



# CHRIST CHURCH

ON CAPITOL SQUARE



## WELCOME

*Christ Church is part of the body of Christ where the Word of God is taught, heard and lived, and which provides a welcoming place of worship for all people, ministers to the needs and aspirations of its congregation, and extends Christian outreach to the community and the world.*

ENTER, REST, AND PRAY

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SERVICE OF HOLY EUCHARIST & BAPTISM

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2019

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

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## WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!

We're glad you're here. Please help us get to know you by filling out a welcome card and placing it in the offering plate.

To learn more about Christ Church and getting involved, please contact Cooper Bratton, our Parish Life Coordinator - [cbratton@ccral.org](mailto:cbratton@ccral.org).

Children of all ages are welcome to join us for worship. There are canvas bags with activities and coloring pages, and red sensory bags are available for worshipers with sensory sensitivities. Nursery care is also available for kids from birth through age 4. Greeters at the Church entrances can assist you with an activity bag and/or direct you to our nursery.

## PRAYER CONCERNS & PASTORAL CARE

During regular office hours, please contact Sarah (Johnson) Hardesty - [shardesty@ccral.org](mailto:shardesty@ccral.org) or (919) 834-6259 ext. 106 - for pastoral care needs. During non-business hours, emergency contact numbers for clergy are available at the number above.

## ABOUT OUR LITURGY

The **Book of Common Prayer (BCP, the red book in your pew)** contains our prayers and services for our life as a church. We call these our liturgies. Our liturgies for Holy Eucharist, Baptism, Marriages and Burials, daily prayers, and for prayers and worship over almost any human experience live deep within the words of the BCP.

For a more in-depth look at the Episcopal Church and our beliefs, we invite you to look at page 845 of the BCP.

## IN YOUR PEW

**"BCP"** *The Book of Common Prayer* (red book)

**Hymn** *The Hymnal 1982* (blue book)

**Service Music (S)** references are found in the front of *The Hymnal 1982*.

Large print versions of *The Book of Common Prayer* are available from any member of the usher team.

## LITURGY GUIDE FOR THIS BULLETIN

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11 A.M. Order of Service begins on **page 8**.

**Bold Text** - Spoken by congregation

Text - Spoken by leader

*Italic Text* - Service rubrics

## CLERGY

The Rev. James P. Adams  
*Rector*

The Rev. Jennifer C. Brown  
*Senior Associate Rector*

The Rev. Mary Davila  
*Assistant Rector*

The Rev. Daniel J. Reeves  
*Associate Rector*

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** in the Church are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of William Davis Jones III, and William Davis Jones IV.

SERVICE OF HOLY EUCHARIST  
RITE II (9 A.M.)

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VOLUNTARY

PROCESSION *Please stand.*

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**

**Hymn 362**

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING SENTENCES

**BCP 355**

**Celebrant:** Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**People:** And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

**BCP 355**

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

CHILDREN'S HOMILY *Please be seated.*

*Children are invited to come forward and sit in the crossing (on the carpet).*

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 6:1-8

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GOSPEL HYMN *Please stand.*

**They cast their nets in Galilee**

**Hymn 661**

GOSPEL READING

Luke 5:1-11

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**People:** Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON *Please be seated.*

**The Rev. James P. Adams**

NICENE CREED

**BCP 358**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**Printed on page 11**

THE PEACE *Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.* **BCP 360**

ANNOUNCEMENTS *Please be seated.*

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

## OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS TO GOD

*Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. (Ephesians 5:2)*

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Sing It!

*Sung by the Cherub Choir*

Joanne Brown Ledoux

### DOXOLOGY *Please stand.*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

BCP 367

SANCTUS

S 125

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP 364

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

BCP 364

FRACTION ANTHEM

S 154

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### ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT *Please be seated.*

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### EUCHARIST ANTHEM

Light of the World

*Sung by the Cherub Choir*

Michael Bedford

### EUCHARIST HYMNS

Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Hymn 652

We walk by faith, and not by sight

Hymn 209

Holy God, we praise thy Name (*v. 1-4*)

Hymn 366

SENDING OUT OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

*Priest:* In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to \_\_\_\_\_ that *they* may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

**All:** Because we who are many are one body in Christ, we share one bread, one cup.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING *Please stand or kneel.*

BCP 365

BLESSING

BCP 366

PROCESSION *Please stand.*

Round the Lord in glory seated

Hymn 367

DISMISSAL

BCP 366

The People respond: Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### ISAIAH 6:1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory.”

