song. From romantic longing to deep friendship and self-discovery, each piece offers a unique perspective on the many forms love can take. With Vicki Collinsworth, piano, and student guests.

Paint Night with Carole Foret

Frame Gallery is proud to present "Paint Night by Carole Foret," a relaxing evening of painting and socializing on Thursday, April 24, from 6-8 p.m. Carole will share her three decades of teaching art while participants paint and enjoy light refreshments. Participants are welcome to bring their drink of choice. The workshop is limited to eight participants, and the fee of \$75 per person includes all paint supplies to create a cardinal perched on a branch. To register go to <https://framegals.com/events/paint-night-with-carole-foret>.

Sewanee Secrets Tour, April 19

Step into the mystery — now at a new time. The tours will be offered at 3 p.m., and 5:30 p.m., Saturday, April 19.

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Save the Date for the Spring Arts & Crafts Fair

The Sewanee Arts and Crafts Association's (SACA) Spring Fair will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, May 10, at Shoup Park on University Avenue in Sewanee. This event is free and open to the public and is sponsored by SACA.

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"Little Sister" by Gabe Williams.

Opening Reception for Senior Art Majors Exhibition: 'WAKE'

The University Art Gallery presents "WAKE," an exhibition of the thesis work of the University of the South's senior art majors C'25: Mary Pat Colbert, Kamilla Haidaienko, Abbie Holloway, Rylan Kennedy, Katie Knight, Margaret Mentz, John Vinsant, and Gabe Williams.

In "WAKE," the artists present work that "serve as both witness and warning—a call to wake from our collective slumber and engage with the complexities of being alive in this moment."

WAKE will be on view in the University Art Gallery from April 11 to May 9.

Come celebrate the senior art majors and their work! An opening reception celebrating the artists will be held Friday, April 11 from 5 to 6 p.m. in Guerry Lobby and the UAG.

The artists will present their work during Scholarship Sewanee on Friday, April 25, in Convocation Hall, beginning at 9 a.m.

'Shakespeare's Twelfth Night, Or What You Will'

This 90-minute outdoor production is directed by Ivy Francis Moore, C'26. The show explores the themes of identity and liberation in Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" by placing it in an explosive, colorful, close-knit community that's somewhere between The University of the South, a Warhol painting, and a waterpark. Show times are at 7 p.m., April 15-18, and 2 p.m., April 19, at Angel Park in downtown Sewanee. Bring a blanket or a chair. Reserve your tickets at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/shakespeares-twelfth-night-or-what-you-will-tickets-1302107511619?aff=oddttdtcreator>.

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'Nature, Red in Bird and Bough' Exhibit at the Frame Gallery

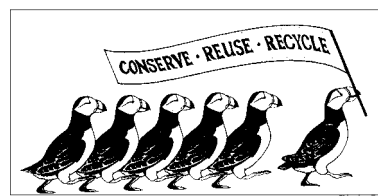
Frame Gallery is proud to present the fifth annual art exhibit by the Nature Journaling Group, sponsored by the Sewanee Herbarium. The exhibit titled "Nature, Red in Bird and Bough," will run through Saturday, April 25.

A total of 13 artists from the Nature Journaling Group will display their art in the exhibit: Laura Blackman (oil), Lin Cameron (acrylic), Yolande Gottfried (ink, color pen) and Mary Davis, Margie Gallagher, Martha Lee McCarthy, Deb Partee, Mary Priestley, Andrea Sanders, Carol Stoney, Tisha Tiller, Deb Tucker, Marlene Wilkinson (watercolor).

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On October 11-12, The Caverns presents the fourth annual CaveFest, featuring a curated lineup of music with headliners Sam Bush, Leftover Salmon, Dan Tyminski Band, and Tim O'Brien, plus artists-in-residence Lindsay Lou and Kyle Tuttle, along with an impressive roster of additional performers. Festivalgoers can enjoy on-site camping, glamping packages, open underground jam sessions, cave tours, delicious food trucks, local craft vendors, workshops, kids' activities, surprise performances, and more. Two day CaveFest tickets are just \$99 and include camping. Early arrivals can kick things off with a separately ticketed CaveFest Kick-Off Party on Friday, October 10, featuring Airshow, The Cowpokes, and Lost Bayou Ramblers.

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Art and Science Show at Stirling's

Science and art, pursuits that share creativity and observation, are sharing space in the current show at Stirling's Coffee House, on exhibit from now until April 16. The display includes botanical illustration, focused on a study of sunflowers by the Sewanee Herbarium, and fanciful fish and jellyfish decorated by children in the Sewanee Children's Center.

