



St Margaret's Notebook

September 27, 2007

From the rector,

I am intrigued by the plot line of the new TV series "Life."

"Charlie Crews spent 12 years of his life in prison for a triple homicide he did not commit. During that time he lost everything - his wife, his friends, and his fellow cops.

Back on the force, he is back on an old case - his own."

I am hooked for lots of reasons:

I love stories. I am drawn into mysteries.

If I ever were to write a book, it would be a complex and unobvious, open mystery, like real life.

The TV Show hints at this complexity:

"Charlie believes everything is connected - victims, bystanders, witnesses, even his new partner."

I admit it. I am a story addict.

Stories remind me that we are all connected not necessarily as partners in crime, but as partners in life.

Stories of all genres bring me back to the truth of the greatest story ever told:

God with us,
loving us, delighting in us,
holding us accountable, forgiving us,
and hoping for us.

I call that mystery: complex, open and deep.

It is the mystery of Love.

In peace and trust,

ADULT EDUCATION: This month's presentation / discussion on Wednesday, October 3 at 7:30 pm will be given by Patrick Malloy. Patrick will speak on *God and Money: Can you be competitive in business and maintain Christian ethics and values?*

A lifelong metro Atlanta and Carrollton resident, Patrick Malloy received his Bachelor degree in Economics and Political Science from Vanderbilt in Nashville, Tennessee in 1989. From 1990 – 1992 he worked in the Risk Management and Mergers and Acquisitions departments for Southwire Company in Carrollton.

From 1992 – 1994 Patrick attended Pepperdine University in Malibu, California, where he received his MBA. During this time, he was employed by Frole/Revy, a mergers and acquisitions private investment bank in Los Angeles. In 1994 Patrick purchased a division of his family's business and moved back to Carrollton with his wife, Carole. That business has evolved into two operating entities: (1) Patrick Malloy Communities, which closed on over 400 homes in 2006 with revenue above \$80mm and (2) Builders Station, a four-store chain which sells building supplies to general contractors.

Patrick and his wife Carole have two children, Zoe and Scout.



**PLEASE HELP US
"PAMPER" THE BABES!**

WHAT: COLLECTION OF ALL SIZES OF DISPOSABLE DIAPERS

WHEN: SEPT. 16TH, 23RD, 30TH

WHERE: DROP OFF PACKAGES IN PARISH HALL

WHY: HAPPY, HEALTHY BABIES NEED CLEAN DIAPERS



St. Francis Day Celebration
Sunday, October 7th at 4 pm in
St. Margaret's Episcopal
Church Memorial Garden

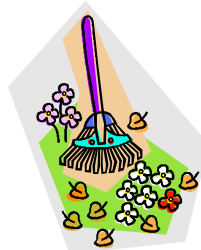
Blessing of the Animals

Bring the whole family for a fun afternoon outside.

Animals of all kinds are welcome!

Please remember all pets must be securely leashed or caged at all times for their own health and safety, and that of others. If you have an animal that doesn't travel well, feel free to bring a picture or some other symbolic object to be blessed.

EYC CALENDAR



SEPTEMBER 30th Fall Service Project, 5 – 7 pm. Caring for the church grounds: We will plant fall annuals in our garden, and lay pine straw in the beds surrounding the church.

Dinner Host: The Harts

OCTOBER



7th Dinner at church and Dessert at Gallery Row, 5-7 pm
Dinner Host: _____

14th Work in the Pumpkin Patch, 5 – 7 pm Put them to bed, neaten rows, decorate a "Mr. or Mrs. Pumpkin Head", or just run and play in the sea of orange that our churchyard becomes.

