

Admission: \$15, Members: Free
215-947-2004 ~ www.cairnwood.org.

(Associate to the) Pastor's Box. - Rev. James "Jay" Barry

There are exciting developments going on in the far southwestern corner of Kenya where we now have three General Church ministers, each of whom serve wonderful congregations of East African New Church men, women and children. This is taking place in a large geographical area known as *Kisii*, a green, agricultural land consisting of small farms near Lake Victoria, united under a language by the same name.

I traveled there last month with a distinguished group of people, namely Bishop Brian Keith and Gretchen, Rev. Eric Carswell, who was visiting in the capacity of the Bishops Representative for Education, and "Professor Kay" Alden from Bryn Athyn College. My colleagues had important business to attend to: overseeing the developments of our New Church schools in that region, (including a theological school) and Bishop Brian ordained Nicks Marisa into the first degree of the priesthood. You will hear details about their exciting agenda in the months ahead from them directly. All of us managed to have a great time traveling together, despite the challenges of unpaved roads, little sleep, and demanding schedules.

I traveled to Kenya in a different capacity, namely as a board member of Loving Arms Mission (LAM), overseeing the care of 50 orphans in Rev. Khalid's congregation. They are being given a New Church education in the school he manages so well, and the material necessities they require thanks to LAM's generous donors.

As the only board member who has now seen both of our operations in Kenya and Nepal, I was interested in comparing and contrasting our efforts in both areas with an eye to ensuring our donors that their money was well spent. I was both happy with the state of things in Kenya, and also moved by the many challenges that they face, not least among them, the many orphans left in the wake of the AIDS pandemic in sub-Saharan Africa.

I was joined in Kenya, by three very inspiring and dedicated young people from New Church families: Adam Cole from Bryn Athyn, Angela Heldon and Callista Barritt both who hail from Australia. All three had come to help Rev. Khalid's orphans, and we quickly formed an effective team to look at how we can better serve them.

I was awed by the growth of the church there, and the quality of the Kenyan people. Everywhere, we were met with respect, interest, and kindness. It is humbling to recognize that the hearts and minds of those people are the soil in which the Lord will plant the New Church in East Africa for the generations to come. Thanks to cautious stewardship for many years, the growth of the New Church in East Africa is taking firm root. It is our job to lovingly nurture its certain growth.

JOIN US!

The Cairnwood Literary Guild is reading *The Age of Innocence* by Edith Wharton this summer. We will meet at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, August 24th at Cairnwood for discussion and treats.

At our August meeting we will also pick our next book. All are welcome to join us; it's not too late to read this summer! Please RSVP at 215-947-2004.

WITH GRATITUDE

Words cannot adequately express our deepest appreciation for the outpouring of love and support from friends, society members, and people we didn't previously even know, or from people far away during this sudden time of Jason passing into the spiritual world. This week has held many emotions and extremes. The degree of sadness and grief is at times unbearable. But because of your words, actions, support and love, we have also experienced deep love, beauty, humor, and even lightness. The Lord has blessed us with this community and we feel as one of our sons captured so well in his poem this week.

"There is heaven here, where we are...Suffer not...

Do not believe the nightmares, they have no power.

The only living thing is love, and love is with us always."

With appreciation and love, The Schnarr Family

BACT PICNIC MEETING

Current and future members of Bryn Athyn Community Theater (BAct) are invited to our "picnic meeting," to be held Sunday, August 15th at the Bryn Athyn Swim Club. Bring your own food, and come for a swim starting at 5:00 pm. Dining begins whenever you like - maybe 6-ish? The one-hour meeting will start at 7:00 pm. Come and hear about the organization, including plans for our two shows in the 2010-2011 season. Please call 215-938-1111 to tell us you are attending - how many people, and whether or not you are already a member of the BA Swim Club (this will affect the rental fee we pay). If you haven't joined up yet, bring \$10 annual dues. In case of bad weather, the picnic is canceled and the meeting will be in Borough Hall (behind the firehouse) at 7:00 pm.

Scott Cooper, President

LUNCH OR DINNERS FOR THE SCHNARRS

Ceri Stein is scheduling lunch or dinners for Grant and Cathy Schnarr and their family. If you would like to help, please call Ceri at 215-947-2434 or email her at stein.eric@comcast.net.

