



## Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 20, 2020 + 11:00 am

# Welcome to Christ Church ☩ Washington Parish

We are glad that you are worshipping online with us this morning and pray that your experience here is a blessing to you. If you are a visitor and want to know more about the church, please visit our website for more information and to contact us: [www.washingtonparish.org](http://www.washingtonparish.org). To contact us, see the last page of this bulletin or go to our website for more information. On the website, hover over ABOUT US and select Contact Us. The office email is linked (or [click here](#) to send an email). Also, visit us on Facebook ([Christ Church on Capitol Hill](#)).

*Let this bulletin be your guide through the service;  
it includes everything you need.*

## Prelude

### Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

All **Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### First Reading

**Exodus 16:2-15**

The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

Then the LORD said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not. On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather on other days." So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, "In the evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your complaining against the LORD. For what are we, that you complain against us?" And Moses said, "When the LORD gives you meat to eat in the evening and your fill of bread in the morning, because the LORD has heard the complaining that you utter against him—what are we? Your complaining is not against us but against the LORD."

Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, 'Draw near to the LORD, for he has heard your complaining.'" And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. The LORD spoke to Moses and said, "I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.'"

In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat.

Reader                      The Word of the Lord.  
People                        **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45**

*Confitemini Domino*

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- 1 Give thanks to the LORD and call upon his Name; \*  
    make known his deeds among the peoples.
- 2 Sing to him, sing praises to him, \*  
    and speak of all his marvelous works.
- 3 Glory in his holy Name; \*  
    let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.
- 4 Search for the LORD and his strength; \*  
    continually seek his face.
- 5 Remember the marvels he has done, \*  
    his wonders and the judgments of his mouth,
- 6 O offspring of Abraham his servant, \*  
    O children of Jacob his chosen.
- 37 He led out his people with silver and gold; \*  
    in all their tribes there was not one that stumbled.
- 38 Egypt was glad of their going, \*  
    because they were afraid of them.
- 39 He spread out a cloud for a covering \*  
    and a fire to give light in the night season.
- 40 They asked, and quails appeared, \*  
    and he satisfied them with bread from heaven.

41 He opened the rock, and water flowed, \*  
so the river ran in the dry places.  
42. For God remembered his holy word \*  
and Abraham his servant.  
43 So he led forth his people with gladness, \*  
his chosen with shouts of joy.  
44 He gave his people the lands of the nations, \*  
and they took the fruit of others' toil,  
45 That they might keep his statutes \*  
and observe his laws.  
Hallelujah!

## Second Reading

## Philippians 1:21-30

To me, living is Christ and dying is gain. If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me; and I do not know which I prefer. I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; but to remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again.

Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God's doing. For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well-- since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Reader                      The Word of the Lord.  
People                        **Thanks be to God.**

## The Gospel

Matthew 20:1-16

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the laborers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; and he said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.' So they went. When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, 'Why are you standing here idle all day?' They said to him, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard.' When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, 'Call the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.' When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.' But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' So the last will be first, and the first will be last."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## Sermon

Randy Norton

## Prayers of the People

Celebrant: God of heaven and earth, through Jesus Christ you promise to hear us when we pray to you in faith with thanksgiving.

Leader: Enliven the Church for its mission and breathe fresh life into your people.

People: **Give us power to reveal Christ in word and action.**

Leader: Lead us and every people into ways of justice and peace.

People: **That we may respect one another in freedom and truth.**

Leader: Awaken in us a sense of wonder for the earth and all that is in it.

People: **Teach us to care creatively for its resources.**

Leader: Inspire with your wisdom those whose decisions affect the lives of others, especially our President and our Mayor, and those they bestow with power.

People: **That all may act with integrity, wisdom, and courage.**

Leader In thanksgiving for our new Rector John Kellogg and for the steadfast work of the Search Committee and Vestry.

People **For your blessing on John, Tait, Alec, and upon all members of this parish family during this time of transition.**

Leader: We pray for all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; for those who are stricken or otherwise affected by COVID-19 and those who help them, especially first responders and healthcare workers.

