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The Mile Marking Field Team: Volunteers work in the Fiery Gizzard, measuring the trail for precise placement of the new mile marker system on each mile of trail in the park. By the end of January, 2021, nearly 70 percent of the trails had been marked. Completion is scheduled for early Spring of 2021. at the rich Inuit and Athabascan indigenous traditions—and his efforts

### 'ParkSmarts' Trail Mile Markers at South **Cumberland State Park**

sense of what awaits them during stone cliffs, with many waterfalls, a visit to the South Cumberland State Park (SCSP), the Friends of South Cumberland, SCSP's support group, has been working with over 800 feet deep, and to access all park managers on a multi-faceted the amazing things they offer, visicampaign to improve visitor pre- tors need to be prepared to descend

information program, known as elevation change can be challenginform park visitors about the layout of the park, information about mation about each trail, including its various trails, and things to see mileage and difficulty informaand do from each of the park's 12 trailheads.

According to SCSP Manager George Shinn, rangers at the park perform 1.6 visitor rescues per ParkSmarts campaign is the inweek. The 31,000-acre wilderness park, near Monteagle, has over 85 miles of backcountry trails, and park visitors, often unfamiliar with to help visitors gauge their progress, the ruggedness or length of the trail and be able to accurately report network, become disoriented, lost their location if they become lost, after dark, or injured (sometimes injured or need ranger assistance

"We have over 650,000 visitors per year," Shinn said, "and our park spent this winter carefully measuris becoming increasingly popular, ing and posting the nearly 85 miles especially as many individuals and of trail in the park, and hopes to families have discovered us as a great getaway during COVID-19. However, some of our guests are not aware of the vastness and challenges of the park, which results in nearly 400 mile markers needed to their needing a ranger-assisted rescover the park. cue, often times at night or during bad weather."

heads are scattered across an area larger than Metro Nashville," said ParkSmarts team lead and Friends volunteer Rick Dreves. "There are tell us which mile marker they are amazing things to be seen and experienced at every one of them, but as a wilderness park, the trails them out of harm's way. It's especan sometimes be challenging, and visitors need to do their homework or suffering from hypothermia, and plan their visits before they arrive. We hope the ParkSmarts much of the year." information will be useful to visitors, and help them have a safe and Friends' Trails Team, says the trail enjoyable visit."

Dreves said that much of SCSP consists of deeply forested river can-

To help visitors have a better yons surrounded by beautiful sandgreat hiking, rock climbing and backcountry camping opportuniparedness and locational awareness. into or climb out of them on our The initiative consists of a new trail network. A rugged 800-foot "ParkSmarts," which aims to better ing to the first-time visitor. That's why we've put a great deal of infortion, on our website at <www. FriendsOfSouthCumberland.org/ park-smarts>.'

Another aspect of the stallation of new trail mile markers, a series of medallions posted along SCSP trails at half-mile intervals,

The park's Friends group has complete the trail marking system by early spring. The Tennessee to help fund production of the

"Having a way for our visitors to accurately let us know where "This park is vast; our trail- they are is invaluable in a searchand-rescue operation," said SCSP Assistant Manager Bill Knapp. "Particularly after dark, if they can near, that can save us valuable time in locating them and helping get cially critical if someone is injured which is not uncommon here for

Bruce Blohm, who heads up the marking system began making a

### Virtual Book Launch of 'A Window to Heaven'

The School of Letters and School of Theology are hosting a virtual book launch of "A Window to Heaven: The Daring First Ascent of Denali," written by Patrick Dean, T'06. The event is scheduled for noon CST, Thursday, March 4.

"A Window to Heaven" is the captivating and heroic story of Hudson Stuck—an Episcopal priest and 1892 graduate of the School of Theology—and his team's history-making summit of Denali.

Dean brings to life this heart-pounding and spellbinding feat of this first ascent and paints a rich portrait of the frontier at the turn of ne 20th century. The story of Stuck and his team will lead us through

to help preserve these ways of life.

During the webinar, Dean, who is affiliated with both programs, will read excerpts from the book and answer questions. It will be an interesting and lively discussion.

To watch the stunning video trailer produced by Stephen Garrett, C'01, go to <a href="https://vimeo.com/473576078">https://vimeo.com/473576078</a>>. For more information about the book, please visit the publisher's site <a href="https://www.simonandschuster">https://www.simonandschuster</a>. com/books/A-Window-to-Heaven/Patrick-Dean/9781643136424>.

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### SUD: Finances, Waterline Extension Request, **Abandoned Meters**

by Leslie Lytle, Messenger Staff Writer

missioners meeting, Sewanee Util- make economic sense for us," ity District manager Ben Beavers Beavers said. Citing the past extalked about the pandemic-related ample of extending water service causes for the district having a to Jump Off, Beavers said the negative net change of position for line extension "still hasn't paid 2020. The board also discussed a for itself." Beavers said SUD paid request to extend water service to off the \$68,000 remaining in the Deep Woods and the need for an Jump Off loan in 2008 to enable abandoned meters policy.

Beavers compared water and sewer water to Deep Woods, Beavers consumption by customer class also expressed concern about the ter shortage concerns. Alderman for 2019 and 2020. For 2020, added cost to SUD for frequent zero reads were up 30 percent, flushing to avoid water quality i.e., the percentage of meters issues given the length of the line showing no activity in a billing and low-flow given the small cycle. "People weren't coming number of customers. up to their houses. Nobody was here," Beavers explained. Com- residents chose to self-finance the Trails Association provided a grant mercial revenue decreased by 16 percent; tax exempt-revenue (e.g., the 23 parcels would come to churches) decreased by 25 percent; \$15,000 per customer for infraresidential revenue decreased by structure, plus a \$4,100 tap fee. 2 percent; St. Andrew's-Sewanee Beavers recommended the board revenue decreased by 19.5 percent; allow Monteagle to serve the ings on the sewer capacity study and University revenue decreased by 28 percent. Across all customer classes, sewer revenue decreased by 17 percent and water sales revenue decreased by 14 percent. SUD also showed a \$32,000 decrease in Resource Development tap fees and a \$17,000 decrease in interest earnings.

Looking to the future, board President Charlie Smith said a Deep Woods resident asked him about SUD extending water service to the area. Beavers said providing service to Franklin County Deep Woods residents (Continued on page 6) would require 3.5 miles of pipe,

At the Feb. 23 board of com- and cost \$350,000. "It doesn't the utility to borrow money for Examining the projected the new water plant. Beyond the 181,000 change in net position, infrastructure cost of extending

AMERICA'S WILDEST PEAK

Beavers said if Deep Woods project, dividing that cost among

Monteagle Council Postpones Vote on Truck Stop Rezoning

by Leslie Lytle Messenger Staff Writer

After hearing nearly three hours of comments from concerned residents at the Feb. 22 meeting, the Monteagle City Council voted to postpone the first reading to rezone to C-3 a portion of a 20-acre tract for a proposed travel center catering to truck traffic. Concerned residents highlighted as yet incomplete studies and lack of information from the developers, RBT En-

The discussion opened with Mayor Marilyn Campbell Rodman entering into the record petitions opposing the truck stop submitted by Monteagle resident Mary Beth Best. Disagreement followed about the number of petition signers. Best said 218 property owners signed the petitions. Álderman Nate Wilson speculated electronic transmission of the document resulted in the

During the comment period, the council addressed some of the residents' concerns.

Attorney Sam Elliott said he had sent RBT investor Rodney Kilgore a citation notifying him of \$4,900 owed in fines for fencing ordinance violations at his Rocky Top Truck Stop business. Addressing a question about Kilgore owing as much as \$30,000 in fines, Elliot said the judgment only reflected a 98-day violation period. Best said the business currently lacked a fence and was at present in violation. Kilgore's business is expected to be part of the travel center if the project moves forward. [See Messenger, July 10, 2020]

Several residents cited the 2007 drought and expressed wa-Wilson said interconnectivity now existed among all plateau utilities, and Tracy City raised its dam increasing available water. Utilities Manager John Condra concurred with Rodman who said the truck stop should not cause a rate increase.

Rodman said traffic and sewer capacity studies were underway. City engineer Travis Wilson said he could present preliminary find-

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### Letters

#### **CLIMATE CHANGE**

#### To the Editor:

The winter storm that has tested us and brought Texas to its knees has me thinking once again about us is to plan not according to past weather patterns but toward weather the likes of which we've never heat and drought.

water sources built decades ago to guarantee this community water throughout devastating dry periof Lakes O'Donnell, Jackson, and Lake O'Donnell nowadays, I rest essential part of our infrastructure, a part many of us rarely see but from which we benefit every day, and I thank all those who work to keep our water supply ample and safe.

