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# New Angelus

Grace Episcopal Church Newsletter

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**ON THE**  
**CALENDAR**  
**AT GRACE**

for

**June**

**Sunday, 5 June**

11:30am: PiN

Ministries

11:30am: Daughter of  
The King Class

**Sunday, 12 June**

11:30am: Daughter of  
The King Class

**Monday, 13 June**

7:30pm: Bishop's  
Committee Meeting

**Tuesday, 14 June**

10:30am: Shawl Ministry

**Sunday, 19 June**

Father's Day

11:30am: Daughter of  
The King Class

**Friday, 24 June**

Noon: The Nativity of St.

Seeing Anew: Hearing Anew

Recently Gail and I were in Seattle and coastal British Columbia. It is very different from Kentucky, but we had a sense of 'we've been here before,' and not just as *deja vu*.

The dark pines and trees on rock formations going into the water was much like the northern coast of

Massachusetts and Maine. Even some of the housing styles looked like the New England of our youth. With much higher mountains in the background, we soon got used to being on the Pacific, seeing anew.

Similar is when we hear the Gospel read. Yes, this Sunday's was read three years ago, and much has changed since then. For those who do not have a hearing loss, I would suggest that you put down the leaflet, and hear the Gospel. You can always read it before the service, or during Communion. In hearing, only, something new might come your way as to how you experience it.

When we read, we often scan, as we think we know the story, i.e., the Woman at the Well, the Beggar at the Pool, Peter and ... etc. Hearing the story allows you to participate in it's drama. You can be a spectator, or one of the characters.

As to the First and Second Readings, as these often have a more complex narrative, this is why we print them for easy following.

In one of your hymns, we sing, "Ponder Anew What The Almighty Can Do" -- Listen anew what this can do for you.

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Joe

John the Baptist

**Sunday, 26 June**

11:30am: Daughter of  
The King Class

**Wednesday, 29 June**

12:15pm: Holy Eucharist  
w/Healing Prayers

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**BULLETIN BOARDS IN  
THE PARISH HALL**

Next time you're in the Parish Hall, look to see the Diocesan and Bishop's Committee bulletin boards. They have the BC minutes and financials, and news from the Diocese. Keep checking these boards to remain informed.

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**SHAWL MINISTRY**

meets on the second Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall at 10:30am. Join us to knit/crochet some prayer shawls, baby hats and other items for folks who need a warm hug.

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**Summer is here**

Boone County High School is out for the summer. Weekend Backpacks Program, too therefore, is out for the summer. In the fall we shall put the bin out for regular filling. Thank you.

**2016 Wild Goose Festival**

This summer the Diocese of Lexington is organizing a pilgrimage to the 2016 Wild Goose Festival, a four-day, outdoor, festival hosted each summer in gorgeous Hot Springs, North Carolina. Wild Goose is a community gathered at the intersection of spirituality, justice, music and the arts.

During a typical Wild Goose day an attender might take in a main stage performance, a conversation with a screenwriter and director, an interfaith dialogue, a dip in the French Broad River, and dozens of open air conversations under trees, around drinks, and at campfires.

The 2016 Wild Goose Festival will features performances by musicians such as The Indigo Girls, Dar Williams, and Matt Maher. Speakers include Jim Wallis, Shane Claiborne, Dean Emilie Townes and many more.

The festival will be held on July 7-10 at the Hot Springs Campgrounds. Information about tickets, performances, and speakers can be found at [wildgoosefestival.org](http://wildgoosefestival.org). Use the code "LEX" to receive our ticket discount. Also keep checking Justin Gabbards facebook page for upcoming info.

"At Wild Goose, people flock together to celebrate a way of life rooted in faith, justice, creativity, and beauty. It's like a family reunion where you meet relatives you never knew you had. It's a wild and wonderful convergence of stimulating conversations, campfires, music, kids, art, lawn chairs, prayer, fun, dance, frisbees, tents, food, sunshine, rain, laughter, and fresh air. There's nothing like it, and I look forward to it as one of the best weeks of my year." - Brian D. McLaren

## PARISH PRAYER LIST

If you would like to add someone to our Parish Prayer list, please fill out the Daughters of The King Prayer Request card in the pews and place in the Offering plate.

