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A WORD FROM PAUL WALKER

For many of us – though not all - Summer is a time for rest. In an academic town, many of us follow the rhythms of an academic year. This is true for Christ Church. People go out of town, schedules slow down, meetings are postponed until the fall. Summer is a time for rest.

God rested too. That’s what the Scripture says. *“And on the seventh day God finished his work that he had done and he rested on the seventh day from all his work that he had done.”* (Gen 2:2)

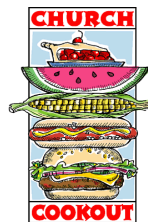
Rest is good. Rest is good because it interrupts the cycle of productivity that tempts us to believe that we are what we do or that our worth comes from what we produce. When you do nothing, you are forced to remember that your worth comes from what is given to you, despite you, by God. Your worth is in your identity as a lamb of God’s own flock and a sinner of God’s own redeeming.

In the words of the Psalmist, “be still and know that I am God.”

Ever Yours,

Paul

P.S. Speaking of rest, our out-going vestry members will hopefully enjoy a well deserved season of refreshment after their service to Christ Church. Join me in expressing gratitude to Senior Warden, Harry Bowen, Rick Carter, Dr. Mike Dickens, David Drayer and Donna Murray. And join me in welcoming our new vestry members: Jill Bascom, John Desmond, Punkie Feil, Jo Gitchell, and Joe Jennings.



I hope to see all of you at the picnic on Sunday, June 7th. Look inside for details. →

Meet the Fellows Class for 2009-2010

For those who may be new to Christ Church, our Fellows Program was established through our Anglican College Ministry, and is now in its fourth year. This is a post-graduate year (Sept.- May) designed to give young adults an experience of parish ministry, seminary education, and intentional discernment regarding a life of lay and ordained ministry. What a gift for Christ Church – and for the Episcopal Church – as young leaders with gospel faith and serving hearts are raised up for ministry to a needy and broken world.

The program is comprised of five components: **1) Academic training** (2 seminary level course taught by The Rev. Dr. Justin S. Holcomb); **2) Ordination Discernment** (under the guidance of The Rev. Paul N. Walker); **3) Mission** (working with groups such as Abundant Life); ; **4) Ministry at Christ Church** (such as the Homeless ministry or Youth Groups); **5) Anglican College Ministry** (Leading small groups and Bible Studies at UVA).

In terms of financial support, Fellows are asked to contribute \$4,000 to the Fellows Program Budget. The money is used for books, food, materials and travel costs during the year. The Fellows are also paid a \$350 monthly stipend for nine months.

Our five new Fellows for 2009-2010 will be:

Mr. Drew Macklin will work with Abundant Life through the AmeriCorps program.

Mr. Matt Wilkins will work with the Homeless and our Middle School youth group.

Mr. Wilson Oswald (“Os”) will lead small groups and Bible studies at UVA.

Mr. Sam Bush will keep activities going at The Garage and participate in the music we provide at the 9 a.m. and 5 o'clock services.

Ms. Casey Paul will work with PACEM (People and Churches Engaged in Ministry) and the Senior High youth group.

If you are interested in hosting the Fellows for a meal in your home during the year, please contact Linda MacIlwaine. She may be reached at 979-7574 or by email at macilwaine@comcast.net.

Final Day of Sunday School—May 31, 2009

As the school year comes to a close we want to thank everyone who has been a part of the Sunday School program – students, parents and teachers. Together we have come to know one another and the Bible better. We will be meeting with the teachers at the close of the year to review the program – what worked, what didn't, and what we would like to add or do differently in the future. If you have ideas you would like to share please feel free to contact us: Kemp Hill (hkphill@yahoo.com), Consi Palmer (cdppalmer@gmail.com) or Melville Krebs (mdk2n@cstone.net) We look forward to getting started again in the Fall. Our start-up date is September 13, 2009!



Update on “The Garage” by Kate Daughdrill

For the past year, the tiny garage near the Magruder House has been serving as an art space and concert venue, showcasing emerging artists and bands. A group of parishioners realized it was an incredible location for an art space last summer and helped to renovate the Garage by installing a laminate floor.

