

THE LANTERN

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Dear Parish Family of St. James,

It is with great happiness that I commence this ministry with you as we begin a new year. It will always be easy to remember the anniversary. I am very excited to be the pastor of this great parish. I have many ideas and hopes for growing our parish and our outreach to the Zanesville community. I also want to enhance what is already a very beautiful liturgical tradition at St. James.

I have already heard people asking: What is the new Rector like? Well, the first answer that comes to my mind is: He's happy, affable and easy to work with. I will begin with great respect for the ministry that is already happening at St. James. I am so impressed by the activity and level of service here and the holiness of the people. I like to read and usually go through a book a week. Those books will feed my preaching. I typically preach from memory with no text. I would like to take this opportunity to tell you a little about myself.

I was born in Newark, Ohio on May 24th 1965 and lived there until I was 18. I graduated from Newark Catholic High School in the class of 1983. I knew I wanted to be a priest when I was in the eighth grade. I also wanted to be a Teacher and a Funeral Director and a Mail Carrier and an Elevator Operator (the elevator at the John J. Carroll Department Store in downtown Newark was run by an operator. It had one set of doors so you could see the floors go by. It was the most incredible thing I had ever seen as a child.) In one way or another I

have lived all those things I wanted to do. I am a priest. As a priest I have taught all 8 grades of primary school. I have taught at the University level and in Seminaries as a guest lecturer. During my time of transition from the Roman Catholic Church to the point now of being your Pastor, I worked for the Schoedinger Company in Columbus, which is the largest (and in my opinion the best) Funeral Home in Ohio. I earned my Funeral Director's License in 2007 through the State Apprentice Program. I deliver messages (hopefully from God each Sunday) so that takes care of the Mail Carrier. As for the Elevator Operator, I hope to take you up, not down. The great thing about the priesthood is you live so many vocations contained in this one glorious work of the Lord. I love it!

My Seminary took place at the Josephinum in Columbus (B.A. in Philosophy with minors in Classical Languages of Latin and Greek and Religious Studies.) My M.A. in Theology was received after 4 years in Washington, D.C. at the Catholic University of America. I was ordained a Deacon there in 1991 and a Priest in 1992 in Columbus.

I worked as an Associate Pastor at St. Agatha Church in Upper Arlington, Ohio for two years from 1992-1994. I also worked as a Chaplain at Riverside Methodist Hospital during that time.

The Bishop of Columbus named me Master of Pontifical Ceremonies in 1993.

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The Lantern

A monthly newsletter published for the members and friends of St. James Episcopal Church. The 15th of each month is the deadline for articles for the following month's issue.

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Warden/Clerk
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Leigh Mantell
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That's the person who makes Eucharistic Liturgies, at which the Bishop presides, go right. In 1994 he transferred me to Rome, Italy for my Doctorate in Canon Law. This was to prepare me for my work as his priest secretary and as Vice Chancellor of the Diocese.

Rome was a beautiful place to study but I really missed my family. It cost \$10 a minute to call home and I was lucky to do that once a week on Sunday at 9pm Rome time (3pm Ohio time). The studies were all in Italian. In fact, life is lived in the Italian language to the point where you start dreaming in Italian and sometimes forget how to say certain things in English. Be that as it may, the studies are much friendlier in Italy than here. I went to the Angelicum, a very great school run by the Dominicans (The same priests who run St. Thomas, our neighbor) The Profs. loved the American students because we always came to class (Italians only come at the beginning and the end of the Semester. Sometimes the even read the Newspaper during the lectures.) The studies were hard but manageable.

I had the opportunity to work for the Holy See in a small capacity for the Office of Ceremonies to the Holy Father and even to him personally. It was a good time in my life.

After Rome I went home and worked again for the Bishop. That was very good and interesting. One thing I was put in charge of was the Jubilee 2000

Celebration. As part of that I planned and arranged an Ecumenical Celebration at the Cathedral. Bishops and Priests from many different denominations gathered. I had Bishop Price be one of the Co-Presiders. It was very beautiful and meaningful.

I also had the opportunity to be Pastor of four churches in Perry County: St. Rose, New Lexington; St. Patrick, Junction City; St. Bernard, Corning and The Church of the Atonement in Crooksville. Being a Pastor was the best of all.

