

From Fr. Bill+

Beginning this Sunday, October 1st, you will notice something a little different in the church. Chuck Henry has commissioned John and Jay Leake to construct a free-standing altar in loving memory of his wife, June. It will first be used on Sunday, October 15th, the first anniversary of June's death. The following week, +Bishop Charles Duvall will consecrate it during his annual visitation to the parish.



The altar is made from a single piece of walnut, with inlay crosses of maple. It will be placed in the chancel divide between the choir stalls. This beautiful addition will give us an opportunity to experience celebrations of the Eucharist where the priest and people can face one another as a single community of the faithful. Our traditional "east-facing" altar will continue to serve as our principle altar for most Sundays.

Free-standing altars have become the norm in most liturgical churches following Vatican II, when such placement was openly encouraged. From a theological perspective, the faithful are more conscious of their unity with the celebrating priest, when they see his/her face instead of his/her back. The unity of Christ, among people and priest facing one another, is more clearly expressed than when the priest's back is to the faithful.

I pray that each of us will embrace this new liturgical addition as a way of expanding our understanding of the many ways God seeks to come and reside among God's people. May its use also remind us of the life and witness of June, who continues to go from strength to strength in the life of God's eternal kingdom.

Blessings!



TAIZÉ SERVICE

October 3rd — There will be a Taizé service at 6pm followed by a light supper and a speaker.

We will have a Taizé service the **FIRST TUESDAY** of each month (Next Taizé service will be on November 7th)

A **sign-up sheet** will be available in the parish hall, so we can prepare enough food for everyone.

BLESSING OF THE PETS

In honor of St. Francis of Assisi

Wednesday October 4th at 5:30pm

Bring your pets to the church for a short service followed by pizza supper outside and admiration of each others pets.



We can share Communion with you even if you can't get to church



If you or someone you love is ill or unable to attend church, we have Lay Eucharistic Visitors who can bring Communion to them. This is a servant ministry of our church and those who are involved would be pleased to come to you.

Please call the Church Office at 803-684-4021 or talk to Father Bill, 803-818-8257.

The Bishop is Coming! The Bishop is Coming!

On October 22nd The Rt. Rev. Charles Duvall will come to Good Shepherd to conduct the annual visitation. At that time he will bless our new altar and confirm those who have asked to be confirmed.

There will only be ONE service at 11am on the 22nd.

SPECIAL BISHOP'S BREAKFAST

In honor of Bishop Duvall's visit we will have a covered dish breakfast rather than the Biscuit Breakfast beginning at 9:30am. Everyone is asked to bring their favorite breakfast/brunch casserole to share. The church will provide juices and coffee.

This will be in lieu of the 5th Sunday meal which would have occurred on the 29th.

GOOD SHEPHERD SUPPER CLUB

Hooray! Our Church Supper Club is back! The Supper Club is a great way to get to know each other better and enjoy a great meal. **Our first Supper Club event will be December 2nd.**

Supper Club works like this. Everyone who is interested in attending will sign up on the sheet in the Parish Hall. The sign up sheet will remain in place through Sunday October 15th. Those who are interested in being a host will check the 'Host?' column. Those who will need a ride will check the 'Ride?' Column. The number of hosts needed will depend on the number of people who sign up.

After we gather up all the names, hosts and attendees will be matched. Each host will have about 6-8 people attending her dinner. The host will contact the guests assigned to their home and co-ordinate who will bring what dinner item. The host may provide the main dish or ask others to bring it along with side dish, salad, dessert, appetizers or beverages.

Now, you just need to take the first step! Sign up in the Parish Hall! Then mark your calendars for December 2nd. It will be a great night of fun!

Best wishes,
Libby Bradford



ART, BLUE 'n QUE

Mark your calendars now!!!!
Saturday November 4th

The Church of the Good Shepherd
 108 E. Liberty Street, York SC

Art by Western York County Artists
 BBQ by the plate or pound
 Eat in or carry out
 Hopefully live music

Plate: \$10 Take Out: \$x/lb

BAPTISM AT GOOD SHEPHERD

If you or a family member wishes to be baptized,
 please contact Father Bill at:

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Email: thegoodshepherd@comporium.net or call
 684-4021.

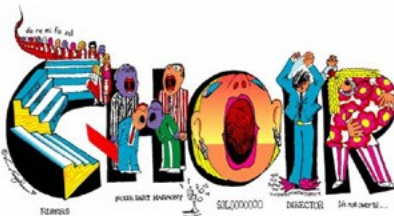


JOIN THE CHOIR!

Singing is one of the great joys of life. We express our deepest wonders and bring our faith to life in song. Choir provides an outlet for creative expression, a way to be faithful and to encourage others in their own faith.

Choir rehearsals resume Wednesday, September 6 at 7:30 in the choir room. There is always room for one more in the choir.

Steven Aycock, Choir Director



Dearly beloved church family and friends,

Cardiovascular disease is the **leading cause of death** for both men and women in the U.S. It is important to learn about your heart to help prevent heart disease. And, if you have heart disease, you can live a healthier, more active life by learning about your disease and treatments and by becoming an active participant in your care.

Symptoms:

- You may feel pain, pressure, or discomfort in your chest. You could be short of breath, sweat, faint, or feel sick to your stomach. Your neck, jaw, or shoulders might hurt. My brother, Stuart, felt that a balloon had been blown up in his throat and upper chest and experienced tightness and pressure.
- Men and women can have different symptoms. Men are more likely to break out in a cold sweat and to feel pain move down their left arm.
- Women are more likely than men to have back or neck pain, heartburn, and shortness of breath. They tend to have stomach trouble, including an upset stomach, feeling queasy, and throwing up. They may also feel very tired, light-headed, or dizzy. A couple of weeks before a heart attack, a woman might have flu-like symptoms and sleep problems.
- About 435,000 women have heart attacks in the U.S. each year. Symptoms can be so mild they're often dismissed as something minor.

