



From the rector

I have so many images of the people of St. Margaret's just from last weekend that if all were photographed I could easily create a massive collage. All stir up joy and pride within me. I'd like to share just a few with you.

I cherish the image of Wright Roenigk dressed in a #45 Trojans jersey standing with his sister, Marion, in her Trojans cheerleading outfit greeting the Carrollton High School football team as they filed off buses into our parish hall for dinner. Later, when the 150 players were seated Wright worked the crowd, chatting not only with his hero, #45 Zach Gordon, but with all of the players.

On Saturday morning, there's the image of Julie Williard dancing with the wolf (the UWG mascot) before the community spilled out of the coliseum for the Cystic Fibrosis Walk.

I wish I had an actual photo of your Senior Warden and Meg, the family dog, taking the walk. I'm not sure if Bill was walking her or if Meg was walking Bill.

I would need a video to capture the deep sense of community that occurred just before the outdoor service of the Blessing of the Animals began. As it started to rain, you all came together like our own team of 150 to move the outdoor chapel inside in minutes.

Perhaps the most powerful experience of community happened for me on Sunday night, in the rain, as the largest crowd in pumpkin patch history gathered to unload an entire truck of very large pumpkins.

I'm reminded of the Frederick Beuchner quote:

"The grace of God means something like: Here is your life. You might never have been, but you are because the party wouldn't have been complete without you."

Thank you for being a part of the party at St. Margaret's,



**Nicky and Sila Lee**, the best selling authors of *The Marriage Book* and pioneers of *The Marriage Course*, the *Marriage Preparation Course*, the *Parenting Course* and *The Parenting Teenagers Course* will be at St. Margaret's on Sunday, October 16. They will conduct a Sunday School class in the parish hall.



Join us in welcoming our new Organist / Choirmaster, George Chesnut, who begins his tenure on Sunday, October 16, 2011.

We say good bye to Alan Cowart who has completed his parish discernment with us. His last Sunday will be October 16.



**EYC at St. Margaret's  
for all 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders!**

**OCTOBER**

16 Pumpkin Patch, 5- 7 pm  
We'll be working in the patch and having a scarecrow-building competition — bring props from home for your creation. Prizes will be awarded!

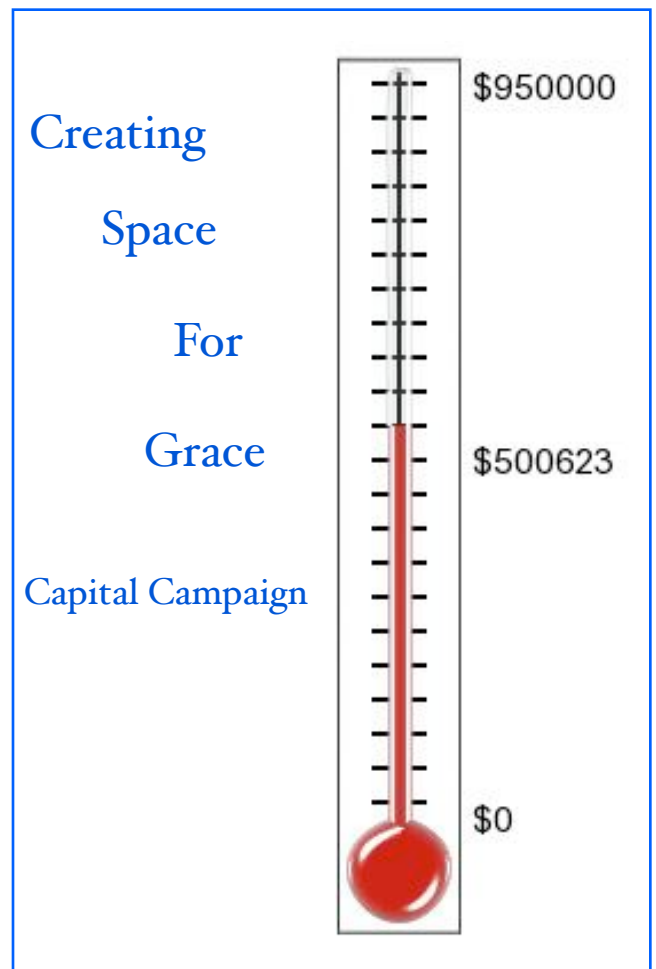


23 Pumpkin Patch, 5-7 pm  
More work in the patch to support our J2A class AND the annual favorite, a game of pumpkin bowling.