The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: “Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.” Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I; send me!”

### PSALM 138

- <sup>1</sup> I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with my whole heart; \*  
before the gods I will sing your praise.
- <sup>2</sup> I will bow down toward your holy temple  
and praise your Name, \*  
because of your love and faithfulness;
- <sup>3</sup> For you have glorified your Name \*  
and your word above all things.
- <sup>4</sup> When I called, you answered me; \*  
you increased my strength within me.
- <sup>5</sup> All the kings of the earth will praise you, O Lord, \*  
when they have heard the words of your mouth.
- <sup>6</sup> They will sing of the ways of the Lord, \*  
that great is the glory of the Lord.
- <sup>7</sup> Though the Lord be high, he cares for the lowly; \*  
he perceives the haughty from afar.
- <sup>8</sup> Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; \*  
you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies;  
your right hand shall save me.
- <sup>9</sup> The Lord will make good his purpose for me; \*  
O Lord, your love endures for ever;  
do not abandon the works of your hands.

## I CORINTHIANS 15:1-11

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you--unless you have come to believe in vain.

For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them--though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

## LUKE 5:1-11

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

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PSALM *Anglican Chant, Sung by the Choir*

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BAPTISMAL HYMN *Please stand.*

**Come down, O Love divine (v. 1)**

**Hymn 516**

PRESENTATION & EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATES BCP 301

BAPTISMAL CANDIDATES

Paul Gravely Frankstone, son of Helen & Lee  
John Vail Gormley, son of Alex & Zan  
Finley Elizabeth Poe, daughter Adrienne & Toby

THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT BCP 304

THE BAPTISM BCP 307

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I saw the Lord John Stainer  
*The text of this anthem is taken from today's Old Testament reading, Isaiah 6:1-8.*

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EUCCHARIST ANTHEM

Unclouded day

Traditional Folk Song, Arr. Shawn Kirch

*O they tell me of a home far beyond the skies,  
They tell me of a home far away,  
And they tell me of a home where no storm-clouds rise;  
O they tell me of an unclouded day.*

*Refrain:*

*O the land of cloudless days,  
O the land of an unclouded sky,  
O they tell me of a home  
Where no storm-clouds rise.  
O they tell me of an unclouded day.*

*O they tell me of a home where my friends have gone,  
They tell me of a land far away,  
Where the tree of life in eternal bloom  
Sheds its fragrance through the unclouded day.  
They tell me of a King in his beauty there,  
They tell me that mine eyes shall behold  
Where he sits on a throne That is bright as the sun  
In the city that is made of gold!*

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Dismissal

BCP 366

**The People RESPOND: THANKS BE TO GOD.**

VOLUNTARY

*Priest:* In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying, “Lord, have mercy.”

*Leader:* For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the day of your coming, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, for Sam and Anne our own Bishops, for all bishops and other ministers, and for all the holy people of God, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace of the world, that a spirit of respect and forbearance may grow among nations and peoples, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For those in positions of public trust, that they may serve justice, and promote the dignity and freedom of every person, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer, for prisoners, and all who are in danger, that they may be relieved and protected, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who have commended themselves to our prayers: for our families, friends, and neighbors, that being freed from anxiety, they may live in joy, peace, and health, for *Bessie Gray, Mary Alice Brinn, Mildred Oliver, Betsy Hicks, Linwood Savage, Muffy Bowman, Bob Pope, Richard Hicks, Melissa Benton, Burks Crumpler, Chuck Poe, Caryl Jeffrey, Mike Taylor, James Simpson, Tom Krisulewicz, Nick Smith, Cathy Kennison, Deborah Campbell, Brian Howell, Douglas Bagley, Marianne Ford, Bette Cobb, Jim Connell*; we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For our own needs and those of others. We pray especially for those expecting the birth of a child, especially *Emily & Sam Slater*; for our lay leaders who provide compassionate care and friendship to those in crisis or transition, especially for our Stephen Ministers-in-training *Melissa Dombalis, Susan Lewellen, and Raiford Garrabrant*, and for all other Stephen Ministers at Christ Church; for the refugee families that are mentored by this congregation; and for our high school students who are on their EYC ski trip this weekend, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all the blessings of this life, especially for the birth of *Dean Rand Short*, grandson of Margaret & John Martin, and *Emir Adnan Mustafa*, son of one of the refugee families mentored by this congregation; and for the baptism of *Paul Gravely Frankstone, John Vail Gormley, and Finley Elizabeth Poe*, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For all who have died in the communion of your Church, especially *N. Hunter Wyche Jr., Katherine Sigmon Hunter, Jean Lanier Leggett Shuping, and Robert Floyd Beegle*, father of Erla Beegle, and those whose faith is known to you alone, that, with all the saints, they may have rest in that place where there is no pain or grief, but life eternal, we pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Rejoicing in the fellowship of all the saints, especially *William Davis Jones III and William Davis Jones IV*, in whose memory the altar flowers have been given, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God. We pray to you, O Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