The aquatic animals, sporting patterns from the children's imaginations, were created prior to a study of the ocean that was prepared and taught to the children by college students in Eric Ezell's Environmental Education class.

The botanical illustrations communicate primarily a unique characteristic of sunflowers and other members of the Aster Family of plants: each "flower" is a composite "head," consisting of several to many tiny flowers or florets that can be of two types, ray or disk, that have different shapes. Sunflower heads have both types. And the illustrations are beautiful.

Science inspires art, and vice versa. Art can help communicate science, and science can serve as a basis for beautiful — even whimsical — art. We hope that Stirling's patrons will be inspired to add their own fish or flowers to the Flower Patch or School of Fish on display.

SAS Gallery Show: Tess Davies, 'Making Room' Exhibition

St. Andrew's-Sewanee Gallery welcomes the work of Tess Davies, through April 30.

In the "Making Room" series, Artist Tess Davies plays with color, pattern, and perspective to construct imaginary spaces inspired by dollhouses and the childhood activity of playing house. Finding inspiration from the female experience and motherhood as well as nursery rhymes, children's books, and folktales, Davies illustrates spaces of safety and comfort with an attention to escapism, biological patterns and forms, and feminine tropes. The work acts as a representation of compartmentalization and depicts "a still-life of our internal states," addressing the way in which we are conditioned to make light of uncomfortable things.

Tess Davies (formerly Erlenborn) is an artist from Nashville, TN. She graduated cum laude from Sewanee: The University of the South with a B.F.A under the honors program in 2014. Her studio and mural practices include acrylic painting, with a focus on natural textures, layered spaces, and dualities. She is represented by Nashville Artist Collective and Design Supply in Birmingham, Ala.

Electric Arcadia Sunday Sonic Salon Easter Sampler

Join us Sunday, April 20, from 2-6 p.m., for an Easter Sampler of sound, music and poetry with local and visiting artists. Check our website <<https://www.electrarcadia.org/>> for more information and updates.

Weather permitting, we will be outdoors and under cover adjacent to the studio. Pay what you can- \$10 suggested donation. BYOB and snacks-coolers-blankets-chairs. There is street parking- please contact us for assistance with closer access. Electric Arcadia, 874 Lake O'Donnell Road in Sewanee, is a music & art studio and retreat on the Cumberland Plateau fostering exploration, community, discovery and healing through creative practices.

Upcoming University Choir Events

The University Choir will perform at 11 a.m., Palm Sunday, April 13. On Maundy Thursday, April 17, the choir will perform at 6 p.m. Other performances include Easter Vigil, April 19, at 8 p.m., and at 11 a.m., Easter Sunday, April 20. All events are in All Saints' Chapel.

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Spring and Earth Day

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Arts n' Crafts Vendors featuring our Youth Entrepreneur class selling their handmade items they have made over past 10 weeks of classes. We also have local pottery, stained glass and jewelry artists, local photographer booth (photo shoots available that day or book a session), the nonprofit Growing Roots, and live music. Come make a homemade bird feeders with pine cones, peanut butter and seeds and paint river rocks.

We have joined with the CCJP and will have e-Cycling at our event. If it has batteries or plugs in the wall, bring it for recycling!

The kids will be selling lemonade and baked goods. They are so excited and have done an awesome job creating and preparing. We have a fun spring treasure hunt planned for all our visitors - find a rubber ducky and pick a fun prize.

Part of the proceeds from the day will be going towards Growing Roots, a nonprofit that offers community garden spaces, whole health wellness opportunities and education for Tennessee's South Cumberland Plateau. Go to <www.growingrootstn.org> for more information.

National Cornbread Festival Set for April 26-27

The National Cornbread Festival Committee is excited to announce that the National Cornbread Festival will return for its 28th year this April 26 and 27, in South Pittsburg. More than 25,000 festival-goers from throughout the southeast are expected to gather here to enjoy the sights, sounds and tastes of the 28th National Cornbread Festival (NCF). Located 30 miles west of Chattanooga, this quaint southern town hosts a celebration of cornbread, often considered the cornerstone of southern cuisine.

Admission is \$10 (preschool & under free), with the option to purchase a 2-day pass for \$15. Tickets will be sold in advance at the National Cornbread Festival Office, online <<https://www.nationalcornbread.com/>>, or at the festival gates.

The National Cornbread Festival is a haven for food enthusiasts and fun-seekers alike. Attendees can enjoy a variety of events including the much-anticipated cornbread cook-off, where talented chefs showcase their culinary prowess. The festival also features live music performances, providing a lively soundtrack as you explore the bustling vendor booths filled with unique crafts and delicious food. For those looking for a bit of adventure, there are carnival rides and scavenger hunts that promise excitement for all ages. Additionally, visitors can partake in cornbread sampling, cooking demonstrations, and historical tours.