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## NEW ANGELUS MAILING LIST

If you would like to receive a monthly hardcopy of this newsletter in the mail, please put your name and address on a piece of paper along with \$10 (for a 12 month subscription) in the Offering Plate - or email the office at [GraceEpiscopalChurch@live.com](mailto:GraceEpiscopalChurch@live.com)

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## PARISH HALL CALENDAR:

M: 6am: AA

7:30pm: Bishop's Committee Meeting (second Monday of the month)

Tu: 10:30am: Shawl Ministry (second Tuesday of the month)

6:30pm: Al-Anon

W: 6am: AA

12:15pm Holy Eucharist with

## Did you know.....

Food stamps do not buy necessities like toilet paper, hygiene products, or other items found in your bathroom at home? St. Paul's Pantry is looking to stock their shelves with these items. So next Krogering trip, please help those who cannot help themselves. Buy paper products, deodorant, adult and baby diapers, creams, lotions and potions and put them in the "Food Barrel" in our Narthex. We'll make sure St. Paul's receives them. Thank you.

## If you think it's not happening here...

Please think again! Human trafficking is a worldwide problem and it's happening here - along the 71/75 corridor. There is hope and there are people willing to help. In Lexington, a new non-profit facility committed to helping women in KY live free from sexual exploitation, homelessness and addiction. The Well Lexington ([www.thewelllexington.com](http://www.thewelllexington.com)) is not a licensed drug or alcohol treatment facility or recovery program. It is a safe, supportive, healing environment for victims of sex trafficking and prostitution. Women enter the program and stay 2 years at no charge.

Grace's Daughters of the King Chapter is involved. Our first mission is to purchase 2 sets of sheets and towels for the new house The Well is purchasing. Our second mission is to help defray costs of this noble service. We hope to start a monthly fund to send to The Well so women can be helped. We will raffle off a Christ Church Cathedral Cook Book to those who donate.

For more information on The Well, look to the bulletin board in the breezeway for a folder on The Well, also go to the website (address above) and see the good works.

For more information on The Daughter's of The King, speak with Mary Jo, Johnifer, Melanie, Ruth, or Kellis. We are beginning a new class Sunday 4 June following the service for any interested females. You may also check out the National Website at [www.DokNational.org](http://www.DokNational.org).

## Concerts in The Park

Prayers for Healing  
(last Wednesday of  
the month)

7:30pm: AA

Fr: 6am: AA

8pm: AA

Sa: 7:30am: AA

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[www.diolex.org/diolexlink](http://www.diolex.org/diolexlink)

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happening. Go to  
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Diocesan Cycle of  
Prayer:

For daily Intercessions,  
check the Diocese of  
Lexington  
webpage  
([www.diolex.org](http://www.diolex.org)) under  
Frequently Used  
Documents

Anglican Cycle of  
Prayer :

For daily Intercessions  
go to  
[www.anglicancommunion.org](http://www.anglicancommunion.org) and click  
on  
Intercession List

Boone County Parks and the Boone County Public Library are  
excited to announce the 2016 Summer Concert Series!

Concerts are held at the Creekside Stage in Boone Woods  
Park!

Sat., June 11 - 7-8:30 PM: Swingtime Band

Sat., June 18 - 7-8:30 PM: Tumbling Dice,  
Rolling Stones Tribute Band

Sat., July 16 - 7-8:30 PM: Blue Chip City Big Band

Sat., July 23 - 7-8:30 PM: The McCartney Project -  
Tribute Band

Sat., July 30 - 7-8:30 PM: Florence Community  
Band

Sat., August 20 - 7-8:30 PM: Appalachian Grass

### **The Concerts at Creekside Series is expanding to other communities in Boone County!**

Sat., August 13 - 7-8:30 PM: Saffire Express -

Contemporary, Classic Rock, 50's-60's & Country  
Walton Park Rain Site: Walton Verona High School

Sat., August 27 - 7-8:30 PM: Wulfe Brothers -

Groovy Sixties Show Central Park Rain Site - Boone  
County Public Library Main Branch.

