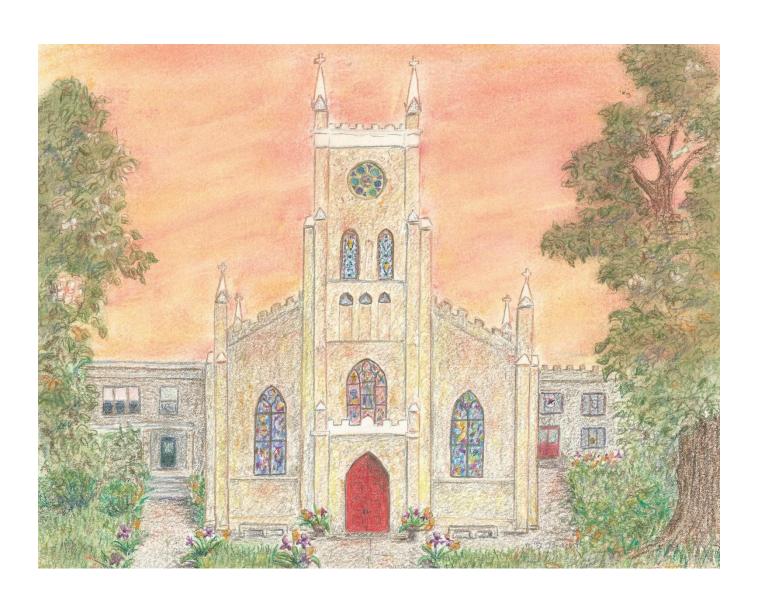
The Fourth Sunday in Lent



March 14, 2021 + 11:00 am

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

Prelude

Chris Jewell, bassoon

Penitential Order BCP 351

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins

People God's mercy endures forever.

Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these."

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The celebrant prays an absolution over the people.

Trisagion said three times

Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy, Immortal One, Have mercy upon us.

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

First Lesson Numbers 21:4-9

From Mount Hor the Israelites set out by the way to the Red Sea, to go around the land of Edom; but the people became impatient on the way. The people spoke against God and against Moses, "Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For there is no food and no water, and we detest this miserable food." Then the LORD sent poisonous serpents among the people, and they bit the people, so that many Israelites died. The people came to Moses and said, "We have sinned by speaking against the LORD and against you; pray to the LORD to take away the serpents from us." So Moses prayed for the people. And the LORD said to Moses, "Make a poisonous serpent, and set it on a pole; and everyone who is bitten shall look at it and live." So Moses made a serpent of bronze, and put it upon a pole; and whenever a serpent bit someone, that person would look at the serpent of bronze and live.

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

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, * and his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let all those whom the LORD has redeemed proclaim * that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.
- 3 He gathered them out of the lands; * from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.
- 17 Some were fools and took to rebellious ways; * they were afflicted because of their sins.
- 18 They abhorred all manner of food * and drew near to death's door.
- 19 Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, * and he delivered them from their distress.
- 20 He sent forth his word and healed them * and saved them from the grave.
- 21 Let them give thanks to the LORD for his mercy * and the wonders he does for his children.
- 22 Let them offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving * and tell of his acts with shouts of joy.

Second Reading Ephesians 2:1-10

You were dead through the trespasses and sins in which you once lived, following the course of this world, following the ruler of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work among those who are disobedient. All of us once lived among them in the passions of our flesh, following the desires of flesh and senses, and we were by nature children of wrath, like everyone else. But God, who is rich in mercy, out of the great love with which he loved us even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ-- by grace you have been saved-- and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the ages to come he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God-- not the result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.

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

The Gospel John 3:14-21

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "Just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

"Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Those who believe in him are not condemned; but those who do not believe are condemned already, because they have not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the judgment, that the light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil. For all who do evil hate the light and do not come to the light, so that their deeds may not be exposed. But those who do what is true come to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that their deeds have been done in God."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Mary Miller Flowers

Prayers of the People *

Celebrant Let us offer prayers for the church and the world.

Leader We come to God with varying degrees of faith, trust and knowledge. Let us give

thanks that God's love for us is revealed in scripture, word and worship, and

respond to each petition saying "Hold us in your mercy."

Leader We pray for the world, of which we are a small part, that we may be living

examples of your Gospel with all whom we meet and in all that we do. We pray especially for our community Outreach partner, Buenos Vecinos, and the work

they do in Centra America.

