



St Margaret's Notebook

January 22, 2009

ANNUAL MEETING - Sunday, January 25, 2009 at 10:10 am

The following parishioners have graciously agreed to submit their names as candidates for the Vestry. We will elect four on Sunday.



Diane Fulkerson - is employed as an Instructional Services Librarian at the University of West Georgia. She was recently selected as the Georgia Library Association's participant in the American Library Association's Emerging Leaders Program. Prior to taking the position at UWG Diane worked for 20 years in the private sector in customer service and purchasing. As a parishioner at St. Margaret's Diane is a team captain for Altar Guild and a Lay Reader. Diane relocated to Carrollton from Rochester, NY where she was a parishioner at St. Thomas' Episcopal Church for over ten years.



Cher Hendricks - I have been attending St. Margaret's since March 2007, and I was received into the Episcopal church in November of that year. Since joining the church I have participated in Hunger Walk and volunteered at the Soup Kitchen, and during this school year I have coordinated the Backpack Program for SMCO, an outreach activity that helps to feed 23 students at Carrollton Middle School every weekend throughout the school year. I have been a resident of Carrollton since joining the faculty of the University of West Georgia in 1998. At UWG I teach doctoral-level research courses in the College of Education, and much of my work focuses on helping teachers and school administrators improve their teaching and leadership. I have two adult children, Amanda and Derek, who live in Carrollton.

Throughout my life I have attended various churches, and I was educated in Episcopal, Catholic, Church of Christ, and Baptist schools. Of all these places, only one made me feel completely welcome and accepted as I was, and that was the Episcopal elementary school I attended. That memory drew me back to the Episcopal church and to St. Margaret's-a church I have felt completely at home in from the first day I walked through its doors. I'd like to serve St. Margaret's through work on the vestry and in ongoing projects with SMCO. It is in this service I am able to give back to the church and community that has welcomed me.



David Hoffman - I have become more and more interested to help St. Margaret's role in our lives as parish members and as an outstanding contributing member in our community.

Through my commitment to Boy Scouts and God many positive changes have come my way and I find that the more I can give back the better things get.

My wife Laura and I also made a commitment to our own finances and have grown enough to improve our contribution to you our church and not panic in the face of higher living costs.

I can bring a positive attitude and energy to help guide our church towards its goals and needs.



Bill Parrish - I was born in Carrollton, graduated from Carrollton High School and am employed by Southwire Company. In 1996, my wife Julie and I were living in Albany GA where I was confirmed at St. Paul's. We returned to Carrollton in 1998 and began attending St. Margaret's with our daughters Wrenn and Lucy Hughes.

I love St Margaret's and enjoyed my previous service on the vestry. If elected I hope to make St. Margaret's even better tomorrow that it is today while furthering my relationship with Christ and learning more about him by working with others on the Vestry.



Richard Smith - I would like to serve St Margaret's Episcopal Church as a member of the Vestry which I understand is responsible for the "business" of running the church. I am putting forward my candidacy as I believe my education, military service, business experience, professional legal experience, previous church work and community service have given me a solid basis to function as a Vestry member in a productive way.

I am a graduate of Princeton University, Stetson University College of Law and The National Judicial College. I served in the military armed forces of our country for eight years as a Naval Officer and retired as a Lieutenant Commander. My business experience constitutes 13 years as CEO of a large Chevrolet dealership in Albany, New York selling and leasing New cars and trucks, used cars and trucks as well as providing service and parts for the products sold. My professional legal experience consists of being a member of three State Bar Associations, a Partner in Law Firms in both Florida and Georgia, a Prosecutor in the State of Florida, and a Judge in the State of Georgia for an 11-year period. I am particularly proud of having received two State of Georgia awards for contribution to the judiciary (1994 and 1999). My church associations have given me the opportunity to serve as Lay Leader in a church, Intake Counselor in a church Outreach program in Southern Pines, North Carolina and also the same position in our church Outreach program. I have also served as a Lay Reader and Usher at our church and have conducted some adult education programs at our church and some other churches as well. My community service work includes serving as Executive Vice-President of a Boys Club in Albany, New York and participating in helping to raise funds for charitable organizations.

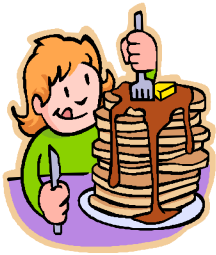
Thank you for considering me for this position.



Stephanie Turner – I am a cradle Episcopalian and have always been active in the Episcopal Church. I spent my youth at Camp Mikell and worked on several Diocesan National Boards as a teen-ager. As a member of St. Margaret's since the 1960's I have been on the vestry several times, served as Junior Warden, been a search committee member, worked in the Thrift Shop and served on the altar guild. I am currently the President of the ECW, a paper pantry volunteer, and a lay reader. In my secular life I am a mother, grandmother and retired teacher's assistant of Carrollton Elementary School. I will bring my experience and love of St. Margaret's to the vestry.



