

Good News Gardens - Join the Movement to Plant, Prayer, and Proclaim ! Breaking New Ground at St Andrews and Holy Communion



This Spring a new [Goods News Garden](#) will be installed at [St Andrews and Holy Communion](#) in South Orange. The garden will include pollinator beds, a patch for black berries, a kitchen garden, and a garden for the Sunday School and Youth Programs. Donations are welcomed for this Creation Care Agrarian Ministry endeavor, and anyone or any group interested in volunteering for the installation and/or assisting with on-going care can contact [Messiah's Outreach Team](#). The first meeting for Letter Writing for Free Seeds will be held during one of their annual FishFry Events on March 3 from 5-7pm. Work days will be scheduled this spring to help with installation. Carpooling can be arranged.

Other Ways to Support This Ministry...

The foundational GNG motto of ***Plant, Pray, and Proclaim*** can be applied by all by using the following steps:

1. **Plant:** Commit to planting more than you would under average circumstances in order to share the bounty. This may mean you plant one window box of herbs when you have never planted any, or you add an extra row to your garden or an extra hen to your flock.
2. **Pray:** Commit to praying daily for our church and our world to form loving, liberating, life-giving relationships with all of Creation through the better use of our land – personally and communally. Not sure where to start? Don't worry, GNG will be sending a monthly email with scripture, prayer, and practical resources.
3. **Proclaim:** Commit to proclaiming the love of God through word and example by sharing your Good News Garden commitment, status, and story via social media channels, and personal testimonies (A great place to begin is by joining the [Agrarian Ministries Group](#) on Facebook).