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THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 27, 2019 7:00 P.M.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

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

THURSDAYS

(Resuming in September) 6:10 p.m.—Meditative Music 6:30 p.m.—Simple Holy Eucharist

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PARISH NEWS

<u>Advent Study: The Gift of the Nutcracker.</u> The Nutcracker was first performed in 1892, and quickly became a holiday tradition, one that continues for many families to this day. In The Gift of The Nutcracker, Matt Rawle takes a look at this Christmas classic in a new way—through the lens of faith. In this Advent study, Rawle uses the iconic tale to help us understand God's greatest gift of the Christ child and of the kingdom Christ came to build.

This study involves a short video presentation and then a discussion. This study will last for two sessions on Tuesdays, December 1 and 17. I am happy to offer a morning and evening session based on interest. There is an associated workbook for \$11. Please contact Fr. Chris if you would like to join this study.

<u>Covenant Class</u> is now forming for a start in early 2020. This class is for those who wish to be confirmed or received into the Episcopal Church, as well as, for those who would like to learn more about our customs and traditions. Please contact Fr. Chris if you are interested.

<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:

12/14—Patuxent Voices Concert at 7:30 pm (Church)
12/20—FNF Christmas Craft Night (Parish Hall)
12/22 - Advent Lessons and Carols at 4:00 pm (Cancelled)
3/29/2020—Bishop's Visitation

Please remember Christ Church in your end of life planning and in your will.



Stewardship Update

As of November 27th, Christ Church has received 55 promises (pledges) of financial support for 2020 totaling \$142,938. Thank you for your support! Chris +

Patuxent Voices presents **Tis the Season**



a concert of a cappella music for the holiday



Saturday, December 14, 2019, 7:30pm Christ Church, Chaptico



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R E V E R S E ADVENT CALENDAR

EACH DAY ADD AN ITEM TO A BOX. ON CHRISTMAS EVE DONATE THE CONTENTS TO A FOOD BANK.

December 1 - box of cereal December 2 - peanut butter December 3 - stuffing mix December 4 - boxed potatoes December 5 - macaroni and cheese December 6 - canned fruit December 7 - canned tomatoes December 8 - canned tuna December 9 - dessert mix December 10 - jar of applesauce December 11 - canned sweet potatoes December 12 - cranberry sauce December 13 - canned beans December 14 - box of crackers December 15 - package of rice December 16 - package of oatmeal December 17 - package pasta December 18 - spaghetti sauce December 19 - chicken noodle soup December 20 - tomato soup December 21 - can corn December 22 - can mixed vegetables December 23 - can carrots December 24 - can green beans

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THE LITURGICAL GUIDE

THE NEWSLETTER APPEARS WEEKLY. THE NEXT ISSUE WILL BE PUBLISHED ON FRIDAY., DEC. 6, 2019.

Liturgical Day & Color	November 27, 2019 Thanksgiving Eve	December 1, 2019 1 Advent—Year A	December 8, 2019 2 Advent—Year A	December 15, 2019 3 Advent—Year A
Lectionary Readings	<u>Deuteronomy 26:1-11</u> <u>Psalm 100</u> Philippians 4:4-9	<u>Isaiah 2:1-5</u> <u>Psalm 122</u> Romans 13:11-14	<u>Isaiah 11:1-10</u> <u>Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19</u> Romans 15:4-13	<u>Isaiah 35:1-10</u> <u>Canticle 15</u> James 5:7-10
	John 6:25-35	<u>Matthew 24:36-44</u>	<u>Matthew 3:1-12</u>	<u>Matthew 11:2-11</u>
8:00 a.m.	Rite Two 7:00 p.m.	Rite One	Rite One	Rite One
LEM (2 nd Chalice)	Sara Frawley	Keith Loker	Robbie Loker	Jim Westerfield
Lector	David Simmons	David Simmons	Brad Reeves	John Deatrick
Greeters	Karen & Dave Hudson	Mary & David Simmons	Joan Schuhart Julie Burch	Patti & John Harhai
10:00 a.m.		Rite Two	Rite Two	Rite Two
LEM (2 nd Chalice)	TBe	Susan McQuilkin	Sara Frawley	Herb Redmond
Lector		Chip Burton	Dave Hudson	Greg Penk
Greeter		Amy & Mark Topolski	Donnie Morgan Conner Morgan	Karen & Keith Owens
Altar Guild	Lynne Redmond Robbie Loker	Lynne Redmond Robbie Loker	Lynne Redmond Robbie Loker	Lynne Redmond Robbie Loker
Coffee Hour		Potluck	Potluck	Potluck

SERVICES AT CHRIST CHURCH

<u>SUNDAYS</u>

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

THURSDAYS

6:10 pm—Meditative Music on the Piano 6:30 pm—Simple Evening Prayer, Compline, or Holy Eucharist

> Baptisms, Weddings, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation by Appointment

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To see the readings for the next four Sundays, click on the links at the top of the schedule on this page or visit <u>lectionarypage.net</u>

CHRIST CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Please let Fr. Chris (frchris@cckqp.net) know of updates to the prayer list.