*Silence*

*The Celebrant adds this concluding Collect*

Hasten, O Father, the coming of your kingdom; and grant that we your servants, who now live by faith, may with joy behold your Son at his coming in glorious majesty. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, our only Mediator and Advocate. **Amen.**

# Christ Church PARISH WEEKLY

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2019

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

## Vestry Person of the Week

*Nell Joslin*

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## Morning Prayer Leader

*Al Conyers*

## SERVING TODAY

### ALTAR GUILD

Group II - Sally Chapman & Harriet Flowers

### VERGERS

Jay Alley

Hunter Bratton

### ACOLYTE LEADERS

John Kilpatrick, Kathy Thornton, Laurie Deatherage, Shana Stutts

### GREETERS

Yorke & Steve Sartorio

Margaret Bratton

Nancy & Thorne Harvin

### USHERS

Tacker LeCarpentier Team

Don Finkbeiner Team

Patt Kelly & Dion Ousley

### LECTORS

Mary Allison Bunch, Ginger Calloway, Gail Pope, Ronald Wenda, Bill Gilkeson

### CHALICE BEARERS

Marti Medford, Margaret Bratton, Harry McKinney, Jane Forde, Emmy Moore, Mary Cerrato, John Boylan, Bain Jones, Steven Hill, David Cozart

### FLOWER GUILD

Susan Johnson & Susie Small

### CANDLE GUILD

Dion Ousley & Mollie Rasor

## Next Sunday: Feb. 17

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

Preaching: The Rev. Daniel J. Reeves

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist I - Chapel

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist II - Church

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist I - Church

5 p.m. Celtic Eucharist - Church

## Adult Christian Formation

**Today - Parish Hall - 10:10 a.m. - Maggie Kane**

Maggie is the founder and executive director of A Place at the Table, the first pay-what-you-can cafe in downtown Raleigh. The restaurant serves thousands of people in Raleigh with a dignified, healthy, and affordable meal; a meal that more importantly feeds hearts, souls and minds.

**Next Sunday, Feb. 10 - Parish Hall - 10:10 a.m. - John Ward**

John is a long-time member of Christ Church and the church historian. He will share with us, "A Past Remembered," an exploration of some of Christ Church's interesting, near 200-year history. John moved to Raleigh in 1969 and has been an English teacher, librarian, docent at the N.C. Capitol, armchair historian and speaker.

*\*Please note the Parish Hall is equipped with a Hearing Loop for those who have T-coil hearing aids.*

## Bible Study Offerings

### Bible Works - Tools For Living

Jim's study of the Book of Exodus meets on Tuesdays in the Parish Hall at 7 a.m. and noon. The same lecture is given twice for the convenience of participants in the Parish Hall. You can also listen to recordings of previous classes at [ccral.org/grow/bible-works](http://ccral.org/grow/bible-works).

### Wednesday Bible Study with Mary

*Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs and Practices* by Melody Shobe and Scott Gunn is the book the women's group, led by The Rev. Mary Davila, will read this year. We meet on Wednesdays in Room 128 from 9:30 a.m. until 10:45 a.m.

