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Sunday, August 22, 2010
Pacific Springs Golf Course
16810 Harney

Omaha, Nebraska 68118

Texas Scramble — Tee Off at 1:30 p.m.

\$60.00 per player

Includes: Green fees, cart, and dinner

Don't golf? Join us for dinner at 6:30 p.m. - \$10.00

Proceeds benefit the Alleluia Fund!



From Dean Hurley

CHANGE IS IN THE AIR

When I arrived at the Cathedral in 1995, "The Chimes" was a going concern. While it had been in publication for a very long time, the recent incarnation of our church "newsletter" had been edited since 1991 by our faithful parishioner, Linda Gardels. I really didn't have to give "The Chimes" much attention because it was always printed in a timely manner and kept the congregation informed of the many activities that we so enjoy. Linda has done an exemplary work and ministry with this publication.

A few weeks ago, Linda asked to speak with me and informed me that the time had come for her to resign this voluntary position. Needless to say I was very sorry to hear of this decision but I accepted it as graciously as possible. As we have learned from Bishop Burnett's decision to relocate in Maryland, the time comes in all situations for change. As long as we continue to believe in the abiding presence of God with His Church and with those individuals called to serve, all will be well. I cannot thank Linda enough for her long and faithful service. She is a faithful servant of Christ and a valued friend and companion in the



Sept. 12
Cooper Farms

Trinity's
Annual
Picnic
& Eucharist

SAVE
THE
DATE!

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KEEPING IN TOUCH

The three Trinity Stephen Ministers are often asked, "How is it that you can be a Stephen Minister and still take vacations and do all the things a busy person must do? After all, aren't you supposed to visit your care receiver weekly?" Our Stephen Ministers do enjoy their personal one-on-one time with their care receivers, but they have found that a post card or note from a place far away is a real treat to our care receivers. A special holiday card or a phone call on a non-scheduled day is a good way to let our friends know that we do care about them. We think of them often and pray for them daily. It's a joy to keep in touch – no matter what the method.

If you would like to learn more about the Stephen Ministry program or know someone who could benefit from a Christian care giver, please contact Deacon Ellen Ross.



SAVE THE DATE!

ST. MARY'S GUILD

CHRISTMAS DINNER

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11

(new day this year)

Field Club

7th Annual Trinity Treasures Sale at St. Andrews a Success

Thank you to all who contributed their keepsakes and time to make the sale our most productive ever. In addition to our outreach projects, we have contributed \$1,000 to the Organ Fund from our proceeds. Again, thank you to all friends of the Cathedral who support our efforts.



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ALTAR GUILD UPDATE



The Altar Guild has three vacancies and another two are anticipated in October. Our group is aging. We need a person willing to assist the Altar Guild/Sacristans for 30 minutes following the 8:30 a.m. service, one Sunday per month, and two persons to do likewise following the 10:30 a.m. service. Training and support will be given. Please call the church office (342-7010) to be put in contact with a Team Leader. Thank you.

Virginia Gessert, Directress

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Holy Eucharist and Homily.....8:30 a.m.
Choral Holy Eucharist and Sermon.....10:30 a.m.
Nursery available at 10:30 service.

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Holy Eucharist (Nativity Chapel) Tuesdays at 12:10 p.m.



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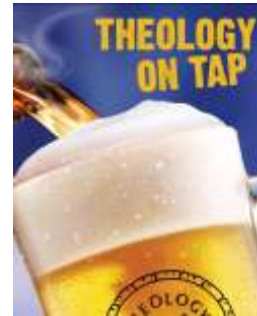
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THIS SUMMER!**

All those "young at heart" are welcome at the next [Theology on Tap](#) get-together, Friday, [July 30 at 7:00 p.m.](#) Details in bulletin or by calling Becky Lowe, becky@beckylowe.com or 402-708-9215. Join us for drinks and lively spiritual conversation.

From Dean Hurley

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faith. Please find a way to thank her for her service.

I really didn't know where to turn. Who would be willing to take on this important work for the Cathedral? I was going to say that "as luck would have it" but I don't think that luck had anything to do with it. I had the enjoyable opportunity to take the Sacrament to Stan and Joan Standifer and to visit with them in their home. Stan has been recovering very well from knee surgery and I was pleased to see them both back at the Cathedral last Sunday. Joan mentioned that she would like to become more involved at the Cathedral. Hearing that I said, "I don't know if you would be interested but I need a new editor for "The Chimes." Joan immediately said, "I would do that." My breath was almost taken away. "As luck would have it?" I don't think so. For me, that was a grace-filled moment. As God's grace carried Linda through these many years, that grace found its way to Joan as she now picks up the mantle of service.

With any transfer of leadership, some change is bound to follow. Joan and I will be working together as we consider the various instruments of communication now available to us. Electronic communication certainly has its place but a tactile document seems to continue to offer a more personal touch. Joan will bring her expertise and experience and help lead us us into this new era.

Thank you, Linda, for a job well done. Thank you, Joan, for your commitment to the future. We have powerful witnesses in our midst.

The Very Rev'd Thomas J. Hurley
Dean and Rector



**Sunday School/
Godly Play** and the
Nursery at 8:30 will all
start back up on Sun-
day, **September 19th.**

Happening #32

Happening is a weekend of exploring the Christian faith first-hand in the context of the tradition and worship of the Episcopal Church. The weekend is planned and run by youth for youth!!! It is intentionally structured to bring high school aged youth together to build community, have fun, and to share the Christian faith as experienced in the lives of other high school youth.

WHEN : September 4th - 6th, 2010

WHERE: St. Luke's Church in Kearney

WHO: Any youth entering grades 9-12
are welcome to attend.



Liturgical Notes

During the summer months, our liturgy at the 10:30 Eucharist is designed to be simpler and somewhat shorter. The choir is "on vacation," and we sing less service music. There are two lessons instead of the usual three, and the psalm is omitted. In addition to organ music, some Sundays will feature volunteer vocal and instrumental soloists from within our own congregation. During August and early September, you will hear vocal solos by Glenn Smith, Sue Senden, Dominic Green, and Helen Chapple, a vocal trio by Tara Cowherd, Janeen Jensen, and Becky Lowe, and horn solos by Larry Siegler.

Thank you to our volunteer soloists and instrumentalists who have already offered their talents in worship this summer: Katherine Jarvis, Janeen Jensen, Tara Cowherd, Margaret Cahill, and Becky Lowe.

We hope that you will find these liturgical changes to be a good fit for the more relaxed Sundays of June, July and August. The Cathedral Choir returns in September after Labor Day and the annual Cathedral picnic.

