

**The Sunday News**  
**November 29, 2020**

**Note to the Parish-**

In response to orders issued in the past week by the Ohio Department of Health, Gov. Mike DeWine, and the Commissioners of Columbus and Franklin Co. Public Health, and in compliance with the guidelines set forth by the Diocese of Southern Ohio, Worship services will be available On-line Only. In-person worship has been suspended until further notice. Additionally, the church office will be open by appointment only.

*"Give presents with purpose this year -- donate \$25 to Freedom a la Cart and receive a box of **CAUSE COOKIES!** Freedom a la Cart brings hope to survivors of sex trafficking and exploitation so they can build new lives of freedom and self-sufficiency. With each \$25's donated to Freedom's Cause Cookie campaign, you'll receive a beautifully packaged box of fresh, from-scratch holiday cookies. Your gift of \$50 (2 boxes) provides one month of supportive services for a local survivor. Order online today through visiting Freedom a la Cart's website, at <https://freedomalacart.org/cause-cookies/>. Order 4 boxes or more and receive free delivery from Freedom a la Cart any weekday from Dec 1-23rd. Free Pickup at is available on **Sunday December 13, 2-3pm at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church**. Instructions on how to order and more info can be found in the November Breastplate and on the website above.*

**Franklin Co. Children Services** will be providing Christmas for several thousand children under their care. Due to COVID, they are asking that donors purchase \$50 gift cards to Walmart or Target instead of actual presents. St. Patrick's members have always generously supported these children and while we won't have the fun of purchasing that special toy we can still make it a wonderful holiday for them. Please mail or bring your gift card to church by December 6. Questions? Call Laura Leach.

**Advent at St. Patrick's:** Traditionally during the season of Advent, we find ways as a parish to enrich our experience of this holy time and find deeper meaning in the stories of the faithful as we prepare for the birth of Jesus. This year, a Sunday evening service will be made available on our YouTube channel beginning at 5:30pm honoring special Advent Saints and celebrations.

*Advent 1, November 29*

The Feast of Kamehameha and Emma of Hawaii

*Advent 2, December 6*

The Feast of St. Nicholas

*Advent 3, December 13*

Our Lady of Guadalupe

*Advent 4, December 20*

The Annunciation: A Celebration of Mary, the Mother of Jesus!

**As Christians should we support the death penalty or its abolition?** This is a timely question, as views are changing in the Ohio legislature toward abolition. On Saturday, December 5, 2020, from 9:30 am to 12 pm, St. John's Episcopal, Worthington, in conjunction with Ohioans To Stop Executions (OTSE), will be presenting a seminar, via Zoom, on the death penalty. We will have five speakers: 1) Hannah Kubbins from OTSE, who will provide an overview of the status of the death penalty in Ohio, 2) an individual falsely convicted of murder, now exonerated, 3) an individual whose family member was murdered who is against the death penalty, 4) an individual representing a conservative political viewpoint who is against the death penalty, and 5) Teri Foley-Nelson from St. Johns who will discuss what the scriptures have to say about the death penalty. This promises to be a lively discussion. There is no fee. The seminar will be taped for later presentation in other parishes throughout the diocese of southern Ohio. If you are interested in attending please contact Teri Foley-Nelson, [foleynelson1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:foleynelson1@sbcglobal.net) and I will sign you up.

**Education**

**Adult Forum: Sundays at 11:00am on Zoom:** We continue on *The Path* with a discussion of Chapter 10: Determined to Have a King. We'll hear how the child Samuel, born to faithful Hannah, grows up to be prophet and priest to kings. And in a few weeks, we will hear more of the story of one of Ruth's descendants, who is an even more important priest and prophet. Join us- you won't want to miss what happens next.

**EYC Sunday Nights** meets at 6:30pm on Zoom. The link is mailed to youth and parents weekly. Contact Mother Cameron to receive youth emails. This week: Fun Night.

**Children's Chapel at Home Kits** are being prepared for December. If you would like to receive these monthly resources for faith formation at home, contact Mother Cameron. **Virtual Children's Chapel** is a way to engage with Children's Christian formation on-line. The classroom is updated prior to Sunday morning each week. Access the Virtual Children's Chapel via [this link](#).

**Outreach**

**Dublin Food Pantry** Dublin Food Pantry also still needs their regular supplies for the weekly pantry This month's most needed items are: Ramen Noodles, Cans of Soup, Pasta or Rice sides, Canned Vegetables, Mac N Cheese boxes, Pancake Mix (regular size). They also give out Feminine Pads, Laundry Detergent, Baby Diapers (sizes 5-6) and miscellaneous toiletries Bring items to the pantry: 81 Bridge Street, Dublin or put them in the wagon in the church breezeway Or, contribute online: [Food Pantry](#)

**On the Calendar**

**Worship Team**

**Sunday, November 29**

Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m.  
 Adult Forum at 11:00 a.m.  
 Sacred Circle at 11:00 a.m.  
 Hawaiian Christmas Service at 5:30 p.m.  
 EYC at 6:30 p.m.

**Monday, November 30**

EfM Extension at 9:30 a.m.

**Tuesday, December 1**

Men's Group at 7:00 a.m.  
 EfM at 7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, December 2**

Spiritual Direction at 10:30 a.m.  
 Holy Eucharist at 12:00 p.m.

**Thursday, December 3**

Later in the Day Saints at 10:30 a.m.

**9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist**

**Preacher:** The Rev. Cameron O'Riley  
**Celebrant:** The Rev. Cameron O'Riley  
**Lay Reader:** Matt Lewis  
**Deacon:** The Rev. Rob Rideout  
**Music Director:** Jennifer Bell

**Calendar Key**

**Red:** Streamed on **You Tube** and will be available there and posted on **Facebook** after the service if there is a disruption in the streaming.

**Blue:** Meeting via Zoom invitation. If you would like to participate in a Zoom and do not receive a link, please contact the clergy. For **Coffee Hour**, please see Zoom link in Stephen's email with the bulletin.

**Black:** Event will be held in person with a limited number of participants with safety measures in place and if it is a service, it will also be available to watch on YouTube.

**Birthdays this Week**

Elliott Cline	Luke McCarthy	Katie Rapp	Doug Sladoje
Mary Edwards	Quinn Montgomery	John Rucker	Pam Straley
Will Givens	Ike Phelps	Ryan Schildknecht	Ray Turner
Nancy Goddard	Wiley Phelps	Tasia Sicker	

**Anniversaries this Week**

Rick & Margaret Robinson	Wayne & Suzanne Holliday
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