### Weekly Young Adults Discussion

Each Sunday, all Young Adults (ages 20s to 40 ish) are invited to a weekly discussion hour at 4 p.m. in the Library. We'll generally mold our conversation around the lectionary texts for that week and how they challenge, shed light on, and interact with our lives and the world.

## Environmental Stewardship Tip of the Week

Store drinking water in the fridge in a safe drinking bottle or pitcher. Running tap water to cool it off for drinking water is wasteful. Keeping water in the fridge not only reduces waste, it saves time and makes staying hydrated easy as it's always ready to go!

## Pastoral Care

### Grief Support Group

Anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one, either recent or not-so-recent, is invited to attend the Christ Church Grief Support Group. Facilitated by parishioners Bethany Pergerson and Nell Joslin, the group will meet in the Parlor on eight Wednesday evenings from 7 p.m. until 8:30 p.m., through March 20, 2019. Each session stands on its own, so you may attend as many or as few as suits your needs (the first session was held Wednesday, Jan. 30). Please email The Rev. Jenny Brown - [jbrown@ccral.org](mailto:jbrown@ccral.org) - if you'd like to register, or have questions.

## Parish Life

### Registration is now live - All Parish Weekend at Kanuga!

Plans are underway for a very special All Parish Weekend at Kanuga, May 17-19. All are invited to join us in the beautiful N.C. mountains, where we'll enjoy music, programs for adults and children, and plenty of free time to enjoy the great outdoors. The Rev. Jim Adams will lead our adult program with special guest Sandra McCracken, a singer and songwriter from Nashville. We will have a children's program and activities for youth. Register online - <http://bit.ly/cckanuga2019>. If you have any questions or need a paper registration form, please contact Cooper Bratton at [cbratton@ccral.org](mailto:cbratton@ccral.org).

## Parish Life

### Feb. 10: Theology Lite

Theology Lite will meet on Feb. 10, at 6 p.m. to discuss *An Enemy of the People*, by Henrik Ibsen. This 1882 play fits this year's theme of Soul Conflict, as it "...addresses the irrational tendencies of the masses, and the hypocritical and corrupt nature of the political system they support. It's the story of one brave man's struggle to do the right thing and speak the truth in the face of extreme social intolerance." Douglas Holbrook will lead our discussion. All are invited to join us!

### Feb. 12: Prime Time

Prime Time will meet Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of John Adams and Jeremiah Starling - 3908 Montreat Court, Raleigh. Cost is \$10 per person and there is a 35 person cap. RSVP to Carleen Shaffer - [lcjshaffer@yahoo.com](mailto:lcjshaffer@yahoo.com) - or call the church by Feb. 8.

### Feb. 13: Lunch & Learn

If you're interested in learning about Islam and the Muslim community, please join us on Wednesday, Feb. 13, for lunch, a tour and presentation at the Islamic Center of Raleigh. We will gather at 11:15 a.m. at the Center, with lunch at 11:30 a.m. in the Al-Maidah Kitchen and Cafe. The tour and presentation will follow. Carpooling is strongly suggested. Please RSVP to Lin Boyle by Monday, Feb. 11, at [lboyle@ccral.org](mailto:lboyle@ccral.org), or 919-834-6259.

### Spring Foyers - Register Now!

Whether you're new to Christ Church or a life-long parishioner, Foyers is a unique and enjoyable opportunity to get to meet or better know other church members in a casual, relaxed small group atmosphere. We gather in groups of seven or eight at people's homes for a simple, informal meal and good fellowship. Give Foyers a try and we guarantee you'll enjoy a delightful, entertaining evening. For more information, contact John Adams - [johnadams1213@outlook.com](mailto:johnadams1213@outlook.com), or 919-604-5761. Registration deadline is Feb. 16.

