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Friday, February 22, 2019—Vol. 3, Issue 8

Intercessory

Prayer

Group

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

(The Fourth Wednesday of the Month)

7:00 p.m. in Fr. Chris' Office

We come together to pray for all needs and concerns of our parish, our community, our nation, and the world.

We also give thanks to God for all the blessings we have received.

All are Welcome!

CHRIST CHURCH

25390 Maddox Road

Parish Hall and Office 37497 Zach Fowler Road

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Sunday Services

8:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 10:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

Thursdays

6:10 p.m.—Meditative Music 6:30 p.m.—Simple Holy Eucharist

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Shrove Tuesday FLAPJACKS

FELLOWSHIP

Tuesday, March 5, 2018 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

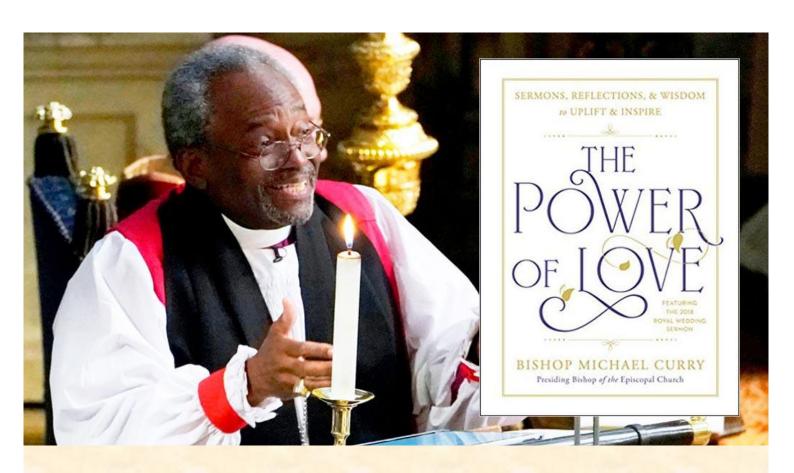
Suggested Offering: \$5.00 per person

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For more information please call the Parish Office at 301.884.3451 or email: office@cckqp.net







Lenten Book Study

Tuesdays — 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9

Cost: \$13.00

Please RSVP by March 6th



Two billion people watched Bishop Michael Curry deliver his sermon on the redemptive power of love at the royal wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle (now the Duke and Duchess of Sussex) at Windsor Castle. Here, he shares the full text of the sermon, plus an introduction and four of his favorite sermons on the themes of love and social justice. The world has met Bishop Curry and has been moved by his riveting, hopeful, and deceptively simple message: love and acceptance are what we need in these strange times.

PARISH NEWS

- THIS SUNDAY...We Welcome Bethel 42 Hollywood, Job's Daughters International who are visiting us today at our 10 am service. Job's Daughters International is a youth organization for girls between the ages of 10 and 20. JDI has chapters called "Bethels" in the United States, Canada, Australia, Brazil, and the Philippines. Job's Daughters is a premier organization for young women that teaches the values of leadership, public speaking, charity, respect for parents and elders, and teamwork. Members participate in a variety of activities such as: bimonthly meetings, fundraisers, service projects, leadership workshops, theme parties, dances and so much more! Our Bethel meets 2 Sundays a month at 2 pm in Hollywood. All girls are welcome to join. For more information, talk to Ava or email Happy Estes-Butler at bethel42bethelguardian@gmail.com. And please visit us for funnel cake at the Fair and Oyster Festival.
- # Do you have the gift of serving, connecting, listening? Would you like to grow that gift, and join others in deepening your Christian spiritual life? As you've seen in previous bulletins, we're setting up an expansive Pastoral Care Team. Specifically, we're going to establish a Community of Hope (www.cohinternational.org) a new ministry initiative, a community of caregivers, and, at first, a 14-session training program to fully equip you to be pastors with one another. The St. Mary's Community of Hope, representing four County parishes, will meet on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 6:30-8pm at Banneker Elementary School, just north of Leonardtown. First session is Wed. March 20, 6:30pm. Interested? Curious? Contact Fr. Chris today, and we'd love you to join our Community of Hope!
- It st. Mary's Community Groups—This spring we will be offering three Community Groups in St. Mary's County. Community Groups are opportunities to meet with others in your area to grow deeper Christ-centered relationships around fellowship, discussion of God's Word, and prayer. You'll be encouraged to live out truths you discover in the Bible as you encourage others to do the same. These groups will meet for eight weeks. We encourage you to participate in one of the Community Groups closest to your home. We look forward to seeing what God is going to do in and through you as you continue to grow in your relationship with God and your neighbors. This semester we will be using the book: The Gospel in Life: Grace Changes Everything Study Guide by Timothy Keller

