

# Lent at Christ Church

## ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES:

*Remember you are but dust and unto dust you shall return.*  
We invite you to join us as we begin our journey through the season of Lent.

7:00 AM | Church

12:00 PM | Church

6:00 PM | Church



Reservations  
Required

### Mardi Gras Parking Lot Parade Tuesday, February 16, 5:00 - 6:30 PM

All parishioners are invited to get creative and celebrate Mardi Gras in style by creating a shoe box float and bringing it to the church ahead of the parade so they can be on display for all to see. Get some beads and King cake, and enjoy one last physically-distanced hurrah before the start of Lent.

### Lenten Evensong February 21, 5:00 PM, Church

Evensong is a very tiny fragment of something else: it is a fragment of the worship offered to God by Christian people, at every hour, in every part of the world. When you come to Evensong here, it is as if you were dropping in on a conversation already in progress - a conversation between God and his people that began long before you were born, and will go on long after you are dead. Come see what this unique Anglican tradition is all about as the Schola Cantorum sings evensong for the Second Sunday in Lent. **Advance reservations required.** Scan the QR code to register.



### Listening in Lent, Intergenerational Sunday School Sunday, February 28, 9:45 AM - 5:00 PM

Following both services in the church, you are invited to learn about the many different ways you can deepen your faith through prayer. Learn about prayer practices (new and old!) which could draw you nearer to God this Lent.

Check out registrations online:

Ash Wednesday Registration: <https://ash-wednesday.eventbrite.com>

Lenten Evensong Registration: <https://lenten-evensong.eventbrite.com>

### Join Us on Sundays for our Weekly In-Person Worship Services

*A new year, a new look at the Christ Church worship schedule*

Our Sunday worship schedule has been slightly adjusted to include varied worship styles and new musical offerings to suit the varied liturgical tastes of our joyful parish family. For those who are not yet comfortable joining us in person, we will continue to offer our virtual Sunday worship on our YouTube channel.

#### 9:00 AM | Rite II | Church

This service of Holy Eucharist will include a traditional prayer book liturgy and sermon. Our musicians will create a holy space in which to worship with a variety of musical offerings and presentations.

#### 11:15 AM | Rite I | Church

This service of Holy Eucharist will include time-honored forms and prayers, a sermon, and a presentation appropriate to the history of this service. The Christ Church Schola will continue our rich Anglican heritage through traditional hymns and anthems.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Scout Sunday First Communion Sunday	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	24	26	27
28	<p><b>Save the Date:</b>                      March 1: New website and database launch                      March 7: Stations of the Cross- Join us for self-paced Stations of the Cross in the Church Yard!                      March 28: Holy Week in a Box Pick-up- Register for Holy Week in a Box by March 21; pick-up on the 28th!</p>					

During this unprecedented time, the church finds itself constantly adapting our programming. This affects the nature of our offerings such that we may need to adapt the events listed in the calendar in order to keep our church family safe. We ask your grace and understanding as we seek to provide our offerings in a safe and enjoyable manner. We look forward to a time when these measures can be eased, and all gatherings will fully resume as planned. Please be sure to check our website at [www.ccgsc.org](http://www.ccgsc.org) or contact our office at 864.271.8773 for the most up to date information on any event listed in this calendar.

## FOR THE PARISH

### Staff Database Training

#### Tuesday through Wednesday, February 2 & 3

Ahead of the launch of Christ Church's new website and database, our staff will be engaged in an all-day training on Tuesday, February 2 and a half-day training on Wednesday, February 3. Visits to the Parish House are by appointment only. Staff will be attentive to e-mail on breaks and will return phone calls by Thursday, February 4. Parishioners may call the Parish House at 864.271.8773 and leave a message in the general mailbox which will also be returned by Thursday, February 4. As always, the priest-on-call line will be available for emergencies at 864.553.0737.