DIRECTORY CHANGES:

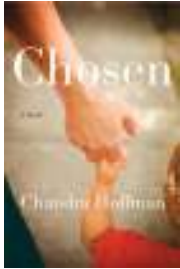
Please send your change of address and/or phone number to Peb Adams, PO Box 277, Bryn Athyn, PA 19009 or PebAdams@aol.com for inclusion in the 2011 Directory.

details are available in the printed and electronically emailed Post.

SAVE THE DATE:

August 24th, 2010 7:00 pm

Come support local author **Chandra Hoffman** on the release date of her debut novel, *Chosen*, at the Willow Grove Barnes and Noble. Reading, book signing, and Q&A, followed by an after-party with champagne and desserts at 3156 Buck Road, all welcome. Pick up the novel that the Kirkus Review calls, "Gripping... a heartfelt story well-told."



Learn more at www.chandrahoffman.com

BRYN ATHYN SCHOOL BOARD

Next meeting Tuesday, September 7, 2010 at 7:30 pm

at Bryn Athyn Borough Hall
Public Invited

Highlights from June 2010 meeting:

- Students who applied for public school were voted and approved to be forwarded to their assigned schools.
- The final budget for the 2010-2011 school year was approved.
- The Homestead Resolution act was voted and approved.
- Visit www.brynathynschooldistrict.org

A CUP OF COOL WATER

A new story for children by Vera Glenn (illustrated by Marguerite Acton). Available at the New Church Bookstore in the Cathedral (\$4.95). Proceeds to benefit the Bryn Athyn Church.

BRYN ATHYN'S GOT TALENT

BAct is very excited about this coming fall's production.

BAct's fall offering will be a Talent and Variety show to showcase all of the wonderful local talent.



WHAT CAN YOU DO? Call Glenn Walsh for details at 215-801-9753 or email

him at gfw3373@verizon.net

BIRTH NOTICES: *details are available in the printed and electronically emailed Post.*

JUST PLAY FIELD HOCKEY!

Just Play is a Women's Team that plays in the Philadelphia Field Hockey Association. We are looking for women college age and above to join us for our upcoming season. Games are on Saturday mornings at 9:00. The fee for the season is \$60, and it runs from Sept. 11th to November 6th.

If you are interested in playing, or have questions, contact Aline Brown at 215-938-4594, or email aline.brown@bacs-gc.org.

BA HISTORY

There will be no meeting of the Alnwick Grove Historical Society this month. Meetings will resume on September 7th, 2010. Contact Greg Jackson 215-962-1628 or gregory.jackson@brynathyn.edu with questions or comments.

ALICE'S ADVENTURES IN WONDERLAND

presented by T4Y Playmakers (a conglomerate of Bryn Athyn College alumni, and Academy of the New Church alumni, Shenandoah University alumni)

August 13 & 14, 2010

Friday & Saturday - 2 pm & 7 pm

All ticket sales are general admission, cash or check. \$10 for adults and \$8 for children. Tickets available at the door or to reserve tickets call or email T4Y Playmakers at 267-502-4574 or T4YPlaymakers@gmail.com.

Produced by special arrangement with Pioneer Drama Service, INC., Englewood, CO.

**POST NOTICES.**

Reminder that the deadline for all *Post* articles is 1 pm Monday. The earlier you can get notices to Peb Adams, the better. Email PebAdams@aol.com or send to PO Box 277, Bryn Athyn, PA 19009. Remember, also, we have a letter slot in the front door of the BACS Offices.

CALENDAR - Thursday, August 12th, 2010

Thu. 12 BACS Summer School
Cairnwood Historic Tour 11 am
(No Cairnwood Village dining)

Fri. 13 BACS Summer School
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland 2 & 7 pm (MPAC)

Sat. 14 AA mtg. 9 am (Cathedral)
(C & S Clambake canceled)
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland 2 & 7 pm (MPAC)

Sun. 15 Contemporary 9:30 (Society Building)
Young Children's service 9:30 (Cathedral Council Chamber)
Family Cathedral 9:30
NewChurch LIVE 10:30 (Mitchell Performing Arts Center)
Kids LIVE 10:30 (Fine Arts Building)
Cathedral 11:00
"A Life of Worship 1" 7:30 pm (LNC w/Rev. Dr. Thane Glenn)

