



St Margaret's Notebook

January 31, 2008

From the rector

It was early evening

somewhere between twilight and night
dark enough to see the full moon and the clouds
yet light enough to make out the cows standing in the road
and the huge splintered hole in the white fence.

After deciding the cows must belong to the house way off the road

I turned in the drive which took me past
a lake, a barn, and a swimming pool with a slide
before dumping me out at the back door of the house.

I slammed the car door and spoke in a loud voice
fearing dog or gun security at this Ponderosa.

The danger, it seemed, was out on the road and not at the house
for there was no guard dog or shotgun barrel
only the ringing of an unanswered phone.

Journeys are like that.

You think you know where the road will take you,
then you're surprised when it all changes
or you have to swerve to miss an obstacle.

Traveling always involves risk, but it is a risk worth taking.

I am convinced we all are on a journey toward the sacred.

Sometimes God comes into clear view yet
at other times we left wondering if anyone is at home.

Twelve of our youth will be taking a pilgrimage

to Canterbury and Southern England in late May.

Unlike a vacation, a pilgrimage is a spiritual quest of the sacred.

Pilgrims travel to places where others have found God.

We will say prayers in the Archbishop's Chapel at Lambeth Palace
where kings and queens have prayed for centuries.

We will learn much about our Anglican heritage by visiting
cathedrals and monasteries as well as places inhabited by

Thomas Cramner (author, first Book of Common Prayer),
Henry VIII and C. S. Lewis.

I expect the Holy Spirit will surprise us many times along the way.

Thank you in advance for your prayers and support,

Hayes +

Shrove Tuesday
Low Country Boil
February 5th, 2008
At 6pm
in the
Rose Parish Hall
Live Music!
Great Food!
Silent Auction!
Tickets: \$15 each
(\$20.00 at the door)

Hosted by our J2A Pilgrims and parents,
proceeds benefit their summer 2008 Pilgrimage
to Canterbury and Southern England.





ASH WEDNESDAY

The service times for our Ash Wednesday services will be 12:00 noon and 7:00 pm on February 6.



NEW SENIOR WARDEN - Bruce Bobick has been named the new Senior Warden by the Rev. Hazel Glover.



ST MARGARET'S ECW ANNUAL VALENTINE LUNCHEON February 14, 2008

St Margaret's Parish Hall

Tickets are \$15.00 each and are available through the church office and on Sundays from the ECW.

Proceeds of luncheon go to St Margaret's Community Outreach



Golden K Kiwanis / Southwire

"All You can Eat" Pancake Breakfasts

Every Saturday in February 2008 from

7:30am - Noon at the

Maple Street Mansion

Tickets are \$6.00 each and are available in the church office. Remember every ticket we sell Outreach keeps half the cost of the ticket.



VESTRY ELECTIONS: At the annual meeting held on Sunday, January 27, Guyton Cochran, Andra Morris, John Muffley, and Tony McGaughey were selected to serve three year terms on the Vestry.

Wizards and Wonders

A Hero's Journey
With Harry Potter

An Intergenerational
Vacation Bible Experience



Developed by
Trudy Ardizzone

Your presence is requested

at

Hogwarts School for Wizard and Witches

By way of the Coleman Street 9 3/4 platform

Wednesday evenings during the season of Lent

February 13th, 20th, 27th, March 5th, 12th

6:00 – 7:00 pm

Simple Supper, Movie Clips and program for ages 4 and up.

Nursery care will be provided for toddlers and infants.

This week we will observe several special days within the liturgical year. Candlemas and Transfiguration are both Feasts of our Lord, Shrove Tuesday is a day of preparation and Ash Wednesday begins the season of Lent.

Candlemas

Celebrated on February 2, this feast celebrates the presentation of Jesus in the temple and the purification of the Virgin Mary found at the end of the Gospel of Luke's birth narrative (Luke 2:22-40). Candlemas is a medieval term referring to the custom of blessing candles and a procession. It is customary to bless all of the candles used in the parish for the coming year on this day.

Transfiguration

This feast is celebrated on the last Sunday in Epiphany, forty days before Christ's crucifixion. On this day we commemorate the culminating point of Jesus' public ministry (his baptism is the beginning and his ascension is the end) and his transfiguration on the mountaintop before Peter, James and John (Matt. 17:1-6). The liturgical color for this day is white.