We are offering three community groups in St. Mary' County:

Tall Timbers Community Group--Tuesdays @ 6:00pm starting March 12, 2019 **Wildewood Community Group**--Thursdays @ 6:00pm starting March 7, 2019 **Valley Lee Community Group**--Fridays @ 6:00pm starting March 15, 2019

If you are interested in participating, please contact Iman Syler, SOMD Missioner for Discipleship and Faith Formation at Imansyler@gmail.com

- # Intercessory Prayer Group meets this Wednesday, February 27th at 7:00 pm. All are welcome!
- # Shrove Tuesday "Flapjacks and Fellowship" March 5th from 5:30 to 7:00 pm at the Parish Hall. The suggested cost is \$5.00 per person. This is an annual event hosted by the men of the parish.
- # Ash Wednesday, March 6th—Services will be held at 12:00 Noon and 7:00 pm. Please return any old palms that you would like to "recycle" for this year's ashes!
- # Lenten Book Study—"The Power of Love" a collection of sermons by our Presiding Bishop, Michael Curry. We will meet Tuesdays—10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9. Please RSVP by March 6th. Cost: \$13.00
- # <u>Bulletin and Newsletter Deadline</u>—Please forward any announcements and prayer requests to Fr. Chris (frchris@cckqp.net) by Wednesdays at 3:30 pm for inclusion in the weekly newsletter and Sunday bulletins.

Important Upcoming Dates:

3/5—Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper (5:30 to 7:00 pm)

3/6—Ash Wednesday

3/16—St. Patrick's Day Dinner (6:00 pm)

3/31—"FIFTH" Sunday one service at 9:00 am and Bishop's Visitation

4/6—Yard Sale

4/13—Parish Workday

4/21—Easter Sunday

5/4—Patuxent Voices Concert at Christ Church (7:30 pm)

5/19—Strawberry Festival

5/31—FNF All Parish Year End Picnic

CHRIST CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Please let the office know of updates to the prayer list.

<u>Pray for Parish Members</u>: Caroline Baldwin, Dorothy Pecson, Jane Cooper, Doris Goode, Mike Moore, Michael Sirk, Martin Hailey, Gail Edger, Marvin Smith, Susan Tyner, Jennifer Bryant, Sharon Montillo, Virginia Raley, Karen Owens, Joe Drumgoole, Dan Donahue, Bill Edger, and Fred Wyant.

Also pray for: Richard Griffith - Colton; Bob Whitlock, Sharon Miller, Marvin Jones, - Donahue; Kay DesMarais—Kauffman, Frances Clemenos - Edger; Carl Thoburn, Myra & Ken Fitch - Fitch; Dennis Reich, Karletta Magura - Smith; Scott Peabody - Heflin; Joe Turner, Betty Roush - Saunders; Carli Trost, Gilbert Murphy, Pat Valladingham—Sirk, Shophi Grace, Nicholas - Schuhart; Ron Wong, Bobby Stahl—Redmond; Jennifer Peacock—Rocheleau; Ben Pecson—Pecson; Joann McGilloway—Tyner; Luther Wolfe, Carolyn Cave, Tom Berry, Eidson Mulling, Diane Byram, Dennis Webber, Jim Blanche, Anne Keeley—Cooper; Dianne Henwood, Melissa Henwood—Jubinski; Pam Chaney, Pam Jones, Carolina Montillo—Montillo; Bruce Tobiasson, Ed Poplin—Westerfield; Ellen Z., Sarah Beattie—Loker; Cheryl Stubbs—Eaton; John Bernier, John Gradwell—McCubbin; Jessica Higgs—M. Oliver; Linda Dickerson, Jonathan McAdams—Graves; Moe Mozingo, Cindy Young; Philip Quade, Tim Butler—Burch; Frank Gough, Joyce Donaldson—Donaldson, Frankie Tippett,—Simmons, Hope Brouwer-Ancher, The Werth Family, Baby Dorothy Rice, Jacob Goins, Peggy Vosseler—Wright; Barbara Carlton—Shupe; Joe Fuller, Verna Kooker—Fuqua, Doris Anne Bradburn, Thad Hickey—Nelson; Karen Ensminger—Drumgoole; Donna Bayes—Leukhardt, Jim Crandall-Penk; Heather Payton, John Russell and their children—S. Barber; Irma Graves—Franklin.