Mon. 16 BACS Summer School
Cairnwood Historic Tour 11 am
Fire Company Board meeting 7:30 pm

Tue. 17 BACS Summer School begins
Cairnwood Historic Tour 11 am
Cairnwood Village Dining 6:30 pm
AA mtg. 7 pm (Cathedral)

Wed. 18 BACS Summer School
Cairnwood Village Doctrinal class 10 am
Cairnwood Historic Tour 11 am

Thu. 19 BACS Summer School
Cairnwood Village Dining 6:30 pm
Summer Wine Tasting Event at Cairnwood - 7-10 pm

Fri. 20 BACS Summer School

COMING EVENTS:

Sun. 22 "A Life of Worship 2"
Tue. 24 Cairnwood Book Club
Wed. 25 NC Discovery - BACS New Parents Orientation
Thu. 26 Kindergarten Open House
1st & 2nd Grade Open House
Fri. 27 Cozy Tots sale
Sat. 28 Cozy Tots sale

CONCERT TO HELP THE GULF OIL SPILL
Saturday, August 14th, 6:30 pm

At the Fellowship Hall - Gloria Dei Church
570 Welsh Road, Huntingdon Valley, PA 19006.

Donations accepted at the door.

Performances by: Portland Senator,
Members of Vernon Park, The Mahlors, Josh Miller,
Gummy Bear Army and Gingerbread House.

ON DUTY**Sunday, August 15th, 2010****Ushers:**

9:30 Family Cathedral: Alan Elder, Luke Synnestvedt,
Kirk Synnestvedt, Landon Elder

11:00 Cathedral: Alan Elder, Homer Needle, Hugo Odhner

Sound Recording:

9:30 Family Cathedral: Bob Klein

11:00 Cathedral: Scott Cooper

Cathedral Greeters: Doug & Christine Taylor

Children's Service Piano: Leah Martin

Family Contemporary:

Musician: Chris Simons

Keyboardist: Shawn Rose

Sound & Music: Keith Genzlinger

Cathedral Greeters & Guides:

Thu. 12 1-4 Joan Dunlap, Carol Henderson

Fri. 13 1-4 Bob Merrell

Sat. 14 1-4 Lillian Ross, Vera Glenn

Sun. 15 1-4 Kent Cooper, Donnette Alfelt

Mon. 16 1-4 Bussy Sellner, Erland Brock

Tue. 17 1-4 Bob Merrell, Doug Taylor

Wed. 18 1-4 Janet Simons

Thu. 19 1-4 Joan Dunlap, Carol Henderson

Fri. 20 1-4 Bob Merrell

THINK ABOUT IT

"All human discoveries seem to be made only for the purpose of confirming, more and more strongly, the truths contained in the sacred writings."

**DO YOU WANT TO UNBLOCK? CREATE WITH JOY?
FULFILL YOUR POTENTIAL?**

I teach a 12 wk course called *The Artist's Way: A Spiritual Path to Higher Creativity*, written by Julia Cameron. This course will challenge you and change you. It is for artists and equally for those who long to be more creative, who long to find their creative voice, or their dancing shoes. I teach to men and women, and I have space for the first 7 or 8 people who speak to me. We meet for one hour weekly as a group, and there is other homework and reading and tasks. Not for the faint-hearted, but for those who want to be changed. You need to buy the book "The Artist's Way." Cost for the course: \$250. We'll start in the beginning of September. If you want to reserve your spot, phone me. If you have questions and want to talk, phone me - Ann Buss 215-510-0069. The Creator wants you to create! Do you believe that?

NEW CHURCH AUDIO

Lucifer, Son of the Dawn
Bryn Athyn sermon
Rev. Stephen Cole.

Soothed By David's Harp

Bryn Athyn sermon ~ Rev. Jeremy Simons.

This is Our God

contemporary service ~ Rev. John Odhner.

What's at the Center?

contemporary service ~ Rev. Erik Buss.

Born of Water and Spirit

Boynton Beach sermon ~ Rev. Kenneth Alden.

Where There's A Will

doctrinal class ~ Rev. Philip Schnarr.