Shrove Tuesday

Shrove Tuesday is an English term for the day preceding Ash Wednesday and the last day of "Shrovetide" or the Carnival season. Also known as Mardi Gras, Fasching, Carnival, and Pancake Day, this day is traditionally a pre-Lenten party characterized by elaborate parades and masquerade balls. Lent is a time of fasting and abstinence, therefore it was customary to get rid of all of the luxurious foods so that only the plainest food would be available during Lent. Items such as milk, eggs and sugar were considered to be very rich and needed to be disposed of prior to the required Lenten fast. Pancakes and doughnuts were an efficient way of using up these ingredients and they also provided a feast before the fast. "Shrove" is the past tense of the Old English stong verb "shrive" meaning to forgive. Following the Anglo-Saxon tradition, Shrove Tuesday is an excellent occasion for private confession and absolution. It is also great time to read the Exhortation (pg. 316 BCP) and to say farewell to the "Alleluia" by burying it.

Ash Wednesday

This coming Wednesday is Ash Wednesday and the beginning of the Lenten penitential season. This service is one of public penitence for common sins (Shrove Tuesday is for individual sins). It is one of two fast days, the other being Good Friday. Typically ashes are distributed during the service on the forehead with the sign of the cross. In biblical and early Christian tradition covering the head or sitting in ashes was a sign of repentance, sorrow, and mourning (see the book of Job). Many Christian churches understand the use of ashes as an appropriate way to mark the beginning of Lent. Traditionally the ashes are made by burning the palm leaves that have been blessed the previous year on Palm Sunday.

The observance of Ash Wednesday originated in the early church when those whose notorious sins caused scandal within the community were excommunicated from the church. During their excommunication these people endured a period of penitence (Lent) consisting of sackcloth and ashes, fasting and prayer, intercession of the faithful, and they were dismissed from the church service before Eucharist. Readmission to Eucharist was usually done as part of the Easter Vigil with a laying on of hands by the bishop.

Meredith+

Rite 13 Celebrities

Our Celebrities...
In their own words.



Kelsey Cain - My name is Kelsey Cain. I am thirteen years old. I am in the eight grade at Carrollton Junior High School. I play French Horn in the concert band and Mellaphone in the marching band. I love hanging out with my friends. I have one nine-year-old sister named Jackie. I also have two twin dogs, Fred and Ginger. I love to read books, especially fantasy or historical fiction. I have a huge collection of them at home.

I have been at St. Margaret's for what seems like all my life. I came here when I was two, and I've loved every minute of it. I love all the fun activities, like the Christmas Pageant and the Easter Egg Hunt. I also love the Pumpkin Patch, and the ski tip. St. Margaret's is such wonderful place, that I love every second I spend there.

Maia Hart - I am Maia Hart. I turned 13 on August 19th. I am in 8th grade at Carrollton Jr. High. I am in band, beta, FBLA, and yearbook. My favorite sport is dance. I've been dancing for about 8 years at Carrollton Academy of Dance. I love hanging out with friends and making new ones. I have an amazing family. I have a seventeen year old sister, Haley, that has been a great role model. And I have a loving, caring mother and father, that have encouraged me with everything I have done. I've been attending St. Margaret's for most of my life. It's given me a second family that I can always count on and be myself with.

St. Margaret's has been a wonderful part of my childhood and I'm excited to enter as a young adult.

Ellen Brady-McGaughey - My name is Ellen Brady-McGaughey. I turned thirteen December 21st. I am in the seventh grade at Carrollton Junior High School. I play the flute in the band and sing soprano in the chorus. I am also in the Beta club and I love to play softball. Along with these activities, I love taking art lessons at the Blue Heron Art Studio, on the square. Even though I've not been at St. Margaret's long, I already feel at home here.

Jack Bernhardt - I was born in Carrollton GA on August 12, 1994. My Dad can always remember the day I was born because it was the same day the Baseball Players Strike of 1994 started and my Mom and Dad couldn't watch any games while they were waiting for me to be born. August 12th is also the same time as the annual Perseid Meteor Shower. The meteor shower is very cool and I like that it always comes around on my birthday.

I lived in Georgia with my Mom and Dad until I was four years old. My Mom, Dad and I moved to Concord, New Hampshire in April of 1998. We moved to New Hampshire so my Mom could go to law school in Concord. I really liked living in New Hampshire and my best friend Gus still lives there. I'm also pretty happy we came back to Georgia because now we are close to all my grandparents.

We moved back to Villa Rica in November of 2003 and I am in the 7th grade at Villa Rica Middle School. I play Soccer in the Recreation League and for my school. My favorite things to do are playing soccer, hanging out with my friends and playing with my little brother Trey and sister Julia.



