



Fall 2019

Dear Brothers and Sisters at St. David's Bean Blossom,

My first two months with you have been a little bit of a whirlwind. I am enjoying getting to know all of you as individuals and as a church community. One thing I have admired about the St. David's community is that it is very hospitable to all who walk in the door. This is a quality I hope you keep forever! It is also evident how you all care for one another. Although I have been with you only a short time there have already been three deaths and one memorial. You truly have shown your willingness to be present in good times and hard times.

I have heard from several people that it may be time to start working on funeral arrangements for yourself and your spouse/significant other. It is a good idea to do this before the need becomes apparent. There are many reasons for this but here are the top few:

- You will make your wishes known.
- It's good to communicate your wishes in healthcare, funeral arrangements and possessions to your loved ones so that they know what to do.
- Your family will be grieving after you're gone and not thinking rationally.
- You probably have an idea of where you want to be buried, where you would like your funeral service to be held and what scripture and music you want, but unless you put it in writing the details may be forgotten.

You can schedule a time to put your funeral arrangements in writing with me by calling the church office and leaving a message including email and phone. I don't want to sound grim, but the truth is that our lives are in a constant cycle of death and resurrection. I see a lot of life and energy at St. David's. I am usually in the building on Wednesdays if you would like to make an appointment or drop in. We do Evening Prayer at 5pm.

I am looking forward to our life together in the months and years ahead.

Mother Mary Bargiel



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Farmer's Market News

The seventh season hosting the Bean Blossom Farmers Market is coming to a close. This year our market opened Memorial Day Weekend and will close August 30, Labor Day Weekend -- every Friday from 4-7 pm. Each week the St. David's parking lot was filled with colorful canopies of vendors selling a variety of locally grown vegetables, fruits, garden and houseplants, homemade breads, pies, jams and jellies, and locally raised grass fed beef and pork. Sandy Higgins provided wonderful leadership as market manager for them and our artisan vendors who added a great interest to the market with handmade rugs, goat milk soaps, jewelry, crocheted bags and belts, hand painted hummingbird swings and wind chimes, decorated planters and fairy garden décor, and wall hangings and wool from angora sheep and rabbits.

Musicians from the BETA teens, the Porch Rockers, Roger Grissette, Cacalta, Nate Tipton, and Lou Stant entertained market goers and diners. Sadly, we lost Don Ford, who had been with us playing and singing at the market since the beginning and served on the Advisory Board recruiting musicians.

The Bean Blossom Farmers Market Café served in the Gathering Place by volunteer chefs again received rave reviews for the varied menus. Thanks to: Kyle Dahncke, Ben Smith, Joan Amati, Dona Glentzer and Fran Dugan, Darlene McDonald, Verne and Phyllis Sindlinger, and Kara Hammes, Purdue Extension nutritionist who prepared our vendor's products on the grill. Thanks to the chefs and Joan Amati and Sandy Ackerman who also served as the café set up and clean-up. Barb Hamm, Waycross Food Service Coordinator will prepare the Ham, Beans, and Cornbread dinner for our closing day on August 30th.

The Outreach community service booth was filled each week with not-for-profit groups to share their programs, services, and projects with the community to increase public awareness of local opportunities and services in our community. The SNAP tokens were available at the outreach booth for customers and vendor redemption.

Throughout the season, the Bean Blossom Farmers Market promoted protecting, renewing, and becoming more "environmentally friendly" by recycling, reusing, and using less plastic. From our efforts of collecting plastic lids, we hope to have a park bench made for the Children's Garden. Children's Day and Earth Day and demonstrations made shopping bags from old t-shirts, made strawberry freezer jam, collected recipes from vendors and a Bean Blossom Farmers Market recipe book which is now selling at the market.

Evaluations for this season will be distributed to vendors, customers, and parishioners. Please fill-out as we evaluate and plan for next season.

It's been a wonderful market season, thanks to all of our St. David's volunteers. This ministry could not succeed so well without your hours of service and donations. You are a blessing! Thank you.

Donna Niednagel, chair
Bean Blossom Farmers Market
Advisory Board

Save Your Coins

The UTO Ingathering will occur in late October or early November. Start saving now! Jane Savage is coordinating and will have the blue boxes and further information in the few weeks.