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Golden Kiwanis / Southwire

“All You can Eat” Pancake Breakfasts

Every Saturday in February 2009 from

7:30am - Noon at the

The Mansion by S&R - ballroom

Tickets are \$6.00 each and are

available in the church office.



ANNUAL MEETING

St Margaret’s annual meeting will be held on Sunday, January 25, between the services. We

will be electing four new vestry members at the meeting. Please see pages 1 and 2 for the slate of candidates.

Remember every ticket we sell Outreach keeps half the cost of the ticket.



Dinner Hosts needed for EYC! Please sign up on the kitchen bulletin board.

Shrove Tuesday Planning Meeting: February 1st during Sunday School Hour

All students, parents and teachers in the J2A (8th & 9th Grade) class are asked to attend a planning meeting to assign duties & responsibilities for the Annual Low Country Boil Fundraiser. Please contact Laura Lenaeus if you are unable to attend.

SAVE THE DATE:

ANNUAL SHROVE TUESDAY

LOW COUNTRY BOIL

FEBRUARY 24th!

Live Music,
Silent Auction,
Great Food!
Tickets: \$20

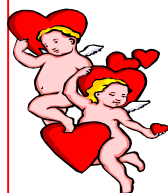


St. Margaret’s monthly Adult Education Forum

will be held on Wednesday, February 4, 2009 from 7:30-8:30 pm.

February’s forum will be led by

Dr. Fran Chalfont who will discuss the author Thomas Hardy.



ST MARGARET’S ECW ANNUAL VALENTINE LUNCHEON will be held on Thursday, February 12, 2009 in St. Margaret’s Parish Hall. Tickets are \$15.00 each and are available through the church office and on Sundays from members of the ECW. (Proceeds of luncheon go to St. Margaret’s Community Outreach).

Volunteers are needed to help set up and break down tables for the luncheon as well as washing dishes between the servings. If you have a card table we could use for the luncheon please contact Stephanie Turner at 770-8347519.



JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 03-Jan Emma Engel
- 05-Jan Carole Mitchell
- 06-Jan Taylor Gordon
- 08-Jan Angie Hall, Gordon Ramsey
- 09-Jan Elizabeth Crafton, Gail Lumpkin,
Sandy Stephens, Troy Baker
- 10-Jan Taylor Foreman
- 11-Jan Liz Key, Beth Richards, Mavis Watts
- 12-Jan Meg Popwell
- 14-Jan Michael Williams, Julie Williard
- 15-Jan Linwood Reed, Dede Chase, Mathew Basil
- 17-Jan Trey Fleck
- 18-Jan Gittle Sciolis
- 19-Jan Tim Jones
- 20-Jan Mary Kathryn Denmon, Bill Doxey,
Ronnie Hitchcock, Bonnie Cooper
- 22-Jan Hue Maierhofer
- 23-Jan Van Wilks, Benjamin Doxey, Ron Harrell
- 24-Jan Peg Irwin, Will Denney
- 25-Jan John Yates, Georgia Meagher
- 26-Jan Gloria Johnston
- 27-Jan Ron Berard, Kathryn Coe, Bunchie Engel
- 28-Jan John Gerber, Sally Bobick
- 29-Jan Martha Goodson
- 31-Jan Olive Godwin

JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

- 16-Jan Bob & Deloris Covel
- 30-Jan Max & Sandy Stephens

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 01-Feb Bo Carter, Ann Stone, Sloan Wilson
- 02-Feb Lisa Crafton, Matt Price, Marcy Alexander,
Cate Paul
- 03-Feb Drew Greene, Wayne Wheeler
- 04-Feb Guyton Cochran
- 05-Feb Randy Coggins, Meg Griffin,
Christopher Keene
- 06-Feb T.C. Ulbricht
- 07-Feb Nancy Farese
- 08-Feb George Akin
- 09-Feb Holly Greene, Elaine Miller, Alice Jakubiak
- 12-Feb Thomas Griffin, Beth Price
- 13-Feb Elizabeth Wilson, Liam McDonald
- 15-Feb Dustin Brewer

- 19-Feb Pauline Rodwell, Laurie Fleck
- 20-Feb Susan Gerber, Ellis Godard, Chris Lindahl
- 22-Feb Cyndy Crow, Elaine McKinnon,
Diane Fulkerson
- 26-Feb Joe Cumming, Charlie Fortner
- 27-Feb Valerie Erwin, Tony Hall
- 28-Feb William Keene, Lillian Powers

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

- 07-Feb Tim & Sally Jones
- 13-Feb Reese & Mimsie Lanier
- 14-Feb Lee & Tammy Griffin
- 18-Feb Randy & Elisabeth Coggins
- 26-Feb Jim & Angela Cunningham