God of illumination,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for our nation, for our leaders and for all in positions of authority, that

they may make wise and just decisions.

God of justice,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for your Church that all who follow you may recognize your will for

them and for their work in your church.

God of discernment,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for the war-torn parts of the world and for those who live and work there

that they may find your peace.

God of harmony,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for the earth and for those affected by the ravages of climate change that

we may understand our lives are intertwined and that glorifying you means living

in harmony with the earth and all that is in it.

God of creation,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for all whose lives are disrupted by illness, depression, addiction, or

grief, that they may be relieved of their suffering, especially those we name before

you now....

God of healing,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for all who have died, remembering the gifts we received from their lives,

that they may find rest in your presence, especially those we name before you

now....

God of eternal life,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Leader We pray for this community, especially as we prepare for the Day of Resurrection,

that we may truly confess our sins and seek your forgiveness in this Lenten

season.

God of redemption,

People Hold us in your mercy.

Celebrant As we devote these forty days to God, may we know the illumination and

discernment of God, the justice and redemption of God, the harmony and healing

of God, and the eternal life of God, today and always. 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.

Offertory Music

Chris Jewell, bassoon

All are invited to support Christ Church's ministry of sharing God's love with the world by contributing using one of the many options available. (Christ Church Giving QR Code.)

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.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP 361

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN**.

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

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

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.

Breaking of the Bread

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; **Therefore let us keep the feast.** The gifts of God, for the people of God.

Post-Communion Prayer

BCP 365

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Eternal God, heavenly Father,

you have graciously accepted us as living members

of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage

to love and serve you

with gladness and singleness of heart;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Solemn Blessing

Celebrant Bow down before the Lord.

Please kneel as you are able.

Celebrant Look with compassion, O Lord, upon this your people; that observing this holy

season, they may learn to know you more fully, and to serve you with a more

perfect will; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Dismissal

Liturgist Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

A brief silence is kept. The tower bell is struck three times signifying a Trinitarian blessing.

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Via Zoom Meeting (teleconference or telephone)

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/265300284?pwd=T1N1UUg1ZkM1anBRZlNETGMwY3NzUT09

Via telephone only: 646-558-8656 (Meeting ID 265 300 284) Password: WayofLove

<u>Use of Zoom:</u> 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.

Praise God for Those Who Serve Today

Officiant: The Rev. John Kellogg

Preacher: The Rev. Mary Miller Flowers
Sacristan: Will Patterson & Cynthia Thomas

Liturgist: Karen Wilson Román

Readers: Ben Chicoski; Barb & Del Crandall; Sylwia Winchester

Video Operations: Edgar Román and Bill Pollock

Musician: Chris Jewell, assistant principal bassoon for the Kennedy Center Opera

House Orchestra

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

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday - March 28

9:00am | Outdoor Holy Eucharist on church front lawn (registration required) 11:00am | Virtual Service with Holy Eucharist and reading of the passion

Maundy Thursday Service, April 1

5:30pm | All ages/family-friendly, outdoor service on church front lawn (*registration required*) 7:00pm | Virtual Service with the stripping of the altar

Good Friday April 2, 7:00pm Virtual Good Friday Service

Easter Sunday – April 4

6:30am | Sunrise Service at Congressional Cemetery 9:00am | Holy Eucharist followed by Easter Egg Hunt on front lawn (registration required) 11:00am | Virtual Holy Eucharist

Children should bring their own Easter Baskets for the Easter Egg Hunt

Registration links for in-person, outdoor services will be published in the weekly emails and are posted on our website with registration opening dates.

Outdoor services will be canceled in the event of inclement weather; emails will be sent and posted on Facebook 1 hour prior to the service start time.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome New Finance Manager: We have contracted the services of Andrea McCants as the new Finance Manager for Christ Church. Andrea will oversee the payment of our bills and payroll, as well as our monthly reconciliations and financial reporting. She also serves as Finance Manager for Congressional Cemetery. We are grateful to the previous Finance Manager Carol Itskowitz and her years of service to Christ Church. Please welcome Andrea to the Christ Church community.

Confirmation Classes for Children and Adults: The Episcopal Diocese of Washington will hold an outdoor confirmation service at the National Cathedral's Amphitheater on Sat. May 1 at 10am and 2pm. (The service will be moved inside to the Cathedral in the event of inclement weather.) If children or youth are interested in participating, please contact Interim Assistant Rector Mary Miller Flowers at formation@washingtonparish.org. If you are an adult who would like to be confirmed in the Episcopal Church, please contact Rector John Kellogg at rector@washingtonparish.org.