### Feb. 23: Bach's Coffee Cantata

The Coffee Cantata, by J.S. Bach, chronicles the conversation between a young woman and her father, who is imploring her to get married. Alas, she already has a love - coffee! To help our listeners live into the coffee-obsessed world of our main character, we'll be turning Christ Church's Parish Hall into Zimmerman's Coffee House. You'll get to hear world-class singers revel in the lighter side of our favorite composer while indulging in coffee (or tea, if you must), and coffee-themed desserts. In addition, our acclaimed concert master, David Wilson, will open the concert with the virtuosic Sonata IV from Scherzi da Violino Solo (1676) by Bach's contemporary and cousin, Johann Jacob Walther. Celebrated musicians Kathryn Mueller (soprano), Marc Callahan (baritone), and David Wilson (violin), will perform with the North Carolina Baroque Orchestra Chamber Players. Please join us at 1 p.m. for a fun-filled afternoon of music and treats. Tickets are \$25. For more information and to purchase tickets, visit - <http://bit.ly/feb23coffeecantata>.

## Outreach

### Honduras Trip in 2019

We are planning to take a group to Honduras this summer to work with Mike and Kim Miller at the Hope of Jesus Children's Home. The Rev. Daniel Reeves will join us on this trip. If you're interested in learning more, please contact Suzy Lamb - [suzyslamb@gmail.com](mailto:suzyslamb@gmail.com). We are gathering interest and hope to have trip dates finalized in the coming weeks.

### Rise Against Hunger Packing Event - Volunteers Needed!

On Tuesday, Feb. 12, from 5:45 p.m. until 6:45 p.m. Christ Church will host an intergenerational outreach project. We'll host a packaging event with Rise Against Hunger and hope to package 10,000 meals. We'll have pizza available in the Commons at 5:30 p.m. for dinner, followed by packaging in the Parish Hall. This event is in partnership with our own Kids with Purpose program. All ages are invited to participate and nursery care will be available. Please use the RSVP link - <http://bit.ly/Risefeb19> - to sign up and let us know if you will need nursery care. Students who are in 8th grade and above may attend without a parent if they have a medical release on file at the church.

### March 10-24: Family Promise Week at Christ Church

Family Promise is an interfaith organization, and the only homelessness nonprofit, to offer a continuum of services and partnerships to move families all the way from homelessness to safe, affordable, permanent housing. Christ Church partners with Family Promise to provide housing for up to five families, for two weeks each year. Volunteers play a critical role in the success of providing the families a safe place to sleep, meals, transportation and a sense of community while staying at Christ Church. This ministry offers a wide spectrum of volunteer opportunities, so whether or not you have a lot of time to give, there are ways to get involved that will fit with your schedule. To learn about volunteer opportunities and/or to sign up visit <http://bit.ly/FamPromise19>. If you have any questions, contact Lynn Sledge - [lynn.sledge@earthlink.net](mailto:lynn.sledge@earthlink.net) - or Tiffany Barry - [tiffanyvberry@gmail.com](mailto:tiffanyvberry@gmail.com).

### Episcopal Farmworker Ministry Seeks Automobile Donation

The Episcopal Farmworker Ministry would welcome the donation of a gently-used automobile with good gas mileage for use by the ministry's staff in visiting camps and otherwise carrying out their mission. If interested, please contact Executive Director Lariza Garzon at [lariza@efwm.org](mailto:lariza@efwm.org). The ministry, located outside Newton Grove, seeks to respond to needs of migrant and seasonal farmworkers and their families. For more information, visit [www.efwm.org](http://www.efwm.org).

## Worship

### Midweek Holy Eucharist

Join us each Tuesday at 8:05 a.m. for a service of Holy Eucharist in the Chapel. This short, spoken service includes Eucharist and a homily and is a great way to start your day!

## Children's Ministry

### Christmas Pageant DVDs

Enjoy a special night for years to come! 2018 Christmas Pageant DVDs are now on sale in the Commons area. Please leave \$10 in the envelope provided. Thank you!

### Vacation Bible School: Mark your calendar for June 24-28

2019 Vacation Bible School, "Noah - Get on the Boat!" will be a week not to miss. Rising 4-year-olds through 5th graders are invited to be part of this fun-filled, educational week. VBS will take place June 24-28, from 9 a.m. until noon each day. The children will present what they learn about Noah in church on Sunday, June 29. Online registration begins Feb. 1. Also, please note that rising 6th graders and older are invited to volunteer. Online registration is now open - <http://bit.ly/ccvbs2019>.