To order 267-502-4981 or newchurcaudio@newchurch.org
Listen online: www.newchurcaudio.org to hear all available
sermons and talks from Bryn Athyn and other societies.
CD ~ \$4.00 for most

AFTER CLASS ENRICHMENT (ACE) AND LUNCH BUNCH

The Bryn Athyn Church is sponsoring an After-Class-Enrichment (ACE) program for children preschool-age through 8th grade.

On Monday afternoons we are offering dance classes with Kelly (Greer) Austin for children preschool-age through 8th grade.

On Wednesday afternoons from 2:30 to 5:00 we are offering an ENRICHMENT VARIETY for preschool-age through 4th grade.

• Arts and Crafts • Cooking • Gardening • Tumbling
• Sports • Community Service • Acting • Sustainable living • Yoga • More!!

Kelly Austin will run this program and community members will come in and share their talents and skills with the children.

We will be adding programs on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Stay tuned for more information.

On Monday through Thursday, from noon to 3:00, Lori Odhner will continue her LUNCH BUNCH program for children preschool-age through 3rd grade.

For more information:

www.brynathynchurchpreschool.org or
joanne.kiel@bacs-gc.org or Joanne Kiel: 215-239-5153.



LIFELONG LEARNING FALL CLASSES:

October 4th through November 18th

- **Tap Dancing Technique for Fun**
With Kristin Lindsay (BS, Shenandoah Conservatory)
- **The Rationality of Moral Law: a study of C. S. Lewis' book *The Abolition of Man***
With Linda Simonetti Odhner (BA, Bryn Athyn College)
- **Great Expectations and the Life of Charles Dickens**
With Janna King (MA in Literature from Bread Loaf)
- **Oil Painting**
With Lisa McQueen Knight (PA Academy of the Fine Arts)
- **Introduction To Healthful Cooking**
With Danielle Orthwein (Certified Chef from Natural Gourmet Institute)
- **Child and Adolescent Development for Parents and Others**
With Rev. Eric Carswell (Bishop's Representative for New Church Education)
- **Sacred Geometry**
With Steve Hendricks (Historic Doors)
- **Photography: for the Digital SLR user**
With Jared Alden (Rocky Mountain School of Photography)
- **Yoga**
With Jenn Asplundh (Anusara Yoga Certification)
For more details go to www.ancss.org/continue
Discount for early registration.
To register contact Lisa Weiss at the Office of Education (267-502-4966) or lisa.weiss@newchurch.org.
In our first year we had 154 adults participate in 15 courses. Come join the fun and Never Stop Learning!

WINE TO PLEASE EVERY PALATE



SUMMER
WINE TASTING

TASTING ROOM AT

Cairnwood

AUGUST 19, 2010 ~ 7 PM

VISIT US TO ENJOY THE ESTATE
GROUNDS AND TASTE CHADDSFORD
WINERY'S CURRENT VINTAGE OF
PREMIUM REGIONAL WINES.

ADMISSION: \$15 MEMBERS FREE

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From our nearby New Church Neighbors

IVYLAND NEW CHURCH

851 W. Bristol Rd., Ivyland, PA 18974

Sunday Services 10 am, Sunday School and Nursery provided.

Directions: From Bryn Athyn go North on Huntingdon Pike, left on Bristol Road and pass through 5 traffic lights. We're on the right at 851 W. Bristol Road.



CREEKSIDE NEW CHURCH

We are currently at the Huntingdon Valley Christian Academy, 1845 Byberry Road, across from the Masons Mill Business Park.

Worship services begin now at 10 am by popular request. This move is a step toward reaching out more effectively to the broader community as we build a stronger sense of community based on the threefold Word. As summer continues we will be experimenting with outdoor services in the back, before moving into the gym, as well as gearing up for our restart of full programs in the fall. Join us any and every Sunday. Grant Schnarr



GLENCAIRN CORNER

Guided Tours at Glencairn!

Mon • Wed • Fri 2:30pm | Saturdays
1:00, 1:30, 2:30 and 3:00pm
Admission: \$8 Adults, \$6 Seniors
(65+), \$4 students (including college,
with ID). Ask about group rates.