Met Opera: 'Le Nozze di Figaro'

"Le Nozze di Figaro" will be at noon, Saturday, April 26, in the Ralston Listening Room in duPont Library 178 Georgia Ave. Doors open at 11:30 a.m.

Sewanee Conductor Joana Mallwitz makes her Met debut leading an extraordinary cast in Mozart's comic masterpiece. Bass-baritone Michael Sumuel stars as the clever valet Figaro, opposite soprano Olga Kulchynska as his betrothed, the wily maid Susanna. Baritone Joshua Hopkins is the skirt-chasing Count, with soprano Federica Lombardi as his anguished wife and mezzo-soprano Marianne Crebassa as the adolescent page Cherubino. This live cinema transmission is part of the Met's award-winning Live in HD series, bringing opera to movie theaters across the globe.

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Dombrowski Tallies 200th Career Win as Tigers Push Past Berry, 14-3

Marlin Price scored five goals and added an assist, while Brooke Sigmon recorded three goals and two assists to lead the Sewanee women's lacrosse team to a dominant 14-3 win over Berry College on April 4, at Puett Field.

The win marked a milestone for head coach Michele Dombrowski, who notched her 200th career victory.

Sigmon was active all over the field, finishing with three draw controls, two ground balls, and two caused turnovers to go along with her scoring output. Price added two draw controls, a ground ball, and a caused turnover in the win.

Defensively, Sewanee was relentless. Kennedy Harcourt led the way with five caused turnovers, eight ground balls, and an assist, while Ella Townsend added four caused turnovers and six ground balls.

After Berry opened the scoring, Alex Kelly responded to tie the game at 1-1. Price followed with back-to-back goals, including a free-position strike, to give Sewanee the lead for good. Berry made it 3-2 late in the first quarter, but the Tigers took control from there.

Claire Dillard opened the second quarter with a ground ball pickup and finish, sparking a run that included a highlight-reel breakaway goal from Sigmon, assisted by Townsend. Sigmon added another goal just 13 seconds later, and Price completed her fourth straight hat trick with a man-up goal. Moments later, she assisted Morgan Boylan to extend the lead.

Townsend scored to open the third quarter off a feed from Sally Herrington. A caused turnover and ground ball by Townsend set up another goal from Price, and Sigmon found Herrington for a finish to make it 12-2. Price scored her fifth goal late in the third, and Kelly's draw control led to a buzzer-beater from Elizabeth Muller to cap the period.

Berry scored early in the fourth, but Sigmon closed the game with a man-down goal with 6:46 left.

Sewanee's defense limited Berry to just 12 shots and forced 23 of the Vikings' 39 turnovers. The Tigers were efficient on clears, going 24-of-26, while Berry struggled at 16-of-33.

SAS Middle School Tennis Summary

On April 3, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School middle school boys' tennis team topped Winchester Christian Academy 6-0. The boys' team dominated, dropping only 5 games total for the day. Jaxon Rudder, Logan Close, Jackson Evans, and Benjamin Rudd all contributed singles and doubles wins in a strong team performance. The middle school girls' team fought hard and showed improvement in their doubles communication but were unable to take control of the match, losing 1-6. Eva Gheesling chalked up the sole victory for the day at No. 3 singles.



From left to right: Fletcher Keener, Ashur Kavur, RH Benton, Alex Glacet

SAS Middle School Track Sets Two New School Records With Kavur Leading the Pack

On April 4, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School middle school track team competed in the Chattanooga Christian School Middle School Invite, where the boys' team broke two school records.

Ashur Kavur, an 8th grader, shattered the school record in the 1600m by more than 10 seconds, clocking a time of 5:25.68. The boys' 4x400m relay team — Ashur Kavur, Alex Glacet, Fletcher Keener, and RH Benton — also broke the school record by an impressive seven seconds, finishing in 4:30.61.

The girls' 4x200m relay team of Savannah Blosser, Arabella Barry, Nora Jane Elrod, and Elena Brodsky set a new season best and came within six-tenths of a second of the school record.

Several athletes set new personal records (PRs) during the meet: 800m PRs: Louis Borchers, Elena Brodsky, Nora Jane Elrod, and Alex Glacet; 400m PRs: Arabella Barry, Savannah Blosser, RH Benton, and Ashur Kavur.