30 Halloween Movie night, 4 –7 pm  
Come in costume and be ready to get spooked at this dinner and a movie event.

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** meeting will be Thursday October 20th at 10.00.a.m.

**St. Margaret's will host a Safeguarding God's Children training on on Sunday, November 20, from 11:30am to 2:30pm.** All member who are Sunday School Teachers, Vestry Members, Youth Leaders, Children's Church shepherds, nursery workers and children's commission members are required to attend the training. Please contact the church office to register.



**Readings for Sunday October 16**

- Exodus 33:12-23
- Psalm 99
- Colossians 3:12-18
- Matthew 22:15-22.



## Blessing of the animals



### EMPTY PET BOWLS

Sponsored by Carroll County Humane Society



**WHAT IS EMPTY PET BOWLS (EPB)?** EPB is designed to provide help for struggling pet owners in Carroll County who are having financial problems feeding their pets. The program will provide food for up to three animals for up to a year. (Those with more animals can ask for an exception, and we are very lenient)

The food is distributed a month at a time. Pet owners can obtain a month's supply of food each time they make a request but must wait a month to get more.

**WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE HELP FROM EPB?** We provide help to persons in Carroll County who receive any form of government assistance (including unemployment or social security), those whose family income is less than \$30,000 per year, and those who have suffered a disruption such as a fire, theft, or natural disaster.

**HOW DO I OBTAIN FOOD?** Food is distributed to individuals receiving assistance at the Manna House and is also available on a regular basis at the Carroll County Animal Shelter. Those needing assistance can come to the shelter during regular business hours (M-Sat 8-5) and make a request, which shelter staff will fulfil on our behalf.

**HOW CAN I HELP?** We invite you to join CCHS in assisting persons in our community whose circumstances might lead them to give up a pet because they are unable to feed the animal. Contributions of pet food can be placed in containers in various locations around town. **Donations may be made at the following locations:**

TRACTOR SUPPLY KROGER HORTON'S BOOK STORE THE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER	CARROLL COUNTY ANIMAL HOSPITAL DIETECH INDUSTRIES ST. MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
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**PUMPKINS ARE  
HERE!!!**  
Please sign up to work a  
shift in the patch in the  
kitchen



**OUR EIGHTH ANNUAL SALE IS UNDERWAY**

Thank you to the many volunteers who turned out Sunday night to unload the pumpkin truck and to the parish life committee for cooking dinner for the workers. We had a record turnout from the under 18 crowd and plenty of adult help, too. This years crop is beautiful, with some of the largest pumpkins we've ever received from our supplier in New Mexico. All profits from the sale will support the 2012 J2 A Pilgrimage. Spread the word about the patch to your friends and neighbors in town - prices start at 50 cents and go up from there. The patch is open daily from 11 am - 7 pm through October 31st. See you in the patch!



**YOU ARE NEEDED IN THE PUMPKIN PATCH**

Please review the list of open shifts and contact the church if you are available to volunteer, or sign up on the pumpkin patch calendar located in the church kitchen. Volunteers greet and assist visitors in the patch and are also responsible for the cash box. All proceeds from the patch support youth pilgrimage at St. Margaret's.

Thank you!

