### COMMUNITY NEWS



The program year started strong with a great parish-wide breakfast and Sunday School on September 10. Classes are always open to newcomers. We hope you'll find a place with us on Sundays and during the week, too.















#### **Classroom Angels Wine & Cheese Social** Monday, September 18, 5:45 PM, ASC Lobby

We have launched a room helper ministry at Legacy Early College called "Classroom Angels," where members of our congregation volunteer to assist in the classroom/ engage with the students and overall be ministers of Christ's love. We would love your help. For more information, please contact Jessica Clayton at jessicabclayton@gmail.com or Barbara Robertson at barbarakrobertson@gmail.com.

### **MENTAL WELLNESS: SELF-CARE AND** LOVING YOUR **NEIGHBOR**

Combating sadness, Ioneliness & hopelessness

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

**1ST GRADE - ADULTS** 

A Special Event for 1st Graders – Adults, addressing feelings of sadness, loneliness and hopelessness. With guests speakers Dennis Gillan & Caroline Coy (children's speaker) Two Sessions (lunch & evening)

## 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

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 5:00 PM Holy Eucharist, Rite II Markley Chapel

First and Third Tuesdays 5:30 PM Healing Eucharist, Rite II Markley Chapel

Wednesday 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:

September 17 - Mental Health Awareness Event	kwilson@ccgsc.org
September 24 - New Parent & Child Social	ccoleman@ccgsc.org
September 24 - 6th Grade Acolyte Training	gayleverger@gmail.com
September 30 - Preschool Story Time	chorn@ccgsc.org
October 1 - Michaelmas Evensong & Reception	smarczynski@ccgsc.org
October 3 - Grief Workshop	acook@ccgsc.org.
October 8 - St. Francis Day Blessing of the Animal	smarczynski@ccgsc.org
October 15 - Christ Church Episcopal School Sunday	smarczynski@ccgsc.org
October 16 - Basketball Practices Begin	ablencowe@ccgsc.org



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

**OUR VALUES** Community, Compassionate, Faithful, Grateful, and Inviting to All.













#### 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 Chantal Smith, Director of Welcoming at csmith@ccqsc.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

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# WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES MONDAY

Monday Morning Moms St. Francis Bible Study Evening Men's Bible Study Intergenerational Women's Bible Study

9:00 AM | Rm 251 12:15 PM | Graham Library 5:00 PM | Graham Library 6:30 PM | ASC Rm 100

### TUESDAY

JustFaith

9:00 AM | Rm 251

### WEDNESDAY

Men's Morning Bible Study Women's Bible Study **Centering Prayer** The Common Table Clergy Klatch, Men's Ministry Book Study

7:00 AM | Graham Library 10:00 AM | Graham Library 12:15 PM | On Zoom 5:30 PM | All Saints Center

### FRIDAY

Men's Prayer Breakfast

7:00 AM | Eggs Up Grille McAllister Square/McKissick Refectory

### SUNDAY

EfM Education for Ministry

2:30 PM | Thomas Library

#### Sunday School Greeters Needed

Each Sunday, we need three people to greet parishioners and visitors as they enter buildings on our campus and direct them to our nurseries and Sunday School classes from 9:10 - 9:40 AM. To volunteer for this important ministry, contact Cara Horn at chorn@ccgsc.org.

#### Healing Service this week!

Join us on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 5:30 PM in Markley Chapel for Holy Eucharist, followed by prayers for Healing. This service is open to anyone who desires healing for physical or emotional needs. The prayer team includes the clergy and members of the Order of St. Luke, who have training and experience in healing prayer.

#### New Parent and Child Luncheon, September 24 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM, McKissick Refectory

Do you have a child twelve months or younger? If so, let your child nap, then bring your baby and join us for a casual lunch. Staff will be available to answer any questions you may have. There is no charge for this event, but please register with the QR code.



Deadline to register is Tuesday, September 19. For more information, contact Claudia Coleman at ccoleman@ccqsc.org.

