



News and Announcements

Christ Church Episcopal Parish

October 8, 2017

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to Christ Church

Welcome. As the season changes there is a crispness in the air and a nostalgia for places of connection. We are delighted you are here with us to celebrate the connection to God and God's people in worship and fellowship. We pray your time here will encourage and strengthen you to engage and connect generously as the body of Christ wherever the Holy Spirit takes you.

Peace,
Jeremy +

TODAY AT CHRIST CHURCH

8:00 am	Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Nave *
9:00 am	Hospitality, <i>Cummins Hall</i> Stewardship Conversations
10:00 am	Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Nave *
11:30 am	Hospitality, <i>Cummins Hall</i> Stewardship Conversations 30 Good Minutes for Youth Outreach Auction Meeting, Guild Room
12:00 pm	High School Mission Trip Meeting
4:00 pm	The Feast of St. Francis Pet Blessing
5:00 pm	Celtic Eucharist, Maginnis Chapel

** Healing Prayers with Anointing offered after the morning services in St. Joseph's Chapel*

HOSPITALITY: Please join us for coffee and a bite to eat after the morning services in Cummins Hall.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT SIGN-UPS BEGIN TODAY and continue through October. The pageant performance is Sunday, December 10th after the 10 am service and we hope all kids preschool through grade 5 will participate. Come to Maginnis Chapel for a fast 15 minute introduction of the play, see the rehearsal schedule, and help your kids choose a character they'd like to play.

STEWARDSHIP CONVERSATIONS: We invite you to join us following both morning services in Cummins Hall for a 30 minute conversation with Christ Church Treasurer, Don Caldwell. Don will provide us some insight on the church budget process and the monthly costs associated with operating a parish of our size. We hope to see you there!

OUTREACH AUCTION MEETING: If you have suggestions for an Auction theme and /or would like to help out with the 2018 Auction, please join us today for a brief meeting following the 10:00 am service in the Guild Room.

HIGH SCHOOL MISSION TRIP MEETING: If you're interested in going on next year's mission trip, please plan to attend our first meeting today at 12:00 noon in the Undercroft. Parents are not required to attend, but are welcome to join. Hope to see you there!

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS IS TODAY! Join us on the front lawn at 4:00 pm. We will be welcoming your fuzzy, furry, feathery, scaly, two-legged, four-legged or no -legged pets for a special blessing on the front lawn in honor of Saint Francis. Treats for everyone! The animal balloons will be raffled off as well.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

THE NURSERY IS OPEN during the 10:00 am service today and is located downstairs in the Education Wing.

SUNDAY SCHOOL If your child is 3 years old and potty trained, we welcome you to the Godly Play classroom located on the main level of the Education Wing. Class ends at noon and we ask you to come to the classroom to pick-up your child. If your child is in Kindergarten through Grade 5, your child attends the first portion of the service with you and follows the banner out to their classrooms after communion. You can pick-up your children in their classroom at noon. Look for the grade signs above the classrooms on the main level of the Education Wing.

30 GOOD MINUTES FOR YOUTH: We meet after the 10:00 service down in the Youth Room (located off of the Undercroft).

THIS WEEK

Monday		Parish Office is Closed
Monday	6:00 pm	The Well Youth Group
Tuesday	6:30 am	Men's Bible Study
Tuesday	5:30 pm	Children's Choir
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Canterbury Choir
Thursday	6:00 pm	Education for Ministry
Friday	11:00 am	Spiritual Journey
Friday	2:00 pm	SAC Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE WHO ARE MANY ARE ONE BODY: The 2018 pledge campaign is off and running! In the first week we received 24 pledge cards bringing us to 6% of our campaign goal of 78% of Christ Church families formally pledging their support in 2018. Remember, returning your pledge card or pledging online at: pledge.ccp parish.org not only fulfills your commitment of supporting the ministries of Christ Church, but it will also enter you into a fantastic drawing! At the conclusion of the pledge campaign we will be hosting a drawing for the 20x30 puzzle in the Narthex. Please be sure to stop by the Stewardship table and watch the puzzle image take shape as pledges are received.

WOMEN IN SPIRITUALITY will not meet tomorrow due to Columbus Day and will resume on Monday, October 16.

THE PARISH OFFICE is closed tomorrow due to Columbus Day.