Outdoor Services Resume, Sundays, 9am (Weather permitting) Registration via Realm is required as well as a signed Covenant for Regathering in Worship letter.: You are invited to join us for in-person, outdoor services on the church front lawn on Sundays at 9am, weather permitting. The service will include communion (bread only) and Children's Chapel with Rev. Mary Miller Flowers. Please bring a chair/blanket or dress warmly. Enter through the front entrance (G St) and please check in with an usher. The parking lot will be available, but we request that you walk through the alley. The building will be open for handicap access and restroom use. If the service is canceled due to cold or bad weather, an email and Facebook post will be sent at 8am on Sunday morning. Registration for Sunday services is available the previous Monday and is limited due to COVID safety protocol. The Covenant for Regathering in Worship must be submitted to the Church Office prior to the service or bring a signed copy to the service on Sunday. The ushers will be checking to confirm that every attendee has a signed covenant on file.

Registration for Sun. March 21 (opens on Monday, March 15): https://onrealm.org/ChristChurchWashington/PublicRegistrations/Event?linkString=ODVkNG VINTYtOGNkYi00N2Q5LTk0ZGEtYWNkZTAxM2IzYTg2 Covenant for Regathering in Worship Letter

Vestry Executive Committee Elected: At the most recent Vestry meeting, the Executive Committee was elected as follows: Ed Warren, Senior Warden; Greg Holeyman, Junior Warden; Jordan Myers, Clerk; and, Jason Miller, Treasurer. The vestry is the governing body of the church and is comprised of at least 12 members and officers. Each year at the annual meeting in late January/early Feb., new vestry members are elected by a vote of the congregation. We welcome the new and returning Executive Committee members and appreciate their commitment to serving the Christ Church community.

Christ Church Delegates to Diocesan Convention: At the most recent Vestry meeting, the Diocesan Convention delegates were elected as follows: Anne Curry and Sherry Saunders, delegates and Wallis McClain, alternate. They will serve as representatives of Christ Church at the annual Episcopal Diocese of Washington Annual Convention held in January. We are grateful for their service to our congregation as well as to the larger diocese of our Episcopal brothers and sisters.

Furniture Needed: 2-3 small side tables - We are organizing some spaces in the church facility and are looking for SMALL side tables (2 or may be 3) that would work in the Library. If you have any small side tables, please send a photo and take measurements if possible and send to Jennifer Baker Howard at office@washingtonparish.org.

Picking Up Consecrated Communion Wafers, Saturdays, 10am – 11am: The Eucharistic Prayer has returned to the service and each Saturday morning from 10am – 11am consecrated communion wafers are available for pick-up via the courtyard behind the church (entrance from the church parking lot). You may pick up a supply (such as a month's worth) for your household to avoid weekly visits. Gluten-free wafers will also be available for pick-up. COVID Safety: the wafers will be consecrated and put into sealed envelopes with the clergy and liturgists wearing masks and gloves. All parishioners are required to wear masks when they pick up the wafers and will not be permitted to enter the building. If you cannot come to the church or need to make other arrangements for pick-up, please contact Gary Abrecht at garyabrecht@gmail.com.

Formation and Fellowship

Friday Night Lenten Film Series, March 19, 7 pm: Join us online on Friday, March 12 at 7 pm for our Lenten movie discussion, as we consider the 1954 drama *The Caine Mutiny*, about the captain of a US Navy minesweeper (The Caine) who is thought by his officers to be mentally unstable, starring Humphrey Bogart. Our guest speaker will be parishioner Mike Grace, a retired Coast Guard ship commander who will talk about life on the sea and a real-life mutiny. Our six-week Lenten series this year focuses on the themes of joy and resilience as reflected in the life experiences of folks at Christ Church and in the movies that illuminate those experiences. Each session stands on its own, so join us for one or several of the discussions. All are welcome.

Friday Night Film Series Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/315339281?pwd=YkdhcGlLdEw3THNpbnJBaTdicHpHUT09 Meeting ID: 315 339 281 (Password: WayofLove)

Lenten Adult Forum continues through March 28 at 10am: Our focus in Adult Forum during the season of Lent will be on, "Encountering Jesus in the Gospel of John" and will be led by the Rev. Rob Banse. Drawing on a collection of prayers and meditations created by the Society of St.