Each month the Garage features a different visual art exhibition and hosts an opening reception from 5:30-7:30pm on First Fridays. We also host concerts by local and touring bands every other week. Bands often play out to the hill of Lee Park, which is usually filled with 50-80 people. We also host a variety of creative events such as film screenings, craft fairs, potlucks, and more!

The Garage is often described in the Cville and Hook as a special space that provides a real service to our city. We hope to be a community/space that truly loves and serves Charlottesville. Visit us online www.thegarage-cville.com for more information!

Sunday, June 7th

12:00 p.m. to 3p.m.

Jill & Bill Bascom's home in Keswick

866 White Hall Rd.

We will provide hamburgers, hotdogs and fixin's. Please bring a side dish, dessert, or drinks as follows:

Last names **A-J** Vegetable, Salad, or Starch

Last names **K-Q** Dessert

Last names **R-Z** Drinks (Cans or individual bottles preferred, and if you have a cooler, please bring it along!)



The Bascoms have a full size athletic field available for games, as well as a swimming pool. So, come one, come all and enjoy a beautiful day in the Virginia countryside.

You May Also Bring:

Frisbees, Outdoor Games, Picnic Blankets or Chairs. Swimming Gear: There is a pool (max. depth of 6 ft) available for anyone who wants to swim. Changing areas will be provided. Children should have a parent with them in the pool area. Lifeguards will also be on duty.

Directions to the Bascom's:

Take I-64 East from Charlottesville; get off at exit 129 (Keswick/Rte. 616). At the end of the exit ramp turn **right** on Rte. 616. In 1/2 mile, turn **left** at the light onto Rte. 250 (East). Go 1 mile and turn **left** onto White Hall Road. Follow signs to the first driveway on the **right**, which will be marked for the picnic and parking.



P.S. If it rains, we'll plan to carry on that day in Meade Hall.

**Come One, Come All!
Don't miss out!
Fun in the sun!**

Financial Report from May's Annual Meeting

For those of you who were not able to attend our Annual Meeting and Vestry Election, our Treasurer, Dale Varga, is happy to share the following report, which shows our 2008 final numbers and our 2009 Annual Budget. Please note that our 2009 Total Pledge Income is based on pledge cards we received during the 2009 pledge campaign.

We are more than happy to answer any questions you might have about this year's or last year's budgets. Contact Marcy Hooker in the church office at 292-2347, Ext. 112.

2008 YEAR END BUDGET RESULTS/2009 BUDGET

	2008 Annual Income/Expenses	2008 Annual Budget	Amount Over/(Under) Budget	2009 Annual Budget
Total Pledge Income	\$741,808	\$751,486	(\$9,678)	\$922,183
All other income*	\$324,028	\$320,174	\$3,854	\$320,500
Total Income	\$1,065,836	\$1,071,660	(\$5,824)	\$1,242,683
Clergy & Staff	\$658,674	\$666,810	(\$8,136)	\$657,403
Adm. & Communications	\$39,407	\$40,000	(\$593)	\$40,200
Property Expenses	\$164,919	\$152,698	\$12,221	\$171,550
Diocesan Pledge	\$29,214	\$29,214	\$0	\$35,000
Mission & Outreach	\$88,764	\$102,189	(\$13,425)	\$67,700
Anglican College Ministry	\$52,517	\$50,000	\$2,517	\$49,300
Children's Sunday School	\$8,054	\$10,000	(\$1,946)	\$5,000
Parish Life	\$3,408	\$4,000	(\$592)	\$3,500
Youth	\$11,091	\$11,000	\$91	\$11,000
Music Program	\$7,561	\$7,500	\$61	\$7,500
Worship Expenses	\$8,270	\$7,500	\$770	\$7,500
Adult Education	\$1,570	\$1,250	\$320	\$1,250
Stewardship Campaign Expenses	\$375	\$500	(\$125)	\$500
Jeffrey's Farewell Expenses	\$4,662	\$5,000	(\$338)	\$0
Organ Contract		\$0		\$100,000
TAM** Debt Reduction		\$0		\$51,980
Total Expenses	\$1,049,272	\$1,058,446	(\$9,175)	\$1,209,379

*Other income includes Trust Income, Income from our Endowment Fund, Rental Income from our First Street Property, memorial donations, etc.