The team continues to make strong progress this season with hard work and impressive performances. "I'm incredibly proud of how this group continues to rise to the occasion," said Coach Burns. "Their dedication and team spirit are setting a strong foundation for the future of our program."

IHSA Takes Fourth at Zone Championships

Emma Sameth qualified for the Cacchione cup and Sewanee's IHSA team placed fourth at Zone Regionals on April 5, in Savannah, Ga.

In team classes, Sameth took second in open flat and third in open fences. Isabella Janovsky took home third in intermediate flat while Claire Dillard placed fifth in intermediate fences. In the limit division, Elise Gierhart took home third in both fences and flat. Tony Calderon Gonzalez took home fifth in the novice division while Abdul Mafflahi placed third in the introductory division.

Individually, Sameth took home third in open flat and first in open fences, qualifying for the Cacchione cup and Nationals. Janovsky placed fifth in intermediate fences and Dillard placed 10th in the limit flat, and Hannah Fitzgerald took home fifth in the introductory flat division.

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Men's Lacrosse Rolls Past Hendrix, 17-3

Manoli Loupassi and Charles Moran each recorded six points as the Sewanee men's lacrosse team rolled to a 17-3 road win over Hendrix on April 6.

Loupassi scored five goals and added an assist, marking his sixth consecutive game with at least three points. Moran finished with two goals and four assists. Niko Maheras contributed two goals and two assists, while Sage Cookerly and Will Kennedy each had two goals and an assist. Henry Westfall added a goal and two assists.

On the defensive end, Gus Albright paced the Tigers with four caused turnovers and five ground balls. Brady Cole caused two turnovers and picked up six ground balls, while Cam Thornton also forced a pair of turnovers.

Sewanee dominated possession thanks to the faceoff unit. Asa Nischwitz went 11-of-12 with eight ground balls, and Clay Upchurch added a 7-of-11 performance.

Despite 10 consecutive saves from Hendrix goalie Ian Domeika in the first quarter and two early goals by the Warriors, Kennedy broke through for Sewanee 30 seconds into the second quarter off a Moran assist. From there, the Tigers exploded for 17 unanswered goals before Hendrix added a final goal with 27 seconds remaining.

Sewanee outshot Hendrix 68-18, including a 40-6 edge in shots on goal. Domeika finished with 23 saves.

A caused turnover and ground ball by Albright led to Sewanee's second goal as Cookerly found Loupassi. Maheras followed with a goal off a Kennedy assist, and the Tigers closed the half with three quick goals. Cookerly scored from Westfall, Henk Walsh connected on a feed from Loupassi, and Robert Freeman added another with 13 seconds left in the half.

The Tigers opened the third quarter with another trio of goals without Hendrix gaining possession. Loupassi scored off a Griffin Peterson assist, Kennedy followed 28 seconds later off a faceoff win and pass from Moran, and Maheras scored off another faceoff win, this time from Upchurch and an assist from Westfall. Loupassi would add another goal late in the third, assisted by JM DuPree.

In the fourth, Loupassi netted his fourth of the day following a Hendrix turnover. A caused turnover by Maheras set up a Moran goal, and the Tigers rattled off five more scores in a dominant stretch. Loupassi scored again off a Moran feed just three seconds after a faceoff win, and Moran added another goal after an Upchurch win and an assist from Corbet Darden. Walsh netted his second, also assisted by Moran. Cookerly and Westfall rounded out the scoring for Sewanee.

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SAS Track & Field Competes at Fleet Feet Invitational

On April 4, the St. Andrew's-Sewanee School varsity track & field team traveled to The Webb School to compete in the Fleet Feet Invitational — and turned in an impressive performance across the board.

The girls' team earned a strong second place finish out of nine schools, while the boys' team claimed fourth place out of 10 competing high schools.

Junior Thomas Kessen led the charge for SAS, winning first place in the 400m and securing second place finishes in both the 200m and the triple jump, showcasing his all-around talent and competitive drive.

Junior Keely Kendrick continued her remarkable season, setting personal records in the shot put and discus for the fourth consecutive meet.

Several other athletes achieved personal bests, including: Aubry Blosser, Shot Put; Leonora Pate, 100m High Hurdles; Arthur Glacet, 400m.

Notable place finishers for SAS included: Caroline Neubauer, third in the 800m; Arabella Mitchell, third in the 400m; Keely Kendrick, third in the Discus; Stella Wilson, third in the 100m High Hurdles; Sarah Maleak, third in the Triple Jump; Mason Sparacio, second in the 3200m; Micah Moody, second in the 1600m; Girls' 4x800m Relay (C. Crigger, L. Moody, A. Mitchell, C. Neubauer), third place; Girls' 4x400m Relay (C. Crigger, L. Moody, A. Mitchell, C. Neubauer), second place.