John the Evangelist (SSJE) and the Center for Ministry at Virginia Theological Seminary, we will "renew (our) repentance and faith" in John's presentation of the Good News about Jesus Christ. The schedule will include:

March 21 - "I Have Called You Friends." March 28 (Palm Sunday) - "Abide in Me."

You are welcome to join in one, some, or all of the discussions! And feel free to invite your families and friends. I hope and pray that these discussions will encourage us all as we journey through Lent and to the foot of the cross. Adult Forum gathers on Sunday mornings from 10:00 until 10:50 by way of Zoom. I hope to see you there.

Adult Forum Zoom Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/377727989?pwd=RmtHamFoYW5FcEZjN3pTMWNWTGVjZz09 Meeting ID: 377 727 989 (Password: WayofLove)

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. The group has returned to hosting this meeting on Zoom due to the colder weather and spike in COVID infection rates in the area. If you would like more information, please contact Paul Laymon at pa.laymon@gmail.com.

Saturday Morning Men's Spirituality Group Zoom Link https://us02web.zoom.us/j/568905645?pwd=bkFnQTY4NHZvdXhiMk9tekwxME02QT09 Meeting ID: 568 905 645 (Password if prompted: WayofLove)

Children and Family Ministries

Children's Lenten Project in support of the Anacostia Watershed Society: Whether your kids are attending Sunday School or not right now, they can participate in our 2021 Lenten Challenge!! Starting immediately, we are challenging the kids to complete as many tasks as they can per week (see image). Here is how the challenge works. You can print out the attached sheet or keep it virtual. If you want a printout and do not have a printer, please contact the Rev. Mary Miller Flowers to coordinate pick up of a copy at church. Each week you can help your child document the tasks they are doing. They can keep their own score sheet on the fridge or whatever recording system works for you. Most of it is on the honor system, of course, but for artwork, letters, cards, activities, whatever is tangible, take a photo and text it or email it to Mary (formation@washingtonparish.org). Each week Mary will choose a winner of a small prize for most creative, thoughtful, or number of tasks (it will change by week). AND for each task done the child will earn \$5 towards our cause. For example, if Grace does 5 tasks in one week, she earns \$25 toward our cause. The kids think they can raise somewhere between \$1000-\$1500. We will update the tally every week and publish our results on Easter (or thereabout).

Please let Mary know if you have any questions. Parents - feel free to add your own incentives to the challenge if you like.

We are raising funds for the Anacostia Watershed Society. Their mission is to protect and restore the Anacostia River by bringing partners and communities together to achieve a clean and safe Anacostia River for the benefit of all living in its watershed and for future generations. To learn more, please visit their website: https://www.anacostiaws.org/

In-person Children's Chapel, Sundays at 9am, Church Front Lawn: As part of the in-person worship service at 9am on the front lawn, Rev. Mary Miller Flowers and other volunteers will lead in-person Children's Chapel during the service. Weather permitting, we will continue to offer Children's Chapel in-person at the 9am service. If the service is canceled due to bad weather, Rev. Mary will resume meeting via Zoom. The Sunday School will continue to meet at 10am via Zoom. We hope you will pick a service that works best for you and your family and join us. Registration for the in-person services is required (see the links under the "9am in-person worship" announcement) and a Covenant for Regathering in Worship must be on file with the Church Office or bring a signed copy to the service. The letter is available here.

If worship is canceled, Children's Chapel will move to virtual via Zoom. Zoom Link for Children's Chapel for ages 3 – 2nd grade is https://us02web.zoom.us/j/141023266?pwd=US9SUng2SnMzYTFJWitWSEt2Qklqdz09 Meeting ID: 141 023 266 (Password CCWPKids)

Sunday School for grades 3rd – 5th (and older children welcome) will meet at 10am via Zoom for 40 minutes to focus on the stories of Jesus.