Our guided tours are very popular, so be sure to book your spot today before the tours are full! The guided tours of Glencairn are available at 2:30pm on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Guided tours are also available on Saturdays at 1:00, 1:30, 2:30 and 3:00pm. Tours include an award-winning orientation video; a view from Glencairn's Tower (one of the highest points in Montgomery County!); visits to a variety of galleries that present the history of religion from a variety of cultures and time periods; and a visit to the Master Bedroom and Bath. Reservations recommended. Call 267-502-2993 or email tours@glencairnmuseum.org to book your spot today!



CATHEDRAL CORNER

Young Children's Service: Please note that throughout August the Young Children's Service will be offered every week at 9:30 am in the Council Chamber. This service features a simple message geared especially to young children, who are invited to take home a related art or craft project.

Cathedral Services Live on the Web: Going on vacation? You don't have to miss church! You can listen to Cathedral worship services live by going to www.brynathyncathedral.org. Memorial services are also broadcast live, including all of the live music (unless the family requests otherwise).

Project Updates:

Heating and Air Conditioning Project: The company ran the test for a second time on the GEO thermal test well on the south side of the Cathedral. We hope to have the test results within a few weeks. This will help us to determine how many wells are needed and how deep each one needs to be. This will be an important part of the design and bidding process. We will keep you posted on our progress.

Path repairs: Repairs continue on repairs to the paths around the Cathedral. We completed repairs on the main path that runs from the upper parking lot to the Cathedral entrance. During the next few weeks we will be working on the East side of the Cathedral.

Safety and Security: Reminder: please do not exit by the doors on the south side of the Cathedral once they have been secured after services. The doors do not lock when you exit, and this compromises the security of our Cathedral until the next security check. Your assistance with keeping our Cathedral secure is appreciated.

If you have any questions about policies or projects at the Cathedral, please contact me during the week at 267-502-4601, or you can e-mail me at: Jim.Adams@bacathedral.org

Jim Adams, Director

We are cleaning out old Liturgies from the Cathedral basement. If anyone is interested in the red 1995 Liturgy, please stop by the Cathedral and pick up as many as you'd like.

TO ALL WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS

You are invited to join us the first Monday of every month, 7 pm at the Cathedral.

Questions? Call Donnette at 215-947-3587.



Sermon Review

LUCIFER

A Sermon by Stephen D. Cole

August 8, 2010

How art thou fallen from the heavens, O Lucifer, son of the dawn! Isaiah 14:12

This passage is the only place in Scripture where Lucifer is mentioned. Many have supposed that this verse alludes to some kind of cosmic combat that took place even before the creation of the first human being, wherein Lucifer and his followers tried to revolt against God, but were defeated and cast down. But nowhere in the Old or New Testaments is there reference to an order of spiritual beings who preceded the human race, let alone that they engaged in some sort of primordial conflict.

But this is not to say that the Word does not speak of battles in the other world. We read in *Revelation*: "There was war in heaven." But this confrontation was not before the creation of the world, nor yet was it even at the time of the Lord's first advent into the world. In *Revelation* John is reporting a vision of the war against the dragon at the Lord's second coming.

This is the last and, in many ways, the greatest spiritual battle. But there have been cycles of spiritual combat throughout human history, especially at times of judgment.

The idea of spiritual war is not some mere metaphor. Spiritual war really is war, with all the tragedy and horror involved in natural wars. It is the wars in this world that are the mere reflection of the real more terrible wars in the other world.

None of us can avoid spiritual combat. Sometimes for some of us this means standing up for what is right when this is threatened in our society. But all us will find ourselves in some form of the struggle reflected in the words of the text.

Lucifer clearly represents some enemy that must be cast down. The chapter from which the text is taken makes it clear that the enemy represented by Lucifer is Babylon, the love of ruling over others from the love of self. But why is this enemy called "Lucifer," the bearer of light, the shining one, the son of the dawn?

The love of ruling over others does not usually manifest itself in us as some ugly lust for making everyone else our slaves. Most often it presents itself as the shining idea that we really do know better than others how the church, our places of work, or our families should be run. Even when this is true, it does not give us license to manipulate or force others to our own way of doing things. This is the love of dominion presenting itself in luminous guise.

There really is spiritual warfare. It continues that this day and it is intense as the New Church struggles to gain its foothold in the world. People are hurt by it and lasting damage is done. Each of us is called to fight the good fight, to combat evil in some arena. There are false ideas and wicked practices in the world that need to be challenged. Individually, we may or may not find ourselves active in this conflict.