What to Do

- If you or someone you're with has symptoms that might be a heart attack, call 911 right away. If it is, you're more likely to survive if you get treated within 90 minutes. While you're on the phone, the person should chew and swallow an aspirin (unless they're allergic) to lower the risk of a blood clot.
- Your odds of having a heart attack go up with age, and men are more likely to have one than women. A family history of heart disease also increases your risk. Smoking raises your chances of a heart attack. So does having high blood pressure, high cholesterol levels, diabetes, and being obese. Stress, a lack of exercise, and depression can, too.

Ways to prevent a heart attack

- Move it. Your heart's a muscle and needs some type of exercise every day.
- Quit it. If you smoke, stop. Almost immediately, your heart and lungs won't have to work as hard.
- Lose it. If you're overweight, the extra weight has got to go. Eat more vegetables and stay away from foods high in sugar or saturated fat.
- Take it. Your doctor may have prescribed a daily aspirin or other medicine. Don't miss a dose and have regular check ups.
- Keep peaceful by spending time w/God and meditating on God's word each day.

Who wants to get recertified or learn CPR with me?!!!

Much love, Lilly Duncan RN

Information obtained from Web.MD, the Word of God, and handouts Stuart received on discharge from Piedmont- (They gave excellent care, by the way.)

OCTOBER**Birthdays**

10/1	John Shiflet
10/10	Barbara Wilson
10/13	Sylvia Noble
10/13	Bruce Baltz
10/15	Bob Noble
10/16	Gail Carter
10/22	Jack Ferguson
10/24	Anne Cooper
10/31	Bob Ballard
10/31	Shay Wilkerson

Anniversaries

10/30/2010 Lilly & Kevin Duncan

(If your birthday or anniversary is not listed, call or email the parish office with the information.)

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MEETING SCHEDULE FOR GOOD SHEPHERD

ECW

The ECW meets as called on Tuesdays at 5:30pm in the Conference Room.

Second Sunday: Finance Committee

The Committee will meet on the 2nd Sunday of each month at Noon in the Conference Room, unless otherwise notified.

Third Sunday: Building & Grounds Committee

The Committee will meet on the 3rd Sunday of the month, when called.

Fourth Sunday: Vestry Meeting

The Vestry's new meeting times are on the 4th Sunday of each month at Noon in the Conference Room, unless otherwise notified.

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ALTAR GUILD FOR OCTOBER:

Team #2: D. Hanlon, L. Knight, D. Linkous

PENTECOST 17 10/1**8:30am** LEM John Duda**9:30-10:30 BISCUIT BREAKFAST**
Host: Wendy Beers**11:00am** LEM Henry McMaster
Acolytes: Heidi & April Weinzierl
Lector for Lessons & POP: John Shiflet
Ushers: Debbie & John Shiflet
Greeter: Beatrice w/John
Nursery: Sara Whitehead & Renae Waters
Alms: John Duda & Barbara Wilson
Vestry Person: Mickey Peake**PENTECOST 18 10/8****8:30am** LEM Randy Neff**9:30-10:30 BISCUIT BREAKFAST**
Host: Scott & Thressa Elam**11:00am** LEM Ron Carter
Acolytes: NA
Lector for Lessons & POP: Michael Weinzierl
Ushers: Glenn Gilbert & John McNeely
Greeter: Beatrice w/Glenn
Nursery: Sara Whitehead & Libby Bradford
Alms: Libby Bradford & Glenn Gilbert
Vestry Person: Kelly Tiblier**PENTECOST 19 10/15****8:30am** LEM John Ness**9:30-10:30 BISCUIT BREAKFAST**
Host: Phyllis & Jim Knubel**11:00am** LEM Barbara Wilson
Acolytes: NA
Lector for Lessons & POP: Selena Woodard
Ushers: Henry McMaster & John McNeely
Nursery: Sara Whitehead & Susan Mason
Alms: Henry McMaster & John McNeely
Vestry Person: Michael Weinzierl**PENTECOST 20 10/22 ONE SERVICE****9:30-10:30 SPECIAL EVENT**
BISHOP'S BREAKFAST**11:00am** LEM Randy Neff
Acolytes: Quaid, Aydan & McKenna Lawler
Lector for Lessons & POP: Ron Carter
Ushers: Gail & Ron Carter
Greeter: Beatrice w/Ron
Nursery: Sara Whitehead &
Alms: Libby Bradford & Glenn Gilbert
Vestry Person: Meade Wilson**PENTECOST 21 10/29****8:30am** LEM Randy Neff**9:30-10:30 BISCUIT BREAKFAST**
Host: Joyce Sanders**11:00am** LEM Glenn Gilbert
Acolytes: Clara Whitehead & Heidi Weinzierl
Lector for Lessons & POP: John Earls
Ushers: Bob Ballard & Michael Weinzierl
Greeter: Beatrice w/Michael
Nursery: Sara Whitehead & Maxi Shiflet
Alms: Ron Carter & Jim Knubel
Vestry Person: Libby Bradford**NOTES FOR LECTORS:****Remember that we have returned to the old practice of having one person read the lessons and the Prayers of the People each Sunday.****NA VOLUNTEERS****10/2 JOHN DUDA****10/9****10/16 MEADE WILSON****10/23 RANDY NEFF****10/30**