DID WE LEAVE YOUR BIRTHDAY OR ANNIVERSARY OFF OUR LIST? CALL JULIE IN THE CHURCH OFFICE, 770-832-3931 OR EMAIL: STMARGARETS@CHARTERINTERNET.COM WITH THE DATES.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS	
Jan 25	Annual Meeting
Feb 2	Thrift Shop Clean-up - 9:00am
Feb 4	Adult Education Forum - 7:30-8:30
Feb 12	Valentine Luncheon
Feb 13-16	EYC Ski Trip, Valle Crucis
Feb 22	“Kilowatt Ours” A program sponsored by Georgia Interfaith Power and Light to engage communities in Creation Care 3:00 - 4:30 pm in the Parish Hall.
Feb 24	Shrove Tuesday, Low Country Boil
Feb 25	Ash Wednesday, 12:00 noon and 7:30 pm

JANUARY 25, 2009

	9:00	11:00
Crucifer	Catherine Lindahl	Tom Fitzpatrick
Bookbearer	Olivia Castleberry	Joshua Howell
Taperer	Delaney Paul Cate Paul	

Altar Guild Georgia Keene, Nancy Disinger, Diana Rash, Carolyn Stone

Children's Church Karen Adams

Layreaders	9:00	11:00
	Bob Sullivan	Jim Uglum
	David Lovvorn	Patrick Malloy

Ushers	9:00	11:00
	Elisabeth Coggins	David Basil
	Randy Coggins	George Lenaeus

Thrift Shop

January 23

10:00 - 1:00	Liz Key, Pete Croft
1:00 - 2:30	Pamela Saunders

January 24

10:00 - 1:00 Don and Fran Chalfont

Paper Pantry Jan Uhlich, Dottie Hamrick

January Hostesses Susan Souligny, Sandy Stephens, Angie Hall, Lisa Crafton, Sloan Wilson, Melissa Willis

January Vestry Person of the Month Guyton Cochran

February 1, 2009

	9:00	11:00
Crucifer	Zachary Gordon	Catherine Lindahl
Bookbearer	Wrenn Parrish	Alice Sawyer
Taperer	Julia Bernhardt Lucy Hughes Parrish	

Altar Guild Diane Fulkerson, Lisa Crafton, Gloria Johnston,

Children's Church Jo Fortner

Layreaders	9:00	11:00
	Mike Coker	Julie Lindahl
	Rose Coker	Chris Lindahl

Ushers	9:00	11:00
	Kevin Bernhardt	Bob Graf
	Jim Rash	Peter Weimer

Thrift Shop

January 30

10:00 - 1:00	Liz Key, Kathie Schoerner, Diana Rash
1:00 - 4:00	Emily Cumming, Susan Lenaeus

January 31

10:00 - 1:00 Jeanette Bernhardt, Roseanne Godsey

Paper Pantry Pam Saunders, Elaine Holmes

February Hostesses Monica Adams, Carolyn Cary, Jan Uhlich, Mandy Maierhofer, Julie Cain, Jo Hunsicker, Judy Reed, Julie Parrish

February Vestry Person of the Month Judy Reed

PRAYER LIST

Our parish family: Nicole, Katherine, Sumner, Luke and Jack, Jan, Alice, Georgia, Chris, Annalee, Sarah, Margaret, Joe, Bertha Ann, Tim

Family and friends: Jackie, Lainey, Nicky, Brenda, Tina, Barbara, Murphy, Lois, Henry, Lisa, Jeanette, Renee, Maya Ruby, Gladys, Clara, Brenda, Laura, Elizabeth, Cynthia, Dorothy, Hazel, Carmen, Kathy, Kim, Jackson, Bruce, Jane, Gene, Sylvia, Paula, Betty and Scott, Mark, Mary, Jim, Steven, Larry, David, Alexis, Bede, David, Steven, Steven, Mitchell

Military: Walker, Steven, Lyle, Doug, Jessie, Matthew, Sarah, Robert, Elizabeth, Will, Jordan, Stacey, William, Andrew, William

“Our prayer unites us” The intercessory prayer group meets on Wednesdays at 12:00 NOON and is followed by the celebration of the Eucharist at 12:15PM. You are welcome to join us for this very important intercessory ministry. Anyone desiring intercessory prayer, or if you have someone you would wish to nominate to receive the blessing of these prayers, please contact Nancy Elder or Julie. We will pray for people for a period of one month and then we need to be advised if additional *time is needed* As it is important to keep this intercessory list current, please plan on advising us when the need for specific prayer for an individual has terminated. This will prevent us from having a long unwieldy list of persons no longer in need.

ST. MARGARET’S VESTRY

Bruce Bobick - Sr. Warden
Randy Coggins - Jr. Warden

Guyton Cochran
Cindy Hull
Tony McGaughey
Catherine Minor
Andra Morris
John Muffley
Hugh Mitchell
Judy Reed
Lin Reed
Susan Souligny



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