Sid Brown, Sewanee

### **TREE TRIMMING NECESSARY**

### To the Editor:

Stewman. I have another viewpoint. This past Monday's power outage in Midway shows why this is necessary. The power was out for more than nine hours, and the temperature in our house got down to changes ahead. One of the central challenges climate change offers for a week. Ironically, this occurred Midway last fall and power was lost seen. We must be prepared for for several hours. I know Sewanee is profound cold and overwhelming a beautiful place but people's health ice, rains and floods, and extreme and safety are more important than While I am certainly no expert in the freezing rain and cold for of things, I am grateful for the complaining about some missing for keeping us warn and safe during bad weather. They are called ods: the three-tiered water security out anytime of the day or night, sometimes in dangerous weather Sholey. Dimmick. While we only draw on conditions. Their job can be very dangerous, which has unfortueasier knowing that Lake Jackson nately resulted in fatalities in the and Lake Dimmick are standing past. It is obvious that more cutting Franklin County. Activist Marvin by, ready when we need them, needs to be done. If the cutting ready to allow us to share with our doesn't look perfectly picturesque, neighbors, too. I salute those in the so be it. Thank you, Duck River, past who prioritized and built this for all you do, and thanks to all the men who keep the power running.

Be safe and God bless you. You are appreciated more than you know. Stephen Cardwell, Sewanee tude.

#### CONTINUES To the Editor:

**BLACK HISTORY** 

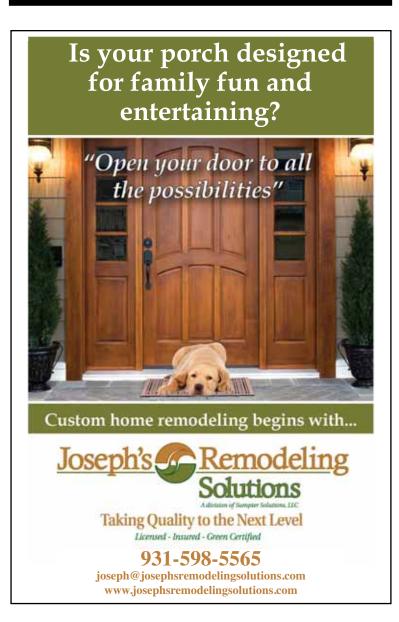
**REMEMBRANCE** 

As Black History Month concludes, I wanted to give appre-A recent letter writer com- ciation about some people I didn't plained about trees being cut mention in my last letter, who were

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around the power lines just off Bob either members of the black community, or good friends to us.

Remembering Townsend Tiger fooball coach Joe Lujan; players Charlie Bright, Sammy Ray Bright, Willie B. Hill, Joel Kennerly Sr., James Kennerly Sr., and John 53 degrees before the power came Morrow and Howard Morrow, back on. A large tree had fallen and Mickey Childress, and Wilclimate change and how we here in across about eight lines due to the lie H. Winton, all from Sewanee; Sewanee can best prepare for the ice and unbelievable amount of Townsend Tigers female basketball player Rita Gray Turner; Townsend class members Rita Ann Taylor, directly across from the Duck River Lois Sue Taylor and Dillie Hill, office. The same thing happened in Merrll Hill and Dena Hill; Sewanee residents James and Versie Knight, George and Adelle Patton, Isaac and Elise Burnette Turner; Sewanee Union Theatre Departaesthetics. These men worked out ment employees, Mary Elizabeth "Tibby" Tucker and Ruth Green; on how to prepare for these kinds more than nine hours. Instead of University Supply Store employees S.L. Featherstone, and Jack and trees you should be thanking them Herb Hawkins; Sewanee Market owner and manager for at least 30 years, Horace Mays; Mechanics Marshall Hawkins and Dwight

Dr. Ruth Cameron delivered a great number of the babies born to the Sewanee black community and Goodstein, Scott Bates and Ed Camp of the Cumberland Center for Justice and Peace were all good friends to us, as well as many people whose names I do not recall at the moment.

I remember you all with grati-

Carl P. Hill, Sewanee

#### **EMPLOYEES CONDEMN ACTS OF INTIMIDATION**

#### To the Editor:

events that Vice-Chancellor Reuben Brigety described in his remarks at Growing in Grace on

The employees of the University the disturbing and unacceptable acts of intimidation, intolerance, and denigration against Vice-Chancellor Reuben Brigety, his family, and his home. These actions are an assault on our core values of respect for each other, celebration of human diversity, and value for human dignity, and especially so covert behavior.

We all must work in unity to protect and defend the Vice-Chancellor, his family, and others in our

### **Letters to the Editor** Policy

Letters to the editor are welcome at the Sewanee Mountain Messenger and are a vital part of our community's conversation. Letters need to be no longer than 250 words and may be edited for space and clarity. We make exceptions from time to time, but these are our general guidelines. We strive to print all letters we receive, but publication is not guaranteed. Letters should be factually accurate. Letters that are deemed unsuitable for publication shall not be printed elsewhere in the newspaper, including as a paid advertisement.

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community who have suffered and are suffering similar indignities, as well as our university's ideals and principles. These acts contradict and undermine our values and indicate that we all must work harder to live up to the standards we aspire to as a community. We are a community that places civil dialogue, tolerance, and respectful engagement at the center of our mission. An essential component of this belief is the dignity and respect for all. We will work tirelessly to protect and promote the ideals that are represented in our

University's motto: Behold how good and pleasant We write in response to the it is when kindred live together in unity!" -Psalm 133:1

We invite and encourage Sewanee students, alumni, and members of the greater community to join us in the struggle against of the South strongly condemn intolerance, intimidation and hate. Of all the lessons we can teach our students and each other, learning to uphold and defend these core values is the most important.

Let us use our collective strength to work toward the goal of a community in which all live with personal integrity, respect the dignity of all, value freedom of thought when they are expressed through and expression, demonstrate selfcontrol, and develop trusting relationships: a community in which hate has no place!

The statement was written by the following employees:

Helen Bateman, Amy S. Patterson, Husnain Fateh Ahmad, C. Ken Smith, Christopher McDonough, Ruth Sánchez Imizcoz, Pradip Malde, Deborah M. Jackson, Betsy A. Sandlin, Jessica Welch, Jim Turrell, Tam K. Parker, Tammy Elliott, Parker Oliver

The statement was co-signed by others:

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

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

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### Nate Wilson, Sarah Sherwood, THANKS TO OUR UTILITIES To the Editor:

After watching the complete mess in Texas over the past week, I think we should all tip our hats to Duck River and the Sewanee Utility District for keeping our power and water/wastewater running smoothly throughout the terrible weather. Sure, we all complain from time to time about what seems to be excessive tree cutting Heath, John Grammer, Whitney and high water bills, but it is clear that both organizations are professionally managed, and the fact that we only had minor disruptions in service over the past 8 days is a testament to their good work. Thanks to everyone at Duck River and SUD and job well done!

Ken Smith, Sewanee

### SWC to Host Ranger Shinn

The Sewanee Woman's Club will host Ranger George Shinn, manager of South Cumberland State Park, at their meeting on Monday, March 8. The meeting will begin at 11:30 a.m. at St. James Episcopal Church. CDC guidelines and social distancing will be in place. Please wear a mask.

George Shinn is the manager of South Cumberland State Park. His career working in the state park system began in 1996 at Fall Creek Falls State Park. He then moved to the Bicentennial Mall State Park, next to the Savage Gulf State Park Natural Area, and finally to South Cumberland in 2013.

His goal is to make the many wilderness areas of South Cumberland be the crown jewel of the Tennessee State Park System. On Monday, March 8, he hopes to inspire the members of the SWC to get outside and enjoy the plateau's

Reservations are required. Please make them no later than Wednesday, March 3, at noon. To make a reservation contact Janet Miller-Schmidt by email, <jrms2777@ gmail.com> or cell phone (504) 858-5221, or Susan Peek by email, <susan.peek@gmail.com> or by phone (615) 504-5404.

### **Upcoming Meetings**

### **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., Monday, March 1, with Tracey Braden (Women's Basketball). The livestream will be available at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/SewaneeTigers/">https://www.facebook.com/SewaneeTigers/</a>>. Opportunities will be available on Sunday to submit questions in advance or during the live show on the social media platforms, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram @SewaneeTigers. For those unable to view the meeting live, the content will be accessible on-demand on the Facebook page. It will also be available on the website <www. sewaneetigers.com> and on the University of the South's YouTube Channel by midday on Mondays.

#### **Monteagle Regional Planning Commission**

The Monteagle Regional Planning Commission scheduled to meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, March 2, has been canceled.