### Cancer Support Group by Zoom

#### Mondays, February 1, 8, 15, 22, 1:30 - 2:30 PM

Whether you are early in your journey or a long-time survivor you are invited to join us where we can help others with our wisdom and help ourselves at the same time. Questions? Call or email Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 [acook@ccgsc.org](mailto:acook@ccgsc.org) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86744592736?pwd=dzRxSEtrYTJ0dVQ2S1ptQUYvQUtuZz09> - Meeting ID: 867 4459 2736 Passcode: 8bTTTCR

### The Order of St. Luke Healing Prayer Meeting by Zoom

#### Tuesdays, February 1, 8, 15, 22, 5:45 PM

Tuesday evenings the parish and friends are invited to join members of OSL in healing prayer for each other. Call or email Nina Brooks for more information. 256.289.6124 [ninalbrooks@gmail.com](mailto:ninalbrooks@gmail.com). <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88657555056?pwd=TXNDb1NnSnczeHh0VE5VczBMT3A5UT09> - Meeting ID: 886 5755 5056 Passcode: 4MhnJT

### Art of the Spirit by Zoom

#### Thursdays, 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Art can help deepen faith and conversation can deepen friendships. Find out how by joining us. We are working on art/prayer journals from the safety of our homes and no prior training and no skills are required. Questions? Call or email Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 [acook@ccgsc.org](mailto:acook@ccgsc.org) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84348043559?pwd=Tm1ESTFQTUpTYmhoWUQ1YURoSDdWZz09> Meeting ID: 843 4804 3559 Passcode: 6EnQLg

### Compline for Candlemas

#### Tuesday, February 2, 8:30 PM, Online

The Feast of the Presentation, also known as Candlemas, is an old feast day of the Church. Traditionally, on Candlemas, the candles we use during worship services throughout the year are blessed. To celebrate this day, join us for an online service of Compline or Evening Prayer. This service of music and prayer includes very little that is spoken. It is intended as a quiet, contemplative ending to the day with prayers for a peaceful night.

### Parish House Open by Appointment Only

To maintain the health and safety of our staff, during regular office hours, the Parish House will be open to parishioners and visitors by appointment only. If you need to visit the Parish House, we ask that you please call the main number at 864.271.8773 and follow the prompts to be directed to a particular staff member. You may also leave a voice mail in our general mailbox which is being monitored by staff. If your business can be conducted by telephone, virtual meeting, or e-mail, we request that you explore those options first before making an in-person visit to the Parish House.



### Grief Companions by Zoom

#### Wednesday, February 3, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Grief is hard anytime and especially when we must be physically isolated. This is a safe space in which to share your grief with people who are walking similar paths and we will keep our discussions confidential. Questions? Call or email Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 [acook@ccgsc.org](mailto:acook@ccgsc.org) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89217798313?pwd=ak1BSm5nVDNcaUFNR0hwYWVhWldGQT09> Meeting ID: 892 1779 8313 Passcode: 3fvRdP

### Tech Talk Fridays

#### First and third Fridays of the month beginning in February

Do you ever feel like technology is moving faster than you can keep straight? Do you find yourself asking, "What's a hashtag?" or "How do I do that on my smartphone?" Don't worry, there are lots of other folks who feel this way, too! This informal, question-and-answer class will help you navigate the fast-paced world of technology and allow you to ask the questions you've always wanted to about your cell phone, social media, e-mail, and other potentially frustrating issues. Presented by Jessica St. Clair Smith, Director of Communications, we'll explore a new topic every first and third Friday of the month. We'll begin on Zoom and eventually meet in person once it's safe to do so.

### "Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing" Virtual Concert

#### February 7, 3:00 PM – Online

The Parish Choir will present a special, pre-recorded concert celebrating Black History Month. Join us online on YouTube or Facebook for a virtual watch party.