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF WASHINGTON CYCLE OF PRAYER—7 EPIPHANY

Please pray for the following parishes and concerns this week:

• St. David's Church, DC

REFLECTIONS ON THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS — THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY—YEAR C

Again, the theme of Epiphany, the manifestation of Christ, is the focus of the liturgy. The "sermon on the plain" continues today with Jesus teaching about the way members of God's Kingdom relate to other people. Here our behavior is to reflect God's behavior toward us. We are to love, to forgive, and to be generous because God loves us, God forgives us, and God is generous to us.

In the first reading, a model of forgiveness and love are given in the story of Joseph and the ten brothers who had sold him into slavery. Joseph's forgiveness is unconditional and is the means by which God saved the people of Israel for their future vocation.

In this last portion of 1 Corinthians, Paul continues to explain the resurrection. Here he is confronting a notion held by some in that congregation that human beings are purely spiritual beings trapped in sinful, material bodies and that certain people with special spiritual gifts can escape their material existence. Paul's message is that human beings are material but are destined, through the resurrection of Christ, to be raised themselves with spiritual bodies. It is only through the dying and rising of Jesus, not through special knowledge or gifts, that this can take place.

It is always God whose actions come first. Jesus is the manifestation of God's generous love and forgiveness. Our response is to show forth that divine love and forgiveness in our own lives. We are to be epiphanies of God's love to the world. We find God's love revealed in the Eucharist and we in turn are sent forth to embody that love in our lives.

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THE LITURGICAL GUIDE

THE NEWSLETTER APPEARS WEEKLY. THE NEXT ISSUE WILL BE PUBLISHED ON FRIDAY, FEB. 22, 2019.

	February 24, 2019 7 Epiphany	March 3, 2019 Last Epiphany	March 10, 2019 1 Lent	March 17, 2019 2 Lent	
Lectionary Readings	Genesis 45:3-11, 15 Psalm 37:1-12, 41-42 1 Cor. 15:35-38,42-50 Luke 6:27-38	Exodus 34:29-35 Psalm 99 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2 Luke 9:28-36	Deuteronomy 26:1-11 Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 Romans 10:8b-13 Luke 4:1-13	Genesis 15:1-12,17-18 Psalm 27 Philippians 3:17-4:1 Luke 13:31-35	
8:00 a.m.					
LEM	Jim Westerfield	Robbie Loker	Kathy Cooke	John Deatrick	
Lector	Brad Reeves	John Deatrick	David Simmons	Ebie Coopee	
Greeters	Mary & David Simmons	Joan Schuhart & Julie Burch	Patti & John Harhai	Donna & Brad Reeves	
10:00 a.m.					
LEM	Eddie McDonald	Herb Redmond	Mac McGarity	Donna McDonald	
Lector	Keith Owens	Donnie Morgan	Ava Ciabottoni	Chip Burton	
Greeter	Helen & Monty Wright	Laura, Ryann, Karley Rocheleau	Amy & Mark Topolski	Donnie Morgan Conner Morgan	
Altar Guild	Helen Wright & Team	Betsy Franklin & Dottie McCubbin	Betsy Franklin & Dottie McCubbin	Betsy Franklin & Dottie McCubbin	
Coffee Hour	Potluck	Potluck	Potluck	Potluck	

SERVICES AT CHRIST CHURCH

SUNDAYS

8:00 am—Holy Eucharist 10:00 am—Organ & Choir / Holy Eucharist

THURSDAYS

6:10 pm—Meditative Music on the Piano 6:30 pm—A Simple Holy Eucharist

Baptisms, Weddings, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation by Appointment