### **EQB Club**

Members of the EQB Club will have the pleasure of a Zoom lead by John Bordley, at noon, Wednesday, March 3, titled "Why is a Red Apple Red?" Bordley will present some basic science about color, what is the visible spectrum, how the eye interprets visible light and translate it as "color," and exploring why we see the sky as blue and an apple as red. Bordley brings a unique perspective that combines knowledge of science and the arts with a dry sense of humor. Please join us for this opportunity to "boldly go explore where no one has gone before" (Star Trek) as we join Bordley in this intriguing question. Non-EQB members interested in attending this Zoom lead should contact Chuck Morgret by email at <chuckmorgret@gmail.com> for the Zoom link.

#### **Rotary Club Meeting**

The Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary Club will meet at 8 a.m., Thursday, March 4, via Zoom for a club assembly. For the Zoom link, email Woody Deutsch <woodybike@mac.com>.

#### **Sewanee Emeritus Association**

The March meeting of the Sewanee Emeritus Association will take place by Zoom at 3:30 p.m., Thursday, March 4. We are delighted to welcome Leelie Selassie, MD, an intensive care physician and wife of Vice Chancellor Reuben Brigety. Her medical degree is from the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston. The title of Dr. Selassie's talk is "Resource Scarcity and the Evolution of Medicine: a Physician's Journey from the US to Ethiopia and Back, Pre and Post Covid 19." Dr. Selassie took a two-year break from her medical practice in Maryland and northern Virginia to return to her native Ethiopia and teach in the primary teaching hospital in Addis Adaba. The public is invited. Please send an email to <rzachau@sewanee.edu> to receive an access code.

### Franklin County School Board

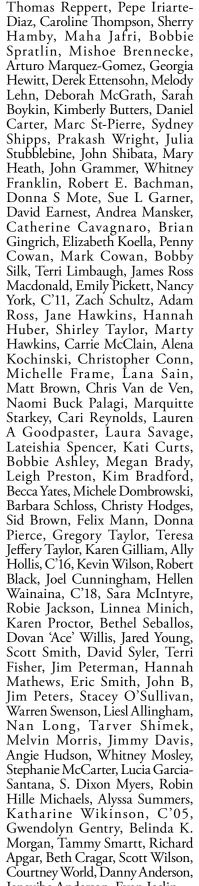
The Franklin County School Board is scheduled to meet at 6 p.m., Monday, March 8, at the Board of Education Building, 215 S. College St., Winchester.

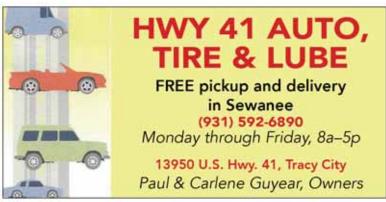
### Town of Monteagle

The Town of Monteagle will have a special called meeting on Monday, March 15, from 5–7 p.m., to discuss the Petro TA. This will be an open meeting at City Hall in the conference room.











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### bituaries

#### **Ruth Salomon Engel**

Ruth Salomon Engel, age 100, died on Feb. 20, 2021. She was born on Oct. 25, 1921. She was a member of the Honorary Advisory Board of UAB's Alys Stephens Center, the Advisory Board of the Birmingham Museum of Art. She contributed generously to many charitable organizations, including St. Vincent's Foundation, EyeSight Foundation, and Greater Birmingham Community Foundation. The Engel Plaza at UAB and the Abroms-Engel Institute for the Visual Arts are just two of the legacies she and her family leave the Birmingham community. One of her final acts of kindness was the establishment of The Ruth Salomon Engel Scholarship Fund for first-generation college students from Appalachia to attend The University of the South. She was a member of Temple Emanu-El and the Birmingham Jewish Foundation, and longtime supporter of The Alabama Symphony, Birmingham Museum of Art, and Alabama Shakespeare Festival. She was preceded in death by her husband, Marvin R. Engel.

She is survived by daughter, Zoli Althea Browne (Thom) of Missoula, Mont.; son, William E. Engel of Nashville and Sewanee; and three grandchildren.

be sent to any of the causes she championed.

### **Herman Lee Green**

Herman Lee Green, age 91 of Sewanee, died on Feb. 17, 2021, at his home. He was born on Dec. 31, 1929, in Sewanee, to Columbus E. and Sallie Elizabeth Jacobs Green. Before his retirement, he had been South as a stone mason. He was a member of Midway Church of and Sarah McGregor; and brother James Green.

He is survived by his children, Teresa Johnson of Sewanee, Ransom (Margie) Green of Cowan, Ricky Green of Sewanee, and Randall (Kathy) Green of Monteagle; brothers Junior (Bonnie) Green and Joe (Donna) Green of Sewanee; sisters Susie (Sam) Kilgore of Monteagle, Barbara Byers of Pelham, Mary Green of Sewanee, and Kathy Owensby of Sewanee; 13 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services were on Feb. 21, 2021 from the Chapel of-Moore-Cortner Funeral Home with Evangelist Keith Hamilton officiating. Interment followed in Harrison Cemetery, Midway. For complete obituary go to <www. moorecortner.com>.

### Alton "Al" Hayostek

Alton "Al" Hayostek, age 86 of Monteagle, died on Feb.20, 2021, at his home. He was born in 1934 in Flint, Mich. He was a U.S. Army veteran. After his discharge from the Army, he went to work for General Motors, retiring in 1996 from Buick Motor Division with 37 years of service. When he retired, he and Sandy moved to Tennessee. He was an active member of Morton Memorial UMC. He was with Marty Nutter officiating. preceded in death by his parents; Interment followed in Franklin and sister Victoria Worrell.

62 years, Sondra Hayostek; sons, that memorial donations be made Ronald (Lisa) Hayostek, Daniel (Cathy) Hayostek, and Gregory Hayostek; sister Bert Fults; broth- For complete obituary go to <www. er, David VenDeMark; and one moorecortner.com>. granddaughter.

A Memorial Service will be at p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 27, 2021 at Mountain T.O.P., in Altamont. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. until time of service. Interment will be at a later date in Michigan. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Mountain T.O.P. or Morton Memorial UMC. For complete obituary go to <www.cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

### Ida Ellen Layne

Ida Ellen Layne, age 38 of Gruetli-Laager, died unexpectedly on Feb. 14, 2021, at her home. She was born on April 19, 1982 in Sewanee. She was a Pharmacy Tech and a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Ida Ellen Caldwell, Johnny Caldwell and James Elbert Cantrell.

She is survived by her husband, Jason Layne; son, Jacob Layne; daughter, Ava Layne; mother, Lisa Cantrell (Robby Terry); father, Herbertt (Tammy) Cantrell; sister, Samantha (Glenn) Kirk; stepbrother, James Cecil Henley; grandmother, Judy (Sam) McBee; nieces, Alazae Long, Desiray and Kirsten Layne; nephews, Brian Goehler and Adrian Layne; mother and father-in-law, Joyce and Brad Layne; and brothers-in-law, Bradley (Christie) Layne and Adam Layne.

Graveside services were on Feb. In lieu of flowers, donations can 21 at Fall Creek Cemetery with Minster Glen Kirk officiating. Arrangements were by Layne Funeral Home, Palmer. For complete obituary go to <www.laynefuneralhome.

### Billy Faye Terrill

Billie Faye Terrill, age 75 of Monteagle, died on Feb. 15, 2021. She was born on Sept. 22, 1945, employed by the University of the to Bill and Charline Thomas. She enjoyed meeting new people and being around people. In her spare Christ. He was preceded in death time, she enjoyed reading and will by his parents; wife, Phenie Green; forever be remembered as a loving son, Ray Green; grandson, Philip wife, mother and grandmother. Green; twin sisters Martha Gilliam She was preceded in death by her

She is survived by her husband of more than 50 years, Billy Terrill; two sons, Travis (Tammy) Terrill and Tyson Terrill; four grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. For complete obituary go to <www. cumberlandfuneralhome.net>.

### William "Bill" Milton Wise

William "Bill" Milton Wise, age 81 of Winchester, died on Feb.11, 2021, at Southern Tennessee Regional Health System, Winchester. He was born on Aug. 2, 1939, in Sherwood, to Robert Lee and Pearlie Guess Wise. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran, and later worked at Interlake Steel. He was a member of Faith Lutheran Church, Tullahoma. He was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Vickie Wise; sister, Judy Wise, and previous wife, Nancy J. Wise.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Ping Wise; sister, Brenda (Jerry) Smith; daughters, Kim Murphy, Tammy (Marco) Ragland, Kimberly, Michelle (Jerry) Stafford; sons, Robert (Alissa) Williams, Richard (Anne) Wise; several grandchildren and greatgrandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, and other relatives

Funeral Services were on Feb. 20, 2021 from the Chapel of Moore-Cortner Funeral Ĥome, Memorial Gardens, Winchester. In He is survived by his wife of lieu of flowers, the family requests to Faith Lutheran Church, 101 Bragg Cir., Tullahoma, TN 37388.