People: **Protect, strengthen, and heal them, O Lord.**

Leader: Comfort and restore all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit and make us willing agents of your compassion. *Please add your own petitions.*

Let us pray,

People: **May they know the power of your healing love.**

Leader: We remember with thanksgiving those who have died. *Please add your own petitions.*

Let us pray,

People: **Into your hands we commend them.**

Leader: We praise you for our blessings and the blessings of those whose lives are closely linked to ours. *Please add your own petitions.*

Let us pray,

People: **May we sing your praises now and forever.**

Celebrant: Those things, good Lord, that your servants have prayed for, give us grace to work for; and in the purpose of your love answer our prayers and fulfill our hopes for Jesus' sake. **Amen.**

## Prayer of Confession

*Enriching Our Worship 1, adapted*

Celebrant Let us confess our sins to God.

All **Loving God, our Creator, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created.**  
**We repent of the evil that enslaves us,**  
**the evil we have done,**  
**and the evil done on our behalf.**  
**Forgive and restore us through Jesus Christ our Savior,**  
**and strengthen us by the Holy Spirit our Sustainer,**  
**that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
People **And also with you.**

## Offertory

Celebrant Let us with gladness present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord.

## Music

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*Please see the back of the bulletin for links and more information.*



*At the presentation:*

Celebrant All things come of thee O Lord,  
People **And of thine own have we given thee.**

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

### **The Lord's Prayer**

**BCP 364**

All **Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **Blessing**

*(from A Prayer Book for Australia)*

Celebrant God who has called you is faithful. Go into the world with joy, forgive generously, love extravagantly, live abundantly. And the blessing of God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be upon you now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **Dismissal**

Liturgist Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.  
All **Thanks be to God.**

### **Postlude**

## ✂ PLEASE JOIN US FOR A VIRTUAL COFFEE HOUR ✂

Via Zoom Meeting (teleconference or telephone)

Via teleconference:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/265300284?pwd=T1N1UUg1ZkM1anBRZINETGMwY3NzUT09>

Via telephone only: 646-558-8656

(Meeting ID 265 300 284; Password is WayofLove)

Use of Zoom: you can copy and paste the link above into your browser. You can use any device that can access the internet: smartphone, tablet, laptop/computer with a camera. You do not need to download an app to gain access to the meeting.

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### Praise God for Those Who Serve Today

Officiant:	The Rev. Mary Miller Flowers
Preacher:	Randy Norton
Sacristan:	Katherine Patterson
Liturgist:	Charlie Bolden
Readers:	Russ Mawn, The Fletcher/Pascuzzo Family, and Andrea Harles
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Musicians:	Catherine Dubas, <i>guest organist</i>

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The Church Office and Building are currently closed for the COVID-19 shutdown.

### GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Save the Date October 4 – Pet Blessing on the Church Front Lawn (12:30pm) or at Historic Congressional Cemetery (3pm – 4pm):** We are excited to see our parishioners in person with their furry and stuffed friends for the annual Pet Blessing. Things will be a little different this year due to COVID. Following the online service at 11am, pets and their people will gather on the front lawn for a short prayer followed by individual pet blessings. Humans must wear masks; pets must be on leash or in carriers (properly restrained). You may bring stuffed animals

or a photo for a blessing as well. At Historic Congressional Cemetery (1801 E St SE), there will be a pet blessing from 3pm-4pm near the chapel. During the blessing, please wear masks and have pets restrained or in a carrier. All HCC visitation and dog-walking rules apply. The Pet Blessing will be canceled if raining 30 minutes before scheduled to begin.

**Passwords Added to ALL Zoom Meetings:** To increase security and prevent Zoombots, beginning this month Zoom requires that all meetings have either a Waiting Room or Passcode. All Christ Church Zoom links have been updated to require a passcode. **Important Update:** *if you click on the link, you will not need to input the password which is EMBEDDED in the link.* Please add the new links to your calendars, or if you use an old link, you will be asked for a passcode. If you have problems or questions, please contact Jennifer Baker Howard at [office@washingtonparish.org](mailto:office@washingtonparish.org).

**Church Grounds Clean Up, Sat. Sept. 26, 9am:** Prior to welcoming our new rector, we are having a church grounds clean-up day on September 26th starting at 9am. We want to look our best! All are welcome to pitch in. Children are very welcome. If you have personal tools and gloves, please bring them with your names on them. Additional tools will be provided. Masks and social distancing are required for everyone's safety. If you have any questions please contact Robin Blackwood at [blackwoodward@gmail.com](mailto:blackwoodward@gmail.com).