**For those of you who are new to Christ Church, TAM stands for "Tradition and Mission", the name of our church renovation plan. Unbudgeted funds were spent in years past. We have now added a line item to recoup those funds.

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Freedom In Creation Benefit

On June 18, 2009 (7:30PM) at Try and Make Art Gallery (610 Preston Ave), there will be an art exhibit and benefit concert featuring the artwork of child artists in Northern Uganda. Also performing will be Alex Mejias and Tim Be Told, with all proceeds going to support the work of Freedom In Creation, which ministers to children in the Koro Abili IDP Camp of Gulu, Uganda. For more information about the show, visit www.FICTOUR.org or contact Alex Mejias (alex@christchurchville.org).

Prayer Requests

Pray for your fellow parishioners: Louise Taylor, Kay Orrick, Frank Thomasson, Wally Tymoff, Ruth & Emma Snyder, Helen Wick, Carolyn Michie, Nora Moomaw, The Hornsby family in Uruguay, Martha Barham, Thomas Cole, Jr., Jason Corbin.

Pray for friends and relatives of parishioners:
(Unless requested, remain on list for 1 month.)

Judy Taylor (Tricia Witherow's mother), Allison Sotir (niece of Carrie Wellman), Keith Mumford (friend of Lee Hicks), Sarah Musselman (friend of Lee Owen), Aidan & Melissa (friends of Joanne Scanlon), Sue Breslin, Libby Catherine Nokes (friend of Tom Cole).

Pray for our leaders: Barack, our President; Tim, our Governor and David, the Mayor of our city.

Pray for those on the Active Duty list: Ensign Matthew Warnecke, U.S. Navy (Karen & John Warnecke's son); Jason Morris and Ed Ledford (sons-in-law of Eugene & Lanier Bogen).

Pray for the bereaved: Linda MacIlwaine (mother, Kathryn Wilson- Jan.); Sam Miller (mother, Frances Miller); Richard Baritaud (brother-in-law, Ronald Dickerson); Caroline Wilhelm (mother, Hazel King); Paul M. Walker (father, Don Walker); Lee Scott (Jim

Scott, father); Mike Kavanaugh (mother, Anne Kavanaugh); Carolyn Pointer & Scott Moomaw (son, Ben Moomaw); Dennis Erksa (mother, Frances) .

New Policy for 2009—we will list the bereaved for 6 months along with the deceased relative, if we know the name.

Please make your requests for prayer known to us: 100 W. Jefferson St. / Charlottesville, VA 22902;

Phone: 293-2347; Email: cec@christchurchville.org



Wednesdays at Christ Church

Please note schedule change for services in April at Westminster Canterbury.

Communion with Healing	First Wed. of the month 10 a.m. in St. Anne's Chapel
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Westminster Canterbury	Last Wed. of the month 11:15 a.m. Communion
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JUNE 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5 4 Wedding Rehearsal 7 Church League Softball Game	6 3 Clark/Davis Wedding
7 PARISH PICNIC!!! 7:45 Holy Communion Rite I 9 Holy Communion Rite II 11 Holy Communion Rite I 5 PM Holy Communion	8 All Loving on vacation. Returns on 6/15.	9 Noon Loaves & Fishes	10 10 Healing Service with Communion 10 Shawl Ministry	11	12 6 Church League Softball Game Paul N. Walker on vacation. Returns on 6/28.	13
14 7:45 Holy Communion Rite I 9 Holy Communion Rite II 11 Morning Prayer with Communion 5 PM Holy Communion	15	16 Noon Loaves & Fishes 4 Executive Committee Meets	17	18 Marcy Hooker on vacation. Returns 6/23. Messenger	19 4 Wedding Rehearsal 9 Church League Softball Game	20 4 Barkley/Sterbenz Wedding
21 Fathers' Day 7:45 Holy Communion Rite I 9 Holy Communion Rite II 11 Holy Communion Rite I 5 PM Holy Communion	22	23 Noon Loaves & Fishes 5:30 Vestry Meets	24 10 Shawl Ministry 11:15 Holy Communion at WCBR	25 Messenger Mailing	26 6 Church League Softball Game	27
28 7:45 Holy Communion Rite I 9 Holy Communion Rite II 11 Morning Prayer with Communion 5 PM Holy Communion	29	30 Noon Loaves & Fishes	Please pray for our High School Mission Trip to Jacksonville Florida. They will be serving from June 14—19.			

