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CHRIST CHURCH

25390 Maddox Road

PARISH HALL AND OFFICE

37497 Zach Fowler Road

P.O. Box 8 Chaptico, MD 20621

SUNDAY SERVICES

8:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 10:00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

THURSDAYS

6:10 p.m.—Meditative Music 6:30 p.m.—Simple Holy Eucharist , Compline, or Evening Prayer

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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

mail: <u>frchris@cckqp.net</u> Cell: (410) 253-3664

Happy St. Valentine's Day!



PARISH NEWS

TODAY... We welcome Job's Daughters from Bethel 42 in Hollywood, MD to our 10:00 am service. Job's Daughters International is a Masonic youth organization for girls between the ages of 10 and 20. JDI has chapters called "Bethels" in the United States, Canada, Australia, Brazil, and the Philippines. Job's Daughters is a premier organization for young women that teaches the values of leadership, public speaking, charity, respect for parents and elders, and teamwork. For more information, ask Ava or email bethle42bethelguardian@gmail.com

Emergency Fund for the Oliver Family—Thank you for your generous donations so far! We are still collecting funds to help them cover expenses following their house fire. Please continue to keep them in your prayers as they continue to the long road of rebuilding their lives.

Palms to Ashes—You are welcome to being your old palms back so that they can be burned and made into ashes for Ash Wednesday. Please remember that blessed items should not be thrown away, but disposed of reverently. This is church recycling at its best!

Covenant Class will start this Thursday, February 20th at 7:15 pm in Fr. Chris' office. This class is for those who wish to be confirmed or received into the Episcopal Church, as well as, for those who would like to learn more about our customs and traditions. Please contact Fr. Chris if you are interested.

Book Study continues this Tuesday at 10:00 am in Fr. Chris' office. We will conclude Bishop Curry's book Songs My Grandma Sang.

<u>The Altar Flower Chart for 2020</u> is located in the Narthex of the church. You can sign up for dates throughout the year when you can donate Altar Flowers in memory of loved ones for in thanksgiving for special people or events. The suggested donation amount is \$35. Please notify the Parish Office of how you would like your intention worded for the Bulletin.



Important Upcoming Dates:

2/25/2020 - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - 5:30-7:00 (Parish Hall)

2/26/2020 - Ash Wednesday Services - noon and 7:00 \mbox{pm}

3/21/2020—St. Patrick's Dinner at 6:00 pm (Parish Hall)

3/29/2020—Bishop's Visitation—One service at 9:00 am

5/2/2020—Parish Yard Sale (Parish Hall)

5/2/2020—Patuxent Voices Concert at 7:30 pm (Church)

5/17/2020—Strawberry Festival



Sunset on an overcast Thursday evening before Compline.

Photo by Fr. Chris +

REFLECTIONS ON THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS

(FEBRUARY 16, 2020) —6TH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY



Welcome to Christ Church. Again, we hear a portion of the Sermon on the Mount. Matthew's gospel presents Jesus as the fulfillment of Moses. In today's reading, Jesus speaks of various requirements of the Law. Those who live in his Way will follow the Law inwardly, not simply outwardly. Jesus' own relationship to God as God's Child is revealed in his teaching our relationship as children of God given to us in baptism grows through the way of living he taught.

The first reading from Sirach (Ecclesiasticus) is perhaps the clearest statement on human

freedom of choice in the Hebrew Scriptures. This passage alone would seem to suggest that everyone can do that which is right unhindered by sin. This passage needs the corrective supplied by today's gospel reading that makes it clear that we are still dependent upon God's gracious assistance if we are to carry out the inward obedience that Jesus commands.

In the second reading, Paul continues to seek to deal with division in the Corinthian church between cliques loyal to him and those loyal to Apollos. His approach is to suggest that each member of the body is essential and it is God alone who is building up the church through the varied ministries we are given. The liturgy is this truth about our life in the church, as each of us has a role to play and all of our individual liturgical actions and words combine to make the work of the people of God.



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THE LITURGICAL GUIDE

THE NEWSLETTER APPEARS WEEKLY. THE NEXT ISSUE WILL BE PUBLISHED ON FRIDAY, FEB. 14, 2020.