### Teresa Ann Yates-Nolan

Teresa Ann Yates-Nolan, age 49 of Palmer, died on Feb. 20, 2021. She was born on Nov. 4, 1971, in Sewanee. She had devoted most of her life to her family and step children. She enjoyed being at home, dancing and listening to country music. She was preceded in death by her husband of 20 years, Danny Wayne Nolan; maternal grandparents, Bert and Faye Yates; and uncle Richard Yates.

She is survived by her mother, Margaret Yates; step children, Timothy Nolan, Erica Nolan

and Deanna Nolan; uncles David (Shawnee) Yates, Jimmy Yates and Tommy Yates; aunt, Shirley Harrison; close friends, Talon Crockett, Michael, Chase and Makhaya Yates Warner.

Funeral services are at 2 p.m. today, Feb. 26, 2021, at Cumberland Funeral Home, Monteagle. obituary go to <www.cumberland- II services. funeralhome.net>.

### **Church News**

### All Saints' Chapel

All Saints' Chapel streams its 11 Griffin; and special cousin Connie a.m. service each week at <a href="https://">https://</a> new.sewanee.edu/campus-life/believing/all-saints-chapel/all-saintschapel-services/online-services/>.

In addition, All Saints' can Interment follows immediately in accommodate up to 75 in-person Eastern Star Cemetery, Sewanee. worshipers each Sunday for the 8 Visitation will be held from noon a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite I and until time of service. For complete the 11 a.m., Holy Eucharist Rite

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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 1, Sunday 11 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, Sunday, online <a href="https://new.sewanee.edu/campus-life/">https://new.sewanee.edu/campus-life/</a> believing/all-saints-chapel/all-saintschapel-services/online-services/>

### Bible Baptist Church, Monteagle

10 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 5:30 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

5:30 p.m. Evening Worship, Wednesday

Chapman Chapel Church of the Nazarene, Pelham

Monteagle First Baptist Church

9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 0:45 a.m. Morning Worship, Sunday 6 p.m. Evening Worship, Sunday

### 7 p.m. Bible study, Wednesday Christ Church, Alto (STEM)

10:30 a.m. Bible Study and Morning Prayer with Sermon, Sunday

12:15 p.m. Noonday Prayer, Tuesday

12:30 p.m. Lectionary Bible Study, until 2 p.m., Tuesday

4:30 p.m. Book Study, until 5:30 p.m., Wednesday If you would like to attend, contact STEM Admin at <tec213@bellsouth.net>

#### Christ Church, Monteagle

10:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, Sunday noon Service, Wednesday

### Christ Church, Tracy City (STEM)

10:30 a.m. Bible Study and Morning Prayer with Sermon, Sunday 12:15 p.m. Noonday Prayer, Tuesday

12:30 p.m. Lectionary Bible Study, until 2 p.m., Tuesday 4:30 p.m. Book Study, until 5:30 p.m., Wednesday If you would like to attend, contact STEM Admin at

#### <tec213@bellsouth.net> Christ the King Anglican Church, Decherd

9 a.m. Sunday Service, Sunday 6:30 p.m. Healing/prayer service

### Cowan Fellowship Church

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Cowan

11 a.m. Worship, Sunday Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Monteagle

9:30 a.m. Bible Study, Sunday 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sewanee

### 9 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

**Decherd United Methodist Church** 

### 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday 10:50 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

Epiphany Mission, Sherwood (STEM) 10:30 a.m. Bible Study and Morning Prayer with

Sermon, Sunday 12:15 p.m. Noonday Prayer, Tuesday 12:30 p.m. Lectionary Bible Study, Tuesday, until 2

4:30 p.m. Book Study, Wednesday, until 5:30 p.m.

If you would like to attend, contact STEM Admin at <tec213@bellsouth.net>

### 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

8 a.m. Mass, Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass, Sunday

2 p.m. Spanish Mass, Sunday

5 p.m. Mass, Saturday

#### Goshen Cumberland Presbyterian Church 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

**Grace Fellowship Church** 

10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Worship Service, Sunday Harrison Chapel Methodist Church, Midway

(FB Live service below) 8 a.m. Radio Show, Sunday (WSGM 104.7 FM)

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday (FB Live) 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

#### 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

11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

#### Monteagle Seventh-Day Adventist 11 a.m. Worship, Saturday

Morton Memorial United Methodist, Monteagle (service available online after noon Sunday, link is at

<Mortonmemorialumc.com>) 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday (outdoors)

6 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday

#### Mountain of God Tabernacle, Monteagle (online worship services via Zoom. Info: call (931) 924-5339 or go online, <www.WildfireOnTheMoun-

tain.com>) 11 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

6 p.m. Prayer Service, Wednesday New Beginnings Church, Monteagle

10:45 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

5 p.m. Worship Service, Sunday New Beginnings Church, Pelham

9:45 a.m. Worship Service, Sunday

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

### Otey Memorial Parish Church

8:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, Sunday, available on Otey's Facebook page and afterward on Otey's YouTube channel

9:30 a.m. Godly Play, via Zoom 9:30 a.m. Sunday Forum, via Zoom

11 a.m. Sunday Service online, available on Otey's Facebook page and afterward on the YouTube channel

4 p.m. Fire on the Mountain, Brooks Hall 7 p.m. Lenten Learning Series, via Zoom,

through March 24, Wednesdays 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 Episcopal Church 9 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II, in-person and via

Zoom, Sunday 7 p.m. Book Study, via Zoom, through March

### 24, Wednesdays, until 8 p.m. St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, Alto

(meeting at Good Shepherd, Decherd) St. Mary's Sewanee

3:30 p.m. Centering Prayer, via Zoom, Tuesday 4 p.m. Centering Prayer, via Zoom, Wednesday

#### Sewanee Church of God 10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Morning Service, Sunday 6 p.m. Evening Service, Sunday

### Tracy City First Baptist Church 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship, Sunday Trinity Episcopal Church, Winchester (STEM)

10:30 a.m. Bible Study and Morning Prayer with

Sermon, Sunday 12:15 p.m. Noonday Prayer, Tuesday

12:30 p.m. Lectionary Bible Study, Tuesday, until 2 4:30 p.m. Book Study, Wednesday, until 5:30 p.m.

If you would like to attend, contact STEM Admin at <tec213@bellsouth.net>

### United Pentecostal, Monteagle

10 a.m. Sunday School, Sunday

11 a.m. Worship, Sunday 7 p.m. Worship, Wednesday

Unitarian Universalist, Tullahoma 6 p.m. Tullahoma Sangha, Wednesday

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MLS 2223569 - 632 Tram Rd., Tracy City, 7.8 acres. \$389,900



MLS 2228046 - 136 Parsons Green, Sewanee. \$345,000



MLS 2194313 - 197 Midway Rd., Sewanee. \$298,000



MLS 2112396 - 1020 Sherwood Rd., Sewanee. \$189,000



MLS 2226423 - 171 Main St., Tracy City. \$69,000



MLS 2223572 - 110 Depot St., Tracy City. \$59,900



MLS 2131429 - 16A Laurel Lake Dr., Lot 16A. \$82,000



46 John Allin Dr., Sewanee. \$511,000



MLS 2105112 - 250 Jackson Point Rd. 12.66 acres. \$149,000



MLS 2181633 - 181 Kirby Smith Rd., Sewanee. \$269,500

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MLS 2166468 - 10879 US 41, Monteagle. \$289,000



MLS 2211012 - Pryor Ridge Rd. 43 acres. \$134,000



LOTS & LAND				
57 Edgewater CENDING	2184847	\$28,000		
Savage Bluff Lot RC11, 5.09 ac	2178470	\$59,000		
Bear Ct., .51 ac, #18	2130056	\$29,000		
Bear Ct., .5 ac, #19	2130059	\$29,000		
Bear Ct., .58 ac, #20	2130058	\$29,000		
13 Browbend Dr., 1.9ac	2130040	\$54,000		

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14 Browbend Dr., 1.5 ac	2130051	\$54,000
43 Bluffwoods, DENDING	2148490	\$22,500
0 Chickory Ln, 2 ac	2228484	\$59,500
0 Buck Church Rd., 22 ac	2220082	\$265,000

Hwy. 41A & Ingman Rd., 20+ acres being sold in 5 acre tracts. \$54,900 for each 5 acre tract



MLS 2207353 - 4196 Browns Hollow Rd., Tracy City.



MLS 2193131 - 56 Poplar Ln., Sewanee. \$368,000



MLS 2211014 - 1978 Pryor Ridge Rd., Tracy City. \$179,000



MLS 2209977 - Popular Springs Rd. Barn and 500 plus acres. \$419,000

second reading of the rezoning ommended. ordinance scheduled for March 29.