Dinner Host: _____





First Baptist Church
 102 Dixie Street, Carrollton
Invites you to come and hear

Dr. Fred Craddock

**Sunday, October 14, 2007
 11 am & 6 pm Worship**

Fred's name should be familiar. You've heard me quote him often. Come out and hear one of the great storytellers in person. You will not be disappointed! Hazel+

Dr. Fred B. Craddock is Bandy Distinguished Professor of Preaching and New Testament, Emeritus, in the Candler School of Theology. An ordained minister of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Dr. Craddock has served pastorates in Tennessee and Oklahoma. He is the founding pastor of Cherry Log Christian Church and the present director of The Craddock Center, a program for serving the needs of people of Southern Appalachia.

In addition to preaching and teaching widely at church assemblies and ministers' conferences, Dr. Craddock has served as guest professor at other seminaries. He was selected by Newsweek as one of the twelve most effective preachers in the English speaking world.

Dr. Craddock has written a number of books, including The Pre-Existence of Christ, As One Without Authority, Overhearing the Gospel, and many commentaries.




West Georgia MEMORY WALK
 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2007
 Location: LAKESHORE PARK TRACK
 Registration: 4:00 pm
 Walk begins: 5:00 pm

Our goal in 2007 is to raise monies and provide care and support to the area families of those with Alzheimer's disease. These families need our help; by participating in Memory Walk you can make certain they receive it. Join us as we take steps to make Alzheimer's just a memory.

GET INVOLVED IN MEMORY WALK
 FORM A TEAM
 (3 or more people)
 WALK AS AN INDIVIDUAL
 (raise \$100 or more and receive a long sleeve 2007 Memory Walk t-shirt)

Please register now by visiting our website at WWW.ALZGA.ORG
 Or calling Vivian Miller at (770) 854-8642 or Brenda Hand at (770)-834-2593

With your help, we can make Alzheimer's disease just a memory.



The Pumpkins are coming!!

The pumpkins will be here on Monday, October 8 at 4:30 pm. All are invited to come unload the pumpkins and set up our front lawn for the annual patch. Don't forget to bring your wagons and wheel barrels. Are you signed up to work in the patch? We need everyone to volunteer for a shift. Together we will make this year our best ever for sales and fun. To sign up for a shift see the patch calendar on the kitchen bulletin board or call the church office.



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

26-Sep Anita Burbage, Noah Newborn
27-Sept Daniel Reed, Hutton Markwalter
28-Sept Jessica Dobbins

29-Sep Margaret Bass, Bailey Maierhofer
30-Sep Mike Coker

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

01-Oct Matt Hall, Randy Denmon, Zachary Gordon,
Beth Graf, Don Denney,
02-Oct Fred Bernhardt, Julie Parrish
03-Oct Peter Weimer
04-Oct Kevin Bernhardt
05-Oct Julie Lindahl, Ruthie Collins
06-Oct Toby Saunders, Patrick Norrell
07-Oct Lily Parmer, Tom Fitzpatrick
08-Oct Jennifer Colditz, Misty Doxey
10-Oct Talley Bass
11-Oct Ronnie Howell
12-Oct Brad Wilks, Artie Richards
13-Oct Tobin Hart
14-Oct Marshall Yates
15-Oct Mary Godard
16-Oct Rupert Dobbins
17-Oct Stephanie Turner, Rebecca DeGaris,
John Dean Uglum, Mark Edwards-Opperman
18-Oct Andra McGill, Tom Richards, Georgia Keene,
Willie Dobbins
19-Oct Allison Gordon, Irene Berard
20-Oct Bridget Bobick
22-Oct Leverett Butts
24-Oct Stacey Brown, Beverly Colditz
25-Oct Kelsey Cain, Bruce Bobick, Ward Pafford
26-Oct Meghan Sullivan, Rob Cooper
27-Oct Lauren Deems, Katy Greene, Jaime Rash,
Amy Rash, Bill Cox
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
15-Oct Tom & Cornelia Richards
19-Oct Chris & Julie Lindahl
23-Oct Michael & Elizabeth Williams