BAPTISMS: Our next baptisms will be on All Saints Sunday, November 5, at the 10:00 am service, so its time to get ready. Mark your calendars to come to our classes on October 15, 22, and 29 at 12:15 pm: "Baptism: a journey of faith." While aimed at those whose children will be baptized on All Saints, all adults are welcome. Come and renew your faith! If you have a child you would like to be baptized, please contact The Rev. Iain Stanford, curate@ccparish.org

YOUTH GROUP TRIP TO SAUVIE ISLAND Pumpkin Patch: We are headed to the corn maze and pumpkin patch at Sauvie Island on Sunday, Oct. 22, following the 10:00 service. The cost is free, but please plan to bring extra money if you want to buy food/drinks there. We will eat a quick lunch at church before we head out! Please RSVP by Oct. 18 to Naomi if you'd like to go!

THE AXIAL AGE: Join others in viewing and discussing The Teaching Company's presentation of Prof. Mark Muesse's "Religions of the Axial Age." Dates: October 18, 2017 - December 29, 2017. Wednesdays from 2:00-4:00 pm in the Conference Room. Please register by calling the Parish Office at 503-636-5618.

PARENT'S NIGHT OUT this month is Saturday, October 21. We welcome kids age 3 and potty trained through grade 5 from 6:00 - 9:30 pm for a pizza dinner and activities while parents have a night to themselves. Reservations must be made for each child by emailing scoffman@ccparish.org by Thursday October 19.

HALLOWEEN PARTY AND BLESSINGS OF THE COSTUMES is Sunday October 29th! Mark your calendars and join the costume parade during the 10 am service and the party during Sunday School!

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS: You are invited to submit names for those whom you would like a remembrance in the bulletin on Sunday, November 5th for the Feast of All Saints. Please fill out the Necrology Sheet (a necrology is a list of those who have passed away) in the Narthex by Sunday, October 22. You may also call the Parish Office at 503-636-5618 to give us the information. We ask that you limit the names to those who have passed away within the last year.

DINNER FOR EIGHT is a wonderful way to get acquainted with your fellow parishioners and share in terrific dinners. Groups of eight are formed in the fall, and then gather together during the year at participant's homes for fun, fellowship and great food. To sign-up or for more information, call Linda Schultze 503-922-3546 or e-mail lindaschultze@comcast.net

TEXT TO GIVE TO CHRIST CHURCH EPISCOPAL PARISH

Text Giving lets you give to Christ Church Episcopal Parish using your smart phone. When you give via text, just text CCPARISHGIVE and the amount you want to give to 73256.

PRAYERS

Please remember these persons in your prayers

For our Parish family:

Diana Smith, Jerry, Barbara Peebles, Gail Boyd, Norma Jean Jennings, Cal Horn, Jim Post, Ken Duxtader, Carolyn Shank, Linda Miller, Tom Steeves, Marilyn Depew, Sally Handel, Annabelle Hay, Joe Lipscomb, Cliff Christianson, Annabelle Mitchell, Mac Shaw and family, Deborah Boone, Ginny Luhr, Bob Simonyi, Bonnie Allen, Helen Graeper, Patti Dodd, Emily Mills, Maggie Grant, Michael Gamble, Sharon Gilbert, Alison Schultz, Ruth Eft

For our loved ones:

Sue, Shawn, Rita, Denise

For those who have died:

Marcy Shaw

Shooting Victims of Las Vegas

Flowers:

High Altar

In loving memory of their parents,
their daughter Lisa, and their son Michael

By: Martha and Steve Stevens

Maginnis Memorial Chapel

In loving memory of my husband, Lester Jones

By: Glenice Jones and Family

Prepared by the Flower Guild:

Barb Randall, Judith Heath, Emily Howard

CLERGY

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	* <i>Non-Stipendiary</i>		

VESTRY

Class of 2017	Gordon Howard, <i>Jr. Warden</i> Brandon Stewart Eleanor Suman Bonnie Umland
Class of 2018	John Bacialli, <i>Jr. Warden</i> Catherine Goodheart Ed Slavin Denis Vannier
Class of 2019	Lee Centrone Angie Cole Lori Dierckes Jack Eft, <i>Sr. Warden</i>
Clerk of the Vestry	Barbara Randall
Treasurer	Don Caldwell

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