The team continues to build momentum heading into the heart of the season.

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HOME GAMES

5:30 p.m., Friday, April 11, SAS MS Boys' Soccer vs. Lincoln County Middle School
9 a.m., Saturday, April 12, Men's Tennis vs. Mary Washington

1 p.m., Saturday, April 12, University Tennis vs. Berry College

1 p.m., Saturday, April 12, Softball vs. Asbury University, DH

1 p.m., Saturday, April 12, Men's Lacrosse vs. Berry College

4 p.m., Monday, April 14, SAS MS Tennis vs. Webb School

5 p.m., Monday, April 14, SAS MS Boys' Soccer vs. Fayetteville City School

5 p.m., Wednesday, April 16, SAS MS Boys' Soccer vs. Thurman Francis Arts Academy

4 p.m., Thursday, April 17, SAS Varsity Tennis vs. Silverdale Baptist Academy

5 p.m., Thursday, April 17, SAS Varsity boys' Soccer vs. Hixson High School

3 p.m., Friday, April 18, Softball vs. Centre College

Softball Drops Saturday Doubleheader to Rhodes

Hannah Wilson doubled, drove in a run, and scored in the opener, while Sophie Nolen notched two hits and stole a base in game two, but Sewanee dropped both ends of a doubleheader to Rhodes, falling 6-2 in both games on April 5, at the Tiger Softball Field.

In the opener, Rhodes plated a run in the first and added tallies in the third and fifth before pushing across three in the sixth to take control. Wilson put Sewanee on the board in the bottom of the sixth with an RBI double to left center, scoring Abbie Buckner, who had singled and stolen second. Maggie Barker followed with a RBI single to left, sending Wilson home, for a 6-2 game.

Buckner and Wilson each recorded a hit and scored, while Barker added an RBI. On the mound, Buckner took the loss, allowing four earned runs (six total) on seven hits in 5.2 innings.

Hannah Hollis worked the final 1.1 innings in relief, giving up one hit. Rhodes struck late in game two, scoring six runs in the seventh to rally for a 6-2 win. Sewanee had taken a 1-0 lead in the fourth after Sydney Tackett walked, advanced on a bunt, and came around to score on a single and stolen base by Nolen. Wilson's RBI bunt in the sixth made it 2-0, scoring Buckner who reached on an error and stole second.

But the Lynx erupted for six runs in their final at-bat, stringing together six hits, including a two-run single by Campbell Smith and a two-run double from Emma Caplinger to take the lead.

Hannah Hollis started and threw 4.2 shutout innings before Rhodes broke through. Reagan Huskey (4-10) took the loss in relief, giving up six earned runs over 2.1 innings.

Tackett, Nolen, and Wilson each swiped a base, and the Tigers played error-free behind Hollis before Rhodes' seventh-inning surge.

Successful Week for SAS Varsity Tennis Teams

The St. Andrew's-Sewanee School boys' and girls' tennis teams enjoyed a successful week, winning two out of three matches each. On April 1, both SAS teams topped Coffee County High School. The boys' team won 5-2, and the girls' team won 6-1. On the boys' side, Elijah Stark (No. 2), Andrew Gallaway (No. 3), and Flynn Allen (No. 5) contributed singles wins, while Stark/Max Grubbe (No. 1) and Gallaway/Brody Scales (No. 2) added two more victories in doubles. On the girls' side, Ketiah Inganji (No. 1), Vie Virkhaus (No. 2), Annabelle Close (No. 3), Keziah Ingeli (No. 4), and Ella Matthews (No. 5) took control early to secure wins in their singles matches. Inganji and Ingeli teamed up to earn another victory at No. 2 doubles.

On April 3, the teams travelled to Tullahoma High School. The Tullahoma boys' team proved too tough, and despite hard fought play, the SAS boys dropped the match 0-7. In exhibition play, however, Henry Boyle, Martin Brodsky, and Gavin Smith enjoyed victories. The SAS girls' team maintained momentum against Tullahoma throughout the match, earning the 6-1 team win. In addition, in exhibition play, Catherine Barnett, Sydney Brown, Abby Muller, and Briley Meador came away with wins. On Friday, April 4, the teams hosted Moore County High School. The Moore County girls' team was tough, and SAS captured two wins, falling 2-5. Matthews won at No. 5 singles, and Inganji/Ingeli clinched a nailbiter at No. 2 doubles 9-7. In exhibition play, Barnett won at No. 6 singles and at No. 3 doubles with Matthews. The SAS boys' team showed consistency and excellent placement against the Moore County team, winning 5-2. Grubbe, Stark, Gallaway, and Scales won their singles matches, and Grubbe/Stark won at No. 1 doubles. Additionally, Brodsky won at No. 6 singles and No. 3 doubles with Allen in exhibition play. The SAS boys are 4-1 on the season, and the SAS girls are 3-2.