Music Notes *from Adrienne Shipley*

The biggest change that we've all experienced in this past season is the wonderful beginning to our new relationship with our new priest, Mother Mary. She and I have begun working together to pick out the weekly music in collaboration with one another. It is lovely to work with her and to have another person to work with in selecting the weekly music. We have decided to change the service music for the fall, so you will be noticing that change coming up this Sunday.

Our new service music is by composer David Hurd. David Hurd was born in 1950 and is a composer, concert organist, choral director and educator. Dr. Hurd was Professor of Sacred Music and Director of Chapel Music at the General Theological Seminary, Chelsea, New York City, for 28 years. He was also the Music Director at the Church of the Holy Apostles, also in Chelsea, until May 2013. He is presently the Director of Music at the Church of Saint Mary the Virgin in Times Square, New York City. Hurd has held several church staff positions, including Assistant Organist, Trinity Church, and Director of Music at the Church of the Intercession and All Saints' Church, both in Manhattan. His Intercession Mass setting is used by many congregations across the United States. With over 100 choral and organ works in print, his compositions have appeared in numerous recordings in both the United States and England. In 2014, Hurd completed a commissioned anthem for St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church, Atlanta, based on Psalm 100 in a modern, gender-neutral translation. Hurd's sacred compositions can be found in many hymnals, including the Episcopal Hymnal, 1982.

The St. David's Choir has continued to sing weekly over the summer, despite our sometimes small numbers. I want to thank everyone who is singing in the choir for their time and hard work every week. We can always use more singers! If you are interested in singing in the choir, please contact Adrienne at 906 370-0790 or adrienne_shipley@yahoo.com or arshiple@indiana.edu. The choir rehearses every Sunday at 8:30 before the service.

Bean Blossom Music Series

John Urban Concert—September 6 at 7 pm

John Urban will be returning from NYC to play a concert at St. David's on Friday, September 6th at 7pm. The concert will feature works of Beethoven in anticipation of the 250th anniversary of his birth in 2020. He will also play a piece by Franz Schubert (who was a pallbearer at Beethoven's funeral). The concert is free but donations are encouraged. There will be a meet-the-artist reception following the concert.



John Urban has shared music throughout the United States and beyond as a soloist, collaborator, composer and teacher. He has performed at such venues as Symphony Hall (Chicago), Lyceum (Alexandria, MD), and the Times-Union Center for Performing Arts (Jacksonville, FL). He has composed music for professional theater as well as children's theater. He has studied in Paris with Livia Rev, at the Aspen Music Festival and School with Gabriel Chodos and Karen Shaw at Indiana University.

For more information contact Anne Hawk anne.hawk2@gmail.com

Giving to BETA (Brown County Enrichment for Teens Association)

Last school year the Brown County Community Foundation gave \$3800 to the After School Arts project of BETA to provide group music lessons (guitar, violin, keyboard and rock band) for students in grades 5-12. The St. David's outreach committee gave \$500 and another \$500 was raised from two other sources. This allowed BETA to pay teachers \$50/hour for 24 weeks of lessons at no cost to the students.

This year the Community Foundation gave a \$1900 matching grant to provide after-school music lessons. This means that they will pay one dollar to BETA for every dollar BETA raises for music lessons. However, the matching grant stipulates that the money must come from individuals and not from other not-for-profit organizations. Therefore it would be better for BETA...twice as powerful...if individuals donated to this cause. If you would like to contribute you can send a check directly to BETA at PO Box 1194, Nashville, IN 47448. . In the memo line write "After School Music".

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Inspiration

I Wish You Enough!

Recently I overheard a Father and daughter in their last moments together at the airport. They had announced the departure.

Standing near the security gate, they hugged and the Father said, 'I love you, and I wish you enough.'

The daughter replied, 'Dad, our life together has been more than enough. Your love is all I ever needed. I wish you enough, too, Dad.'

They kissed and the daughter left. The Father walked over to the window where I was seated. Standing there I could see he wanted and needed to cry. I tried not to intrude on his privacy, but he welcomed me in by asking, 'Did you ever say good-bye to someone knowing it would be forever?'

'Yes, I have,' I replied. 'Forgive me for asking, but why is this a forever good-bye?'

'I am old, and she lives so far away. I have challenges ahead and the reality is - the next trip back will be for my funeral,' he said.

