

COMMUNITY NEWS

Holy Week 2024

Christ Church Episcopal

Palm Sunday, March 24

8:00 AM, Chapel – Rite I Palm Sunday Eucharist
10:30 AM, Church - Liturgy of the Palms and Passion Narrative with Eucharist
10:30 AM, Chapel – Palm Sunday Children's Sabbath
5:00 PM, Church – Palm Sunday Tenebrae for Holy Week

Holy Monday, Holy Tuesday, Holy Wednesday Holy Eucharist

March 25, 26, 27, 12:00 PM, Church

Maundy Thursday Eucharist & Stripping of the Altar

March 28, 7:00 PM

Good Friday, March 29

Good Friday Liturgy of the Word - 12:00 PM, Church
Stations of the Cross, Friday - 3:00 PM, Church

Meet in the historic church and be prepared to walk around the perimeter of the nave and transepts. This devotion tells the story of Jesus' passion and death. It is an adaptation of a local custom widely observed by pilgrims to Jerusalem.

Holy Saturday, March 30

4:00 PM, Church - Easter Eve Baptism Service
7:00 PM, Church - The Great Vigil of Easter*
**Incense will be used during this service*

Easter Sunday - March 31

7:30 AM, Chapel – Rite I Eucharist
9:00 AM, Chapel – Rite II Eucharist
featuring Markley Chapel Musicians
9:00 AM, Church – Rite II Festal Eucharist
featuring Parish Choir & Brass
Children's Church will be offered at this service.
11:15 AM, Chapel – Rite II Eucharist
featuring Markley Chapel Musicians
11:15 AM, Church – Rite II Solemn Eucharist
*featuring the Parish Choir & Brass.**
Incense will be used during this service.
5:00 PM, Church – Rite II Eucharist
featuring the Christ Church Schola and Organ

Please note, that services in Markley Chapel will be lily-free, but will be beautifully decorated with gorgeous flowers of other varieties for those who suffer with allergies.

For more information, visit our website, www.ccgsc.org
or scan the QR code



AT CHRIST CHURCH

In-Person and Online Worship Offerings

Online worship continues to be available on our YouTube Channel.
Channel name: @ChristChurchEpiscopalGVL

Worship Schedule

Sunday Mornings

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I, Markley Chapel
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Historic Church
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Markley Chapel

Sunday Evenings

First Sunday of the Month

5:00 PM • Solemn Choral Evensong, Historic Church
All other Sundays
5:00 PM • Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Markley Chapel

Second Sundays

3:00 PM • Rhythms of Grace, Markley Chapel

First & Third Tuesdays

5:30 PM • Healing Eucharist, Rite II, Markley Chapel

Wednesdays

10:30 AM • Holy Eucharist, Rite I, Markley Chapel

For more details and detailed information, please visit our website at www.ccgsc.org.



Save the Date:

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| March 18 - Easter Flower Dedications Close | kbennett@ccgsc.org |
| March 23 - Holy Hike® | saraheghall2011@gmail.com |
| March 24 - Palm Sunday Egg Hunt | abuckner@ccgsc.org |
| March 25 - 31 - Holy Week | |
| March 28 - Maundy Thursday | |
| March 29 - Good Friday | |
| March 30 - Holy Saturday | clboyd7605@gmail.com |
| March 30 - Decorating for Easter | |
| March 31 - Easter Sunday | |
| April 6 - Men's Ministry Rebuild Upstate Project | ehjordan906@gmail.com |
| April 7 - Lessons and Carols for Eastertide | smarczynski@ccgsc.org |
| April 7 - Spring Discovery Weekend | kmertens@ccgsc.org |



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Embrace, Equip, and Empower Apostles to
Serve Jesus Christ.

OUR VALUES

Community, Compassionate, Faithful,
Grateful, and Inviting to All.



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CHRIST CHURCH

EPISCOPAL

A JOYFUL COMMUNITY SHARING LIFE IN JESUS CHRIST

March 17, 2024



Welcome

At Christ Church Episcopal, we have been gathering for 200 years as a community to worship God and demonstrate faith in our daily lives. In the name of Jesus Christ, we welcome you. If you are visiting or are new to our parish, contact Kevin Mertens, Director of Faith in Action and Hospitality Ministries at kmertens@ccgsc.org. Otherwise, scan the QR code with your smartphone's camera or fill out the blue card in your pew so we may contact you. To learn more, visit our website at www.ccgsc.org or contact us at 864.271.8773.



The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod, Rector



A JOYFUL COMMUNITY

Young Adult Third Thursdays

Thursday, March 21, 5:30 PM, Fireforge

All young adults (18-39) are welcome to join us for fellowship at Fireforge (311 E Washington St) on the Third Thursdays of the month at 5:30 PM. Contact Rev. Lindy at lbunch@ccgsc.org for more information!

Diocesan Day of Discernment

Saturday, March 23, 2024, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Trinity Cathedral, 1100 Sumter Street, Columbia, SC 29201

Bishop Daniel Richards and the Commission on Ministry invite all that are interested to attend a Diocesan Day of Discernment which will explore both lay and ordained ministry in The Episcopal Church. The Diocesan Day of Discernment is the first step in the official discernment process for Holy Orders in the Diocese of Upper South Carolina.