### SHARING LIFE

#### Congratulations to:

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COMMON

Courtney and Connor Mendenhall on the birth of a son, Jack Spencer Mendenhall.

# The Common Table Returns 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, Men's book study begin, and Youth programming in room 209 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.

#### Children's Sabbath at The Common Table Wednesdays, 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Through art, music, games, and movement your child will learn the importance of worship elements and become familiar with our liturgical calendar. For more information, contact Sarah Marczynski at smarczynski@ccgsc.org.

#### Preschool Story Time, September 30, 9:00 AM, ASC 100

Are you craving opportunities to connect with other parents of preschoolers? Come enjoy a laid-back story time at Christ Church! Cuddle up with your youngster and hear a story read by one of our staff. There will be a surprise guest to bring the story to life! Then stay to catch up with other parents while watching your kids enjoy the playground. For more information, contact Cara Horn at chorn@ccqsc.org.

#### **Grief Workshop**

#### Every Tuesday in October, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM, Arrington Room

Using the book Understanding Your Grief: Ten Essential Touchstones for Finding Hope and Healing Your Heart by Alan Wolfelt we will share our grief journeys and healing aids. Purchase your book on Amazon or through Annette. Register by Monday Oct. 2 to receive your book but join any Tuesday. For more information, or to register, contact Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 or acook@ccgsc.org.



### Christ Church •••-**Book Distribution** Ministry

We meet every Wednesday from 1:30 - 3:30 PM. Contact Angelle Reich



Opt In for Postal Mail through Sunday, October 1 We're excited to announce that marketing communications will be delivered electronically to our parishioners' e-mail inboxes beginning Monday, October 2. If receiving physical mail is important to you please scan the QR code at right to fill out our opt-in form. If you have questions about this process, please e-mail Rose Cuddy at rcuddy@ccqsc.org.

#### Michaelmas Evensong & Reception, October 1, 5:00 PM, Church

Celebrating the feast day of St. Michael and all angels, Michaelmas has long been an important celebration day in the history of Christ Church. Join us for a special Evensong with the Christ Church Parish Choir and a celebratory reception following the service. For more information, contact Sarah Marczynski at smarczynski@ccqsc.org.

### St. Francis Day Blessing of the Animals

All creatures great and small are invited to receive a blessing as we celebrate the feast day of St.Francis. Drive by the All Saints Center in the afternoon and receive a blessing and a treat from our clergy.

#### Marriage Ministry Weekend: The Art of Being Together October 21-22, Featuring Guest speaker, Episcopal Priest Frank Wade

Designed for couples who are newly engaged or have been married for 40 years, there's no age limit on the enrichment found this weekend. Come reignite and invest in the single most important relationship in the human family - Holy Matrimony. Our guest speaker, The Rev. Dr. Frank Wade will teach us how the lifelong commitment of marriage establishes a future with capabilities like no other. • Saturday 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

#### Converge, Saturday, October 21, 11:00 AM

Converge is an overnight lock-in for students in grades 6-9. Converge is an overnight retreat experience that combines the fun of a lock-in with the formation of a scripturally-rooted program, ending with Sunday Eucharist at the host parish. For more information contact Joleen George at jgeorge@ccqsc.org.

### Discovery Weekend, October 27 - 29, 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. For more information, contact Chantal Smith at csmith@ccgsc.org.



First Rehearsal, October 23 Episcopal as they prepare to welcome students to join our new after-school organization. CSCA was formed with a mission to inspire and positively influence the literation. to inspire and positively influence the lives of young people through arts enrichment and academic support. For more information, contact Sarah Marczynski at smarczynski@ccgsc.org.

# IN JESUS CHRIST

# **Christ Church Communications Going Paperless**

#### October 8, 3:00 - 4:00 PM, Drive thru in front of All Saints Center

• Sunday 9:30 - 10:15 AM

For more information, contact Anne Green Buckner at abuckner@ccqsc.org.

## Announcing: The Church Street Choral Academy