**Send a Video Sharing the Peace:** In the coming weeks, we would like to share videos of parishioners sharing the peace during that part of the service. We would like to have a wide representation of the congregation, including children. Please record yourself and your family saying the Peace and send your video to Jennifer Baker Howard, Parish Life & Office Manager, at [office@washingtonparish.org](mailto:office@washingtonparish.org). A couple phases and examples include: "Peace be with you;" "Peace" (simple for small children); "The peace of the Lord be with you;" sharing the peace sign with your hand or putting your hands together in prayer and bowing; a family greeting each other during the Peace; or be creative!

**Please sign & return *Covenant for Regathering in Worship* letter.** If you have not signed the Covenant for Regathering in Worship letter, please sign and return it to the Church Office as soon as possible. This letter is a REQUIREMENT from the Episcopal Diocese of Washington. All parishioners must agree with the *Covenant* and the Christ Church Office must have a copy of the signed letter on file before we begin in-person worship. You can find a copy of the letter [here](#) (and on our website under "Re-opening Resources & Information.")

**In case you missed the announcement - Christ Church has called its 29th Rector:** The Vestry has called The Rev. John A. Kellogg to be the 29th Rector of Christ Church. John, his wife Tait (announced Tate), and son Alec will be moving into the rectory at the end of September. John will begin on Oct. 5th and will preside and preach on Oct. 11th. His official installation date is to be determined and opportunities to meet John and his family are currently under discussion. More information will be provided as we confirm plans. An introductory video from the Kellogg Family is available [here](#).

## Formation and Fellowship

**Film Series, September 25 at 7 pm:** We celebrate September 25 with an Elizabeth Taylor double feature, *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof* and *Who's Afraid of Virginia Wolff*, hosted by a special guest, Los Angeles based filmmaker Edd Benda. All three available on Amazon Prime and other streaming services. Watch the movies on your own and join us for lively discussion. All are welcome.

Friday Night Film Series Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/315339281?pwd=YkdhcGILdEw3THNpbmJBaTdicHpHUT09>

Meeting ID: 315 339 281 (Password: **WayofLove**)

**Adult Forum, 10am on Sunday via Zoom:** Please join The Rev. Rob Banse from 10am – 10:50am on Sunday mornings for the theme of *Speaking Truth to Power: The Message of the Prophets*. This series comes from Rev. Rob's favorite class in seminary titled, "The Bible and the New York Times." In the Adult Forum, Rev. Rob will use the prophets of the Old Testament to "speak truth to power." For more information, please see the information on the Christ Church [website](#). All are welcome!

Adult Forum Zoom Link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/377727989?pwd=RmtHamFoYW5FcEZjN3pTMWNWVGvZz09>

Meeting ID: 377 727 989 (Password: **WayofLove**)

**First Friday Book Group Fall Schedule:** The Christ Church Book Club will resume on October 2 at 7pm to discuss the monthly book selection. Dates and books are: October 2 - *The Woman's Hour* by Elaine Weiss (Anna Laymon presenter with **special guest author Elaine Weiss from 7pm – 7:30pm**); November 6 - *The Book of Common Prayer: A Biography* by Alan Jacobs (Sandy Hussey presenter); and December 4 - *White Fragility* by Robin DiAngelo (Karen Wilson Roman presenter). All meetings will be virtual via Zoom and all are welcome to participate.

**Sacred Ground dialogue at Christ Church:** Sacred Ground is a film- and readings-based dialogue series on race, grounded in faith. Small groups are invited to walk through chapters of America's history of race and racism, while weaving in threads of family story, economic class, and political and regional identity. The 10-part series is built around a powerful online curriculum of documentary films and readings that focus on Indigenous, Black, Latino, and Asian/Pacific American histories as they intersect with European American histories. Sacred Ground is part of Becoming Beloved Community, The Episcopal Church's long-term commitment to racial healing, reconciliation, and justice in our personal lives, our ministries, and our society. This series is open to all adults, and especially designed to help white people talk with other white people. Participants are invited to peel away the layers that have contributed to the challenges and divides of the present day – all while grounded in our call to faith, hope and love. The group at Christ Church is likely to be held every other week on a

weeknight and will require a commitment to readings, films and participation in the group. Please email Mary Miller Flowers or Jennifer Baker Howard if you are interested. <https://episcopalchurch.org/sacred-ground>

**Saturday Morning Men's Spirituality Group, 9am:** A long-standing Christ Church tradition, the Saturday Morning Men's Spirituality Group meets every Saturday at 9am for conversation and reflection. Weather permitting, the group has been gathering outside in the church courtyard for a socially distanced, in-person meeting.