Tigers Collect Senior Day Win Over Transylvania, 21-5

The Sewanee women's lacrosse team celebrated Senior Day in style with a dominant 21-5 win over Transylvania on April 5, at Puett Field.

Sally Herrington led the Tigers with five points on three goals and two assists, while also contributing three caused turnovers and a ground ball. Claire Saverino, Erika Bolcar, and Marlin Price each added four points in the win.

Sewanee's defense was active all game, forcing 15 turnovers and holding the Pioneers to just nine shots. Brooke Sigmon and Herrington led the way with three caused turnovers apiece. Clara Earley and Kennedy Harcourt added two each, while Saverino, Elizabeth Muller, Winnie Pajcic, Sally Whitehead, and Izzo Palmer each tallied one. Pajcic led the Tigers with three ground balls, and five other players recorded two each: Sigmon, Harcourt, Earley, Helen Newcomb, and Lilly Jordan.

Alex Kelly paced Sewanee with five draw control wins while Pajcic added four, and Sigmon and Harcourt collected three apiece.

Saverino opened the scoring off a feed from Herrington, then returned the favor minutes later by assisting Morgan Boylan. After Transylvania tied the game with two quick goals, Herrington put the Tigers back in front with a free-position score. Pajcic then made a momentum-shifting play—causing a turnover, scooping the ground ball, and finishing with a goal. Sigmon closed out the first quarter with a man-up goal from Price to give Sewanee a 5-2 lead.

Ella Townsend got the Tigers started in the second quarter with a goal from Muller. Bolcar followed with a free-position strike and then assisted Herrington just over a minute later. After a Transylvania goal, Izzo Palmer forced a turnover, setting up a goal by Price off a Saverino assist. Bolcar capitalized on another Transy miscue to net her second of the day, and Saverino soon added her second goal, assisted by Alexa Berg. Transylvania added a man-up goal late in the half, but Price answered with her second score, giving Sewanee a 12-4 lead at the break.

The Tigers picked up where they left off in the third quarter. Kelly won the opening draw, and Boylan assisted Herrington for her third goal. Despite being a player down after a green card, Harcourt made a huge individual play—causing a turnover, collecting the ground ball, clearing the ball, and scoring. Transylvania responded with a man-up goal, but Sewanee closed the quarter strong with back-to-back goals from Sofia Bean and Price.

Sigmon opened the final quarter with a draw control, and Muller scored twice in quick succession—first off a feed from Whitehead, then from Berg. Bolcar added another goal assisted by Herrington, and Finley Connors made it 20-5 with a score from Berg. Whitehead caused a turnover late in the game, and Pearse Connell connected with Boylan for the final goal of the day.

Sewanee improves to 13-0 on the season and will travel to face Hendrix on April 12. The Tigers then return home for their regular-season finale against Centre on April 20.

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Dogwoods and Redbuds

The dogwoods seem to be flowering especially abundantly this year and just in time for Easter. In some places they are making a glorious show with late-flowering redbuds. There are legends associating the trees with the Easter story.

The dogwood was said to be a tall, strong tree at the time of Christ and was thus used as the wood for the cross. The tree was so ashamed of this that it became small and spindly so as never to be used that way again. In addition, the “flower” was made to be in the shape of a cross, with two larger “petals” and two smaller ones. The brownish notches at the tips of these are said to represent the wounds of Christ and the cluster of flowers in the middle, the crown of thorns. The tiny flowers in that cluster are the true flowers of the dogwood. The “petals” are actually bracts that surround those flowers all winter and then open and expand, turning white to draw attention to the small, greenish-yellow flowers. The brown notches perhaps come from the weathering those bracts endured — take a good look at a dogwood near you to see the bracts on the closed bud and watch them as they open. Interestingly, though the tree is small, the wood is quite strong and resistant to shock, and has been used for such things as heads of golf clubs, handles for chisels, and shuttles for looms.

The redbud is also known as the Judas tree. It too was supposedly once tall and strong, with white flowers, and was the tree from which Judas hanged himself. Again, the tree was so ashamed of this that the flowers blushed red and tree never grew tall and strong again. This probably referred originally to another species of redbud that grows in the Mediterranean region. Redbuds are in the “bean” family, as can be seen from the shape of the flowers and the fruiting pods. One interesting feature is that the flowers will grow straight out of the bark of larger branches and even the trunk of the tree.