Another story and a very long one, is that during all of this I was recognizing that I was more of the Episcopal Catholic Tradition than the Roman Catholic Tradition. There were many reasons for this but the principle issues were: I longed for the transparency we enjoy in this tradition, the true acceptance of all people and the focus on Scripture, Tradition and The Big R "Reason". I love the Episcopal Church.

I am truly humbled that you have elected me your Rector. I come ready and willing to serve you. I look forward to hearing from you and knowing your ideas for the Parish family. I have already had the privilege of meeting many. Although my path as an Episcopalian started here, I still need to reacquaint myself. Please be patient with me. My plan is to listen and watch and to work hard with you!

Wishing you a Blessed New Year, I remain,

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Robert Willmann
Rector



REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

According to our new bylaws, all qualified candidates for nomination will be placed on the ballot for the Annual meeting. The following slate was created from all names submitted and they have all agreed to run. Wardens are elected for one year terms but can be renewed. Vestry members serve three year terms and can be reelected for a second successive term but then must rotate off.

Slate of Candidates:

Sr. Warden: John Benson

Jr. Warden: Barb Saunders

Vestry (3 year term, serving through 2012)

Kelly Miller (2nd term)

Eric Blake

Barbara White

Janet Stewart

You will be asked to vote for three for vestry. The top three will be elected and the fourth will be an alternate for any vacancy that may occur.

Respectfully submitted:

Susan Benson

Jeff Lanning

Maria Jamiolkowski

Kelly Miller

Leigh Mantell

NOTES OF THANKS



Notes of Thanks

To the St. James Vestry,

Thank you so much for allowing us to use your kitchen and fellowship area to bake and decorate Christmas cookies.... We're trying to raise money to help pay our way to New York City in March.

Mrs. Judy Fowls and
ZHS Choir



Dear Congregation,

Zanesville has such a great heritage of historical churches and we thank you for taking the time to conduct the tour. Our group was intrigued by the history, stories, and uniqueness of each church. The group has shared many stories of the eight churches they visited and has asked for us to arrange tours of other churches.

Thank you,

Terry Dunn

Executive Director

Muskingum County Center for Seniors



St. James Church

Thank you for the lovely luncheon you served for family and friends after Charles Glidden's service.

Beatrice Glidden

ADULT FORUM

2/07/10

2/14/10 Transfiguration

2/21/10 Lent 1

2/28/10 Lent 2

**Lecture 17: The deeds of Jesus in their Apocalyptic context
discussion of lectures 13-17 (Jesus and the Apocalypse)**

Lecture 18: Still Other Words and Deeds of Jesus

Lecture 19: The controversies of Jesus

Parish Health Ministry Safe House : Keys to a Healthier Dwelling

Most people associate germs (bacteria, fungi, viruses) with outdoor or health care environments. But many germs that can cause infectious illnesses, such as upper respiratory infections, flu, the common cold, and food borne sicknesses are right in our homes and impact our daily lives.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:

- 10 million adults in the U.S. miss work annually due to health problems.
- Salmonella infections cause over one million illnesses annually.
- Infectious diseases cost the U.S. more than \$100 billion annually.
- More than 160,000 people in the U.S. die annually from an infectious disease.

For these reasons it is important to make home hygiene a natural part of your family's daily routine.

Wash Your Hands Often

Keeping your hands clean is the first line of defense against the spreading of germs and illnesses. Rubbing your hands to-



gether with soap and clean, warm water for 20 seconds works best. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based gel or wipe. You

should wash your hands:

- Before preparing or eating foods.
- After using the bathroom.
- After changing diapers.
- Before and after tending to the sick.
- After blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- After handling animal or pet waste.
- After handling garbage.
- Before and after treating a cut or wound.

Clean and Disinfect Surfaces Regularly

Cleaning with soap and water removes germs from surfaces. A disinfectant actually destroys germs. A clean-looking surface may still have germs that can cause infectious diseases. To protect your family from germs in the kitchen:

- Clean and disinfect before, during, and after food preparation.
- Follow all directions on product labels.
- Use paper towels or other disposable cloths, or cloth towels you can launder.

To banish bathroom germs:

- Routinely clean and disinfect all surfaces (especially if someone is ill).
- A solution of chlorine bleach (one tablespoon of bleach to four cups of water) works well and should be discarded daily.

Handle and Prepare Food Safely

To protect against food borne bacteria:

- Clean hands and surfaces often.
- Separate meat, poultry, seafood, and eggs from the other foods in your grocery cart, bags, and in your refrigerator.
- Use one cutting board for fresh produce and another for raw

meat, poultry, and seafood.