## Children and Family Ministries

**Children's Formation Sunday, 9am:** Children's Chapel and Sunday School has begun for the school year in a slightly different format. For children ages 3 years – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, they will meet via Zoom for 30 minutes at 9am using songs, a Bible story, sometimes a short video, activities and prayers.

The Zoom link for Children's Chapel/Sunday School (3 years – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) is [here](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/141023266?pwd=US9SUnG2SnMzYTFJWitWSEt2Qklqdz09):  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/141023266?pwd=US9SUnG2SnMzYTFJWitWSEt2Qklqdz09>  
Meeting ID: 141 023 266 (Password: **CCWPKids**)

**Sunday School for grades 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> (and older children welcome)** will meet at 10am via Zoom for 40 minutes to focus on the stories of Jesus. This week the lesson will focus on Jesus 'parable of the Prodigal Son.

UPDATED Zoom Link for Sunday School for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade is [here](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88222800831?pwd=clhZNGVnVTh5eGo3OEpVejNjV1hzZz09):  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88222800831?pwd=clhZNGVnVTh5eGo3OEpVejNjV1hzZz09>  
Meeting ID; 882 2280 0831 (Password **CCWPKids**)

**Seeking Volunteers for Sunday School and Children's Chapel:** Rev. Mary Miller Flowers is seeking volunteers to assist with programming for children from age 3 years old through 5th grade +. A variety of volunteers are needed for the children's activities. Please contact Mary if you are willing to assist and she will send a Google Sign Up Sheet to you. All activities would be via Zoom as many people are still out of town and for the safety of all participants.

**Camp Letts Family Days this Fall:** The YMCA camp near Annapolis where Christ Church camped last year is opening to the public on Saturdays this fall. Christ Church parishioner Ellen Psychas is interested in coordinating with other church families to attend. Activities offered are: kayak, canoe, paddle board rentals (additional fees); sports such as gaga, soccer, basketball, tennis; and hiking on the trails around camp (easy level). Come on out and enjoy the water, woods, and shore. Dates are: September 19<sup>th</sup> and September 26<sup>th</sup>, and possibly additional dates. If you are interested in coordinating with other Christ Church families, please email Ellen Psychas at [epsych@hotmail.com](mailto:epsych@hotmail.com) Family friendly - all ages welcome. No pets allowed. Entrance Fee: \$8/person; children under 3 years old are free. No advance registration needed. For more information, visit their website: <http://www.campletts.org/family-days>

## Outreach, Serving the Community

**Everyone Home DC Virtual Auction:** One of Christ Church's long-term community partner has transitioned their popular fundraising event, Sip and Savor, to an online auction. All proceeds benefit their programs in support of people at risk of or currently experiencing homelessness in our city. Everyone Home DC is excited to announce the [September Challenge Auction's kick-off](#), which will take place entirely online from now until Friday, September 25. Join The Challenge and place a bid (or two!) on a variety of unique experiences and opportunities. All the [Online Auction](#) proceeds support Everyone Home DC, which makes winning feel twice as nice. Buy something for yourself, family, or a friend. There is something for everyone in this auction – from [cabana's at Hook Hall](#), to [expert financial advice](#), a [private wine class](#), [voice lessons](#), and so much more. It is truly guilt-free shopping! The funds raised will benefit Everyone Home DC's month-long digital campaign—consisting of various fundraising experiences—to raise \$50,000 for people at risk of or experiencing homelessness in our city! [Take a look and place your bid today.](#)

**Collecting Supplies for Families in Local Housing Projects:** Little Lights, the NGO that supports families in Hopkins and Potomac Gardens Housing Projects here in the church neighborhood, is collecting groceries, non-perishables, masks, and household cleaning supplies for families there. Little Lights needs the following items or monetary donations on their website: masks or handmade masks, soap (bar or liquid), hand sanitizer, Lysol and other disinfecting sprays/wipes, lotion, gloves, toilet paper or flushable wipes, paper towels, and non-perishable food. Rev. Mary Miller Flower has offered to serve a dropoff point at her house (around the corner from the church) at 508 7th St SE). You can contact Rev. Mary to coordinate dropoff at [formation@washingtonparish.org](mailto:formation@washingtonparish.org).

### FALL EVENTS AT HISTORIC CONGRESSIONAL CEMETERY

Christ Church's own cemetery has a fall calendar of outdoor, pandemic-friendly, and fun events coming up. All the events are fundraisers for the cemetery, so please consider participating to support our cemetery. Insider tip: Our CCWP representatives to the HCC board of directors, Shawn Freeman and Kirsten Sloan, recommend Soul Strolls as a truly unique and entertaining hour of fun.

