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Upcoming Events:

- Sept 23 - 18th Sunday after Pentecost - Rev. Jennifer
- Sept 23 - Breakfast Sunday
- Sept 30 - 19th Sunday after Pentecost - Rev. Jennifer
- Sept 30 Vestry Meeting
- Oct 6 - Heart & Hands 11:00 –1:00
- Oct 7 - 20th Sunday after Pentecost
- Oct 14 - 21st Sunday after Pentecost
- Oct 21 - 22nd Sunday after Pentecost
- Oct 21 - Community Dinner 4 - 5:30pm
- Oct 28 - 23rd Sunday after Pentecost
- Oct 28 - Vestry Meeting
- Nov 1 - All Saints Day
- Nov 4 - 24th Sunday after Pentecost
- Nov 11 - 25th Sunday after Pentecost
- Nov 18 - 26th Sunday after Pentecost
- Nov 22 - Thanksgiving Day
- Nov 25 - Last Sunday after Pentecost
- Dec 2 - First Sunday of Advent

Almighty God,

You have so linked our lives one with another that all we do affects, for good or ill, all other lives: So guide us in the work we do, that we may do it not for self alone, but for the common good; and, as we seek a proper return for our own labor, make us mindful of the rightful aspirations of other workers, and arouse our concern for those who are out of work; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Borrowed from:

<https://lectionarypage.net/LesserFF/Sep/LaborDay.html>

Welcome to the Reverend Jennifer Oldstone-Moore!

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Submissions is September 20. Submit items by hand to Tanya or by email to cecxtanya@gmail.com.



WARDEN'S WORDS

Will return next month.



01 Larry Thomas
09 Beverly Krouskop
Lee Silverstrim
16 Mark Cummings
23 Violetta Thomas



08 Maxine & Larry Thomas, Anniversary
16 Nigel & Cynda Gunn anniversary



08 Claris Donovan
09 Joyce Goins
18 Linc Thomas
19 Jennifer Hudson
21 Ruth Hazel
23 Jeremiah Gillespie
27 Lee Anne Stookey



FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED

Food Pantry items: The suggested September items are personal hygiene items for Glenn and Claris' homeless youth program. Each month will be a new suggested item(s).





For August 2018

Reports of Officers

- ✦ Barb B– Senior Warden (2-3 minutes)
 - ✦ Priest in charge will start on September 24. She rejected the pay scale in favor of the church.
 - ✦ Church Safety: Kitchen, Sacristy, Front door, and Ramp door will be locked at 9:45; latecomers will have to knock. Tool box has been provided by the diocese. Recent dangerous encounters were recounted.
 - ✦ Repointing of the Church: They have been working the last few days. We will not pay until Chris Hudson has checked the work. Barb will like three estimates for the repairs in the tower and instead of Greg Dart. Barb will have Becky prepare a thank you note from the Vestry for the gift of the Bell from Greg Dart.
 - ✦ Scheduling next meeting vs welcome meal – Barb would like to move Vestry to September 30th so Mother Jen. Cheryl made a motion that vestry will be on the 30th of September. Bradley seconded. Motion passed unanimously.
 - ✦ Saturday Night AA Meetings – Barb B. reported that Jennie attended the most recent meeting and passed on the rules (especially that doors are locked and they leave the church like they find it).
- ✦ Mark C – Junior Warden Report was not made.

Treasurer's Report – Doug

- ✦ Audit is complete. Doug recommends audit of all books next year.
- ✦ There was a mistake of sending a check to Rev. Gartig with only one signature.
- ✦ Discussion was held of backing up of files. All finances and vestry documents are already backed up to the cloud.
- ✦ Check of remainder from shelter still outstanding – Athletes in Action \$123.43
- ✦ Grant from diocese is still outstanding. Doug P. calls for committees to gain estimates for point and kitchen repairs. Joyce G. reported steam table would cost \$759.

Committee Reports and Unfinished business

- ✦ Cheryl E. reported on meals: picnic, meal on September 23rd, coffee hour.
- ✦ Doug P asked about gift for Mother Jen. Karen I. discussed an induction.

New Business

- ✦ Karen I. suggested the use of name tags and a dot system to designated services and maybe a contest for wearing them.
- ✦ Joyce G. suggested getting a defibrillator. Joyce G. made a motion that after researching and making a decision that we spend up to \$1500 for a defibrillator. Cheryl E. seconded. Motion carried unanimously. Cheryl found someone who could do the CPR class.
- ✦ Karen I. suggests we reassess our ministries once Mother Jen is here.
- ✦ Church sign is missing due to repairs. Chris Hudson has called reluctantly called it unrepairable. He and Barb B. will contact sign smiths for fix/repair, possibly costing \$2500.
- ✦ Mother Lynn's picture needs to be up in the Parish Hall.
- ✦ Joyce G. suggested in addition to the steam table, we purchase a cart on wheels with electrical outlets. All of this may not be possible until after the remodel.



The next Vestry Meeting
will be September 30th.





