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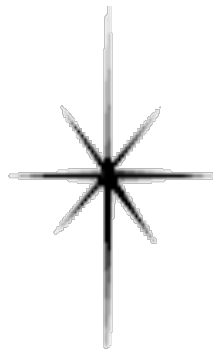


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## Good Shepherd E-News (11 January 2018)

The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd in Athens, Ohio--seeking to know and serve Christ in loving service to the campus, the community, and the world.

## This Sunday: 14 January 2018



Rite II-A

### Second Sunday after the Epiphany

**8:00 a.m.**

Holy Eucharist  
Rite I

**10:30 a.m.**

Holy Eucharist

## Upcoming Church Events

Prayer Shawl - Tuesday, January 9,  
home of Jude Pizzolato

Free Lunch - Wednesday, January 10, noon

Second Sunday Brunch - Sunday, January 14, noon

Free Lunch - Wednesday, January 17, noon

Vestry - Thursday, January 18, 7:00 p.m., Hobson

Prayer Shawl - Tuesday, January 23,  
home of Stephanie Goldsberry

Free Lunch - Wednesday, January 24, noon

Free Lunch - Wednesday, January 31, noon

Annual Meeting - Sunday, February 18,  
following 10:30 a.m. service

From our friends  
in St. Luke's  
Episcopal Church  
in Mérida,  
Mexico.

"José's Weekly  
Reflection"

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## Vestry Meeting Reminder



There will be a vestry meeting next week, Thursday, January 18th, at 7:00 p.m. in Hobson. This is an important one.

With safe travels our folks made it to our sister church, St. Luke's in Merida. Check out [St. Luke's Facebook Page](#).

See Below for photos.



## Participants scheduled for

This Sunday, Jan 14 2018 - Second Sunday after the Epiphany

**Altar Guild:** Zelma Coleman and Sharon Huges

**Altar Flowers:**

**Second Sunday Brunch** set up - Martin family

**8:00 a.m. Service:** Holy Eucharist Rite I

**Celebrant:** The Rev. David McCoy

**Lector:** Joanne Larson

**Prayer Leader:** Earl Stump

**10:30 a.m. Service:** Holy Eucharist Rite II-A

**Celebrant:** The Rev. Deborah Woolsey

**Lector:** Richard Carlson

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dana Carlson and Jack Flemming

**Ushers:** Norm Fox and Lynn Graham

**First Crucifer:** Peter Buckley

**Second Crucifer:** Owen Buckley

**Lessons:** for Epiphany 2 - I Samuel 3: 1-10, (11-20); Psalm 139: 1-5, 12-17; (sung); I Corinthians 6: 12-20; John 1: 43-51. <http://www.lectionarypage.net/>

# Please Include in Your Prayers

**In our world**, we pray for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, and for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; we pray for peace with justice throughout the Middle East. We pray for all people affected by natural and environmental disasters. We pray also for the people who are suffering from war, especially all refugees. We pray for Donald, our president, and John, our Governor, the Supreme Court, and the members of Congress.

**In our diocese**, we pray for Thomas, our Diocesan Bishop, and Nedi, our Assisting Bishop. We pray also for St. Timothy's, Anderson Township; St. Alban's, Bexley; and St. Paul's, Chillicothe.

**In our parish**, we pray for Good Shepherd's continued growth, for our Priest-in-Charge, the Rev. Deborah Woolsey, for our Associate Priests, the Rev. Leslie Flemming, the Rev. Katharin Foster, and the Rev. David McCoy, and for our ministry to students, the university, and the community. We pray for our friends at St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Mérida, Mexico.

**Those for whom our Prayers are Requested:** Ella and family, Kris, Kristi, Mary Lou, Weston, Paul, Jackie, Linda, Pam, Jill and family, Jane, Louise, Ann and Bill, Stephen, Mary, the D'Andrea family, Julie, Chris, Sally, Ted, Norm, Jan, Pat, Doris, Ann, Molly and Mateo, Ivan, Alejandro, Candace, Emma, Bob and Sharon, Bill, Ron, Clif, William, Ernst, Monya, Patricia, Julie, Paul, David, Holly, Robert, Holly, Robert, Don, the Sheets family, Bob and family, Ann, Elliot, John, Eleanor, Nancy, Laura, Consuelo and family, Arvin, Sandi, June, and we pray for all who care for them.

**Birthdays:** Geoff Buckley (1/14), Gregory Proctor (1/14), Hank Millhorn (1/15), Coira Cottrill (1/17)

**For the deceased:** Robert Redlich

## Gospel

## Second Sunday after the Epiphany

John 1:43-51



Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under

the fig tree before Philip called you." Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

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Choir Rehearsal - Wednesday, January 17, 7:00 p.m.

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Free Lunch - Wednesday, January 31, noon

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Ash Wednesday - Wednesday, February 14, 7:30 p.m.

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Jubilate 2018

**(Last Chance to Register)**

# Jubilate!

A Conference on Liturgy & Music

Saturday, January 20, 2018 \* 9:30 - 3:30 (doors open at 9)

Procter Conference Center \* 11235 OH-38, London, OH 43140

2018 Theme

Exodus & The Great Vigil of Easter



Jubilate is part of the Episcopal Diocese of Southern Ohio's EXODUS YEAR— a year-long radical commitment to immerse our common life in a common reading of Exodus. We welcome friends from other traditions to join us and journey with us! To learn more about the Exodus Year, see [dsobigread.org](http://dsobigread.org).

