



THE GREEN SHEET

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CLERGY NEWS - Welcome to **The Rev. Christiana Olsen** who has been called to be Rector of St. Francis, Gulf Breeze effective August 1st. She has been serving in the Diocese of Dallas. Welcome also to **The Rev. Susan Sowers**, a recent graduate of Virginia Theological Seminary and recently ordained Deacon in the church, who is coming to be the Curate (once ordained priest) at St. Christopher's, Pensacola effective July 1st. Finally, welcome to **The Rev. Matt Dollhausen**, an ELCA priest, whom the Bishop has licensed to officiate in the Diocese. Pastor Matt can be reached at (850) 375-4485, in Pensacola.

STANDING COMMITTEE - will meet **Wednesday, July 7th**, 11:00 a.m., at the St. Paul's, Magnolia Springs. Anyone having business to come before the Standing Committee should get that information to Vince Currie by June 30th.

FRESH START - Take a break for June and July. The remaining Fresh Start dates for 2010 are: **August 19th**, **September 16th**, **October 21st**, and **November 18th**. If you have any questions about this program, please call Salem Saloom, (251) 867-6464, or e-mail him at sawbonz@saloom.net.

2010 CLERGY CONFERENCE - Clergy continue to hold the dates for 2010 clergy conference: **September 12th - 14th**. Look for more information and registration forms for this meeting.

GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD - A hunger and food security workshop is being co-sponsored by the Diocese, along with AlabamaPossible (from the Alabama Poverty Project), set for **Tuesday, June 22nd**, 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Dauphin Way United Methodist Church in Mobile. Registration is \$15, which includes light breakfast and lunch. This workshop will provide resources to address hunger in south Alabama (and surely other areas as well). For additional information or to pre-register, go online to: AlabamaPossible.org/rsvp

PLANNED GIVING WEBINAR - The Episcopal Church Foundation is continuing its service to the Diocese and the wider church with a free webinar offered for planned giving leaders. Learn the basics of planned giving, how it differs from annual stewardship and capital campaigns, how parishes can build endowments from life income gifts, and a plan of action. All lay and clergy leadership are welcome to participate. The webinar will be held on **September 8th** and **October 6th** from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Eastern Time (5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Central Daytime Time). To participate you need a computer (PC or Mac) with an internet connection and a phone or a headset. Call Jim Murphy at the Episcopal Church Foundation, (800) 697-2858 for materials and instructions.

ECW FALL CONFERENCE - Women are reminded to hold the dates **October 8th - 10th** for the annual ECW Fall Conference. This year the conference will be at our own Beckwith Camp and Conference Center! The Rt. Rev. Charles F. Duvall, second bishop of the Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast will be the guest speaker. More information will be coming to all congregations.

CURSILLO 2010 - The next Cursillo is #143 - **November 4th - 7th**.

ORGANIST/CHOIR DIRECTOR - St. Monica's, Cantonment is looking for an Organist/Choir Director whose duties will include one Choir practice per week and one Sunday service per week. Interested parties contact St. Monica's at (850) 937-0001 or e-mail office@stmonicas.gccox.com, or call The Rev. Milledge Baker at (251) 359-7677 or e-mail frmilledge@gmail.com

PLANNED GIVING QUOTE - **“Such a simple thing as the giving of yourself - giving thought on this, time, help or understanding - will trigger the cycle of abundance!”** *Norman Vincent Peale*

HEALTH TIP - “Social networks, whether formal or informal, make people less vulnerable to ill health and premature death!”

ANNOUNCEMENTS TO BE PUBLICIZED IN THE *GREEN SHEET* SHOULD BE SENT TO CARMEN KIMMONS BY THE FIRST OF THE MONTH PRIOR TO THE *GREEN SHEET* PUBLICATION!

DIOCESAN OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED - Monday, July 5th in recognition of Independence Day. Everyone please have a safe holiday!

COMING EVENTS

Commission on Finance	Jun 14	Diocesan office
Senior High Beckwith Summer Camp	Jun 14 - 20	Beckwith
Give us this Day our Daily Bread workshop	Jun 22	Mobile
Special Ministries Summer Camp	Jun 23 - 27	Beckwith
2 nd & 3 rd grade Beckwith Summer Camp	Jun 30 - Jul 2	Beckwith
8 th & 9 th grade Beckwith Summer Camp	Jul 6 - 12	Beckwith
Standing Committee	Jul 7	St. Paul's, Magnolia Springs
6 th & 7 th grade Beckwith Summer Camp	Jul 15 - 21	Beckwith
5 th & 6 th grade Beckwith Summer Camp	Jul 24 - Jul 30	Beckwith
4 th & 5 th grade Beckwith Summer Camp	Aug 2 - 6	Beckwith

BISHOP DUNCAN'S CALENDAR

Visitation	Jun 13	St. Andrew's, Panama City
Commission on Finance	Jun 14	Duvall Center
Visitation	Jun 20	St. Michael's, Ozark
Fact-finding trip with Christians for Fair Witness NGO	Jun 21 - 30	Israel/Palestine
Independence Day Holiday	July 4	Office Closed
Standing Committee meeting	July 7	St. Paul's, Magnolia Springs
Visitation	July 11	St. Patrick's, Panama City
Visitation	July 18	St. John's, Mobile
Visitation	July 25	St. John, Wewahitchka
Visitation	Aug 1	St. Michael's, Ozark
Vacation	Aug 2 - 31	traveling & Austin, TX

QUOTE FOR VACATION TIME: "Sing out loud in the car, even, or especially, if it embarrasses your children!"