Vacuum Once or Twice Weekly

Controlling the home environment is an important part of asthma and allergy care.

When you have allergic symptoms or asthma, you are sensitive to the allergens that can activate symptoms.

These triggers include particles carried in the air and can set off a reaction in your lungs and other parts of your body. They can include:

- Cold air.
- Tobacco smoke and wood smoke.
- Perfume, paint, hairspray or any strong odors or fumes.
- Dust mites, pollen, molds, pollution, and animal dander.
- Common cold, influenza, and other respiratory illnesses.

Carpeting is a haven for bacteria and dust mites, but furniture and beds are actually the most concentrated source of dust mites. Because of this, any home allergy-proofing regimen should start with encasing your mattresses and pillows, and regular vacuuming can help to remove dust mites. People with allergies should use a vacuum with a HEPA filter or a double bag, since the standard vacuum cleaner stirs dust into the air. Allergic individuals should wear dust masks if vacuuming. Regular vacuuming keeps allergens to a minimum.

Courtesy of Paula Jackson/ReadySetGrow.



Vestry Notes:

December 16, 2009

Attending: Rev'd Kathryn Clausen, Deacon Robert Howell, Rev'd Robert Willmann, Eleanor Bailey, Carol Cavinee, Sherry Gillespie, Mark Haven, Leigh Mantell, Rick Meyer, Kelly Miller, Paul Reichardt, Barbara Saunders, Maria Willmann.
Absent: John Benson

- Junior Warden Barbara Saunders reported that the water heater that supplies the bathrooms had a major leak and must be replaced. Vestry approved up to \$500 to be spent to replace the water heater.
- Rev'd Clausen said that a small organ has been donated for the chapel by Jeff Lanning. The keyboard that is not used will be donated to Trinity, Newark.
- Rev'd Clausen reported that she and Rev'd Willmann will celebrate Christmas Eve services at both Trinity, Newark and St. James.
- January 17 will be the 2010 Annual Meeting. Committee chairs were reminded that their reports will be due before hand to be included in the report book.
- A combined vestry retreat is planned for the vestries of St. James and Trinity on January 23. The location has yet to be set.
- Treasurer Rick Meyer reported that we are still operating within budget for the year. The 2010 Budget was presented. Rick reminded Vestry that the financial goal is to move away from depending on the Endowment income for support of the parish.
- Carol Cavinee reported that the Outreach Committee was able to help five families for Christmas. The December Second Basket offering is designated for the Friendship Dinner.
- Leigh Mantell reported that the Pastoral Care Committee hosted a Comfort Meal for the family of Prior Aelred Glidden after the funeral of his father.
- Sherry Gillespie said that the next ECW meeting will be Tuesday, January 12 at 7 pm. The main topic of discussion will be Shrove Tuesday dinner which will be held on February . Tickets will again be \$6 in advance and \$7 at the door. Later in the year the ECW will have a food drive to help restock the shelves for the Friendship Dinner.

Funny New Year Quotes

Laugh Your Way Into the New Year

With These Funny New Year Quotes

The New Year may be a significant event for many people. But the absurdities of the celebration cannot escape a skeptic's mind. Here are some funny New Year quotes. What better way to start a New Year than with a hearty laugh? You can share your joy by greeting everybody with these funny New Year quotes.

Brooks Atkinson

Drop the last year into the silent limbo of the past. Let it go, for it was imperfect, and thank God that it can go.

Bill Vaughan

Youth is when you're allowed to stay up late on New Year's Eve. Middle age is when you're forced to.

Jay Leno

Now there are more overweight people in America than average-weight people. So overweight people are now average...

which means, you have met your New Year's resolution.

James Agate

New Year's Resolution: To tolerate fools more gladly, provided this does not encourage them to take up more of my time.

Eric Zorn

Making resolutions is a cleansing ritual of self assessment and repentance that demands personal honesty and, ultimately, reinforces humility. Breaking them is part of the cycle.

Bill Vaughan

An optimist stays up until midnight to see the New Year in. A pessimist stays up to make sure the old year leaves.

Charles Lamb

New Year's Day is every man's birthday.

Oprah Winfrey

Cheers to a New Year and another chance for us to get it right.

Anonymous

Many people look forward to the New Year for a new start on old habits.