Explaining the rezoning process, Alderman Wilson said, would be left with if the truck stop tonight's rezoning vote "triggers second vote...once the rezoning on if something goes wrong?" has happened, it [the RBT project] doesn't come back to the full council again." Wilson stressed before he would vote for approval at the second reading, he would need to see the final site plan and results from the traffic and sewer impact studies. "This is not me son, Graber said revising the site the light from a smartphone, so saying I'm ready to move forward and approve the truck stop, but asking for us to begin a process... adjoins the proposed truck-stop In the next 30 days I hope we can site, said her property value had bring some of this information to already decreased \$30,000. At- has a strong cell signal, according the top.'

Alderman Wilson said he met with RBT investor Brian Graber data was received and reviewed. to discuss the need "to protect the neighbors." Graber agreed to dark motion to pass on first reading cell signal, if the area in which they sky lighting to reduce light pollu- the ordinance to rezone the RBT tion and trucks on the residential property boundary backing into woman Jessica Favaloro made parking slots to reduce noise pol- a motion to postpone the first Îution from engines.

of the water supply" from hazard-ous chemical spills leaching into groundwater through sinkholes. meeting on Monday, March 15, from 5–7 p.m. Residents will it, understanding the distances have the opportunity to question involved, and the elevation change done all this testing, but we're not documentation questions. privy to that," Keeble said.

this point, I don't know that we'll cil to select a vendor for website dedisclose that." Graber insisted sign and maintenance, cost not to nothing in Phase 1 testing pointed exceed \$2,800; and to change the to a need for Phase 2 testing. tenure of alderpersons to four years Alderman Wilson explained if with staggered terms. Rodman said Phase 1 testing indicated potenthe the tenure change would not affect tially hazardous environmental current council members.

at the rezoning public hearing and impact, Phase 2 testing was rec- difference even before his team of

Resident Debra Reed expressed concerns about what the town failed. Reed asked if the council Reed asked.

plan, study results, and other mile medallion. critical data.

Joanne Atwood, whose property in an emergency situation." to postpone the vote until all the improving, but visitors should also

tract from R-3 to C-3, Alder- cell signal coverage.'

### **Park** (from page 1)

volunteers has finished posting all of the mile markers.

"The first couple of weeks after we began posting the markers, our rangers were already getting a public meeting where we will had researched the financial calls for help, where the visitors discuss the pros and cons, and health of the RBT investors. "Is were able to tell them exactly following that meeting there is a this group strong enough to hold where they were, thanks to the mile marker system," Blohm said, adding that each mile marker is Best asked if the council in- attached to a tree or post along the tended to vote on the rezoning trail, and high-intensity reflectors without having a confirmed site are mounted above and below each

> "The reflectors can be seen from According to Alderman Wil- a great distance at night, even by plan would cost \$10,000. Resident they are easy for visitors to locate

> One limitation of the new system is that not all of the SCSP wood and others asked the council to Shinn. "Coverage is gradually know how to safely follow a trail When Rodman asked for a to higher ground, in order to get a find themselves doesn't have good

Shinn said that having a good trail map, either on paper or on reading to Monday, March 29. the visitor's phone, is still a most Resident Lucy Keeble ex- After voting to postpone, the essential part of preparing for a pressed concern about "poisoning council scheduled a special called visit to the park. "Not only having "Maybe the [RBT] engineer has the RBT engineer and pose other of the trail, could be critical if an emergency situation were to The council also voted to ap- develop. Knowing today's sunset "We did Phase 1 testing prior prove rezoning the Phipps tract time, and monitoring how long it to acquisition," Graber said. "At from R-1 to C-2; to allow the counwould take you to hike back to the trailhead, are simple but critical

> Shinn, Knapp, Dreves and Blohm offer the following suggestions for a safe trip to the park: dress appropriately for the weather, with layers in the winter, including eye



Each mile marker in the South Cumberland State Park includes a unique location identification code, which visitors can report to park rangers in an emergency situation, to quickly let them know exactly where they are Dave Matherly helps the Friends of South Cumberland Trail Team post the new system of trail markings.

and face protection, and rain gear as appropriate; wear sturdy hiking boots; have plenty of water, highenergy snacks, a first-aid kit, and know how to use it; have several sources of light, such as headlamps; and charge your phone before you head out, but don't try to use it as a flashlight. On a cellphone battery, that will only last a few minutes, and your phone is more important as your lifeline to call for help, should you need it.

We're not trying to scare anyone. We just want our visitors to think about how they should be prepared to experience our vast and beautiful wilderness safely, Shinn said. "South Cumberland is a one-of-a-kind place that everyone should experience, but plan ahead, and do it safely. Our rangers would much rather be answering your questions about the amazing flora, fauna and geology of our park, than having to rescue you in an emergency situation."

To learn more, visit <www. friendsofsouthcumberland.org>.

### **SUD** (from page 1) —

Franklin County Deep Woods residents, even though legally the potential customers were in SUD's district.

Beavers noted at the time of the Jump Off project, developers bought a large number of taps. More than 20 years later, Beavers receives calls from potential customers claiming there is a tap on the property, although the tap has never been used. He anticipates similar problems in Cooley's Rift where the developers, by contract, pay a dry tap fee on unused taps until 51 percent located. Trail Friends Coordinator of the taps in the development are using water. Beavers recommended the board adopt a meter abandonment policy for meters on which a minimum monthly bill or dry tap fee is not being paid. In addition to never used taps, the policy would apply when a house was torn down and water service was discontinued. "There needs to be a reasonable amount of time between when [a homeowner] tears a house down and [future customers] expect water service is still available," Beavers said. Beavers will research water utility standards on abandoned meter policy.

The board elected officers for 2021: Charlie Smith, president; Doug Cameron, vice president; Paul Evans, secretary.





### Church (from page 4)

Sunday worship is limited to the immediate campus community—defined as current students; faculty and staff, and their families; and residents of the domain. Visitors must wear a mask, have their temperature checked, be free sit 6 feet apart from those outside their immediate family.

#### **Christ Church**

The Rev. Thomas Heard of Ellijay, Ga., will be the guest preacher at Christ Church Monteagle on the Second Sunday in Lent, Feb. 28. He is the Scholar-in-Residence at St.Luke's Church in Blue Ridge. He previously taught at Nashotah House in Wisconsin.

The Lenten Season in this year had a rocky beginning, as so many churches had to cancel Ash Wednesday Services.

Christ Church was able to have a service, but it was The First Sunday in Lent which formed a second beginning. This was done through the Great Litany and a new Invitation to the Season of Lent. The Rev. Mr. Heard is a Spiritual Director with special training is pilgrimages in Spain. He hopes to interest many people in these adventures in the methods of Ignatius of Loyola and other "pilgrims for past centuries."

The Service of Morning Prayer begins at 10: 45 a.m. The Wednesday Eucharists continue each week.

### **Otey Memorial Parish**

Sunday Morning Prayer is online only at 8:30 a.m. and afterward on our Facebook page, and at 11 a.m. afterward on our YouTube

Godly Play Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m. via Zoom.

The Sunday Forum meets at 9:30-10:30 a.m. via Zoom. "Community Partnerships" presented by Trudy Cunningham and Sandy

Fire on the Mountain Youth Sunday School meets 4-6 p.m. in St. Mark's Hall (with appropriate social distance) for games, snacks, a story, and a time of reflection. All youth in grades six-12 are invited; please wear a mask. For more information contact Jeannie at <formation@oteyparish.org>

CAC continues its work of serving the needy with food and in other ways. Director David Goodpaster is staffing CAC, taking sensible precautions while serving people in need 9 to 11 a.m., Monday through Friday. Please call (931) 598-5927. CAC Community Meal - take out only - at noon on org>. Friday, March 5. All invited.

Parish staff members are com-

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one-way directioning.

Mon-Wed, 7:30am-midnight;

Thurs & Fri, 7:30am-10pm;

Sat, 9am-10pm; Sun, 9am-midnight

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facebook for specials and updates

as best fits their duties. To meet with a staff member, please contact the staff member directly, call the office phone number (931) 598-5926, or send an email to <admin@ oteyparish.org>.

### St. Mary's Sewanee

St. Mary's Sewanee hosts two of COVID related symptoms, and Zoom-based Centering Prayer support groups. The Tuesday group gathers at 3:30 p.m. (Central Time) each week. The Wednesday group meets at 4 p.m. (Central Time) each week. For log-in information and other details, please email <admin@stmaryssewanee.org>.

Living Ayurveda-An Introducoffered via Zoom Saturday, Feb. 27, noon-3:30 p.m. The cost is

This beginner-friendly workshop will explore the fundamental principles of Ayurvedic self-care. Discover the three Doshas and their influences on the mind & body in order to empower your journey into ayurvedic wellness. Learn simple everyday selfcare practices to invite harmony Ayurvedic way.

