

COMMUNITY NEWS



CHRIST CHURCH IN PICTURES



This Parish Life - A limited-time Lenten podcast Drop Thursdays, in the weekly e-blast

The heart of our parish, one story at a time. Join the Rev. Lindy for heartfelt stories by our parishioners about their time in our beloved parish. For more information, contact the Rev. Lindy Bunch at lbunch@ccgsc.org.



AT CHRIST CHURCH

In-Person and Online Worship Offerings

Online worship continues to be available on our YouTube Channel.
Channel name: [@ChristChurchEpiscopalGVL](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCChristChurchEpiscopalGVL)

Worship Schedule

Sunday Mornings

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I, Markley Chapel
10:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Historic Church
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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 full descriptions and detailed information, please visit our website at www.ccgsc.org.



Save the Date:

February 26 - Easter Flower Dedications Open	kbennett@ccgsc.org
March 3 - Lenten Evensong	dduncan@ccgsc.org
March 3 - Funeral Planning	acook@ccgsc.org
March 10 - Club 4/5 Kick-off	chom@ccgsc.org
March 13 - VBS and Creative Arts Camp Reg. Open	
March 14 - A Tribute to Black History in Orangeburg	acook@ccgsc.org
March 17 - Celtic Eucharist for St. Patrick's Day	dduncan@ccgsc.org
March 18 - Easter Flower Dedications Close	kbennett@ccgsc.org
March 23 - Holy Hike®	saraheghall2011@gmail.com



OUR MISSION

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

February 25, 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



Lenten
Evensong
March 3, 5:00 PM, Church



A JOYFUL COMMUNITY



Easter Lilies will be used to decorate the Church and Markley Chapel for Easter services. Donations of \$20 or more and dedications will be received February 26 through March 18 and will appear in the Easter bulletins. (Dedications received in person or by mail March 19 and after are appreciated but will not appear in the bulletins.) For more information, contact Kristin Bennett at kbennett@ccgsc.org or 864.672.4148.



Funeral Planning, Sunday March 3, 11:45 AM, McCall Parlor

Be kind to yourself and to your family by pre-planning your funeral. It is much easier to make our choices early and when we can discuss them calmly. We'll have sandwiches and soup courtesy of the Vardry McBee Society. Please reserve a spot with Annette by March 1 at 864.672.4141 or acook@ccgsc.org.

Club 4/5 Kick-Off Sunday, March 10, 5:30 - 7:00 PM, All Saints Center Gym

Calling all 4th and 5th graders! "Club 4/5" is a brand-new offering aiming to help 4th and 5th graders get more connected as they approach the transition into middle school and EYC. "Club 4/5" will join the youth group in sorting cans and boxes for the United Ministries Food Drive. This is a family-friendly service opportunity, so parents and siblings can also stay and enjoy fellowship while serving our community! (Keep an eye out for future fun fellowship opportunities!) For more information, contact Cara Horn at chorn@ccgsc.org.

GOAL Rally Monday, March 11

The Justice Ministry Rally caps off the GOAL research process and is held in preparation for our annual Nehemiah Action. At the Rally, our Network Members come together to hear what solutions will be brought to our public officials and which public officials will be attending the Nehemiah Action. To get involved or get more information, please contact Kevin Mertens at kmertens@ccgsc.org.



UNITED MINISTRIES FOOD DRIVE



FEBRUARY 18 - MARCH 10

Bags with attached lists can be picked up in the Parish House or at Sunday services.

Canned Meat • Canned Fruits & Veggies
Canned Pasta • Canned Soup
Canned Various Beans • Cereal • Grits
Oatmeal • Peanut Butter • Dried Beans
Rice • Mac & Cheese • Powdered Milk
Saltines • Ramen Noodle Packets

Celtic Eucharist for St. Patrick's Day March 17, 5:00 PM, Chapel

This unique worship service will include traditional, festive music to commemorate the feast day of St. Patrick. Wear your green and join us!

SHARING LIFE

Condolences To:
The family and friends of Paulette Peyer.



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, February 28 - Tequila lime chicken fajitas with sweet corn pudding and brown butter blondie brownies for dessert.



A Tribute to Black History in Orangeburg

Thursday, March 14, 8:30 AM

Faith in Action and the CC Seniors invite you to travel with us to Orangeburg where we'll pay tribute to those who lost their lives in the 1968 Orangeburg Massacre. We'll meet in the church parking lot and enjoy the trip to Orangeburg with Fr. Scott at the wheel of our new van. The cost is \$25 plus your lunch and museum admission. Reservations and payment are due by March 7 to Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 or acook@ccgsc.org.

Christ Church & Project Host Feed The Hungry

Weekly Needs:




170,000 meals & counting!

- Fresh fruit
- Sliced meats
- Raisin boxes
- Granola bars
- Mayonnaise
- Bags of chips
- Cracker packs

Christ Church ... Book Distribution Ministry

We meet on frequent Wednesdays from 1:30 - 3:30 PM. Contact Angelle Reichert at angellereichert@gmail.com to get involved.



750,000 books & counting!

IN JESUS CHRIST

Holy Hike®, 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.

2024 is here! Help play your part in Christ Church ministries!

Make a commitment to give this year to help fund ministry at our parish. A gift of \$25/mo provides communion to 10 home bound members. \$50/mo covers the cost of Sunday School materials for 1 adult or youth class. \$100/mo enables our youth to participate in community projects. To give now, visit our website, www.ccgsc.org/give or call Kristin Bennett at 864.672.4148.



Children and Youth Save the Dates!

VBS - "Camp Firelight"

June 17 - 21, 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM
Registration Opens March 13

VBS is offered to rising 4K through rising 6th grade. 4K through 3rd grade will have traditional VBS activities in the ASC. Rising 4th - 6th graders will participate in outreach projects around Greenville. **Registration will open March 13.** For more information, contact Cara Horn at chorn@ccgsc.org.

EYC Local Mission Week, June 10 - 14

All teens are welcome to join us for a local mission week June 10 - 14. Rising 6 - 12 graders will volunteer with local nonprofits each day and assist with outreach projects. For more information, contact Joleen George at jgeorge@ccgsc.org.

Creative Arts Camp 2024, July 15 - 19

Registration Opens March 13

Rising 2nd graders through rising 6th graders from Christ Church and the community are invited to join us for music, visual art, drama activities, dance, culinary arts, and more. **Registration will open March 13.** Participation is free for all, but registration is required. For more information, contact Sarah Marczynski at smarczynski@ccgsc.org.