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To see the readings for the next two Sundays, click on the links at the top of the schedule on this page

or visit lectionarypage.net

FEBRUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 3 Epiphany 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 9:00 AM Breakfast Bunch 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite II) 11:00 AM Coffee Hour	28 Parish Office Closed Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Friar, 1274	29 Andrei Rublev, Monk and Iconographer, 1430 7:00 PM Zumba/Flaunt	30 Charles Stuart, King of England and Scotland, 1649	31 John Bosco, Priest, 1888 and Samuel Shoemaker, Priest and Evangelist, 1963 6:10 PM Meditative Music in Church 6:30 PM Holy Eucharist 7:00 PM NA	1 Brigid, Abbess of Kildare, 523 6:30 PM Friday Night Fellowship	The Presentation of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Temple Candlemas
3 4 Epiphany 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 9:00 AM Breakfast Bunch 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite II) 11:00 AM Coffee Hour	4 Cornelius the Centurion Parish Office Closed	5 [Roger Williams, 1683, and Anne Hutchinson, 1643, Prophetic Witnesses The Martyrs of Japan, 1597 10:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Zumba/Flaunt	6 [Titus, Bishop and Confessor, 1st Century] 12:00 PM Lunch Bunch 2:00 PM WARM Duffle Bag Packing 7:00 PM Buildings and Grounds Committee	7 6:10 PM Meditative Music in Church 6:30 PM Holy Eucharist 7:00 PM NA	8 3:00 PM Hall Rental	9 7:30 PM SMTMD Contra Dance
10 5 Epiphany 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 9:00 AM Breakfast Bunch 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite II) 11:00 AM Coffee Hour 12:30 PM SOMD Summer Mission Trip Informational Meeting	11 [Frances Jane (Fanny) Van Alstyne Crosby, Hymnwriter, 1915] Parish Office Closed	12 Charles Freer Andrews, Priest and "Friend of the Poor" in India, 1940 10:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Zumba/Flaunt	13 Absalom Jones, Priest, 1818 6:30 PM Vestry Meeting	Cyril, Monk and Methodius, Bishop, Missionaries to the Slavs, 869, 885 Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop, 9th Century 6:10 PM Meditative Music in Church 6:30 PM Holy Eucharist 7:00 PM NA	15 Thomas Bray, Priest and Missionary, 1730 6:30 PM Friday Night Fellowship	16 Charles Todd Quintard, Bishop of Tennessee, 1898 11:30 AM Hall Rental
17 6 Epiphany 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 9:00 AM Breakfast Bunch 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite II) 11:00 AM Coffee Hour	18 [Simeon of Jerusalem, Bishop and Martyr, 1st Century] Parish Office Closed	19 10:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Zumba/Flaunt	20 Frederick Douglass, Orator and Advocate for Truth and Justice, 1895	21 John Henry Newman, Priest and Theologian, 1890 Peter Damian, Bishop, 1072 6:10 PM Meditative Music in Church 6:30 PM Holy Eucharist 7:00 PM NA	22 Eric Liddell, Missionary to China, 1945 St. Peter's Chair at Antioch	23 Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr of Smyma, 156 7:30 PM SMTMD Open Mic
7 Epiphany 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 9:00 AM Breakfast Bunch 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite II) 11:00 AM Coffee Hour	25 [Ethelbert, King and Confessor, 616] Parish Office Closed	26 Emily Malbone Morgan, Prophetic Witness, 1937 10:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Zumba/Flaunt	27 George Herbert, Priest, 1633	28 Anna Julia Haywood Cooper, 1964, and Elizabeth Evelyn Wright, 1904, Educators 6:10 PM Meditative Music in Church 6:30 PM Holy Eucharist 7:00 PM NA	1 David, Bishop of Menevia, Wales, c. 544 6:30 PM Friday Night Fellowship	2 Chad, Bishop of Lichfield, 672

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Christ Church King & Queen Parish