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Ruck in the Park—Savage Gulf State Park, Wednesday, April 16, 8:30 a.m. CDT. Cost, \$10. <<https://tnstateparks.com/parks/eventssavage-gulf>>. Meet Ranger Mark at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 2689 55th Ave., Gruetli-Laager, for a 4.25 mile (round trip, approximate) ruck on the Savage Day Loop. What is rucking? Rucking is a form of conditioning utilized by most militaries, consisting of simply walking (or in this case hiking) with a weighted backpack or weighted vest, and is an excellent and approachable form of exercise for many people. The anticipated pace will be between 30–40 minute miles (1.5 - 2mph), slower if needed, but probably not faster. This is intended to be an introductory course for those interested. It requires no special equipment other than a backpack and a positive attitude! Our goal is to keep moving and get in a workout in a beautiful natural setting. You must provide your own pack and desired weight. For safety purposes, it is recommended that your total pack weight be less than 50 lbs; you may, of course, have anything less than that. Bring along desired water and food, as these are not provided. Wear sturdy shoes that can handle these activities on a trail! Weather permitting. The areas around overlooks and waterfalls can be treacherous in terms of keeping your footing. The potential to slip and fall still exists, and extreme care is needed.

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This year, incorporate fire safety into your family's springtime activities. Here are some tips:

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Clean your outdoor grill thor-

oughly before firing it up for the first time this spring. Built-up grease that's been hardening all winter is a fire waiting to happen. If your gas is propane-powered, check the tank for leaks.

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WANTED

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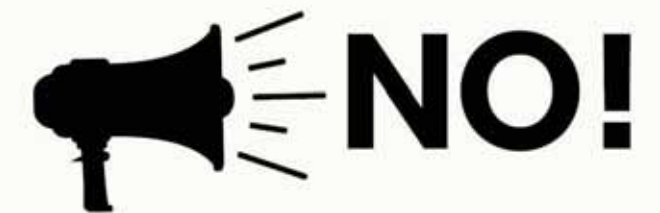
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FROM BARD TO VERSE

by Robin Bates

Passover (April 12-20)

Tell me: how is this night different
From all other nights?
How, tell me, is this Passover
Different from other Passovers?
Light the lamp, open the door wide
So the pilgrim can come in,
Gentile or Jew;
Under the rags perhaps the prophet is concealed.
Let him enter and sit down with us;
Let him listen, drink, sing and celebrate Passover;
Let him consume the bread of affliction,
The Paschal Lamb, sweet mortar and bitter herbs.
This is the night of differences
In which you lean your elbow on the table,
Since the forbidden becomes prescribed,
Evil is translated into good.
We will spend the night recounting
Far-off events full of wonder,
And because of all the wine
The mountains will skip like rams.
Tonight they exchange questions:
The wise, the godless, the simple-minded and the child.
And time reverses its course,
Today flowing back into yesterday,
Like a river enclosed at its mouth.
Each of us has been a slave in Egypt,
Soaked straw and clay with sweat,
And crossed the sea dry-footed.
You too, stranger.
This year in fear and shame,
Next year in virtue and in justice.

--Primo Levi, *Passover*

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Community Calendar

Friday, April 11

- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Yin Yoga, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10:15 a.m.
- 4 p.m. Farm to Table 2025, (free), Manigault Park
- 5 p.m. Opening Reception, "WAKE," U of S Senior Art Majors, Guerry Lobby
- 7 p.m. Perpetual Motion student dance festival (free), Guerry Auditorium

Saturday, April 12 • Passover

- 8 a.m. Community-Wide Yard Sales, Sewanee Community Center and other locations throughout Sewanee, until noon
- 8 a.m. MMUMC Monthly Food Distribution, 322 W. Main St., Monteagle, until 10 a.m.
- 9 a.m. American Legion Post 51, Legion Hall
- 10 a.m. Spring and Earth Day Festival, e-Cycling Event, Hallelujah Pottery/Full Circle Candles, 1202 W. Main St., Monteagle, until 4 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Color Run for Literacy fundraiser, (free ages 1-12, \$15 ages 13 and up, Cove Creek Farm, Monteagle, until noon
- 10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 2 p.m.
- 10:30 a.m. Yoga Flex, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 11:30 a.m.
- 11 a.m. Monteagle Easter Egg Hunt, Hannah Pickett Park
- 2 p.m. Junk Jewelry Workshop, (\$15), Artisan Depot, 204 E. Cumberland St., Cowan
- 3 p.m. Westminster Abbey Organ Recital Preview, Dr. Geoffrey Harris Ward, (free) All Saints' Chapel

Sunday, April 13 • Palm Sunday

- 1 p.m. YouFit, Betsy, Community Center
- 2 p.m. Knitting Circle, Mooney's, until 4 p.m.
- 4 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Community Center
- 6:30 p.m. Musical Performance, David Newton Baker, (free) Cowan Center for the Arts, 303 Montgomery St.