**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

Sept 30 10:10 am - Adult Inquirer's Class begins
12:30 - Newcomer's Luncheon
5-7:00 pm EYC
Oct 1 Thrift Shop Clean up 9:00 am
Oct 3 Adult Education Presentation / Discussion:
Patrick Malloy: *God and Money*
7:30 pm in the Parish Hall
Oct 7 4:00 pm - Blessing of the Animals
5-7:00 pm - EYC Fall Service project
Oct 9 ECW Meeting - 12:00 noon
Vestry Meeting - 7:00 pm
Oct 14 Fred Craddock at 1st Baptist Church -
6:00 pm
Oct 18 Thrift Shop Work Day - 9:00 am
Oct 28 4-5:00 pm - All Hallows Eve Monster Mash
Nov 7 Adult Education Presentation / Discussion:
Lew Larson: *Native North American Religion*
7:30 pm in the Parish Hall
Nov 11 EYC
Nov 13 ECW Meeting - 12:00 noon
Vestry Meeting - 7:00 pm
Nov 16-18 Happening Retreat, Camp Mikell
Nov 18 St Margaret's Day - Bishop Alexander visit,
Confirmation
5-7 pm Youth Homework Helper Stocking
Nov 25 Advent Wreath Making, NO EYC
Nov 30 Jr. NYC Retreat, Camp Mikell

September 30, 2007

	9:00 am	11:00 am
Crucifer	Christopher Keene	Haley Hart
Book Bearer	Randy Hooper	William Keene
Taper	Wrenn Parrish	Lucy Hughes Parrish

Altar Guild Georgia Keene, Nancy Disinger, Diana Rash, Pauline Rodwell

Children's Church Mary Alice Cochran, Bonnie Cooper

Lay Readers

9:00 am	11:00 am
Taylor Gordon	Hugh Mitchell
Jo Fortner	Diane Fulkerson

Ushers

9:00 am	11:00 am
Guyton Cochran	Bob Graf
Tom Parmer	Mary Hart

Thrift Shop

Sept 28
 10:00 am - 1:00 pm Debbie Pyles, Diana Rash
 1:00 - 4:00 pm Elaine Holmes, Carmenlydia Morgan

Sept 29
 10:00 am - 1:00 pm Margaret Hickson, Teresa Perdue

VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH Bruce Bobick

October 7, 2007

	9:00 am	11:00 am
Crucifer	Allison Gordon	Sam Goodson
Book Bearer	Noah Newborn	Tom Fitzpatrick
Taper	Megan Hooper	Harper Minor

Altar Guild Susan Souigny, Lisa Crafton, Andra McGill, Diane Fulkerson, Gloria Johnston

Children's Church Catherine Minor, Nichole Bush

Lay Readers

9:00 am	11:00 am
Kerry Penney	Richard Smith
Bill Shook	Patrick Malloy

Ushers

9:00 am	11:00 am
Dan Cain	David Basil
Steve Minor	Tom Foreman

Thrift Shop

Oct 5
 10:00 am - 1:00 pm Liz Key, Liz Mathews
 1:00 - 4:00 pm John Muffley, max Stephens

Oct 6
 10:00 am - 1:00 pm Roseanne Godsey, T.B.A.

VESTRY PERSON OF THE MONTH Catherine Minor

PRAYER LIST

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

Family and friends: Ethan, Annalee, Jackie, Betty, Lainey, Eddie, Jon, Patsy, Betty, Angela, Summerville, Steve, Jamie, Virginia, Hubert, Bryan, Randy, Bernice, Nicky, Georgina, Edward, Sarah, Caitlin, Stan, Larry, Brenda, Carlton, Tina, Carolyn, Hope, Connie, Joan, Philip, Simone, Skyler, Ashley, Andrew, Eileen, Annie Mae, Ray, Esther, Kathleen, Cody, Brad, Anne, Theresa, Tina, Margaret, Herschel

Military: Walker, Steven, Drew, Lyle, Doug, Jessie, David, Matthew, Sarah, Robert, Marshall

Deaths: Clarice Spruell Cox

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

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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