Your spouse, partner, or a close friend is also invited to attend and is encouraged to accompany you. If you believe that you may be called to Holy Orders (ordained ministry), you are encouraged to speak with the Rector or Vicar of your congregation and invite them to accompany you as well as they will have a part to play in the formal discernment process. Registration is required.

Holy Hike®, Saturday

Saturday, March 23, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

All are welcome to join us for a Holy Hike® at Conestee Nature Preserve. The Rev. Scott Fleischer will lead us on a hike and Eucharist outdoors. Holy Hikes® is a Christian network of eco-ministries committed to rebuilding Communion between all of God's Creation. For more information, contact Sarah Hall at saraheghall2011@gmail.com to sign up!

Please note that the hike may be canceled the morning of if there is inclement weather. Watch your email for an announcement from the church.



Easter Lilies will be used to decorate the Church for Easter services.

Donations of \$20 or more.

(Dedications received in person or by mail March 19 and after are appreciated but will not appear in the bulletins.)

Markley Chapel will be beautifully decorated with cut flowers for those with allergies to lilies.

For more information, contact Kristin Bennett at kbennett@ccgsc.org or 864.672.4148.



New Offering! Well Words Ministry of Pastoral Care

Partake in this new wellness blog from Greta Parkinson. Covering topics of mental, emotional, physical and spiritual health, this monthly blog will help you take care of yourself holistically with practical tips and new practices. The blog drops on the first Wednesday of everyone month at www.ccgsc.org/blog. For more information, contact Greta Parkinson at gparkinson@ccgsc.org.



Spring Greeters and Cookies

If you would like to volunteer as a greeter or donate cookies for our Sunday cookies and lemonade tradition following the 10:30 AM service held in the McKissick Family Courtyard, please scan the QR code. For more information, contact Betty Parker Ellis at ellisworks@aol.com or 864.908.4744.



SHARING LIFE

Condolences To:

Rose Cuddy on the death of her aunt Geraldine "Gerry" Elizabeth Dorsey.
Joleen George on the death of her grandfather James George.

THE COMMON TABLE

The Common Table

Wednesdays, 5:30 - 7:00 PM



- 5:30 PM - Nursery opens, Children's Sabbath programming begins, adults-only social quarter-hour begins.
- 5:45 PM - Clergy Klatch and Youth programming begin.
- 6:30 PM - Nursery closes, Children's Sabbath ends, Wednesday Night Suppers serving line opens.
- 7:00 PM - Wednesday Night Suppers line closes, informal Compline is said.

Clergy Klatch Topic: To the Cross: An Examination of the Key Players in Jesus' Journey to Crucifixion.

Supper Wednesday, March 20 - Bow tie pasta carbonara with herbal turkey meatballs, caesar salad with homemade croutons, garlic bread, and key lime bars for dessert.

Palm Sunday

Parade, Picnic & Egg Hunt

March 24
After 10:30 AM
Services



Decorating for Easter

Saturday, March 30, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Join us on Saturday, March 30 anytime from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM to decorate our holy spaces for Easter. Many hands are needed, no prior experience with flowers or Altar Guild is needed! Contact Catherine Kinworthy at kinworthycat@gmail.com or Chan Boyd clboyd7605@gmail.com for more information.

Flowering of the Easter Cross

Sunday, March 31

Bring flowers from your yard to decorate the cross on Easter morning! Parishioners of all ages are welcome to participate in this timeless tradition. Let's make the cross festive and beautiful this year! For more information, contact Cara Horn at chorn@ccgsc.org.

IN JESUS CHRIST

THIS PARISH LIFE

the heart of our parish
one story at a time



Men's Ministry Rebuild Upstate Project

Saturday, April 6

Morning Shift - 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM: 8 volunteers needed

Afternoon Shift - 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM: 8 volunteers needed

Join the Men's Ministry on their continued mission of service to others in our community. Rebuild Upstate's mission of focusing on home preservation as a means to keep residents in their home. Rebuild is a very personal way to give back in that the homeowner will be there and the progress made is tangible. For more information or to ask questions, contact Eric Jordan at ehjordan906@gmail.com.



Lessons and Carols for Eastertide

Sunday, April 7, 5:00 PM

Alleluia, Christ is risen! Join us for a special Lessons & Carols service celebrating the Risen Christ. The Parish Choir and Choristers from the Church Street Choral Academy will lead us in a joyful celebration to as part of the Great 50 days of Easter. A dessert reception will follow in McKissick Family Courtyard.

For more information, contact Sarah Marczynski at smarczynski@ccgsc.org.

Spring Discovery Weekend is April 7 at Christ Church

Discovery Weekend is an opportunity to meet with the clergy and lay leaders of our congregations as they offer an in-depth overview of Christ Church Episcopal and its ministries. Discovery Weekend is open to all adults in our parish and provided at no charge to you. Come join us and deepen new friendship in an atmosphere of love, laughter and fellowship. For more information, or to sign up, contact Kevin Mertens at kmertens@ccgsc.org or 864.282.3100.