Liturgical Day & Color	February 16, 2020 6 Epiphany—Year A	February 23, 2020 Last Epiphany—Year A	March 1, 2020 1 Lent—Year A	March 8, 2020 2 Lent—Year A
Lectionary Readings	Deuteronomy 30:15-20	Exodus 24:12-18	Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7	Genesis 12:1-4a
	<u>Psalm 119:1-8</u>	Psalm 2	Psalm 32	<u>Psalm 121</u>
	1 Corinthians 3:1-9	2 Peter 1:16-21	<u>Romans 5:12-19</u>	Romans 4:1-5, 13-17
	Matthew 5:21-37	<u>Matthew 17:1-9</u>	<u>Matthew 4:1-11</u>	<u>John 3:1-17</u>
8:00 a.m.	Rite One	Rite One	Rite One	Rite One
LEM	Jim Westerfield	Kathy Cooke	Keith Loker	Robbie Loker
Lector	Brad Reeves	David Simmons	Jim Westerfield	Brad Reeves
Greeters	Mary & David Simmons	Donna & Brad Reeves	Joan Schuhart Julie Burch	Patti & John Harhai
10:00 a.m.	Rite Two	Rite Two	Rite Two	Rite Two
LEM	Jerry Healey	Monty Wright	Susan McQuilkin	Herb Redmond
(2 nd Chalice)				
Lector	Beth Fitch	Chip Burton	Keith Owens	Greg Penk
Greeter	Donnie Morgan Conner Morgan	Karen & Keith Owens	Karen & John Colton	Margaret VanMeter Helen Wright
Altar Guild	Donna Reeves Helen Wright	Donna Reeves Helen Wright	Sue Blackwell Karen Hudson	Sue Blackwell Karen Hudson
Coffee Hour	Potluck	Potluck	Potluck	Potluck

SERVICES AT CHRIST CHURCH

SUNDAYS

8:00 am—Holy Eucharist 10:00 am—Organ & Choir / Holy Eucharist

THURSDAYS

6:10 pm—Meditative Music on the Piano 6:30 pm—Simple Evening Prayer, Compline, or Holy Eucharist

Baptisms, Weddings, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation by Appointment

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To see the readings for the next four Sundays, click on the links at the top of the schedule on this page

or visit lectionarypage.net

CHRIST CHURCH PRAYER LIST

<u>Pray for Parish Members</u>: Caroline Baldwin, Jennifer Bryant, Jane Cooper, Gale Edger, Martin Hailey, Sharon Montillo, Mike Moore, Ben Pecson, Dorothy Pecson, Virginia Raley, Joan Schuhart, Fred Wyant, Stephen Hunt, Ebie Cooper, and Shelby Oppermann.

Also pray for: Lily Smith - Blackwell; Philip Quade, Tim Butler - Burch; Richard Griffith - Colton; Luther Wolfe, Carolyn Cave, Bill Cave, Tom Berry, Eidson Mulling, Diane Byram, Anne Keeley, Russ Cisco, Rick Deao - Cooper; Marvin Jones, - Donahue; Frank Gough, Joyce Donaldson- Donaldson; Cheryl Stubbs – Eaton; Frances Clemenos – Edger; Myra & Ken Fitch, George Frioux, Anne Powell – Fitch; Irma Graves, Brenda Bellere - Franklin; Debbie and William Windsor - Friess; Joe Fuller -Fugua; Linda Dickerson, Larry Rhodes - Graves; Donna Frattini - Hailey; Scott Peabody - Heflin; Gretchen Jubinski – Jubinski; Kay DesMarais – Kauffman; Betty Mintz – Monshower; Jan Barnes, **John** Felicitas, **Karen** Russell, **Shannon** Tierney – *Loker*; **John** Bernier, **John** Gradwell – *McCubbin*; Pam Chaney, Pam Jones, Carolina Montillo, April Parlett – 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, Nick Russell -Smith; Nick Potts, Margaret Roberts, Matt Castle – Tierney; Joann McGilloway – Tyner; Bruce Tobiasson, Ed Poplin – Westerfield; Eddie Gerlach, Ann Marie Healey, Lucille Riddles, George Gerlach, Barett Wright-Wright.