- Community Yard Sale, Sat., Sept. 26, 8am – 1pm: Clean out your clutter and participate in a community-wide yard sale and come out to shop. Space reservation is \$25. <https://congressionalcemetery.org/event/community-yard-sale/>
- Skeleton Crew 5K, Sat. Oct. 3, 4pm: This “bare bones” race has been scaled back for serious runners with waves of runners in groups of 25 to maintain distance. Costumes encouraged and options to race virtually anywhere. For more information and to register (and get a cool shirt): <https://runsignup.com/Race/DC/Washington/SkeletonCrew5K>

- Soul Strolls: October 16, 17, 23, & 24, 2020: Join these Halloween favorites with a guided twilight tour that explores some of the famous and infamous residents of the Cemetery. Changes have been implemented for everyone's safety but it's still a fun evening. Tickets are \$35. <https://congressionalcemetery.ticketleap.com/soul-strolls-2020/>

## PRAYERS AND BIRTHDAYS

**For prayer requests from parish members and friends of the larger community:** Emily Lewis (aunt of Marian Connolly); Cindy Hambleton (mother of Carole Anne Hawkins); Jurate Butkute (friend of Bill James); Caitlin Miles Cline (daughter of Rick and D'aun Miles); Kathie Crandall (aunt of Del Crandall); Noah Piper (friend of Lauren Welch); Jane Penn (sister of Charles Free); Linda Hine (friend of Katherine Patterson); Tom Howard (son-in-law of Sandra Hanbury); Fran Laskofski (family friend of Jennifer Baker Howard); Steve Merrill (former parishioner and friend of the Connolly family); Mitzi Schroeder (sister-in-law of Alison Brooks); Bill McGhee (brother of Anne Curry); Charlotte Wyatt (mother of Jennifer Baker Howard); and Debbie Browning (friend of Jennifer Baker Howard).

**For the repose of the soul:** Viola Marsingill (grandmother of Jason Jordan); Andrew Theodore (grandfather of Rob Schafer)

**For those expecting a child:** Allison Spaid Atherton and Garrett Atherton (January); Jamie and Rob Schafer (pending adoption)

**For those celebrating their birthdays this month:** Zachary Chicoski; Del Crandall; Kathryn DeTura; Jameson Duffy; Laurel Duffy; Peggy Farrow; Mike Grace; Lindsay Heitger; Elizabeth Lyons; Ellen Mac Garrigle; Moira Marzen; Ferris Mitchell; Riley Mitchell; Kris Muench; Lisa Nickerson; Ruth Pontius; Nelson Rimensnyder; Robert Schafer; Deborah Schmid; Hank Schwartz; Suzanne Singer; Dominic Thompson; Lynn Thompson; Chris Van Wagoner; and Marcia Warren

*(If you would like to add someone to the Prayer list or your birthday, [email](#) the Church Office.)*

## Additional Worship Opportunities During the Week

*All additional worship opportunities and formation events are held as Zoom meetings via video and/or telephone conference call via (646) 558-8656 and enter the Meeting ID number.*

**Wednesday Morning Prayer, 7:30am:** The text for the service will be broadcast on the screen or follow along in The Book of Common Prayer online. Volunteers needed to lead Morning Prayer; guidance in advance provided.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/960678710?pwd=OG40M25pNHNhZIN2QUU4M3lXMXN5UT09>

Meeting ID: 960 678 710 (Password: **WayofLove**)

**Thursday Compline, 8:30pm:** The text for the service will be broadcast on the screen or follow along in The Book of Common Prayer online. Volunteers needed to lead the service; guidance in advance provided.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/376730107?pwd=UETpb1V3MDNpM0Y0eUZ1eWU1Wkwwdz09>

Meeting ID: 376 730 107 (Password: **WayofLove**)

## **Financial Support to Christ Church + Washington Parish:**

As you are financially able, please support Christ Church during the shutdown by continuing your pledges and financial gifts. We are all still here with and for each other, and we continue to have expenses for salary, insurance, benefits, bills, etc.

You may give to Christ Church in one of four ways:

- (1) Using the QR code below, make a one-time gift or set up recurring, automatic gifts from your bank account or via credit card to the Christ Church's Annual Fund via our secure database. You will use your email address to log in and create a password.



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