'When you were saying good-bye, I heard you say, 'I wish you enough.' May I ask what that means?'

He began to smile. 'That's a wish that has been handed down from other generations. My parents used to say it to everyone...' He paused a moment and looked up as if trying to remember it in detail, and he smiled even more. 'When we said, 'I wish you enough,' we were wanting the other person to have a life filled with just enough good things to sustain them.' Then turning toward me, he shared the following as if he were reciting it from memory.

I wish you enough sun to keep your attitude bright no matter how grey the day may appear.

I wish you enough rain to appreciate the sun even more. I wish you enough happiness to keep your spirit alive and everlasting.

I wish you enough pain so that even the smallest of joys in life may appear bigger.

I wish you enough gain to satisfy your wanting. I wish you enough loss to appreciate all that you possess.

I wish you enough hellos to get you through the final good-bye.

He then began to cry and walked away.

This was sent to me by Joe Ridenour in July 2014. Seems appropriate now. A last wish from my friend Joe, Jane Herr, ed.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

SEPTEMBER

3 Ralph Linscott
 7 Ed McCabe
 11 Ben Herr
 13 Margie Hill
 13 Juniper McCabe (Ed & Cori's dau)
 16 Jan Benham
 24 Louis and Laura Wenzler
 27 Eric Cole

OCTOBER

4 Marylin Day
 7 Bob Olinger
 10 Marge Steiner
 11 Jim Drum
 11 Wesley Smith (Adie & Ben's son)
 15 Tracey Simmons
 18 Adi & Ben Smith - Anniversary
 24 Joe Miller (Joan Amati's husband)
 25 Gene Niednagel
 26 Jonathan Hutchison
 26 Laura Wenzler
 26 Yvonne Olinger

NOVEMBER

8 Rich & Eli Rodriguez Hill -Anniversary
 9 Joan Amati
 9 Tim & Laurie Stant - Anniversary
 11 David Sindlinger
 12 Jan Holloway
 12 Jane Herr
 13 Andrea Barber
 20 Ralph & Maggie Linscott -Anniversary
 23 Rich Hill
 28 Carol Ruffin
 29 Roberta White
 30 Pat Bolinger

DECEMBER

1 Erin Fleser
 3 Mark Rainey
 9 Quinn Cole (Bess & Eric's son)
 12 Donna Niednagel
 27 Jim & Jan Drum -Anniversary
 28 Phyllis Sindlinger
 29 Deborah Hutchison

Don't see your birthday or anniversary - drop me a line at jane@rjherr.com

News from our friends in the west:

Judy has been told by her oncologist that she is free of any cancerous cells as of now. Her doctor wants to wait three years before they declare her completely free of any cancer. We do attend our Episcopal church each Sunday and miss our close friends at St. David's.

Ray and Judy Laffin

Newsletter Submissions?

Please send your news items, stories of spiritual growth, book reviews, jokes, cartoons, recipes, etc. to Jane Herr (812)320-2340 or 4923 Stevens Rd., Nashville, 47448 or (the preferred method!): jane@rjherr.com

Next deadline for submissions:
 Advent: November 17, 2019

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SERVICES

Sunday 9:30 AM Holy Communion

Wednesday 5:00 PM Evening Prayer

Schedule of Special Services and Parish Events

Sunday	Aug 25	St. D. leads worship at BCH&L	2 pm	BCH&L
Friday	Aug. 30	Last Farmer's Market	4-7 pm	St. David's
Friday	Sept. 6	Biker's Breakfast	9 am—noon	St. David's
Friday	Sept. 6	Bean Blossom Music Series <i>(John Urban concert)</i>	7 pm	St. David's
Saturday	Sept. 7	Blessing of the Bikes	9:30 am	Bill Monroe Campground
Friday	Sept. 7	Euchre		
Wednesday	Sept. 11	Pub Theology	6 pm	Hard Truth Hills
Thursday	Sept. 26	Blessing of the Animals	2:30 pm	St. David's
Friday	Oct. 4	Euchre		
Sunday	Oct. 6	Mother Mary's Installation	4 pm	St. David's
Wednesday	Oct. 9	Pub Theology	6 pm	Hard Truth Hills
Friday	Nov. 1	Euchre		
Sunday	Nov. 17	Advent newsletter deadline		
Sunday	Dec. 1	First Sunday in Advent		