<u>Pray for Parish Members</u>: Caroline Baldwin, Jennifer Bryant, Jane Cooper, Gale Edger, Martin Hailey, Sharon Montillo, Mike Moore, Ben Pecson, Dorothy Pecson, Virginia Raley, Joan Schuhart, Fred Wyant, and Stephen Hunt.

Also pray for: Lily Smith – Blackwell; Philip Quade, Tim Butler – Burch; Richard Griffith - Colton; Luther Wolfe, Carolyn Cave, Bill Cave, Tom Berry, Eidson Mulling, Diane Byram, Anne and Bill Keeley, Russ Cisco, Rick Deao - Cooper; Sharon Miller, Marvin Jones, - Donahue; Frank Gough, Joyce Donaldson- Donaldson; Cheryl Stubbs – Eaton; Frances Clemenos – Edger; Myra & Ken Fitch, George Frioux, Anne Powell - Fitch; Irma Graves - Franklin; Debbie and William Windsor - Friess; Joe Fuller - Fuqua; Linda Dickerson, Larry Rhodes - Graves; Scott Peabody - Heflin; Kay DesMarais -Kauffman; Betty Mintz – Monshower; Keith Harless, Jan Barnes, John Mattingly – Loker; John Bernier, John Gradwell – McCubbin; Pam Chaney, Pam Jones, Carolina Montillo, April Parlett – Montillo; Doris Anne Bradburn, Barbara Ward–Nelson; Jessica Higgs – M. Oliver; Janet Oliver, Frank Davis–T. Oliver; Maura Sullivan - Penk; Fauna Sullivan - Raley; Jennifer Peacock - Rocheleau; Joe Turner, Betty Roush - Saunders; Shophi Grace, Nicholas, Taylor Nee, Ed & Cynthia Brown, Larry Costello, Shane Roberts - Schuhart; Barbara Carlton - Shupe; Frankie Tippett, -Simmons, Carli Trost, Donna Mae Duggin, Eddie Becker, Carl Brahm, Jackie Sirk Lacey, Jay Bowman-Sirk; Jakkie Dickey, Karletta Magura -Smith; Nick Potts, Margaret Roberts, Matt Castle - Tierney; Joann McGilloway - Tyner; Bruce Tobiasson, Ed Poplin - Westerfield; Eddie Gerlach, Ann Marie Healey, Lucille Riddles, George Gerlach, Barnett Wright-Wright.

Episcopal Diocese of Washington Cycle of Prayer—1 Advent

Please pray for the following parishes and concerns this coming week:

- St. Nicholas' Parish, Germantown
- Diocesan Latino Ministry
- Samaritan Ministry of Greater Washington

Prayer REQUEST

December 1, 2019 – Advent 1 (A) First Week of Advent: Saying "Yes" to the Journey

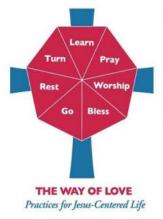
As Advent begins this week, we invite you to orient yourself to the coming of Jesus at Christmas through the practices of *Journeying the Way of Love*. This journey begins by saying "yes" to God's call to birth new life into the world—a call that is both powerful and gentle, a call that will, if fully embraced, grow beyond our imaginations, spilling out of ourselves and into our family, friends, community, and the whole world. Over the course of this holy season, we invite you to respond to that call using these daily practices, and encourage you to offer them to your friends, family, and neighbors.

Sunday, December I WORSHIP

What word or words from worship today have found a home in your heart? Share these words with a friend or family member.

Monday, December 2 GO

Take time to listen closely to someone you may not ordinarily take seriously, or who has a different perspective than you. Pray to hear them as God hears them.



Tuesday, December 3 LEARN

Read Luke 1:30. What are you afraid of that keeps you from saying "yes" to God?

Wednesday, December 4 PRAY

Set a timer for three minutes. Silently repeat this prayer: "Here I am, God."

Thursday, December 5 BLESS

The angel blessed Mary with the gift of presence. To whom can you give the gift of presence this week?

Friday, December 6 TURN

In giving generously, St. Nicholas turned from a sense of scarcity to a posture of abundance. What do you need to turn from in order to be generous of heart?

Saturday, December 7 **REST**

From what could you rest in order to receive renewed life? Take as long as you are able to find that rest today.