Saint Patrick's Sinner

Saturday, March 16th 6:00 PM

Corned Beef and all the trimmings
Live Irish music

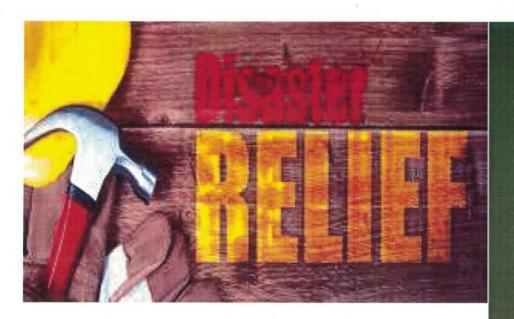


\$20.00 with reservations or \$25.00 at the door

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JULY 7-12,2019 SUMMER MISSION TRIP DISASTER RESPONSE

Volunteer Information

Join us on an opportunity to invest ourselves in mission to honor God through Disaster Relief Response in Washington, NC. As a volunteer our *primary task* is to respond to need but our *primary purpose* is to radiate the love of Christ in all we do. Romans 12:1

At times we want to hurry and get our tasks complete but never at the expense of our purpose. We will make the best of the quiet time to rest, get acquainted, and play with the children. We will need to be flexible, adaptable, sensitive and patient.

Compassionate cooperation is the key. **Hebrews 6:10**

Who: All Persons 14 yrs and older

What: Disaster
Relief from
Hurricane Floyd

Where: Washington, NC

Cost:

\$600.00 per person includes room/board and transportation

EPSICOPAL CHURCHES IN SOUTHERN MARYLAND

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February 24, 2019 – Epiphany 7 (C) What Is Lent?

Today is the Seventh Sunday after Epiphany, which brings the season of Epiphany very near to its end. In 10 days, the church will begin observing Lent. Ash Wednesday falls on March 6 this year, and marks the beginning of the season of Lent, the 40-day period before Easter.

The period of 40 days, which traditionally does not include Sundays, commemorates the "40 days and 40 nights" (Matthew 4:2) that Jesus fasted in the desert and then resisted temptations from Satan.



Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent on March 6.

The word "Lent" comes from an Old English word for "spring," and is derived from the German word "lang," meaning "long," because during this season before Easter, the hours of daylight become longer.

The Book of Common Prayer explains Lent in this way: "The first Christians observed with great devotion the days of our Lord's passion and resurrection, and it became the custom of the Church to prepare for them by a season of penitence and fasting. This season of Lent provided a time in which converts to the faith were prepared for Holy Baptism. It was also a time when those who, because of notorious sins, had been separated from the body of the faithful were reconciled by penitence and forgiveness, and restored to the fellowship of the Church (Book of Common Prayer, pp. 264-265).

The Episcopal Church invites us to observe Lent "by self-examination and repentance; by prayer, fasting, and self-denial; and by reading and meditating on God's holy Word" (Book of Common Prayer, p. 265).



The Blue Rhythm Boys

Christ Church Parish
Hall
37497 Zach Fowler Rd
Chaptico, MD

\$10 SMTMD members \$15 Non-members



Saturday, February 23 - 7:30 pm

Tom Mitchell and Jim Stephanson bring their own swinging mix of hot jazz, country blues and hokum to Southern Maryland! It is a real treat to see two extremely talented musicians playing off each other, swapping licks, and just having fun. This is music for acoustic guitar music lovers. Influences of soulful blues and raucous swing, will take you on a trip through time, from the roaring 20's and 30's, from Mississippi John Hurt, Blind Blake, the "hot club" swing of Django Reinhardt, the western swing of Bob Wills & The Texas Playboys to the music of the great Fats Waller. The Blue Rhythm Boys play the music they love, and their great delight and considerable chops will be evident pretty quick into their first set. Tom and Jim have played in just about every state in the union and many countries as well, and if you ask, they will say the best gigs are playing for folks that love the acoustic sound of music that is sophisticated in the way it is played, not in what it is processed through.

Refreshments Available
Go to SMTMD.org for more information

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February Birthdays

1 Dave Hudson

2 Gretchen Sirk

4 Al Monshower

6 Jerry Healy

6 Michael Sirk

9 Mary Simmons

11 Romana Ferrari

12 Hunter Lyon

12 Lolla Ferrari

12 Royce Dennison

13 Ryann Rocheleau

13 Stephen Hunt

16 Patricia Harhai

17 Avery Shupe

18 Suzanne Smith

21 Helen Wright

21 FayAnna Walker

23 Monty Wright

24 David Seeman

24 John Harhai

25 Jane Cooper

26 Ryan Dean

27 Debra Gray

February Anniversaries

4 Richard & Mary Thomas

14 Chuck & Dottie McCubbin



On the Lighter Side...