But each of us must strive at least on the battlefield of his or her own spirit, resisting the allure of Lucifer, son of the dawn, the confidence that our own ideas and plans are superior to those of others, to the point that we try, by whatever means to implement them. The contest is won within ourselves as we allow the spirit of humility and service to overcome the enthusiasm for bending others to our own way of doing things. (SDC)

Amen

Lessons Mt. 20:23-27; AC 8678; Is. 14:4-15; AE 1029:11.

BAPTISMS, BETROTHALS and MARRIAGES... details are available in the printed and electronically emailed Post.

RESURRECTION. Jason Schnarr. Thursday, August 5th, 2010, the Rev. Thomas H. Rose officiating.



ORCHARD ARTWORKS

A Cooperative Gallery of Fine Arts and Crafts exhibiting and selling the work of over 50 local artists.

Phone: 215-947-9882 or visit our **Website** at www.orchardartworks.org.

For its August show, Orchard Artworks is pleased to be hosting **Memories in the Making: Watercolors**. This is a show of **paintings done by Alzheimer's patients**. It is a fund raiser sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association of Delaware Valley. These watercolors are delightful. Do drop by to see them and consider purchasing one to support this cause.

Memories in the Making runs through the month of August.

For your summertime shopping, you will also find at the gallery lovely **handmade baskets, sea glass jewelry and shell sea spirits**, to name a few of the many fine crafts and art that is created with love by our members.

Other "must see's" at OAW are **Peggy's watercolors of BATS and Powell House, and two lovely paintings of the Cathedral**. So many good reasons to visit Orchard Artworks sometime soon!

Regular hours: Friday 10 am to 4 pm, Saturday 10 am to 4 pm and Sunday 1 to 4 pm.



**BATS
(Bryn Athyn Thrift Shop)
215-947-7646**

www.brynathynthriftshop.org
Open Tuesday through Saturday,
10 am until 4 pm.

NEEDED: Newspaper ~ Plastic grocery bags ~ Brown grocery bags.

JEWELRY: A big fresh batch

HIGHBOY/WRITING DESK: Check for an image on our website, www.brynathynthriftshop.org

Plants, Veggies, Honey, Herbs, etc, as usual from the Cathedral and Academy Farm gardens.

It's a lively place. As more volunteers have come over the years one of the things it means is that we have more charming and changing little displays and improvements here and there.

Coming soon...BACK TO SCHOOL: This means (1) some new stationary items, (2) used ANC lit books, (3) BACS legit wear, and (4) a reminder that we are always putting out ANC uniform items as they come in. We feed them into the regular racks.

GRATITUDE CORNER

(Anonymous)

"We so appreciated Tom Rose's address at the funeral service for Jason Schnarr - it was lovely, truthful and heartfelt. Our love goes out to Grant and Cathy and their family and to Denielle."

NEWS FROM THE CIVIC AND SOCIAL CLUB

CLUB HOURS: The Club is open from Tuesday through Saturday, starting at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Wednesday night is Quinto Night. Thursday evening is Ladies night - we have specials that night for them. Come on down and welcome our new Executive Board members and our regular Board Members and join your friends. We are not open on Sunday or Monday. We might open on Monday night when the Eagles have a Monday evening game but we do not have the schedule yet.

THE CLAMBAKE HAS BEEN CANCELLED

elsecae53@aol.com - cell - 215-407-2611 - Emmy Lou

PERSEIDS ARE AWESOME.

For endless detail, see Google or equivalent. For a quick preview of this year's set, consider four conditions that vie to control its quality:

- The August 12er the better (Aug. 14th is quite good).
- The clearer the better (clouds ruin this).
- The darker the better (crescent Moon is pretty but ruins the view).
- The more Perseids, the better.

Some years haven't enough to deserve the title "shower" but 2010 is not one of them. Ken Rose

SAVE THE CHOIR ~ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Do you enjoy the choral music and the way it contributes to your experience of worship in the Cathedral? The individuals who give of their time to serve in this way enjoy singing, and they also work pretty hard during rehearsals. Some come straight from work to choir rehearsal. We have a small committee who serve the choir's uses by serving them modest refreshments on Thursday evenings during their break.