Joey Adams

May all your troubles last as long as your New Year's resolutions!

Oscar Wilde

Good resolutions are simply checks that men draw on a bank where they have no account.

Robert Paul

I'm a little bit older, a little bit wiser, a little bit rounder, but still none the wiser.

Anonymous

A New Year's resolution is something that goes in one Year and out the other.

from about.com

ST. JAMES' PARISH FAMILY



For These We Pray

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

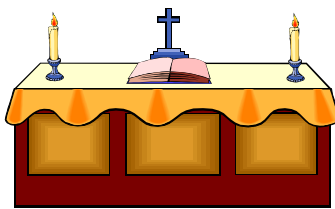


Christopher Benson	Jared Pickrell	Jamie Preston
Aaron Manning	DJ Williamson	Tristan Pursley
Rob Huntsman	Cris Morrison	Matthew Archer
	Josh Howard	

Come now reviving Spirit of our God. Breathe your healing strength upon all those who turn to you. Renew and bless them.



Janet Schneider	Patty McCloud	Barbara & Royal Campbell
Robert, Lee, & Sharon Donoho	Vonda Stricker	Harlan Barnes
Mary St. John	Roberta Sines	Candace Dailey
Kathy Brantley	Maxine Sherman	Terry Zahn
David Haines	Julie Biles	Joan Barker
Fred Graff	Martha Snyder	Paul Reichardt
John Martin	Becky Yinger	
Phyllis Kane	Jane Price	
Elliott Robinson	Rita Church	
Patrick Matheney	Gladys Barnes	
Tina Straker	Eric Woodrome	
Fr. Ronald Robertson	Jud Ellertson	
Bill McDonald	Dee Milian	
Becky Cooper	Megan Troupe	
Deborah Patterson		



ALTAR FLOWERS

You may call the church office to reserve dates or sign the sheet in the Undercroft. When you call, please indicate which date(s) you would like to reserve and what you would like listed in the bulletin. You will then be billed \$35.00 for each Sunday that you reserve. Imlay Florist, Inc. is the exclusive provider of St. James' altar flowers.

If you don't want to reserve a date for altar flowers you may simply make a monetary donation (of any amount) to the St. James Flower Fund.



Baptisms

The People of St. James welcomes to the family of Christ and St. James Church Richard Allen Bogard, Adrianna Sue Robinson, and Jaxon Lee Preston who were baptized on December 24, 2009.



O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants. as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom

and grace, and strengthen them trust in your goodness all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

January Birthdays

2	Greg Sites
5	Karlie Sites
7	Gladys Farrell
13	Dan Beebe
	Andy Linn
14	Bill Brown
15	Evelyn Bennett
16	George M. McCloud
17	Ella Maria Willmann
21	Elizabeth Ellen Dickerson
25	Wyatt Ray Gillespie
	Aaron Staley
	Neala Young
	Kendyl Jo Young
26	Charles Stewart
30	Becca Abele
31	Emily Linn

FLOWER CHART

JANUARY 2010

3	_____
10	<u>Bennett boys (in memory of their mother)</u>
17	_____
24	<u>C. Cavinee</u>
29	_____

FEBRUARY 2010

7	<u>Denhart Family</u>
14	<u>M. Linn</u>
21	<u>Lent begins (no flowers)</u>
28	<u>(no flowers)</u>

MARCH 2010

7	<u>No Flowers</u>
14	<u>No Flowers</u>
21	<u>No Flowers</u>
28	<u>Palm Sunday</u>

The chart for 2010 is posted in the Undercroft.

Refrigerator Page

	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1 NEW YEAR'S DAY Office Closed	2
	3	4	5	6 5:30 PM Holy Eucharist with Laying on of Hands and Anointing for Healing	7	8	9
	10 11:30 AM Outreach Committee Meeting	11	12 7 PM Women of the Church Meeting	13 5:30 PM Holy Eucharist with Laying on of Hands and Anointing for Healing	14	15 Articles due for the Lantern	16
	17 ANNUAL PARISH MEETING	18	19	20 5:30 PM Holy Eucharist with Laying on of Hands and Anointing for Healing 7 PM Vestry Meeting	21	22	23
	24	25	26	27 5:30 PM Holy Eucharist with Laying on of Hands and Anointing for Healing	28	29	30 5:15 - 6 PM Friendship Dinner
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JANUARY 2010

February 16 -- Shrove Tuesday



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