Introduction to Centering Prayer will be offered via Zoom Sunday, Feb. 28, 1-4 p.m. The ost is \$50. Centering Prayer is a form of Christian silent meditation where one lets go of thoughts during periods of prayer typically lasting 20 minutes. It is rooted in the self-emptying love that forms the course of ordinary life.

For more information on ongoing opportunities for prayer and meditation, and upcoming retreats, go to <a href="https://www.">https://www.</a> stmaryssewanee.org/>.

### Sisters of St. Mary

The Sisters of St. Mary invite you to join them for a Lenten Quiet Morning, the next event in their ongoing Virtual Program Series. Sister Madeleine Mary, Prioress will lead the event titled "Turning, Turning, Till We Come Round Right" via Zoom.

The virtual event will be held Saturday, Feb. 27, from 9:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. The schedule will include addresses by Sister Madeleine Mary, time for reflection, a question and answer session, and will end with noonday prayer.

The cost of the session is \$25, and participants can register at <www.communityofstmarysouth.</p>

### Esau **McCaulley** to Speak at Lenten Learning Series

Otey Memorial Parish will host cclaimed author Esau McCaulley, C'02, on Wednesday, March 24, 2021, the fifth and final night tion To Holistic Wellness, will be of Otey's annual Lenten learning series. Each Wednesday night during the season of Lent, the online gathering will consider one or more chapters of McCaulley's book, "Reading While Black: African American Biblical Interpretation as an Exercise in Hope" IVP Academic, 2020.)

McCaulley wrote "Reading While Black" to demonstrate how engaging with Scripture from a Black church tradition is into your life through living the invaluable, for Black Christians and for the church as a whole. His interpretive model calls on readers of the Bible to connect with the text in a dynamic way, both from their own social location and from diverse backgrounds and cultures.

McCaulley demonstrates this hermeneutic in his writing style, which beautifully but improbably combines memoir with academic heart of Jesus' teaching and life. scholarship. InterVarsity Press The effect on those who practice it calls the book "a personal and is an ever-increasing awareness of scholarly testament to the power God's action and presence in the and hope of Black biblical interpretation." "Reading While Black" was named Beautiful Orthodoxy Book of the Year by Christianity Today.

> McCaulley (@esaumccaulley) is assistant professor of New Testament at Wheaton College, and a contributing opinion writer for the New York Times. "Reading While Black" is McCaulley's second book. He also authored "Sharing in the Son's Inheritance: Davidic Messianism and Paul's Worldwide Interpretation of the publishes a blog called Thicket of practiced. the Jordan.

The Lenten learning series is open to the community and free of charge, 7 p.m. on Wednesdays through March 24. For the Zoom link, please email Jeannie Babb at formation@oteyparish.org>.

The book is available on Amazon or at the University Book-



### Lantern Festival Concert with Wu Fei

The entire Sewanee community is invited to join Nashville-based artist Wu Fei for an evening of music and conversation in conjunction with Lunar New Year celebrations. Wu Fei is a genre-bending composer, guzheng virtuoso, and vocalist originally from Beijing. She is a renowned master of the guzheng, the 21-string Chinese zither, and has performed at venues as diverse as Beijing's Forbidden City, Shanghai's Expo 2010, New York's MoMA, Vossa Jazz in Norway, and the Europalia Festival in Belgium.

She often collaborates with musicians across genres, and last year released an album with the Grammy Award-winning banjoist Abigail Washburn that is a testament to the connective power of music across seemingly disparate cultures.

The concert and conversation will be held via Zoom at 7 p.m., Friday, Feb. 26; the Zoom ID is 817 160 1654. A live Q and A will follow the

All students, parents, employees, alumni, and community members are invited to attend the event, which is sponsored by the Performing Arts Series, Department of Asian Studies, Campus Activities Office, and the Asian House. We look forward to connecting with members of the Sewanee community around the globe through Wu Fei's illuminating

## Spring Ferns for Sale by

The Sewanee Children's Center (SCC) is offering beautiful spring ferns for sale. Choices include the Kimberly fern (upright, in a standing pot, a true sun-lover) and the Boston fern (in a hanging pot, a true shade-lover). Each pot sells for \$15. All proceeds benefit the teachers and children of the Sewanee Children's Center.

Orders may be placed via mail at P.O. Box 268, Sewanee, TN 37375, with check included, on VENMO at SewaneeChildrensCenter (please note the 3 capital letters and no apostrophe in our VENMO address), or by calling (931) 598-5928. Kindly include your name, email address, and cell phone number with your order.

Payment must be made by March 19 so your order can be processed. Abrahamic Land Promise in Ga- Ferns will be available for pick-up at the SCC on March 25 and 26. SCC latians" (T&T Clark, 2019). He requires masks to be worn at pick-up and asks that social distancing be



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### Local Students Named to Sewanee Dean's List

The following students have been named to the Dean's List at the University of the South for the Fall 2020 term. To earn a place on Sewanee's Dean's List, a student must earn a minimum grade point average of 3.625 on a 4.0 scale.

Ashley Stewart of Belvidere, daughter of Judy and R. Eric Stewart of Belvidere.

Emily Green of Gruetli Laager, daughter of Ladonna and Eric D. Green of Gruetli Laager.

Henry Fisher of Sewanee, son of Laurie E. and Jett M. Fisher Jr. of Sewanee.

Kate Butler of Sewanee, daughter of Sarah A. and Robert S. Butler of Sewanee.

Katie Finn Hurst of Sewanee, daughter of Joan Marie K. Hurst of Sewanee.

Corinne Parrish of Nashville, daughter of Nancy and Nathan C. Parrish, Sr. of Sewanee.

Jack Haight II of Sewanee, son of Catherine E. Cavagnaro of Sewanee . Tessa Shackelford of Sewanee, daughter of Conchie and John A. Shackelford, Jr. of Sewanee.

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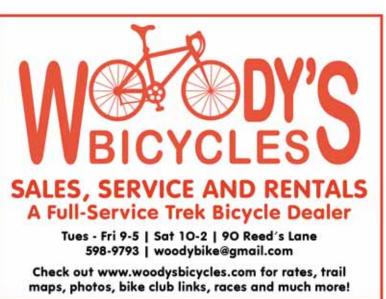


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Students at play at the Sewanee Children's Center.

# Pre-K Spaces for Summer & Fall 2021 at SCC

The Sewanee Children's Center has openings in its Pre-K classes and ample funding for need-based tuition assistance. The Pre-K class is for fun-loving, curious, bright-eyed children ages three to five. SCC teachers are committed, creative, and welcoming to new families who like the small class sizes, as well as excellent outdoor and indoor play spaces.

Since 1949, SCC has been serving Sewanee and the surrounding counties with a curriculum that "respects childhood as a time to explore, create, and be joyful." The center is guided by the idea that encouraging and allowing the opportunities for pretend play not only makes for happier children but also creates the foundation for their development into confident, compassionate, and creative adults. Pretend play has also been shown to contribute to early literacy, mathematical thinking, and problem-solving.

SCC has always been committed to building a healthy community around cooperative ideals—more important now than ever before in response to the coronavirus pandemic. SCC has developed policies and practices founded on CDC guidelines to create a safe and healthy environment for children, families, and the SCC staff. These new practices ensure a relaxed, nurturing environment for children where they can thrive.

Call now to reserve your child's place in the 8-week summer program (May 31 to July 24) and/or this fall's Pre-K session, beginning Monday, Aug. 9.

For more information on the Sewanee Children's Center, its curriculum, its health and safety guidelines, and what it means to be a co-op, contact the director, Sandy Glacet, at <sewaneechildrenscenter@gmail.com>. Find the SCC online at <a href="http://sewaneechildrenscenter.org/">http://sewaneechildrenscenter.org/</a>>.

All financial aid at SCC is generously supported by the Sewanee Community Chest.

### SES MENUS

### March 1–5 LUNCH

Monday, March 1: Zesty orange chicken, yogurt/cheese stick bag, roasted vegetables, deli roaster potatoes, steamed rice, fruit.

Tuesday, March 2: Oven-roasted chicken, Salisbury steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, cheesy broccoli, dinner roll, fruit

Wednesday, March 3: Chicken nachos, pulled pork barbecue nachos, battered potato bites, pinto beans, salsa, fruit.

Thursday, March 4: Chicken spaghetti, vegetable beef soup, cheese sandwich, French fries, carrot dippers, garlic breadstick, fruit.

Friday, March 5: Pizza choice, chili, potato wedges, buttered corn, fruit.

### **BREAKFAST**

Each day, students select one or two items.