► Please REGISTER ONLINE at [dsojubilate.org](http://dsojubilate.org) Cost: \$10 (includes lunch)

► ECUMENICAL GUESTS WANTED! Join the conversation! ► Questions? Email [associate@stgeorgeohio.org](mailto:associate@stgeorgeohio.org) or [marcillyl@columus.rr.com](mailto:marcillyl@columus.rr.com)

► Topics include: The Exodus Narrative and the Celebration of Easter; Practical Suggestions for the Liturgies of Easter for both Large and Small Congregations; Workshops and Resources for clergy, musicians, and everyone who plans or participates in the Paschal Mystery of EASTER!

\*Plus: A roundtable with our speakers and Bishop Tom Breidenthal on the subject of changing worship patterns and prayer book revision.



Speakers include:

**Ellen Johnston, M.Mus.**

Director of the Center for Liturgy and Music at Virginia Theological Seminary, Alexandria, VA

**The Rt. Rev. J. Neil Alexander, Th.D., D.D.**

Dean of the School of Theology at the University of the South, Sewanee, TN  
Former Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta



Bishop Neil Alexander, dean of the seminary at Sewanee, TN, and Ellen Johnston from the [Center for Liturgy and Music at Virginia Seminary](http://www.vts.edu) will join us for an exciting day of exploring all aspects of the Easter Vigil - historical, theological and musical. Their biographies can be found at the Jubilate link below. I want to encourage members of Good Shepherd to support this exciting conference, which is the 3rd part of the Diocesan "Big Read." Cost is only \$10.00.

Registration is easy at [dsojubilate.org](http://dsojubilate.org).

## Wednesday Free-Lunch Report



On January 10, Group II fed 27 people 37 servings. The main dish was chili and/or vegetarian chili. Salad, fresh fruit, dessert, and beverages were also served.

The volunteers this week were Zelma Coleman, Anne Walker, Esther Hernandez, Helen Chila, and Betty Hollow.

Please remember the hungry in our community in your prayers. To become involved in one or more of the four lunch teams, please speak to Phyllis Dean, Zelma Coleman, Joanne Larson, or David Burton.

## Merida -- Upon Arrival



Merida -- sharing a meal



Made by Lois Wagner for St Luke's in Merida.



**Repeat Material Below**

## **Disaster Relief (via ERD)**



There are ways we can help those in the path of disaster. One way is to pray. Another is through Episcopal Relief and Development. ERD is one of the first relief organizations to arrive at locations hit by disaster and to stay to help with recovery. They have an excellent reputation for fund distribution and volunteer coordination.

Please visit their website, [episcopalrelief.org](http://episcopalrelief.org), to donate, volunteer, and learn more.



# Pastoral Care

Because of health care privacy laws, hospitals are no longer able to call your priest or parish when you are in the hospital. That means that if you want a visit from Mother Deborah or a Lay Eucharistic Visitor (a parish member who has some training) you need to call and ask for a visit. For emergencies please call Mother Deborah's cell phone 937-689-8895. If you would prefer prayers instead of a visit, just call and ask for prayers.



Mother Deborah's home phone is 740-249-4497, and her cell number is 937-689-8895, for emergencies.

Her personal email is the Rev. Deborah Woolsey <[revdebwoolsey@gmail.com](mailto:revdebwoolsey@gmail.com)>, and the email through the church is the Rev. Deborah Woolsey <[revdeborah@chogs.org](mailto:revdeborah@chogs.org)>.

Mother Deborah has found that people like to communicate in many ways, so she is reachable on Facebook (<http://facebook.com/deborah.woolsey.12>) and on Twitter (<http://twitter.com/DeborahWoolsey>), and you can check out her blog at (<http://www.revvedupwoolsey.com/>).

Also, here is the link to the Church of Good Shepherd's **Facebook** page: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Episcopal-Church-of-the-Good-Shepherd-45701/554345594588086?fref=ts>. Once you get on the page, just LIKE it if you are already a Facebook person. Otherwise you will need to create a Facebook account first.

And the Church of Good Shepherd's Twitter account: <https://twitter.com/CHOGSofAthens>.

## Contact Information

**For pastoral needs**, please contact The Rev. Deborah Woolsey at 740-249-4497 (H) or 937-689-8895 (C) or 740-593-6877 (church), or by e-mail at [revdebwoolsey@gmail.com](mailto:revdebwoolsey@gmail.com).

**To find out more about Good Shepherd and other matters**, please contact Allyn Reilly, Senior Warden, at 740-592-2596 or by e-mail at [reillya@ohio.edu](mailto:reillya@ohio.edu).

**For maintenance matters**, please leave a note at the office or contact Allyn Reilly,

Senior Warden, at 740-818-5476 or by e-mail at [reillya@ohio.edu](mailto:reillya@ohio.edu).

**For emergencies**, please call The Rev. Deborah Woolsey at 937-689-8895.

**NOTE: NON-emergency messages** can be left on the church answering machine (740-593-6877).

**Office Hours:**

10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday (closed Friday and Saturday).

The parish office administrator is Barbara Martin (740-593-6877

or [barbara@chogs.org](mailto:barbara@chogs.org)).

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