A STEP AT A TIME 2008

5K / 10K ROAD RACE

1 MILE FUN RUN & TOT TROT

to benefit

CARROLL COUNTY EMERGENCY SHELTER

... seeking to conquer Domestic Violence...
"A STEP AT A TIME"



WHEN: Sunday, February 24, 2008

TOT TROT 2:00 pm
1 MILE FUN RUN immediately following TOT TROT
5K/10K RUN 2:15 pm

WHERE:

EAST CARROLLTON RECREATION CENTER
410 NORTH LAKE DRIVE
CARROLLTON, GEORGIA

T-SHIRTS:

ALL PRE-REGISTERED 5K/10K & 1 MILE PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE A T-SHIRT. A LIMITED NUMBER OF SHIRTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THOSE REGISTERING ON RACE DAY.

REGISTRATION:

PLEASE PRE-REGISTER BY MAIL USING THE FORM BELOW. RACE DAY REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 1:00 pm.

QUESTIONS: CONTACT GARY JENKINS (678)795-0115 OR CATHERINE GORDON (770)836-9056

**From Atlanta take I-20 West to Exit 24. Exit and turn left (South) onto Highway 61 to Carrollton (12 miles.) At Highway 166 Bypass (just past Ryan's Steakhouse) turn right. Go to second left and turn left onto North Lake Drive. Recreation Center immediately on left.

ENTRY FEES:

5K/10K RUN & 1 MILE FUN RUN \$15.00
(MUST BE RECEIVED BY 2/14/08)
DAY OF RACE REGISTRATION 20.00

AWARDS:

FOR 5K AND 10K WINNERS: TOP MALE & FEMALE OVERALL; TOP MALE & FEMALE MASTERS; TOP 3 MALES & FEMALES IN FOLLOWING AGE GROUPS: 10 & UNDER, 11-14, 15-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75 & OVER.
RIBBONS TO ALL 1 MILE & TOT TROT FINISHERS.

FOODS & LIQUIDS AT RACE FINISH.

10K COURSE USATF CERTIFIED.

JOIN US IN OUR DISPLAY OF HOPE IN THE FIGHT AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. WEAR ANYTHING YELLOW AND GET A PRIZE !!



A STEP AT A TIME ENTRY FORM

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>EVENT: CIRCLE ONE</u>
<u>ADDRESS</u>		5K/10K RUN \$15.00
<u>CITY</u>	<u>ST</u>	<u>ZIP</u>
<u>AGE (AS OF 2/24/08)</u>	<u>SEX (CIRCLE ONE)</u>	M F
		TOT TROT FREE

SCHOOL/ORGANIZATION

PLEASE MAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM ALONG WITH CHECK (\$15 BEFORE 2/14, \$20 AFTER 2/14) PAYABLE TO:

CARROLL COUNTY EMERGENCY SHELTER
P. O. BOX 2192
CARROLLTON, GA 30112

**5K & 10K COURSES WILL RUN SIMULTANEOUSLY. RUNNERS MAY ELECT TO RUN EITHER 5K OR 10K DISTANCE.

WAIVER: IN CONSIDERATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF THIS ENTRY, I, THE UNDERSIGNED, INTEND TO BE LEGALLY BOUND, HEREBY, FOR MYSELF, MY HEIRS, EXECUTORS, AND ADMINISTRATORS, WAIVER AND RELEASE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS AND CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES I MAY HAVE AGAINST CARROLL COUNTY EMERGENCY SHELTER, INC. OR ITS SPONSORS, OFFICIALS, WORKERS, REPRESENTATIVES, SUCCESSORS, ASSIGNS, FOR ANY AND ALL INJURIES SUFFERED BY ME IN THIS EVENT.

SHIRT SIZE: CIRCLE ONE
ADULT S M L XL
YOUTH S M L XL

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN (IF ENTRANT IS UNDER 18)



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

01-Feb Bo Carter, Ann Stone,
02-Feb Lisa Crafton, Matt Price,
Marcy Alexander, Cate Paul

03-Feb Courtney Fitzgerald, Drew Greene,
Wayne Wheeler

04-Feb Guyton Cochran

05-Feb Jeanne Baret, 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,
Heather Nicole

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

Feb 5 Shrove Tuesday, Mardi Gras Low
Country Boil (J2A fundraiser)

Feb 6 Ash Wednesday Services:
12:00 noon & 7:00 pm

Feb 13 Intergenerational Lenten Supper
Series: Harry Potter

Feb 15-18 Youth Ski Trip to Valle Crusis

Feb 20 Intergenerational Lenten Supper
Series: Harry Potter

Feb 27 Intergenerational Lenten Supper
Series: Harry Potter

Mar 3 Hunger Walk in Atlanta

Mar 5 Intergenerational Lenten Supper
Series: Harry Potter

Mar 12 Intergenerational Lenten Supper
Series: Harry Potter

Mar 16 Palm Sunday

Mar 20 Maundy Thursday Liturgy - 7:00 pm

Mar 21 Good Friday
Stations of the Cross - 12:00 noon
Good Friday Liturgy - 7:00 pm