### **One Of Our Own**

Steve Walton, you may know, was a parishioner of Grace  
many moons ago. We have seen him back here at Diocesan  
events and he was a contributor of The Link until recently.

Steve was diagnosed with cancer. He is in cancer care and  
on our Intercession List. Treatment is expensive. If you would  
like to donate to defray some costs, please speak with Fr. Joe.

### **Summer Coffee Hour**

Beginning 3 July thru 28 August summer coffee hour will arrive.

Coffee Hour moves to after the service and is hosted by sign  
up. Hosts may be as conservative or flamboyant as desired.  
It's your party!

The sign up sheet is in the breezeway. Like the Altar Flowers,  
if no one signs up, we will not have coffee hour.

## **Northern KY Reading Camp**

Do you like helping children? Do you like to read and play games? Do you wish to help out the Northern Kentucky Reading Camp? They are looking for new members!! Fresh ideas on planning and executing plans are always welcome.

The theme this year will be Alice in Wonderland. Our own Darlene Wolff and helpers would like you to help in planning theme centered fun afternoon activities; or new activities for the returning campers. If you have an interest in helping disadvantaged children who are struggling with reading skills, we need you! See Darlene Wolff if you would like to join a great cause.

### **Please pray for:**

Susan, Bill, Steve, Mary, Denise, Jennie, Pidge, Bobby, Patty, Tammy, Shorty, Charles, Jack, Holly, Delores, Nancy, David, Cindy, Ellen, Carol, Louise, Robert, Cindy, Dave, Becky, Lew, Dale, Faye, Ann, Alene, Fran, Joseph, Donna, Jay, Bill, Ken, Corey, Ruth, Ron, RJ & Alex, Malcolm & Murphy, Sonja, Yvonne, Dana, Emily, Howard & Barbara

## **SHARED NKY SERVICES ROTATION**

The four Northern Ky Episcopal Churches share Feast Days during the year. Here is a listing of services for June thru Aug.

Sat., 11 June @ 9:30am: St. Barnabas @  
St. Paul's

Fri., 24 June @ 12noon: Nativity of St. John B.  
@ Grace

Wed., 29 June @ 7pm: Sts. Peter & Paul @  
Trinity

Mon., 4 July @ 10am: Independence Day @  
St. Andrew's

Fri., 22 July @ 6pm: St. Mary Magdalene @  
St. Paul's

Mon., 25 July @ 12noon: St. James @ Grace

Sat., 6 August @ 9:30am: Transfiguration @  
St. Andrew's

Mon., 15 August @ 12noon: St. Mary @

St. Paul's

Wed., 24 August @ 7pm: St.Bartholomew @

Trinity

Copies of the full rotation are available in the Parish Hall on the Flowers board.

**The Church Office is open**

**Tuesday & Thursday 9am - 4pm**

**Sunday 12pm - 2pm**

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**If you'd like to make an appointment with**

**Fr. Joe, please call the office at**

**859-371-5951**

**If you have any changes of vital information, please inform**

**the church office at 859-371-5951 or email**

**[GraceEpiscopalChurch@live.com](mailto:GraceEpiscopalChurch@live.com).**

**This includes addresses, email, telephone numbers, etc.**

**IF you are in need of Emergency Pastoral Care, please call**

**859-466-2717.**

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**click**

**[WWW.GraceEpiscopalFlorenceKY.org](http://WWW.GraceEpiscopalFlorenceKY.org)**

**check us out on Facebook too!!!!**

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The Holy Eucharist: Sundays at 10:15 AM

Coffee Hour and Adult Sunday School at 9 AM beginning 7 September.

Holy Days as announced.

The Standing Committee

The Reverend John Joseph Pennington, Interim Priest-In-Charge

Ms. Kellis Schmidhammer, Parish Administrator

Mrs. Bonnie K. Spain, Choirmaster & Organist