I am looking for a few more volunteers to fill out the calendar for this coming choir season. If you are interested in hearing more about this, **please give me a call, leave your name and number and I will get back to you.**

If you would like to contribute to the snacks, but are unable to actually go to the Cathedral to set them up, we can work with that as well. The choir really enjoys their refreshment break and are always grateful. If you think you can help in any way, I'd love to hear from you.

Gail Simons - 215-947-0696 - voice box #2.

NEWS FROM THE ACADEMY

The Academy loves your children and loves your dogs. It does not love your kids on skateboards. And it does not love picking up your dogs' droppings on the campus and athletic fields.

Skateboarding is prohibited on the Academy campus for reasons of safety, liability and protection of our road, parking lot and path surfaces. We respectfully ask parents to help us with their children.

And we would very much appreciate dog owners who enjoy walking their pets here to respect the grounds by keeping them clean for everyone else. Thank you.

New Contract with Sodexo

The Academy has awarded a new five-year contract to Sodexo to continue the food services on campus. This is the culmination of a year-long process of visiting food service providers at other schools, interviews and reviewing contract proposals. Seven food services companies - including Sodexo - submitted proposals.

This award continues a successful 30-year relationship. Reza Rafizadeh, Vice President of Operations for Sodexo writes: *"We are very proud to be part of the Academy of the New Church community and the diverse programs and events that take place there. We appreciate the opportunity to serve all your dining needs and I look forward to continuing a strong relationship with the Academy of the New Church."*

Christmas at Syracuse

Rakeem Christmas, who is entering his senior year in the Boys School and is a national recruit in basketball, announced Friday that he will attend Syracuse University next year.

Rakeem is the eighth-ranked high school player nationally and has committed to play for Jim Boeheim at Syracuse. Its 2011 class is ranked fifth in the country. He chose Syracuse over Georgetown, Florida, Florida International, Oklahoma and Rutgers.

You can read a story about Rakeem and link to a video at:

<http://msn.foxsports.com/collegebasketball/story/Adversity-has-not-stopped-the-rise-of-Rakeem-Christmas-080610>

Reminder:

Remember that portions of College Drive between Buck Road and the Pendleton Hall parking lot are scheduled to be closed next week for road repair.

Bruce Henderson: Director of Communications

SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, October 2, 2010

For The Lord's New Church's **Fifth Annual Autumn Festival & Craft Fair**. Hayrides, pony rides, craft demonstrations, and a whole lot more family fun!

CRAFTERS WANTED - For info call Mira 215-947-4242 x 200.

BAC FINANCIAL AID COMMITTEE

Contributions needed: In recent months, needs in our community have increased. Please consider making a contribution to this important use. Contributions should be made payable to Bryn Athyn Church, directed to the Emergency Aid Fund or contact Stewart Asplundh - 215-947-6225 x 210.

The purpose of this committee is to give short-term financial assistance to those associated with the Bryn Athyn Church. (1) Those who are unable to provide for themselves or for their families the necessities of life and where other resources, either public or private, are not available in a timely manner. (2) Those who are in need during periods of emergency. (3) Those who are orphans.

Please contact any member of the committee listed below if you are in need of financial aid:

Barbara Doering - 215-947-9769 or bcdoering@yahoo.com.

Diane Fehon - 215-947-3713 or fehon55@yahoo.com

Eleanor Dillard - 215-850-2237 or elnrjean@aol.com

Janie Lemole - 215-947-2882

Jeremy Simons - 215-947-6225 x 208 or 215-947-1983 (h)

Jennifer Pronesti - 215-914-0283

Louise Eidse - 215-817-0272 or louiseeidse@hotmail.com

Marg Baker - 215-947-6958 or gregmarg@msn.com

Mary van Zyverden - 215-947-0664

Nicole Bau-Madsen - 215-947-3623 or Nicole@dwave.com

Stephen Morley - 215-947-6358 or shmorley@yahoo.com



ELLIS PAUL is COMING BACK TO BRYN ATHYN!

Social Hall of The Lord's New Church

Second only to Aerosmith in Boston Music awards, Ellis is an exceptional singer-songwriter and one of the best live acoustic performers of contemporary folk music.

Friday, Sept. 10th 8:00 pm. \$25

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