ANNOUNCEMENTS

All people who have been baptized with water in the Name of the Holy Trinity are invited to receive Communion with us today. Children may receive at their parent's discretion. If you are a visitor or a newcomer, please fill out one of the cards in the pew and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher. The Book of Common Prayer, or Prayer Book, is the red book in the pews. Page numbers are denoted in the bulletin with the shorthand "BCP". The Hymnal is the blue book. The "S" numbers indicate Service music found in the front of the Hymnal, while the other numbers are hymns found in the latter section of the book.

Children are welcome to participate fully in our worship. However, for your convenience, we provide nursery care for children, infant (minimum 8 weeks old) through preschool, during our 10:30 service in Room 1 of All Saints Hall.

We ask your prayers for, Anne Alexick, Pamela Alsop, Etta Baker, Laura Ball, Peggy Baxter, Michelle Bell, David & Fran Bland, David Bourne, Robin Bruckner, David Cain, Catherine Cash, Darley Family, Scott Coleman, Ann Connolly, Wayne Cox, Vivian DeShazo, Julianna Dove, Allan Dummo, Jennifer Eagle, Kim Edwards, Scott Edwards, Ruthann Elms, Alexandra Engstrand, Audrey Federbush, Mary Frazier, Calib Garland, Joan Gere, Jennifer Gibson, Will Gibson, Fred Goshin, Rose Goshin, Allan Gummo, Dana Houck, Robert Kay, Joseph Kenkel, Lester Kidd, Nick & Ronni Knepp, Allen Lake, Krista Sirna Lee, Charles Linton, Marc Family, Colleen McElfresh, Justin Massey, Patsy Meadows, Angie Morgan, Frances Morris, Cheryl & Dick Moynahan, Jeff Nohren, Heather O'Neill, Missy Pixton & Family, Selena Rave, Doug Reeve, Bill & Jane Shumaker, Steve Smallwood, Argyle Smith, Bill Smith, Stephanie Smith, Nick Southers, Sybil Southers, Jeanne Stoddard, Keri Stromski, Brian Sturgill; Larry Stutler, Evelin Reed, Eileen Sidereas, Christine Strait, Michele Van Pelt, Daneene Tyson, Emilie Wieland, Tim Wienckowski, Roger Williams, Mike & Frank, Herb, Janice, Judy and Bill, Noelle & Tru, Mary Rose, , Veronica. (New names added are bolded.)

Please join us in the Great Hall for fellowship following the 10:30 service. We'd love for you to sign up in the Communications Center to host fellowship for a special occasion or no reason at all.

The 2018 Flower Chart is posted in the Communications Center. Think of whom you would like to honor by donating flowers on a specific Sunday, sign up for that date and fill out a crème colored card with the specifics and leave it in the basket in the Communications Center or put it in the collection plate. Donations are still \$25 and on the memo line of your check, please write **Altar Guild.**

Our Lenten Family Friday Pizza Nights & Adult Forum started last Friday and will continue every Friday evening until March 23, from 6:00 to 7:30 PM, our Lenten Family Friday Pizza Night program will meet in the Great Hall of All Saints Hall. We start to eat pizza at 6:00, break into two groups of youth (with their own special program) and adults at 6:30, then finish by 7:30. Sign up at the Pizza Box in the Communications Center. The adult program is: Who are we? Whom are we seeking?

YES, SPRING IS COMING!! Please mark your calendars for our annual Spring Cleanup on March 10, 2018 with a rain date of March 24. Our starting time to begin work is 9 AM; come early and enjoy coffee and doughnuts, which will be provided. Come out, enjoy the fellowship and remember that many hands make light work!

The Education Commission. We are in need of a Coordinator or two for Vacation Bible School. Training and guidance will be provided. Please volunteer for these very important positions in assisting our youth <u>and</u> our church. Please contact Jill Bates at wenger1986msn.com.

The Congregational Survey is now available at the back of the church, in the Communications Center, or an online version of the survey can be obtained from a link on the church website or by contacting lbates7@su.edu. All surveys are due March 1 and can be turned in at church or mailed back to the church office.

The Search / Nominating Committee for our second Bishop Suffragan would like to conduct Listening Sessions to gather people's views about the desired characteristics for the next Bishop Suffragan. This information will be used in our Diocesan profile to help candidates understand their vital role in working collaboratively with Bishop Johnston and Bishop Goff to take our Diocese into the future. The new Bishop Suffragan will have Campus Ministry as one of their responsibilities, so insight from regions supporting local campus ministries will be helpful. A member of the Committee will be

present. In the Fredericksburg Region (formerly Region 1), sessions are scheduled for 7:00 PM at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 5486 St. Paul's Road, King George on Monday, February 26th and at Trinity Episcopal Church, 825 College Avenue, Fredericksburg on Tuesday, February 27th. This is an opportunity for you to have your voice heard in the selection process. We look forward to seeing you at one of these meetings. A short survey is also available here for you to share your opinions about the search: http://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/Y5jyiI9GZn45V6ma2bQSf2

The Christ Church family offers its sympathy to Doreen Fagiano and her family on the recent death of Doreen's aunt, Alberta Zero. "May her soul and the souls of all the departed, by the mercy of God, rest in peace."

Boy Scout Troop 165 Selling Mulch. Again, this year, our Scouts are selling mulch. Please help support our boy and venture scouts. Order forms are available at the Communications Center. Please contact Bob McGann at (540) 273-0592 or mcgannjr@gmail.com for additional details or more information.

FREE Tree and Shrub Trimming Class offered by Kim Hoffman on **Saturday, March 3**, starting at 9 AM for our parishioners and you may also bring your neighbors. Kim will explain how to trim our trees and shrubs and answer questions. Please bring loppers and pole trimmers if you have them.

The Episcopal Church Men hold a men's luncheon meeting on the 4th Monday of each month at noon. Plan to join them tomorrow at Scafa's Restaurant on Courthouse Road to discuss upcoming activities/eat/have fun.

Annual Parish Meeting Packets are available at the Communications Center in ASH. <u>Complete</u> copies of the annual Outreach Report are also available. The entire report was not in the packets which were distributed at the Annual Meeting.

Our Annual Parish Retreat Weekend will be held on May 4-6, at Shrine Mont. Again, we're combining our retreat with members of St. Peter's parish. If you have questions, please contact Penny at pnypitstop@aol.com.

Deadlines: Announcements: Noon, Wednesday; Chronicler: April Issue: March 16

Weekly Calendar

February 25, 2018 – March 4, 2018

Sunday	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
Lent II	9:15 AM	Adult Ed – Mission & Values, GH
	10:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
	11:45 AM	Fellowship, GH
	12:15 PM	Good Book Club Bible Study, GH
Monday	Noon	ECM Luncheon/Mtg @ Scafa's
	7:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop 165, GH
Tuesday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer: Rev. Jeffrey Smith
	10:00 AM	Food Pantry, ASH
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer: Rev. Jeffrey Smith
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Thursday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer: Rev. Jeffrey Smith
	10:30 PM	Quilters, ASH #8
	Noon	Lion's Club Mtg, GH
Friday	6:00 PM	Family Pizza Night, GH
	6:30 PM	AA Mtg, ASH Downstairs
Saturday	9:00 AM	Tree/Shrub Trimming on CC Grounds
Sunday	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
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ASH = All Saints Hall

GH = Great Hall

The Christ Church Thrift Shop

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Rector Search Prayer

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord.