# THE MESSENGER

CHRIST CHURCH—KING AND QUEEN PARISH In the Episcopal Diocese of Washington Living the Way of Love since 1640

Friday, June 12, 2020—Vol. 4, Issue 23

# Celebrating Our Fathers and Mothers Sn Pictures

Let's face it, COVID-19 has made for an very unusual year so far. Most celebrations have either been postponed or repackaged for this socially distanced new world. Father's Day is nearly here, and while Mother's Day has already passed, I would like to remember our Mothers, Fathers, and those individuals who also had a part in nurturing or mentoring us.

To honor all these special people, I am asking for you to send me digital copies of their pictures to so that I can include them in next week's newsletter. You can scan their photo or take a picture on your mobile phone. I can edit them on my end.

Please forward your pictures to me by next Thursday, June 18th. Email them to me at <a href="mailto:frchris@cckqp.net">frchris@cckqp.net</a> or text them to: 410.253.3664

Thank you for your participation!

Chris+

CHRIST CHURCH 25390 Maddox Road

PARISH HALL AND OFFICE 37497 Zach Fowler Road

> P.O. Box 8 Chaptico, MD 20621

SUNDAY SERVICES
10:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist
(Livestreamed)

#### **THURSDAYS**

6:10 p.m.—Meditative Music 6:30 p.m.—The Way of the Cross (Livestreamed)

> Phone: 301.884.3451 E-Mail: offce@cckqp.net Website: www.cckqp.net

#### OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday—Friday 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. And by appointment

The Rt. Rev. Mariann E. Budde
Bishop of Washington

The Rev. Chris Jubinski
Rector

Email: frchris@cckqp.net Cell:





## From the Regathering Task Force

A Prayer for the Christian Community (Church of England)

We are not people of fear: we are people of courage.

We are not people who protect our own safety:
we are people who protect our neighbors' safety.

We are not people of greed: we are people of generosity.
We are your people God, giving and loving,
wherever we are, whatever it costs

For as long as it takes
wherever you call us. Amen

# **DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

For all the latest parish updates, and links to home worship aids, prayers, and health resources go to:

www.cckqp.net

# Worship this Sunday, June 14th at 10 am

livestreamed from Christ Church in Chaptico!

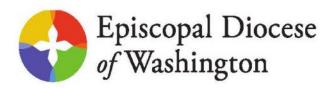
**Click Here** 

Please Subscribe to our Channel!

**Virtual Coffee Hour** 

(Following the service)

**Click Here** 



#### Covenant for Regathering in Worship

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, I promise, with God's help and to the best of my ability, to abide by the guidelines of the Diocese of Washington for participation in the life of my congregation according to the regathering phase in which my congregation is authorized to carry out its mission and ministry.

In fulfillment of our Baptismal Covenant, I will strive to:

#### Love my neighbor as myself

- Wear a mask or scarf over my nose and mouth at all times in church buildings, except
  momentarily to receive the sacrament or lead worship through an assigned speaking part.
- Only attend worship and receive communion if I am healthy and non-symptomatic with the novel coronavirus or any other transmittable disease that could compromise the health of another congregant;

#### Respect the dignity of every human being

- Make no physical contact with people beyond the members of my own household.
- Maintain a six foot or more distance from others in the congregation.
- Respect any requests for distance, masking, cleaning, to ensure the safety and comfort level of others, even as restrictions are reduced.

#### Seek and serve Christ in all people

- Trust and support the decisions of our congregational leaders.
- Stay connected with others in my community by telephone, email, video chat, or mail.



# **Three Words of Hope**

Everyone is invited to share a selfie with **Three Words of Hope** that might be an encouragement to others in this time of isolation and social distancing. Email your words of hope to me at frchris@cckqp.net or text me at 410.253.3664. I want to collect all your pictures and words to make a collage. *Chris* +



Donna & Brad Reeves – 8:00 a.m.



Barbara Drumgoole and her Grandkids, CJ, Andrew, and Ava – 10:00 a.m.



Debs Szymkowiak and Greg Penk – 10:00 a.m.

# PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES AT CHRIST CHURCH





#### CHRIST CHURCH PRAYER LIST

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

Also pray for: Lily Smith — Blackwell; Philip Quade, Tim Butler — Burch; Richard Griffith - Colton; Luther Wolfe, Carolyn Cave, Bill Cave, Tom Berry, Eidson Mulling, Marla Martini – Cooper; Marvin Jones, - Donahue; Frank Gough, Joyce Donaldson- Donaldson; Cheryl Stubbs, Marvin and Kathy -Eaton; Frances Clemenos - Edger; Myra & Ken Fitch, George Frioux, Anika Yamamoto- Fitch; Debbie and William Windsor – Friess; Joe Fuller – Fuqua; Jessie Tysinger – Graves; Linda Dickerson, Linda Marlo - Hailey; Jim Krider, Glenda Lurba - Harhai; Scott Peabody - Heflin; Gretchen Jubinski -Jubinski; Kay DesMarais – Kauffman; Betty Mintz, Kayla Baker – Monshower; Jan Barnes, John Felicitas, Karen Russell, Shannon Tierney – Loker; John Bernier, John Gradwell – McCubbin; Chris Gass – Molish; Carolina Montillo, April Parlett, Judie Gibson and Family – Montillo; 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, Johnny Schuhart, Carol Campbell - Schuhart; Barbara Carlton - Shupe; Frankie Tippett, William DeLorme - Simmons, Carli Trost, Donna Mae Duggin, Eddie Becker, Jackie Sirk Lacey--Sirk; Mary Ellen Foster, Jackkie Dickey -Smith; Nick Potts, Margaret Roberts, Matt Castle - Tierney; Joann McGilloway, Nicci DeVous - Tyner; Bruce Tobiasson, Ed Poplin – Westerfield; Eddie Gerlach, Ann Marie Healey, George Gerlach, Barett Wright, Hope & Eddie Brouwer Ancher, Margaret Donahue-Wright.

#### EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF WASHINGTON CYCLE OF PRAYER—2 PENTECOST

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

- St. George's Church, Glenn Dale
- St. George's Church, Valley Lee
- St. George's, DC



#### REFLECTIONS ON THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS

#### (JUNE 14, 2020) —THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (PROPER 6, YEAR A)

Welcome to Christ Church. The three readings today provide us with insight into who we are as the people of God. The Gospel reading is the account of the calling and commissioning of the twelve apostles. They are sent forth with the message of God's Kingdom. Later Jesus will send larger groups to proclaim the good news and after his resurrection, he sends all of us into the world to bear the message.

The first reading continues the story of Abraham and Sarah. Many years have passed; still God's promise to give them a son has not been fulfilled and Sarah is now too old.



However, God comes to them and renews the promise. Sarah laughed at the idea but in the twenty-first chapter, we learn the son was born. He was called Isaac, which is Hebrew for "a laughing matter."



Today's reading from Romans tells us something else about our identity. We are a people who have been reconciled with God through Jesus' death. As Paul states in the chapter that follows, we have been incorporated into that death by baptism and thus our reconciliation with God is complete.

As a people called to proclaim good news, to live lives reconciled to God, and to be the holy priesthood of the new covenant, we gather to celebrate the mysteries of that covenant. The Eucharistic meal also reveals us as a people, like Abraham and Sarah who meet God in holy meals and find ourselves called by God into community with God.

rom The Rite Light: Reflections on the Sunday Readings and Seasons of the Church Year. Copyright © 2009 by Michael W. Merriman. Church Publishing Incorporated, New York.



June 14, 2020 – Pentecost 2 (A) Meet Our Episcopal Service Corps (ESC) Programs: Johnson Service Corps

Johnson Service Corps (JSC) is a diverse, ecumenical community of young adults ages 21 to 28 dedicated to service and social justice in Chapel Hill and Durham, N.C. Offering transformative opportunities for young adults to re-imagine vocational discernment, JSC helps Corps Members lead and live in ways that flow with their unique calling.

The JSC philosophy rests on four pillars:

- Servant Leadership: On Fridays, Corps Members receive leadership training in the Servant Leadership model. They
  participate in an eight-week Servant Leadership course, and upon completion, have the opportunity to develop and
  facilitate a Servant Leadership workshop offered to the wider JSC community. At the conclusion of the course, Corps
  Members also visit Church of the Saviour, Washington, D.C., to experience first-hand how servant leadership practice has
  created a unique and inspiring faith community.
- 2. Social Justice: JSC members work with neighbors, from the local to the global, to stand against injustice in social, cultural, economic, political, and institutional systems, creating, instead systems of equity. Each Corps Member is matched with a local partner organization where they serve 32 hours/week. Current and past partner organizations provide services in the areas of highest need, including homelessness, substance abuse and addiction recovery, mental illness, health care, conflict mediation, job readiness, literacy, women's issues, affordable housing, financial policy, food access and nutrition, immigration, and childhood readiness. In addition, Corps Members participate in trainings and workshops about social justice issues, including anti-racism training.
- 3. Intentional Community Living: Corps Members live together in an intentional community of 4-6 people. During orientation, the community is led through a process of forming a "Community Covenant," outlining their intentions and values around life together during the year. Community life also includes three meals together weekly, a weekly meeting of spiritual sharing, a weekly house business meeting, as well as retreats and outings just for fun. Corps Members often point to intentional community living as the most transformative experience of the year.
- 4. Spiritual Formation: In a culture where everything seems to come in an ever-changing "flavor of the week," commitment to a daily practice and regular spiritual community can be a profound experience. Rooted in the contemplative and social justice practices of Christian tradition, JSC welcomes and embraces people of all spiritual expressions who seek to journey in discernment and discovery of ways to live out call authentically. JSC also provides a mentor for each Corps Member.

Learn more about JSC: www.JohnsonServiceCorps.org

#### **About Episcopal Service Corps**

Episcopal Service Corps is a network of young adults ages 21-32 serving through locally organized intentional communities that are dedicated to: Serving others in solidarity; Promoting justice in community; Deepening spiritual awareness; Discerning vocation; and Living simply. Everyone serving through ESC commits to a household Rule of Life and regular spiritual direction, discernment and community practices. During their #ServiceYear, Corps members receive housing, health coverage, and small stipends to cover living expenses, transportation and food.

EPISCOPAL
SERVICE
CORPS

Know someone who might be a good fit for a #ServiceYear through ESC? Invite them to consider applying by sending them a link to the discernment quiz and application: www.EpiscopalServiceCorps.org. Questions? Contact Wendy Johnson, esc@episcopalchurch.org.

Published by the Office of Formation of The Episcopal Church, 815 Second Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017
© 2020 The Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America. All rights reserved.

# OUTDOOR FOOD PANTRY

the Body of Christ - we're in this together

Mondays 9am to Noon

Thursdays
3pm to 6pm

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION
21641 GREAT MILLS RD. LEXINGTON PARK
WWW.ASCENSIONLEXINGTONPARK.ORG



Please drop off you food donations at the Christ Church Rectory

37501 Zach Fowler Road, Chaptico, MD 20621

Thank You for your support!



- . Ketchup
  - Oatmeal Packets
- . Pancake mix

#### THE BACK PAGE

### RITES OF PASSAGE

Please forward Birthday and Anniversary information to Fr. Chris at frchris@cckap.net

#### June Birthdays

2 Mindy Springstead

7 Riley Dollins

7 Shelby Guazzo

8 Marvin Smith

12 Lyndsay Bolton

13 Steve Shupe

16 Amy Topolski

17 Chuck McCubbin

18 Ed Bolton

18 John Tierney

18 Robert Oppermann Sr.

21 Marilyn Butterfield

21 Susan Tyner

22 Shelby Oppermann Sr.

25 Shannon Zimmerman

30 Coletta Oliver

#### **June Anniversary**

6 Brandon and Sara Frawley

8 Dan and Diana Donahue

24 Brad and Donna Reeves Jr.

#### On the Lighter Side...



Parish Office 37497 Zach Fowler Rd P.O. Box 8, Chaptico, MD Office Phone: 301.884.3451



Parish Office Hours Tuesday-Friday: 9:30am to 2:30pm office@cckqp.net Bobbi Schmitz, Parish Administrator