Friday, October 14  
5 - 7:30 pm

Saturday, October 15  
1 - 3:30pm  
3 - 5:30 pm

Sunday, October 16  
ALL SHIFTS FILLED

Monday, October 17  
11 am -1:30 pm  
3 - 5:30 pm  
5 - 7:30 pm

Tuesday, October 18  
1 - 3:30 pm  
3 - 5:30 pm

Wednesday, October 19  
1 - 3:30 pm  
3 - 5:30 pm

Thursday, October 20  
11 am-1:30 pm  
1 - 3:30 pm  
3 - 5:30 pm

Friday, October 21  
11 am - 1:30 pm  
1 - 3:30 pm  
3 - 5:30 pm  
5 - 7:30 pm

Saturday, October 22  
1 - 3:30 pm  
3 - 5:30 pm  
5 - 7:30 pm

Sunday, October 23  
11 am - 1:30 pm  
5 - 7:30 pm

**ATTENTION ACOLYTES, LAY READERS,  
CHILDREN CHURCH SHEPHERDS,  
USHERS, and THRIFT SHOP WORKERS -**

The schedules for **November 2011 through January 2012** will be prepared soon. Please let Julie in the church office, 770-832-3931 or [stmargaretsga@gmail.com](mailto:stmargaretsga@gmail.com) know of any dates that you will **not** be able to serve.

**The new schedule will be emailed on  
October 21, 2011.**



The Church office will be moving to their

temporary location at 305 Tanner St., on November 1, 2011.

# Carrollton High School's Performing Arts Department

Presents

## A Night of One Acts

An evening filled with laughter, memories, drama, love and music!

### "Competition Piece" by John S. Wells (Samuel French, Inc.)

Presented by the CHS Freshman performing arts class. Three groups of students prepare for a drama competition, and they could not be more different. From a romance to meatheads to an artsy King Lear, this sweet and funny story will have you laughing as you remember high school days of cliques and stereotypes.

### "Hush Little Celia, Don't Say a Word" by Joseph Wallace (Baker's Plays)

CHSPA'S Sophomore class brings to life a deep and thoughtful play about love, psychology, and what happens to kids when they go unheard. The honesty of this play is guaranteed to move both the audience and the play's participants in a most profound way.

### "Children of Eden" Music and Lyrics by Stephen Schwartz, Book by John Caird (Music Theatre Int'l.)

The Juniors and Seniors of CHSPA's Advanced Class present the ageless story of Noah, but with intriguing subplots of forbidden love and a father's difficulties with letting go of his grown son to make his own decisions - good or bad. With moving music and elaborate costumes - Noah, his ark, his family, his Father, and his amazing animals are sure to delight and keep the audience thinking - long after the curtain falls!

Megan Hooper is the Poet in *Hush Little Celia, Don't Say a Word*

Melanie Hollenstein plays the role of "Yonah" in *Children of Eden*

**Thursday, October 20, 2011, beginning at 6:00 p.m.**

**Carrollton High School's Joshua Mabry Arts Center  
in the Brenda Sue Holcombe Theatre**

**Tickets - \$7.00**

**See all three performances for one low ticket price!**

**For more information, call 770-834-2116**

**Advanced tickets available in the Front Office at Carrollton High School.**

Looking for entertainment for your holiday event?

Directed by Brenda Sue Holcombe, the CHSPA Show Choir is 25 of Carrollton's brightest and most talented young people who are sure to offer an evening to remember for your holiday guests.

For information and bookings, contact 770-834-2116 or email

[Terri.Fazio@carrolltoncityschools.net](mailto:Terri.Fazio@carrolltoncityschools.net)

### PRAYER LIST

**Our parish family:** Katherine, Olive, Jan, Nicole, Dave, Barbara, Betsy, Dennie

**Family and friends:** Sylvia, Katherine, Jim, Paula, Elizabeth, Mett, Brennen, Barry, Charlotte, Alexis, C.J., Donn, Bob, Tom, Drew, Anne, Sharon, Garry, Bill, Betty, Martha, Jan, Helen, Bobbye Jean, Gilbert, Larry, Jennifer, Alex, Mac, Jacob, Karen, Oliver, Ray, Elizabeth, Bob, Cheryl, Geri, Mary, Josh, Erik, Linda, Kenneth, Beverly, Stewart, Hayden, Tony, Bill, Linda