Zoom Link for Sunday School for 3rd – 5th grade is https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88222800831?pwd=clhzNGVnVTh5eGo3OEpVejNjV1hzZz09 Meeting ID: 882 2280 0831 (Password CCWPKids)

Outreach, Serving the Community

Lenten Outreach Project – Greater DC Diaper Bank (and not just diapers): Annually the Christ Church congregation supports an Outreach Lenten project addressing a need in our community. This year the 2021 Lenten Project will partner with Greater DC Diaper Bank to collect a wide variety of supplies for babies/toddlers and their families. There is a great need for many struggling families, particularly hard-hit by unemployment related to the pandemic. There was a recent *Washington Post* article featuring the extreme need for diapers and other baby/toddler items across the country. The greatest need is for larger size diapers (size 4 and larger). Items can be dropped off or shipped to Linda Mellgren, 245 11th St SE, Washington, DC 20003 or Anne Fletcher, 249 Tennessee Ave NE, Washington, DC 20002. (If you are sending items, please send an email to Linda at p3mp4@verizon.net or Anne Fletcher at annefletcher30@yahoo.com) If you are attending the in-person worship services, you can also bring items and place them in the large tote on the front lawn. Financial donation to the 2021

Outreach Lenten Project can be made via our <u>website</u>, select "Outreach" and add "Lenten Project" in the memo field. All donations will be given to the Greater DC Diaper Bank after Easter.

For the complete donation list, please visit the Greater DC Diaper Bank <u>site</u>.

WHAT WE ACCEPT

We happily accept the following NEW and unexpired items:

- Diapers & Pullups (open packages happily accepted)
- Formula
- Baby Food & Toddler Snacks
- New and unopened bottles and nipples
- New and unopened pacifiers
- Food: non-perishable canned goods and dry goods
- Pull-Ups
- Wipes
- Diaper Rash Cream
- Tampons/Pads (we take open boxes as long as they are individually wrapped)
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Deodorant
- Toothbrushes/Toothpaste for adults and children
- Lotion for adults and babies
- Cloth diapers
- Toilet paper
- Soap

Thank you for your support of the Christ Church 2021 Outreach Lenten Project. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Baker Howard at office@washingtonparish.org.

Samaritan Ministry's Next Step Breakfast, Sat. March 20, 9:30am – 11am, Registration Now Open: Ed Warren, Deborah Schmid, and Linda Mellgren invite you to the FREE Next Step virtual breakfast. Please join us, Executive Director David Wolfe, and Yamiche Alcindor of the PBS News Hour, to learn more about the terrific work of Samaritan Ministry of Greater Washington and how you can help. For more information and to register for this FREE event, please visit: http://bit.ly/NSB 21

PRAYERS AND BIRTHDAYS

For prayer requests for parishioners: Leo Simon; Charles Free

For prayer requests from parish members and friends of the larger community: Cindy Hambleton (mother of Carole Anne Hawkins); Jurate Butkute (friend of Bill James); 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); Mitzi Schroeder (sister-in-law of Alison Brooks); Becky Bowen (niece of Jack Jacobs); Mandy Brown (friend of Nancy Broers); Matthew Hall (husband of Jack Jacobs); Sharon and Scott Thompson (friends of Marian Connolly); DeeAnn Stafford, Brenda Bernheim (friends of Robbie & Anne Curry); Elizabeth Bash (niece of Linda Mellgren)

For those expecting a child: Sarah and Christian Teutsch (April); Megan Wilson and Andrea Broggi (April); Jamie and Rob Schafer (pending adoption)

For those preparing for baptism: Leo Simon (son of Brittani Head and Sam Simon – March); Agnes & Louisa Hughes (daughters of Dorothy & Peter Hughes – March); River Clelan (son of Elizabeth & Kyle Clelan – April); Jude Wadlington (son of Julie McClure & Jordan Wadlington – June)

For those celebrating their birthdays this month: Allison Atherton; Charles Cooper; Robbie Curry; Shelby Denton; Tallulah Endsley; Tara Flakker; Grace Flowers; Jasmine Hawkins; Lincoln Heitger; Jonas Howard; Peter Hughes; John Kellogg; Tait Kellogg; Emma Lutton; Mark Malone; Conor McCarthy; Virgil Miedema; Jason Miller; Sophia Pascuzzo; Adam Román; Emily Schillinger; Caroline Schwartz; Jesse Skidmore; Natalie Skidmore; Sophie Skidmore; Jean Turkiewicz; Frank Young

(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=OG40M25pNHNhZlN2QUQ4M3lXMXN5UT09 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=UEtpb1V3MDNpM0Y0elZ1eWU1Wkwwdz09 Meeting ID: 376 730 107 (Password: WayofLove)

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