**Monday, March 1:** Breakfast pizza, juice, fruit.

Tuesday, March 2: Meat biscuit, juice, fruit.

Wednesday, March 3: Mini donuts, juice, fruit.

**Thursday, March 4:** Egg/cheese sandwich, fruit.

**Friday, March 5:** Meat biscuit, juice, fruit.

Options available every breakfast: assorted cereal, assorted fruit and juice, milk varieties. Menus subject to change.

### Lifeguard Training

The City of Winchester Parks & Rec. – Aquatics Department announces Lifeguard Training will be available at the Winchester Swimplex.

Lifeguard Training consists of 27 hours of classroom and pool work. Lifeguard Training is designed to teach Lifesaving skills, CPR, First Aid, AED (Automated External Defibrillation) and Oxygen Administration. Classes will be held March 26-31, and April 30-May 5.

Register in-person at the Winchester Swimplex. Cost is \$175, which includes a whistle, fanny pack and pocket mask. Registration fee is due in full at time of registration. Check or cash only, please.

For more information or questions contact call (931) 962-4204.



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Abiding in Peace: Yoga & the Path to Inner Stillness 10:00AM-12:00PM, Saturday, March 6th

Presenter: Donna Ortner

All programs are offered online via Zoom Registration is required www.stmarysewanee.org All times are Central

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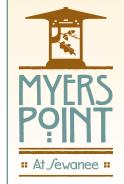
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### **OFTOWERSANDBELLS**

by Ray Gotko

This column has been silent for quite awhile. COVID-19 and health issues of the carillonneur have affected the bells in both towers. The carillon is an infrequent sound on campus. To insure social distancing, only four ringers may ring in Breslin Tower using alternate bells - 1, 3, 5, 7 or 2, 4, 6, 8. Such is not ideal. The absence of a functioning elevator to the carillon makes the climb to the playing cabin treacherous on below freezing days. Ice forms on the upper stairs. The long break between semesters has had a negative effect on the performance skills in both towers. This time, like no other in the past, has made normal activities a challenge. We will recover. That is both a hope and a resolve for the coming months. Lent brings present reflections of the past. The promise of Easter is new life. The bells will again regularly ring out to celebrate campus life. The winter will be but a memory. "All shall be well, all shall be well, all manner of things shall be well." (Dame Julia of Norwich, 1413).

### EHH Auxiliary Emergency Fund Named in Memory of **Eleanor Dallas**

The members of the board of the Emerald-Hodgson Hospital Auxiliary voted unanimously to name a newly created emergency fund in memory of long-time Auxiliary member and volunteer, Eleanor Dallas. The fund's purpose is to offer assistance in times of crisis, and it embodies Eleanor's generous spirit and caring nature. Eleanor was a faithful volunteer at The Hospitality Shop for many years, and she served on the board numerous times during her tenure. Her commitment to service, her good humor, and her determination to get the job done right have left an enduring and inspirational model not only for the Auxiliary, but for the many other volunteer organizations she served and supported.

Send donations to The Emerald-Hodgson Hospital Auxiliary, P.O. Box 343, Sewanee, 37375, with the Eleanor Dallas Fund in the memo.

### FC Library Update

is returning to normal operations appointment to pick up. beginning Monday, March 1.

items including up to four DVDs will resume at that time as well. per account). Children's materials only. Items may be reserved online combat the pandemic. <a href="https://www.franklincountyli-">https://www.franklincountyli-</a>

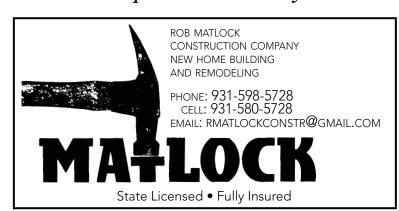
The Franklin County Library 3706. Also, call to schedule an

The Children's library is un-Curbside services are and will available for browsing during the remain available Monday-Friday, completion of the shelving project 830 a.m.–5 p.m., and Saturday, aforementioned. The reopening 830 a.m.–noon. Curbside check- of the Children's Library is set for out limits will remain effective (15 March 15. Children's Storytime

Masks are strongly encouraged are by Book Bundles (10 items) when visiting as we continue to

The library is located at 105 S. brary.org/index.html> or call 967- Porter St., Winchester.

### Shop and dine locally.





### **SENIOR NEWS**

The Sewanee Senior Center serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday. The suggested donation is \$4, regardless of your age. Please call 598-0771 by 9 a.m. to order lunch. Menus follow:

Monday, March 1: Meatloaf, pinto beans, slaw, corn-

Tuesday, March 2: Chicken salad, crackers.

Wednesday, March 3: Ham, mashed potatoes, green pea salad, roll.

Thursday, March 4: Soup,

Friday, March 5: Cheeseburger, onion rings.

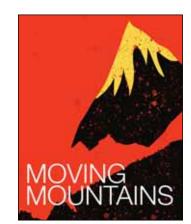
The Sewanee Senior Center does not charge any membership fee. All persons 50 or older who take part in any of the activities are considered members.

### **TEDxUniversityoftheSouth** Offers Talks & Performances

TEDxUniversityoftheSouth includes seven nights of talks and performances followed by live Q&A with the speakers. Originally planned as a live event in March 2020, TEDxUniversity of the South has moved to a virtual format this spring. The series began on Tuesday, Feb. 23, continues every Tuesday through March 30, and concludes Wednesday, April 7. All events will be at 6 p.m. via Zoom.

A TEDx event is a local program of TED-like talks organized by and shared with the community. These virtual events are intended to spark deep discussion and connections, and give the community an opportunity to ask questions and dive into the topics.

Speakers and performers include Patrick Dean (Feb. 23), Sherry Hamby (March 2), Jason Carl Rosenberg (March 9), Deborah McGrath (March 16), Bea Troxel (March 23), Karen Yu (March 30), and Mandy Moe Pwint Tu (April 7).



Next Tuesday, March 2, Sherry Hamby, research professor of psychology at the University of the South, will speak about trauma and resilience—what she has learned from her own experiences overcoming trauma as well as her more than 20 years' experience listening to stories of resilient people.

For Zoom links and more information, visit the TEDx website: <a href="https://www.tedxuniversityofthe-">https://www.tedxuniversityofthe-</a> south.com/>.



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### **NATURENOTES**

by Yolande Gottfried



A gull. Photo by Deb Dreves

#### **Bird Sightings**

**Jim Poteet** reported an adult bald eagle feeding on a deer carcass just on the edge of a road in late January. We can be grateful that bald eagles have made such a successful comeback after reaching very low population levels. A field guide published in 1959 called the bald eagle "seriously threatened." An Audubon guide to birds from 1977 said that the bird was known only as an occasional migrant, at least in the East, and that we might be facing its loss. The banning of DDT and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, both in 1972, allowed the recovery of the population to this point-seeing the eagle on roadkill!

**Deb Dreves** found a gull, probably a ring-billed, sheltering in her yard on one of the bitter winter days earlier this month. She also sees them in the CVS parking lot. They are winter residents in Tennessee and are the gull commonly seen in areas like parking lots.

We saw a lovely flight of sandhill cranes over Gudger Road last week-several dozen. They look and sound almost primeval, with their distinctive call, extended necks while flying, and 6-7 foot wingspan, flying with a slow downstroke and quick flick upwards.

And, **Robin Gottfried** spotted a red-headed woodpecker, also on Gudger Road, this week. Ironically, we often see pileated woodpeckers, which I think of as more "exotic," while the red-headed woodpecker, which is what I imagine most people think of when they think of a woodpecker, is uncommon and declining, according to the Sibley guide. It likes open, park-like woods and used to be seen on the Sewanee golf course.

I am still waiting for a report of the first daffodil. None were in bloom in Abbo's Alley last weekend, but surely the warm sunny days this week have brought some out. We usually start to have daffodils in early to mid-February!



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#### Monday, March 1

Work Day at Savage Gulf (Free) (Registration closes at midnight the day before the event. Please preregister.)—Join Park Ranger Mark Greenwood and other folks who love the Park at 1 p.m. CST at Savage Gulf South Ranger Station, 3157 S.R. 399, Palmer, for a day of trail repair and maintenance at Savage Gulf State Natural Area. Bring work clothes, sturdy footwear, gloves, plenty of water, and food for the trail. Work implements (hand tools only) will be provided, but you may bring your own, if desired. Weather permitting. Duties will most likely consist of one or more of the following: carrying excess fuel and oil for chain saws and/or string for weed eaters and/or moving cut tree limbs/trunks after staff pick up trash or work on erosion control. The staff usually carries/ support to the Park, but cannot approximate, intermediate diswaiver.