**Military:** Steven, Drew, Lyle, Doug, Matthew, Jordan, Stacey, William, Justin, Alex, Larry, Joseph

<b>OCTOBER 16, 2011</b>			<b>OCTOBER 23, 2011</b>		
	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>		<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>
<b>Crucifer</b>	Zachary Gordon	Ellen Brady-McGaughey	<b>Crucifer</b>	Elizabeth Crafton	Austin Mashburn
<b>Bookbearer</b>	Harper Minor	Wrenn Parrish	<b>Bookbearer</b>	Will Crafton	Daniel Reed
<b>Taperer</b>	Hue Maierhofer Maddie Grace Maierhofer		<b>Taperer</b>	Alice Naughton Lucy Hughes Parrish	
<b>Layreaders</b>	Debbie Pyles Jo Fortner	Pauline Rodwell Judith King	<b>Layreaders</b>	Jim Cunningham David Lovvorn	Julie Lindahl Chris Lindahl
<b>Ushers</b>	Susan Fleck Steve Minor	Tony McGaughey Chimen Rogers	<b>Ushers</b>	Susan Fleck Steve Minor	Tony McGaughey Chimen Rogers
<b>Children's Church</b>	Catherine Minor		<b>Children's Church</b>	Bonnie Cooper	
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Liz Key, Jeanette Bernhardt, Fred Bernhardt, Rose Dufour, Cindy Hull		<b>Altar Guild</b>	Judy Reed, Debbie Pyles, Karen Adams, Marsha Daniel	
<b>Thrift Shop</b>			<b>Thrift Shop</b>		
Oct 14 10-2:00	Nancy Disinger, Betsy Prince		Oct 21 10-2:00	Mary O'Neill, Kathie Schoerner	
Oct 15 10-1:00	Pam Griffin, Val Howell		Oct 22 10-1:00	Deloris and Bob Covel	
<b>October Paper Pantry</b>	Dottie Hamrick, Susan Fleck		<b>October Paper Pantry</b>	Dottie Hamrick, Susan Fleck	
<b>October Hostesses</b>	Carol Mitchell, Angela Cunningham, Marsha Daniel, Margaret Hickson, Mary Hooper, Sally Jones, Gail Manley		<b>October Hostesses</b>	Carol Mitchell, Angela Cunningham, Marsha Daniel, Margaret Hickson, Mary Hooper, Sally Jones, Gail Manley	
<b>Vestry Persons of the Month</b>	Mary Hart / Stephanie Turner		<b>Vestry Persons of the Month</b>	Mary Hart / Stephanie Turner	

### **OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

01-Oct Matt Hall, Randy Denmon,  
Zachary Gordon, Beth Graf,  
Don Denney, Marsha Daniel

02-Oct Fred Bernhardt, Julie Parrish, Grant Wilson

03-Oct Peter Weimer, Rebecca Hébert

04-Oct Kevin Bernhardt

05-Oct Julie Lindahl, Ruthie Collins

06-Oct Toby Saunders, Charlie Willis

07-Oct Lily Parmer, Tom Fitzpatrick

08-Oct Jennifer Colditz, Misty Doxey

09-Oct Lydia McLendon

10-Oct Talley Bass

11-Oct Ronnie Howell

12-Oct Brad Wilks, Bill Cofield

13-Oct Tobin Hart

15-Oct Mary Godard

17-Oct Stephanie Turner, Rebecca DeGaris,  
John Dean Uglum,  
Mark Edwards-Opperman

18-Oct Andra McGill, Georgia Keene,

19-Oct Allison Gordon, Irene Berard, Jeff Roper

20-Oct Bridget Bobick, Xander Adams,  
Jonathan Adams

24-Oct Stacey Brown, Beverly Colditz,  
Liam Hulstine

25-Oct Kelsey Cain, Bruce Bobick, Sandra Huey

26-Oct Meghan Sullivan, Rob Cooper

27-Oct Amy Rash, Jaime Rash, Katy Greene,  
Bill Cox, Tim Glenn

28-Oct Barbara Paul

29-Oct Monica Adams, Steve Adams

### **OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES**

01-Oct Joe & Emily Cumming

06-Oct Jim & Diana Rash

10-Oct Robert & Christine Swanson

12-Oct Trey & Laurie Fleck

16-Oct Trae & Sloan Wilson

19-Oct Chris & Julie Lindahl

23-Oct Patrick & Pam Castleberry