### Youth and Parent Bible Study

#### Monday, February 15, 7:30 - 8:30 PM

Youth and parents join us on the third Monday of each month for a Bible Study! We will have youth and parents work together with one another and share with the larger group as we dig into the scriptures and spend time discussing themes, ideas, and how we can apply the lessons in our everyday lives. We will be looking at the lectionary assigned each week. We are excited about this NEW offering and encourage you to join us. Contact Hannah Flack, [hflack@ccgsc.org](mailto:hflack@ccgsc.org) for the Zoom information.

### New Website and Database Launch

#### Monday, March 1

We're so excited to announce the official launch of the new Christ Church website and database on Monday, March 1! What does that mean for you? It means a fresh, new site, new mobile app, and new ways to interact with your Christ Church family. More information about how to register for the new database and other important things to know coming soon!

## SENIOR ADULTS

### Coffee by Zoom

#### Mondays, February 1, 8, 15, 22, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Every Monday we invite you to join us for conversation. Sign in for 10 minutes or for the whole time; come every week or once a month. Our conversations are wide-ranging. Questions? Call or email Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 [acook@ccgsc.org](mailto:acook@ccgsc.org) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84693779957?pwd=S08yQVBqRjI5MEJuYWlrTGFOamhOdz09> Meeting ID: 846 9377 9957 Passcode: 8pcKsZ

### Monday Book Study by Zoom

#### Mondays, February 1, 8, 15, 22, 10:30 - 11:15 AM

Our book is *Riding the Dragon: 10 Lessons for inner strength in challenging times* by Robert Wicks, Ph D. Dr. Wicks has spent a lifetime of study and practice helping people become more resilient. As a Christian and psychologist his insights are veery helpful. Join us any week. Purchase books online at on Amazon and [Barnes&Noble.com](http://Barnes&Noble.com). Questions? Call or email Annette Cook at 864.672.4141 [acook@ccgsc.org](mailto:acook@ccgsc.org) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86969665944?pwd=bFhSS1QyVjkhVnZXS05WMTZZanFwdz09> Meeting ID: 824 5498 9168 Passcode: KxJmM7

## YOUTH



**February 6 - 7:** Virtual Diocesan High School Gathering  
6:00 - 8:00 PM on Zoom

**February 7:** ZOOM EYC

**February 14:** Take home ServeUS sandwich kits plus Bonfire & Cocoa  
4:30 - 6:00 PM, Churchyard

**February 21:** ServeUS Book Distribution & ZOOM EYC

**February 28:** ZOOM EYC

### Middle School EYC, Sunday evenings, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

This year our Middle Schoolers will be journeying through the Old Testament. We will be mixing study and community and will be designed by our Student Leadership Team.

### High School EYC, Sunday evenings, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

This year our High Schoolers will be journeying through the New Testament. Each week we will be diving into a new book in the NT through games, conversations, fellowship, and study.

### Middle & High School "Circle-Up"

#### Wednesday afternoons, February 3, 10, 17, 24, 4:30- 5:30 PM

"Circle-up" is our gathering call to come together after fun as we move into deeper conversation. We hope that all middle and high school youth will join our circle as we work through different module style conversations and reflections for our youth formation offering.

*\*In the month of February we will meet at the front entrance of the Parish House to be checked-in and will spend our time together answering "God questions" as we walk around the churchyard.\**

### ServeUS: Book Distribution Project (youth 6th - 12th grade)

#### THREE SHIFTS:

**Saturday, February 20, 9:00 - 11:00 AM**

**Sunday, February 21, 12:30 - 2:30 PM & 3:00 - 4:30 PM**

**Scout Hut, 121 Broadus Ave, Greenville, SC 29601**

We will be partnering with the Book Distribution project at Christ Church to organize and sort the books. Christ Church volunteers have been working with Greenville First Steps to distribute books to children in Greenville under the name of Read Greenville. E-mail Hannah Flack to sign up at [hflack@ccgsc.org](mailto:hflack@ccgsc.org).