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, 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, **Deb Upton**, 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 Mark and Mary Svare in memory of Warren Dearstine, father of Mary.

Please join us in the Great Hall for fellowship following the 10:30 service today. We'd love for <u>you</u> 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 property ministries. Please join us in the Great Hall from 9:15 to 10:15, and again following the 10:30 service.

Today, and every first Sunday of the month, the loose plate offering is designated for the rector's discretionary fund. This fund is administered by the interim rector and is used for charitable and other pious purposes.

Complete the Mission! Finishing is the hardest part of any job. Summer is about 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!

The Thrift Shop: The Shop has immediate needs for additional volunteer coverage for upcoming days. If you can assist, please letLisa 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 are in your bulletins today. 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 next **Sunday, October 14**.

ECM Luncheon, noon on Wednesday at Scafa's on Courthouse Rd. A reminder for you to join us and help plan future events as well as have a good time. Look forward to seeing you.

A Bishop's Visit for Confirmations has been scheduled for **Jan. 27, 2019**. If you are interested, youth or adult, let Bill Queen know. Preparation meetings start next Sunday, Oct 14, 12:15-1:15 pm.

Come and paddle the Rappahannock! No experience necessary. We'll go after church on Oct. 14. For questions or to reserve your kayak/canoe, talk to Kristi Gross: kristigross@pobox.com or 786-6843, or sign up at the Communications Center.

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**

The Christ Church Thrift Shop (540) 582-5508 Open: Tue. and Thur. thru Sat., 10–4, Wed., 1-4

Weekly Calendar

October 7 - October 14, 2018

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Sunday	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
20 Pentecost	9:15 AM	Forum: Property Commission
Property	10:15 AM	Sunday School, ASH #2
Commission	10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Sunday	11:45 AM	Fellowship
	12 Noon	Youth Group Mtg, ASH #5
	1:30 PM	Community Pet Fair & Blessing of
		the Animals; Rain or Shine
Monday	7:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop 165
Tuesday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer, Church
	9:00 AM	Food Pantry Morning Prayer, GH
	10:00 AM	Food Pantry, ASH
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer, Church
	11:00 AM	Bible Study, ASH #5
	12:00 Noon	ECM Mtg at Scafa's
	6:00 PM	Vestry Mtg, ASH #8
Thursday	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer, Church
	10:30 AM	Quilters, ASH #8 (bring a bag lunch)
	6:00 PM	Aquia Church Reception for Bishop
		Johnston; Please RSVP
Friday	10:00 AM	Prep for Private Reception, GH
	3:00 PM	Girl Scout Troop 5208, ASH
	8:00 PM	AA Mtg, ASH #5
Saturday	3:00 PM	Private Reception, GH
Sunday	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
21 Pentecost	8:45 AM	Fellowship UTO
New	9:15 AM	Forum: New Members Ingathering
Members	10:15 AM	Sunday School, ASH #2 Both
Commission	10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist, Rite II Services
Sunday	11:45 AM	Fellowship
	1:30 PM	Canoe Trip, Rappahannock

ASH =*All Saints Hall*

GH = Great Hall

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.)