Church Picnic 2018

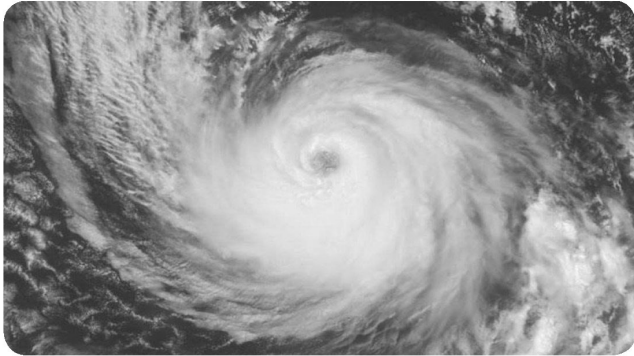


What
We Did
This Summer

Dedication of the Christ Church Bell
- First ring was sounded by Jim
Thomas as our most senior member.



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Ever wanted to sing a solo or play an instrument in front of a group of friendly and non-judgmental music lovers? Do you know of someone who plays and want to suggest they perform. Here's your chance.

We want to have an afternoon of music.
We want to have a celebration of heavenly music.
We want to have a gathering of people who love music.

If you play an instrument or sing, and are interested, see Barbara Bonham or a member of the Worship Team for more details.



- ✦ **Jeremy Tree:** Recovery Fair and 5K run to help drug addiction. Takes place September 22. See letter in front pew for more details.
- ✦ **Faith Community Preschool** is now enrolling for the 2018-2019 year. Please call 372-8757, for preschooldir@fcum.org if interested.
- ✦ **1st Annual Wiberforce Community Fish Fry**, Saturday, September 8, starts at noon. See flier in front pew and Parish Hall bulletin board for more details.
- ✦ **East High Cultural & Community Association** picnic/reunion, September 2, noon – 5 pm. See flier in front pew and Parish Hall bulletin board.

Join the Choir!

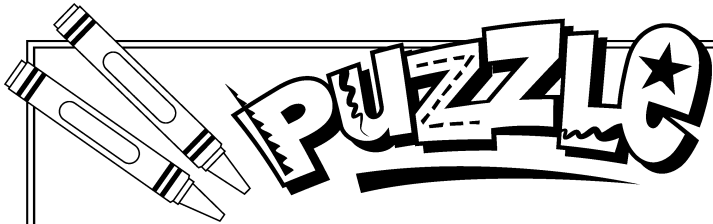
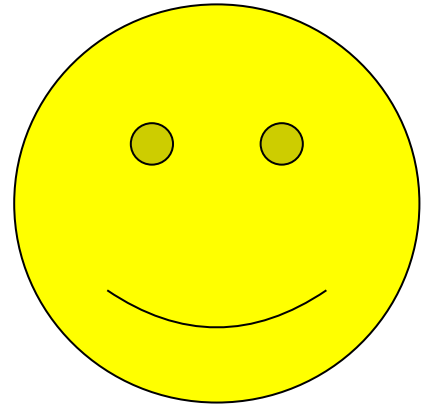
Choir practice is Wednesdays at 7pm

Music and robes provided



Fun and Games

For those who are young, those who think they are young, those who feel young at heart, and those who aren't any of the above (nobody's looking... Have some fun!)



IT'S A MIRACLE!

Jesus performed many amazing miracles during his earthly ministry.

Directions: Match the words and pictures of different healings, from one column to the other. Then fit the word pairs in the blanks below to complete Matthew 11:5, NIV.



blind



leprosy



lame



deaf



dead

hear



walk



raised



sight



cleansed



The _____ receive _____, the _____, those
who have _____ are _____, the _____
_____, the _____ are _____ ...

MATTHEW 11:5, NIV

Answer: The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised ... Matthew 11:5, NIV



Bible Quiz

Though daughters weren't allowed to inherit property, some young women whose father had died appealed to the community's leaders to change the law in their favor — and it was done! Who were these women?

- A. Mary and Martha
- B. The daughters of Zelophehad
- C. Nympha, Sapphira, Claudia, Tabitha and Lydia
- D. Joanna, Susanna and Salome



Answer: B (See Numbers 27:1-11.)

Ministry	9/2	9/9	9/16	9/23	9/30
Worship Leader/Celebrant	MP (Barb)	HE (Father Ed)	HE (Father Ed)	HE (Mother Jen)	HE (Mother Jen)
Altar Guild	Elizabeth/Tanya	JoAnne/Becky	Doug/Pam	Elizabeth/Tanya	JoAnne/Pam
Lectors	Mark/Pam, Lonna	Pam/Becky	Jennie/Debbie	Barb/Mark	Becky/Pam
Ushers	Claris/Brad	Doug/Elizabeth	JoAnne/Rick	Rick/Brad	Elizabeth/Doug
Intercessor	Becky	Jennie	Barb	Debbie	Mark
Chalice	-----	Barbara	Mark	Pam	Debbie
Vestry Member of the Week	Doug	Barbara	Mark	Cheryl	Brad
Eucharist Visitor					

Ministry	10/7	10/14	10/21	10/28
Worship Leader	HE (Rev Jen)	HE (Rev Jen)	MP (Rick)	HE (Rev Jen)
Altar Guild	Doug/Tanya	Elizabeth/Pam	JoAnne/Tanya	Doug/Becky
Lectors	Lonna, Jennie	Debbie, Barb	Mark/Pam/Debbie	Becky/Lonna
Ushers	Brad/JoAnne	Doug/Elizabeth	Rick/Brad	JoAnne/Doug
Intercessor	Becky	Pam	Jennie	Barb
Chalice	Rick	Barb		Pam
Eucharistic Visitor				
Vestry Member of the Week	Lee	Joyce	Tanya	Karen