For more Advent resources related to the Way of Love, visit episcopalchurch.org/wayoflove. There, you'll find links to the full Advent curriculum *Journeying the Way of Love*, as well as *Living the Way of Love in Community*, a nine-session curriculum for use anytime.

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REFLECTIONS ON THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS (DEC. 1, 2019) THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (HOPE)



Welcome to Christ Church. On this Advent Sunday, the liturgy is centered on the second Advent of Christ, when he will return as judge and establish the Kingdom of God. In today's Gospel tells his reading Jesus followers that his return will be sudden and with no warning. Therefore, we are to live at all times as though his return is imminent.

In the first reading, the prophet Isaiah foresees that Kingdom as God's reign over a united and peaceful

humanity. All people will know themselves to be the children of God and brothers and sisters to all other people.

The second reading from Romans exhorts us to live as though we were in the last days. We are to live as though the Kingdom has come; shunning darkness and living in the light of God's presence.

The Advent theme that points to Jesus' first coming in his birth becomes the sign for us of the Advent yet to come. As we gather in the Eucharist, we find in our liturgical action a foretaste of the unity and peace of God's Kingdom. We recognize that in this in-between time (between Jesus' first coming and his second) we ourselves are caught up in the Eucharist into the Kingdom.

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UPCOMING HYMNS AT WORSHIP

Hymnal—The "Red" Hymnal 1982

LEVAS—Music from Lift Every Voice and Sing Hymnal (Episcopal) WLP—Music from Wonder, Love, and Praise Hymnal (Episcopal) VF—Voices Found Hymnal (Episcopal) UMH—United Methodist Hymnal CH—Celebration Hymnal (Non-denominational)

* —Hymns requested by parishioners

NOVEMBER 24, 2019-THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST-CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

Processional	Hymnal 460*	Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!
Gloria		Setting: English Folk Mass (Malcom Archer)
Sequence	Hymnal 495	Hail, thou once despised Jesus!
Offertory	Hymnal 481	Rejoice, the Lord is King!
Doxology		Setting: Stephen Hunt
Sanctus		Setting: English Folk Mass (Malcom Archer)
Fraction		Setting: English Folk Mass (Malcom Archer)
Communion	Hymnal 324*	Let all mortal flesh keep silence
Recessional	Hymnal 477	All praise to thee, for thou, O King divine

NOVEMBER 28, 2019-THANKSGIVING EVE

Processional	Hymnal 290	Come, ye thankful people, come
Sequence	Hymnal 339	Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness
Doxology		Setting: Old 100 th
Communion	LEVAS 146	Break thou bread of life
Recessional	Hymnal 718*	God of our fathers, whose almighty hand

DECEMBER 1, 2019-THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR A)

Processional	WLP 721	Signs of ending all around us
Kyrie	S 91	Setting: Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena (H. Wil
Sequence	Hymnal 57	Lo! He comes, with clouds descending
Offertory	Hymnal 542	Christ is the world's true Light
Doxology		
Sanctus		Setting: St. James Advent Service (R. Shephard)
Fraction		Setting: St. James Advent Service (R. Shephard)
Communion	Hymnal 318*	Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face
Recessional	Hymnal 68	Rejoice! rejoice, believers



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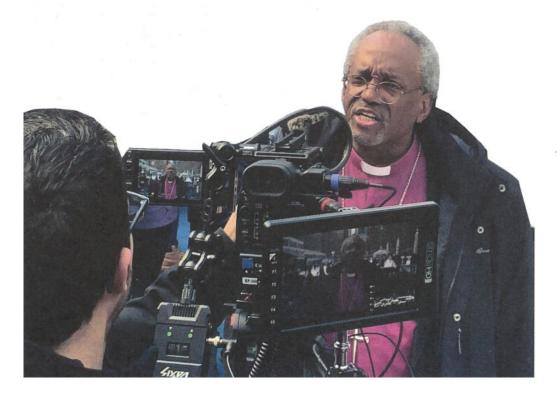
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RITES OF PASSAGE

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December Birthdays

1 Ethan Frawley 1 Tad Burch 2 Donna McCarthy **2 Michelle Eaton** 6 Dan Donahue 12 Cecelia Owens 14 Richard "Ricky" Gilliam 14 Scott Watson 16 Martin Hailey **19 Diane Watson** 22 Mary Kathy Cooke **25 Logan Wright 28 Chip Burton** 30 Dottie McCubbin **30 Lillian Ferrari** 31 Donna Reeves Jr. **31 Sharon Montillo**

December Anniversaries 12 Greg Penk 27 Lisa and Ed Bolton Diane and Scott Watson







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