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF WASHINGTON CYCLE OF PRAYER—6 EPIPHANY

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

- Chapel of the Episcopal Center for Children
- Rosemont Center



THE ENNEAGRAM

Mediator

The Gifts of the Enneagram

A Retreat in St. Mary's City, Maryland

Co-Sponsored by: Illuman DC & Trinity Episcopal Church, St. Mary's City

March 27 & 28, 2020

"The Enneagram is a dynamic system for self-knowledge and spiritual transformation. It is a wonderful tool that can help us see and let go of the false self—which masks the image of God within us—and allow us to live from our True Self—the unique manifestation of Love that God intends us to be."

~ Richard Rohr

The Enneagram is much more than just another popular formula to pair people to the collection of their personality foibles and eccentricities. It explains the "why" of how we think, act, and feel. It helps us come to terms with our gifts as well as the addictive

patterns that tether us to our greatest interpersonal, spiritual, and emotional challenges. The Enneagram invites us to deeper self-awareness as a doorway to spiritual growth.
~ Christopher L. Heuertz, The Sacred Enneagram: Finding Your Unique Path to Spiritual Growth

RETREAT DESCRIPTON:

Epicure Generalist

> Questioner Loyalist

The Gifts of the Enneagram Retreat will provide numerous opportunities for exploration, whether you are new to the Enneagram or have been using it as a tool in your spiritual practice for years. Foundational information will be shared for each type to set the stage for deeper conversations. All that is required for participation is a willingness to be present in your body, have a curious mind and to bring an open heart.

This weekend retreat will provide participants with opportunities to explore a mature spirituality through a deepening into the wisdom of the Enneagram. Through teachings and experiential opportunities, participants will be invited to explore the path to self-healing and wholeness using the Enneagram as a map and guide.

We recommend participants take an online assessment and read the descriptions of each Enneagram type prior to the attending the retreat. A free basic version of the Enneagram assessment tool may be found at: http://www.9types.com/rheti/index.php. For a more complete assessment and report at the cost of \$12:

https://ww.enneagraminstitute.com/rheti/

SCHEDULE: Friday, March 27th ~ 5:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Saturday, March 28th ~ 8:30 am - 7:00 pm

LOCATION: St. Mary's Parish Hall

47477 Trinity Church Road St. Mary's City, Maryland 20686

COST: \$100 (Saturday lunch is included.)

Limited Scholarship Assistance Available

TO REGISTER: Send full payment payable to:

St. Mary's Parish Post Office Box 207

St. Mary's City, Maryland 20686





FACILITATOR: Brad Pickel has been studying the Enneagram for over a decade and is a passionate communicator of its wisdom in both group settings and in one-on-one coaching sessions. He employs teachings, music and movies, small group sharing and rituals to transmit his knowledge of the system. Brad has also completed the Enneagram Institute training program and attended additional workshops focusing on the Essential Qualities and Higher Aspects of each type that highlights the spiritual components of the Enneagram.

Brad is the President and Owner of Seahaven Consulting, Inc. and serves as the Administrator for Illuman.org, an international organization dedicated to helping men in their quest of becoming mature, spiritually-grounded, loving, nurturing, and generative men. Illuman was established from the work of Fr. Richard Rohr. Brad lives in Beaufort, South Carolina, with his wife Leslie, and beagle Pearl.

Contact John Ball for more information about the retreat or overnight accommodations: trinitysaintmarys@gmail.com or 301-862-4597

Shrove Tuesday Flapjacks

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Fellowship

Tuesday, February 25, 2020 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Suggested Offering: \$5.00 per person

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For more information please call the Parish Office at 301.884.3451 or email: office@cckgp.net



Our supper is being hosted by the Men from Christ Episcopal Church

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RITES OF PASSAGE

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

February Birthdays

1 Dave Hudson

2 Gretchen Sirk

4 Al Monshower

6 Jerry Healy

6 Michael Sirk

9 Mary Simmons

11 Romana Ferrari

12 Hunter Lyon

12 Lolia Ferrari

12 Royce Dennison

13 Ryann Rocheleau

13 Stephen Hunt

16 Marie Bennett

16 Patricia Harhai

17 Avery Shupe

18 Suzanne Smith

21 FayAnn Walker

21 Helen Wright

23 Monty Wright 24 David Seeman 24 John Harhai

25 Jane Cooper

26 Ryan Dean

27 Debra Gray

February Anniversaries

14 Dottie and Chuck McCubbin



On the Lighter Side...



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