#### Saturday, March 6

2021 Weed Wrangle! (\$0-\$20)—Join Park Ranger Dan Wescoat and other folks who love the Park at 8:30 a.m. CST at Grundy Lakes Trailhead, 587 Lakes Rd., Tracy City, to help get rid of some privet along the banks of Grundy Lakes. Privet is a quickgrowing woody plant that takes over landscapes and chokes out native grasses, shrubs, and flowers.

Please note: To confirm that these This work will consist of manually removing plants from the ground, mended. If you would like to help the park but are unable to perform this work, donations are also accepted.

> **Evening Hike to Savage Falls** and Rattlesnake Point (\$10) (\$15-\$20, donation, not attending)—Join Ranger Kristin Willis at 2:45 p.m. CST at Savage Gulf Ranger Station, 3177 S.K. 399, Palmer, on a 4-mile (with minimal elevation change) hike to Savage Falls and then to Rattlesnake Point to see the sunset. She will demonstrate how to use Avenza maps and their benefits on the hike. Please be prepared with proper shoes, weather-appropriate clothing, water, snacks and flash light or headlamp for the trip back. Dogs are always welcome as long as they are on a leash.

#### Sunday, March 7

Mountain Meander Loop have sawed them. We might also Hike (\$20)—(Registration closes at midnight the day before the event. Please preregister.). Meet performs all this by themselves in addition to tools, gear, etc. Please at 8:15 a.m. CST at Savage Gulf be flexible, as needs are constantly Ranger Station, 3157 S.R. 399, evolving. If you wish to contribute Palmer, for a 9.1 mile round trip, volunteer, there is now an option tance/difficulty guided hike of to give a donation, which may be Mountain Oak Loop, both sides selected as one of the "donation of the Day Loop, the North Plabut not attending" options. (Please teau and North Rim trails and, of do not bring chain saws or other course, the Mountain Oak Trail power implements.) Volunteers itself. Bring along water, food and will be required to sign a Volunteer flashlight/headlamp; wear sturdy Form, which may include a liability shoes. Weather permitting. The areas around overlooks can be treacherous in terms of keeping your footing. The potential to slip and fall exists, and extreme care is needed. Cancellations must be made no later than 48 hours prior to the program's scheduled conclusion in order to receive a refund.

> The South Cumberland State Park Visitors' Center is located on Highway 41 South between Monteagle and Tracy City and is open 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m. seven days a week. For more information call (931) 924-2980.

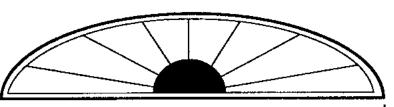
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**NOTICE:** The meeting of the Monteagle Planning Commission on March 2, 2021 has been canceled due to no business.

> **State COVID-19 info:** https://covid19.tn.gov

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by Phoebe Bates

#### Lent

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Is it to quit the dish Of flesh, yet still To fill The platter high with fish?

Is it to fast an hour, Or ragg'd to go, Or show

A downcast look and sour?

No; 'tis a fast to dole Thy sheaf of wheat, And meat, Unto the hungry soul.

It is to fast from strife, From old debate And hate; To circumcise thy life.

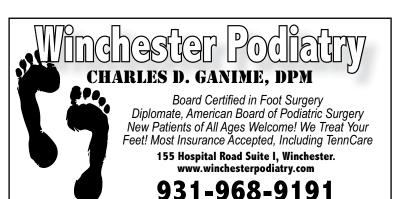
To show a heart grief-rent; To starve thy sin, Not bin; And that's to keep thy Lent.

–Robert Herrick, To Keep a True Lent

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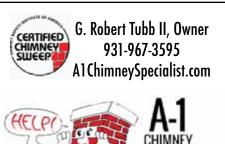
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SPECIALIST

## Community Calendar

#### Friday, Feb. 26

For all COVID-19 information in Tennessee, including testing, eligibility and vaccination schedule, go 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Center, to <https://covid19.tn.gov> or call 866-442-5301

8:30 a.m. COVID testing, Franklin Co. Health Dept., 266 Joyce Lane, Winchester (931) 967-3826, until 10:30 a.m.; Grundy Co. Health Dept., 1372 Main St., Altamont, (931) 692-3641, until 10:30 a.m.; call ahead for appointment; COVID testing, Marion County Health Dept., 24 East 7th St., Jasper, (423) 942-2238; call ahead for appointment. Traditional testing on Tuesday and Thursday; self testing M-W-F.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.

9 a.m. Pilates, for Athletes, Zoom; email <elizabethlsweeting@gmail.com> for link

noon Stretch/Strengthen, Legion Hall/Zoom; <kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com>

3 p.m. Girl Scout Cookie Sale, in front of Regions Bank in Sewanee, until 5 p.m., weather permitting

7 p.m. Performing Arts Concert/Conversation, Wu Fei, via Zoom, Live Q & A follows concert; Zoom ID: 817 160 1654

#### Saturday, Feb. 27

9:30 a.m. Virtual Lenten Quiet Morning, Sisters of St. Mary, (\$25), until 12:45 p.m; to register, <www.communityofstmarysouth.

10 a.m. Hospitality Shop open, 1096 University Ave., until 2 p.m., weather permitting

noon Living Ayurveda Intro to Holistic Wellness, St. Mary's Sewanee, (\$50), to register go to <www.stmaryssewanee.org>

#### Monday, March 1

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Coffee with Coach, Tracey Braden; livestream <a href="https://www.facebook.com/">https://www.facebook.com/</a> SewaneeTigers/>; also on website <www.

sewaneetigers.com> and U of S YouTube channel, by midday 9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Legion Hall/Zoom;

<kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com> 10:30 a.m. Chair Exercise, Ruth, Senior Center, until 11:15 a.m.

5 p.m. 37375 Campaign applications due, <sewaneecommunitychest@gmail.com>

### Tuesday, March 2

8 a.m. GC Food Bank, Tracy City, until 10 a.m.

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.

9 a.m. Pilates, beginners, Legion Hall/Zoom, <kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com> noon Pilates, intermediate, Legion Hall/Zoom;

<kim@bodyworksyouniversitycom> 4:30 p.m. South Cumberland Farmers' Market, curbside pickup, Community Center,

until 6:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Pilates, beginners, Legion Hall/Zoom;

<kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com> 6 p.m. Moving Mountains: TEDx Talk, <a href="https://www.tedxuniversityofthesouth">https://www.tedxuniversityofthesouth</a>.

com> for Zoom link

### Wednesday, March 3

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.

9 a.m. Pilates, intermediate, Legion Hall/Zoom; <kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com>

until 11:15 a.m.

noon EQB Lead, Bordley, non-members email <chuckmorgret@gmail.com> for Zoom

noon Sewanee Woman's Club reservations due

#### Thursday, March 4

8 a.m. Monteagle-Sewanee Rotary, via Zoom; for link email <woodybike@mac.com>

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m. 9 a.m. Pilates, beginners, Legion Hall/Zoom;

<kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com> 10 a.m. Kundalini Yoga, Pippa, via Zoom, <pip-

pabrowne64@gmail.com>

noon Virtual Book Launch, "A Window to Heaven," by Patrick Dean; via Zoom: <a href="https://sewanee-edu.zoom">https://sewanee-edu.zoom</a>. us/j/84146665045>

noon Pilates, intermediate, Legion Hall/Zoom; <kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com>

3:30 p.m. Sewanee Emeritus Association, Leelie Selassie, MD, via Zoom; email <rzachau@sewanee.edu>

5:30 p.m. Pilates, beginners, Legion Hall/Zoom; <kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com>

Lecture, "Should Universities Founded by Enslavers Be Talking About Reparations?" via Zoom; <a href="https://sewanee-edu">https://sewanee-edu</a>. zoom.us/j/84959185902>

#### Friday, March 5

9 a.m. CAC office open, until 11 a.m.

9 a.m. Pilates, for Athletes, Zoom; email <elizabethlsweeting@gmail.com> for link

noon CAC Community Meal, take-out only, St. Mark's Parish Hall, Otey

noon Stretch/Strengthen, Legion Hall/Zoom; <kim@bodyworksyouniversity.com>

### **Local 12-Step Meetings**

### Friday

7 p.m. AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy

Saturday 7 p.m. NA, open, Decherd United

Methodist

Sunday AA, open, Morton Memorial,

### 6:30 p.m.

Wesley House porch, Monteagle Monday

Women's Recovery, Otey Parish on Zoom, call (606) 275-9562 for link

7 p.m. AA, open, Christ Church, Tracy

### Tuesday

7 p.m. AA, open, First Baptist, Altamont Wednesday

10 a.m. AA, closed, Clifftops, (931) 924-

7 p.m. NA, Decherd United Methodist 7:30 p.m. AA, open, Holy Comforter, Mon-

7 p.m. Al-Anon, First UMC, Winchester

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