

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Visitors! All baptized Christians are invited to receive Communion with us today. 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.

Children are welcome to participate fully in our worship. They may receive Communion at their parent's discretion. However, for your convenience, we provide nursery care for children, infant (minimum 8 weeks old) through preschool, during our 10:30 service downstairs in Room 1 of All Saints Hall, the two story building to the left of the church.

We ask your prayers for Anne Alexick, Pamela Alsop, Etta Baker, Laura Ball, Peggy Baxter, Michelle Bell, David & Fran Bland, David Bourne, Raymond Brancolini, Robin Bruckner, Anita Butler, David Cain, Barbara Canaday, Frank Carosella, Catherine Cash, Darley Family, Scott Coleman, Ann Connolly, Wayne Cox, Chevelle Crusan, Tom Czelusta, Vivian DeShazo, Liz DiRusso, Julianna Dove, Allan Dummo, Jennifer Eagle, Kim Edwards, Scott Edwards, Ruthann Elms, Audrey Federbush, Donnie Frazier, Harvey Frazier, Mary Frazier, Calib Garland, Joan Gere, Will Gibson, Joan Goodbody, Fred Goshin, Rose Goshin, Allan Gummo, Glenda Haines, Cordell Heflin, Bruce Hopkins, Dana Houck, Sue Jackson, Robert Kay, Pat Kempster, Marsha Kirkpatrick, Nick Knepp, Allen Lake, Krista Sirna Lee, Charles Linton, Colleen McElfresh, Marc Family, Heather Martinez, Justin Massey, Patsy Meadows, Angie Morgan, Frances Morris, Cheryl & Dick Moynahan, Jeff Nohren, Heather O'Neill, Missy Pixton & Family, Sharon Price, Selena Rave, Doug Reeve, Bill & Jane Shumaker, Nancy Sloan, Steve Smallwood, Tricia Smelter, Bill Smith, Stephanie Smith, Nick Southers, Sybil Southers, Linda Stastny, Jeanne Stoddard, Keri Stromski, Brian Sturgill; Larry Stutler, Evelin Reed, Eileen Sidereas, Christine Strait, Jerrie Teets, Michele Van Pelt, Amanda Vernon, Polly Watts, Vincent Weimer, Emilie Wieland, Angie Wienkowski, Mary and Roger Williams, Gail Womble, Denise, Herb, Janice, Judy, Liz & Frank, Molly, Phillip, Veronica. (*New names added are bolded.*)

Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Cecil and Missie Jarman in thanksgiving for and in celebration of family birthdays in September and October.

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

Forum today: We will discuss our ECM and ECW ministries. Please join us in the Great Hall from 9:15 to 10:15, and again following the 10:30 service.

The Chronicler, our monthly newsletter, is available today. If you receive a paper copy you may pick it up at the back of the church. Otherwise, the newsletter is available online by going to the parish web page, and clicking on "Newsletter".

Complete the Mission! Finishing is the hardest part of any job. Summer is almost over and **LAWN CUTTING** is coming to an end. Please hang in there and complete the task of keeping our Church property looking great. Those who have already done so, have excelled and made such a contribution! Please volunteer to cut grass for the next three or four weeks and finish our mission. Sign-up sheet is in the Communications Center. Thanks, Bob.

Grounds Committee. Fall is a perfect time for planting shrubs that provide beauty all year long. The Beautification Committee has begun Fall planting on the grounds. If anyone would like to "plant some greenbacks", Bob McGann will happily accept donations.

The Bible Study Group meets Wednesdays, 11-12, in ASH #5 reading the Gospel of Mark. Join us!

Annual Christ Church Car Show is only 6 days away, Saturday, October 6. Registration is 8:30 to Noon, \$20.00, on the day of the event. Awards will be presented at 2 PM. There will be food for sale and the ECW ladies will have be selling their baked goods. There will be lots of good-looking old/new cars to enjoy viewing. Y'all come!

It's Raffle Time Again! A full-size bed quilt is being handcrafted by our Quilters. The lovely pattern is entitled "Paisley Garden" and will be auctioned off at the **Car Show on October 6**. Raffle tickets are being sold after each church service on Sunday and in the parish office.

The Thrift Shop: The Shop has immediate needs for additional volunteer coverage for upcoming days. If you can assist, please let

Lisa know at (540) 582-5508. **Good News!** The Thrift Shop is now accepting furniture, household items and décor (specifically Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas) items. We are also accepting fall and winter clothing and can especially use infant/toddler clothing. Thanks!

United Thank Offering Boxes still available in the back of the church and the Communications Center. The UTO is a ministry of the Episcopal Church for the mission of the whole church. Through UTO, men, women, and children nurture the habit of giving daily thanks to God. Envelopes will be in your bulletins next Sunday. Please, if possible, convert the change to currency or write a check to Christ Church with UTO on the memo line and insert in the UTO envelope. They will be collected on **Sunday, October 14.**

Sunday, Oct 7, 1:30, Blessing of the Animals: Ask your pet to bring you to the Community Pet Fair and Blessing of the Animals Service. Don't have a pet - come anyway. The SPCA will join us along with the Blue and Gray Therapy Dogs and Off Leash K9 Training. They'll bring some friends along that you may want to adopt. Whether you can attend the church service or not please drop off some pet food at ASH. The SPCA needs our donations. They especially need kitten food.

A Bishop's Visit for Confirmations has been scheduled for **Jan. 27, 2019.** If you are interested, youth or adult, please attend the organizational meeting today in the church at 12:15 PM. The preferred minimum age is 15.

Have you had your photograph taken for the Christ Church Family Tree? If not, look for photographer, Jill Bates in the Great Hall during fellowship time.

Unused Christmas Cards? Donate don't toss! Do you receive stacks of complimentary Christmas cards from organizations requesting donations in return. Rather than throwing those cards away, please consider donating them to our Food Pantry clients. You'll be helping our clients as well as our environment. Donations can be placed in the back of the church or in the designated basket in ASH.

Deadlines: Bulletin Announcements: **Noon, Wednesday**
November Chronicler: **October 19**

Weekly Calendar

September 30 - October 7, 2018

Sunday <i>19 Pentecost</i> ECW & ECM Sunday	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
	9:15 AM	Forum: ECW/ECM
	10:15 AM	Sunday School, ASH #2
	10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
	11:45 AM	Fellowship
	12:15 PM	Confirmation Organizational Mtg, Church
Monday	7:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop 165
Tuesday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer, Church
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer, Church
	11:00 AM	Bible Study, ASH #5
Thursday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer, Church
	10:30 AM	Quilters, ASH #8 (bring a bag lunch)
Friday	3:00 PM	Girl Scout Troop 5208, GH
	8:00 PM	AA Mtg, ASH #5
Saturday	8:30 AM-3:30 PM	Annual Christ Church Car Show Vintage Cars & Trucks/Awards/ on grounds. Everyone Welcome!
Sunday <i>20 Pentecost</i> Property Commission Sunday	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
	9:15 AM	Forum: Property Commission
	10:15 AM	Sunday School, ASH #2
	10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
	11:45 AM	Fellowship
	1:30 PM	Community Pet Fair & Blessing of the Animals; Rain or Shine

ASH = All Saints Hall

GH = Great Hall

The Christ Church Thrift Shop (540) 582-5508
Open: Tuesday and Thursday thru Saturday, 10-4
Wednesday, 1-4

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. (No "Amen" during Prayers of the People.)