Monday, April 14

- 9 a.m. Tai Chi, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10 a.m.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Susan, Community Center, until 11:30 a.m.
- 11:30 a.m. Sewanee Woman's Club; lunch at 11:50 a.m.; program Joey Favaloro, Tennessee Caves; St. Mary's Sewanee
- 5:30 p.m. Hatha Flow, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 6:45 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 6 p.m. Franklin County School Board, 215 S. College St., Winchester

Tuesday, April 15 • Tax Day

- 8 a.m. GC Food Bank, 114 S. Industrial Park Rd., Coalmont, until 10 a.m.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Coffee with the Coach, Merritt Yackey, Softball, livestream <sewaneetigers.com/watch>, in-person Blue Chair
- 9 a.m. Mixed Flow, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10:15 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Pilates, beginner, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.

- 10:30 a.m. La Leche League, for venue details text Pippa Browne, (931) 636-5317
- 11:30 a.m. Grundy County Rotary, Dutch Maid Bakery, Tracy City
- noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 4 p.m. S. Cumberland Farmers' Market pickup, Community Center, until 6 p.m.
- 5 p.m. Sewanee Utility District board, Utility office, Sherwood Road
- 7 p.m. 'Shakespeare's Twelfth Night or What You Will,' Angel Park

Wednesday, April 16

- 9 a.m. Qi Gong, High Vibes, Country Mart, until 10 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Intermed Pilates, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Art Wednesday, (free), Artisan Depot Gallery, 204 E. Cumberland St., until noon
- 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Susan, Community Center, until 11:30 a.m.
- 11:30 a.m. EQB Club; Lead, Dr. Bethel Seballos, Sewanee Summer Seminar Director, at 12:25 p.m., St. Mary's Sewanee
- 5 p.m. Mobility, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 6 p.m.
- 5:30 p.m. Hatha Yoga, Helen, Community Center
- 6:30 p.m. Kundalini, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 7:30 p.m.
- 7 p.m. 'Shakespeare's Twelfth Night or What You Will,' Angel Park

Thursday, April 17 • Maundy Thursday

- 8 a.m. Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, Mandy Bouldin, Director U of S of Community Development, St. Mary's Sewanee
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
- 9 a.m. Nature Journaling, email <mpriestley0150@gmail.com> for details/meeting location
- 9:30 a.m. Body Recall, Judy, conference room, Monteagle City Hall, until 10:30 a.m.
- 10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, until 1 p.m.
- 10 a.m. Pilates, beginner, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- noon Pilates, intermediate, Kim, 293 Ball Park Rd.
- 4 p.m. Movement to Music, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 5 p.m.
- 4:45 p.m. Martin lecture, "Imperiled Beauty," Spencer Hall Room 172
- 5:30 p.m. Vinyasa Flow, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 6:45 p.m.
- 7 p.m. 'Shakespeare's Twelfth Night or What You Will,' Angel Park

Friday, April 18 • Good Friday

- Registration closes for MGTA Race
- 9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.
 - 9 a.m. Yin Yoga, High Vibes, Country Mart, Monteagle, until 10:15 a.m.
 - 7 p.m. 'Shakespeare's Twelfth Night or What You Will,' Angel Park

Local 12-Step Meetings

- Friday**
7 p.m., AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City
- Saturday**
7 p.m., NA, open, Decherd United Methodist
- Sunday**
6:30 p.m., AA, open, the Wesley House, MMUMC
- Monday**
5 p.m., 12-Step Women's Study Group. Call (931) 327-5551 for information and for the Zoom link
- 7 p.m., AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy City
- Tuesday**
7 p.m., AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont
- 7 p.m., AA, open, Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester
- Wednesday**
10 a.m., AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-3493
- 7 p.m., NA, Decherd United Methodist
- Thursday**
6 p.m., Life's Healing Choice, Grundy County Recovery Alliance, Coalmont
- 6 p.m., Celebrate Recovery, City Light Church, Monteagle
- 7 p.m., Al-Anon, First UMC, Winchester

Mindfulness in May



Mindfulness on the Mountain
May 2-4

Grace in Gardens
May 10

Awakening Joy
May 15-18

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