### This morning: Children's Ministry Committee Meeting

The Children's Ministry Committee will meet on today, Feb. 10, at 10:15 a.m. in the library. We'll discuss Kids with Purpose, Lent and Holy Week plans, and Vacation Bible School 2019. Committee members, please come if you are able.

### Sunday School Registration

Is your child between the age of eight weeks and fifth grade? If so, please take a few minutes to register them for nursery care / Sunday School classes for the current year. Visit <http://bit.ly/CCSSReg> to register. Thank you for your help!

## Youth Ministry

### Youth News

- Regular Sunday School and EYC today
- Final Run for Young committee meeting will be held Monday, Feb. 11, at 5:45 p.m. Please make plans to attend this very important wrap-up meeting as we vote to distribute funds and more!
- High School Bible Study will meet this Wednesday, Feb. 13, from 7-8 p.m. YLC following 8-8:30 p.m. Check emails and social media for location.
- Save the date for upcoming registrations:
  - Mardi Gras Pancake Supper: March 5, 5:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.
  - Lenten Small Groups: Senior Voyage, Sophomore Seekers, Middle School Bible Study
  - Glory Ridge (current grades 8-12): May 10-12

### Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) - Tonight!

EYC is a Sunday evening program that meets throughout the academic year. EYC gives students a space to explore, learn, and sustain their relationship with Christ, learn more about the church, and find ways to connect with peers through food, fellowship, prayer and fun! Most Sunday evenings youth and volunteers meet in the Baker Wing Basement Room 012. Junior and Senior EYCs are split for activities and games, but we all eat together in between programs. Throughout the school year, we'll take trips, do service work, and hang out around town. All are welcome to join us whenever possible!

#### Upcoming EYC Sundays - Feb. 10, 24

Jr. EYC grades 6-8 - 5:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.

Dinner (all grades) - 6:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.

Sr. EYC grades 9-12 - 7 p.m. until 8 p.m.

### High School Bible Study

High School Bible Study (grades 9-12) views movies each week followed by discussion using a verse or quote to learn about the living Word by discovering the depth of how God is revealed to us through daily life. We rotate to different students' homes each Wednesday from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m. This is very casual, just bring yourself! Student hosts will be posted on our social media accounts. Addresses will be sent in our weekly emails. No registration needed. Contact Martha Cox - [mcox@ccral.org](mailto:mcox@ccral.org).

## Youth Ministry

### VBS Youth Volunteers Needed

During the week of Vacation Bible School, youth (grades 6-12) are invited to serve us volunteers alongside adults in leading VBS. Students will work in classrooms with children or at particular stations helping with the daily activities. You may sign up to volunteer from 8:30 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. the entire week, or any combination of days. Requests for job roles can be made in the registration but are not guaranteed. VBS 2019 will be held the week of June 24-28. Please also make plans to attend the one-hour training that will be held on Sunday, June 23, at 5 p.m. All student volunteers must have a 2018-2019 youth medical release form on file prior to the beginning of VBS. Register at <http://bit.ly/vbsvol19>.

### Confirmand/Sponsor Activity: Ash Wednesday Bread Baking

On Wednesday, March 6, confirmands and their sponsors are invited to join together in baking fresh bread for the 7 p.m. Holy Eucharist service. Bread baking will take place from 6-6:45 p.m. and pairs are encouraged to attend the service together afterwards. If you are interested in participating, please email Sandy Anthony - [santhony@ccral.org](mailto:santhony@ccral.org). If your sponsor is unable to attend, you are more than welcome to participate with a parent or other adult.

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### "Episcopally Speaking"

*A closer look at the language and movements of the Episcopal Liturgy.*

**Baptism** Holy Baptism is now to be understood as full initiation by water and the Holy Spirit into Christ's Body, the Church. This bond that God established in baptism is indissoluble. We can reject and/or distort it, but we can never deny who and whose we are. It is God who is the prior actor in baptism, an action to which we can only respond. This should explain why a baptism can never be repeated, for while we may break our covenant with God, God never breaks his covenant with us. Our appropriate response, therefore, is to renew our promises by reaffirming our baptismal vows and covenant over and over again. -excerpt from *Holy Baptism, A Guide for Parents and Godparents* by The Rev. John H. Westerhoff

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