What's Goin' On with the Youth...

This semester, we went through the Lord's Prayer line-by-line in the 6th & 7th grade Sunday School class, and each week we put our heads together at the end of class to come up with a more modern (and kid-friendly) translation of the line. It was really neat to take time to consider the elements in this prayer which many of us know by heart; how often do we stop to think about words like, 'hallowed,' 'kingdom,' 'daily bread,' 'forgive,' and 'glory?' There are so many rich words in this prayer- and I think my favorite part is that it begins with a focus on who God is, and giving Him praise. Take a second sometime to pray through this prayer slowly and consider some of the individual pieces; God might just show you something you haven't seen before!

The Lord's Prayer

translated by the CEC Middle School Sunday School Class '09

Dear Father, who we will be with eternally in heaven, we will praise your sacred name. We look forward to Jesus coming back, and we want what you have for us. Please provide what you know we need to live each day. Forgive us our sins against you- even though, we need help forgiving others. Please keep us away from sin and evil. You are the Ruler, you are in control, and you deserve our life devotion forever. Amen.



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Coming Up This Summer:

- *HS Jacksonville Mission Trip: June 14-20**
- *Liz returns to Scotland: June 23-29**
- *Habitat Mission Trip: July 5-11**
- *All-Youth Harry Potter Night: July 16**

***We will have assorted Middle & High School gatherings throughout the summer also (dinners, bowling nights, etc)- be sure to check your email for news!**

Please pray for our Jacksonville Mission Trip (June 14-20):

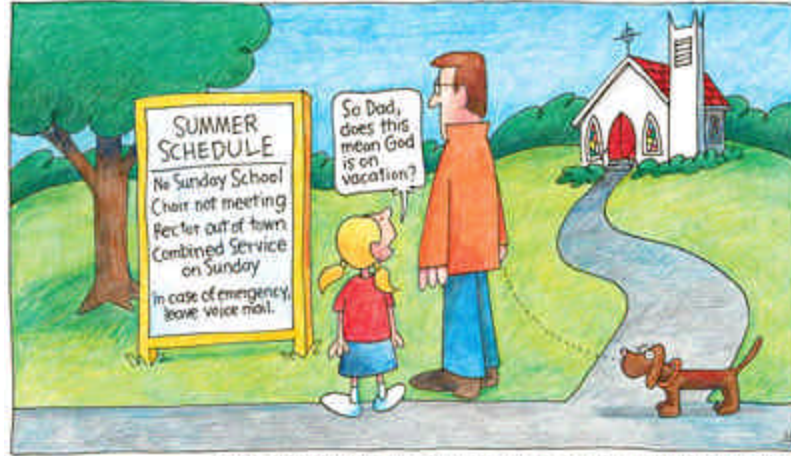
- *for the kids: Clay, David, Gail, Julia, Eleanor, Robert, Katie, Nikki, Martha, Maddy
- *for safety in our travels
- *for the homeless & lower income folks we are going to serve
- *for lots of love for each other and those we are working with
- *for God to be glorified
- *for the gospel to be preached through our lives
- *that we might grow closer to the Lord both in community and individually

We will look forward to sharing tales of our trip upon our return! Warmly, Liz



Elise & Cam, our chefs for the Class of 2009 Dinner

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The Messenger will be on summer hiatus in July. We will resume publication in August.

Vestry Highlights
May 19, 2009
By Kemp Hill

Vestry

Rev. Walker spoke of Christ Church as a community of communities. He thanked the outgoing vestry members for their service to our community and expressed appreciation to the newly elected members who will continue this service of leadership to the church. The following slate was approved: Bill Gordon - Senior Warden; John Warnecke – Jr. Warden; Register – Kemp Hill; Treasurer – Dale Varga. The Executive Committee meetings are scheduled to take place the 3rd Tuesday of every month and the full vestry will meet monthly on the 4th Tuesday at 5:30 PM.

Treasurer's Report

Mr. Dale Varga reported that Year to Date Income (\$444,781) exceeds YTD Expenses (\$434,322). The cash position is solid, though down from earlier this year. Some kitchen, bathroom and plaster repairs were approved pending available finances as determined by the Finance and Executive Committees.