Mar 23 Easter Sunday
9:00 am Eucharist - flowering of the
Cross
10:10 am Easter Egg Hunt
11:00 am Eucharist

Mar 24 OFFICE CLOSED

February 3, 2008

	9:00 am	11:00 am
Crucifer	Allison Gordon	William Keene
Book Bearer	Aaron Reynolds	Alice Sawyer
Taper	James Cochran	Will Cochran

Altar Guild Susan Lenaesus, Jeanne Condrey, Marcy Alexander

Children's Church Karen Adams, Linda Parmer

Lay Readers	9:00 am	11:00 am
	Randy Denmon	Chris Lindahl
	Diane Fulkerson	Julie Lindahl

Ushers	9:00 am	11:00 am
	David Reynolds	David Basil
	Amanda Reynolds	Richard Smith

Thrift Shop

Feb 1

10:00 - 1:00 pm	Gail Manley, Liz Mathews
1:00 - 4:00 pm	Emily Cumming, Max Stephens

Feb 2

10:00 - 1:00 pm Roseanne Godsey, Teresa Perdue

FEBRUARY HOSTESSES

Mary Aderhold, Julie Cain, Carolyn Cary, Deloris Covell, Jo Hunsicker, Julie Parrish, Judy Reed, Alice Robinson, Marlene Uglum

PAPER PANTRY Jan Uhlich, Jo Hunsicker

VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH Judy Reed

February 10, 2008

	9:00 am	11:00 am
Crucifer	Michelle Foreman	Rob Cooper
Book Bearer	Zachary Gordon	Tom Fitzpatrick
Taper	Taylor Foreman	Joe Shook

Altar Guild Julie Lindahl, Marion Foreman, Julie Foreman, Andra Morris, Alice Jakubiak

Children's Church Mary Alice Cochran, Nichole Bush

Lay Readers	9:00 am	11:00 am
	Jo Fortner	Stephanie Turner
	Jim Cunningham	Bunny Godard

Ushers	9:00 am	11:00 am
	Guyton Cochran	Bob Graf
	Taylor Gordon	George Lenaesus

Thrift Shop

Feb 8

10:00 - 1:00 pm	Jo Hunsicker, Diana Rash
1:00 - 4:00 pm	Nancy Disinger, Carmenlydia Morgan

Feb 9

10:00 - 1:00 pm Jan and Neal Uhlich

FEBRUARY HOSTESSES

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PAPER PANTRY Jan Uhlich, Jo Hunsicker

VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH Judy Reed

PRAYER LIST

Our parish family: Nicole, Katherine, Sumner, Luke and Jack, Larry, Joann, Jan

Family and friends: Ethan, Annalee, Jackie, Lainey, Eddie, Jon, Betty, Angela, Steve, Jamie, Virginia, Hubert, Bryan, Randy, Nicky, Georgina, Caitlin, Stan, Larry, Brenda, Tina, Hope, Philip, Andrew, Eileen, Ray, Esther, Kathleen, Anne, Theresa, Tina, , Lee, Billie, Mary Anne, Murphy, Jeff, Lois, Clem, Lisa, Cy, Frank, Steve, Mike, Sandra, Charlotte, Brian, Mike, David, Lisa, Newbern

Military: Walker, Steven, Drew, Lyle, Doug, Jessie, Matthew, Sarah, Robert, Elizabeth, Marshall, Will, Jordan

Deaths: Candace Mae Williams

PRAYER REQUESTS may be submitted by emailing Julie at Stmargarets@charterinternet.com or by phone 770-832-3931.



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ST. MARGARET'S VESTRY

Julie Cain - Sr. Warden

Randy Coggins - Jr. Warden

Ron Adams

Jeanette Bernhardt

Bruce Bobick

Cindy Hull

Catherine Minor

Hugh Mitchell

Bill Parrish

Judy Reed

Lin Reed

Susan Souligny

VESTRY COMMISSIONS

Parish Life - Judy Reed, Randy Coggins

Pastoral Care - Susan Souligny, Jeanette Bernhardt

Worship - Cindy Hull, Jeanette Bernhardt, Ron Adams, Judy Reed

Grounds & Operations (Acquisitions / Strategic planning) - Lin Reed, Randy Coggins, Julie Cain, Bill Parrish, Bruce Bobick

Christian Formation - Catherine Minor (Youth), Bruce Bobick (Adult)

Finance - Bill Parrish, Randy Coggins, Lin Reed, Susan Souligny, Cindy Hull

Outreach - Hugh Mitchell, Bruce Bobick

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