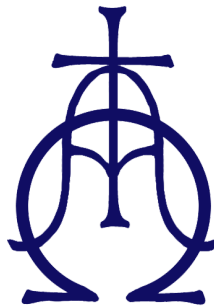

Christ Church News Note

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A note from Reverend Jennifer

Dear Friends:

I'm writing you on the autumnal equinox--somewhere, the day and night are equal length. And beginning tomorrow the days will be shorter than the nights...

It's always a little daunting when we head into the dark and cold. We're lucky to know that not only does the spring come again, but that there is subtle beauty and wonderful richness in the glory of autumn as well as the starkness of winter. I'm glad to be walking this journey with you...

Peace,
Jennifer+

Sept 20th Rev. Jen's sermon **Just Fairness**

WORSHIP SEPTEMBER 27, 2020

Sept 27, 2020 is Fourth Sunday

Scripture Readings for Sept 27

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32

Psalm 25:1-8

Philippians 2:1-13

Matthew 21:23-32

There are many on-line worship options available to you for this Sunday. The underlined words are hyperlinks--if you click on them, they will take you to the website!

9:30am [St. Paul's Church Oakwood](#)

[St. Paul's, Oakwood](#)

10:00am [St. Christopher's Church Fairborn](#)

[St. Christopher's Facebook page](#)

[St Christopher's website](#)

10:00am [Christ Church Cathedral Cincinnati](#)

[Christ Cathedral Cincinnati](#)

11:15am [Washington National Cathedral](#)

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Devotional Guide for September 27, 2020

For devotionals during COVID-19, I've been sharing one of my favorite resources, Suzanne Guthrie's "Edge of the Enclosure." You will find much here, including a hyperlink for the scripture readings. Click here--> [*Devotional*](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 4: First Sunday--Worship at 63 East Church Street

October 11: Second Sunday--Liturgy of the Word on ZOOM

October 18: Third Sunday--Worship at 63 East Church Street

October 25--Fourth Sunday--online worship elsewhere

+++All CECX services are recorded and made available later.+++

Congratulations to Ruth Hazel and JoAnne Earley, Society of St. Simeon and St Anna Inductees!

On Tuesday, Sept 15, the Diocese held an induction ceremony for this year's nominees to the Society of St. Simeon and St. Anna. Christ Episcopal Xenia had two nominees: JoAnne Earley and Ruth Hazel.

The Society recognizes elders who are "living examples of Christian witness, compassionate lives of faithfulness to the gospel of Christ Jesus; the hope of the gospel for all persons in the diocese."

JoAnne has served Christ Episcopal and Xenia for many years in a range of service offerings from the Clothes Closet to delivering meals and helping with parish volunteers.

Ruth Hazel continues to be a worship leader, an eager student of the Bible, and was chosen to by Brad McCoy to be his confirmation sponsor. We are proud that members of our parish have been thus recognized!

There is an unproduced recording of the lovely Morning Prayer and induction ceremony-- you can watch it here--> [St Simeon and St Anna Induction Ceremony](#)

Bishop Breidenthal

Do keep our bishop in your prayers. Bishop Breidenthal had a serious infection (not COVID) and was in the hospital for several days; he is now in a rehabilitation center. He has announced that he will step down as bishop on November 29th. We pray for strength, healing, and discernment for the bishop and his family.

Nickell House Hours

Becky will be shifting her hours at the Nickell House to Monday 12-6, Wednesday-Thursday 12-6, and Friday 2-6.

We bid your prayers: Sunday and Devotional Prayer Lists

Weekly Prayer List Our weekly Sunday prayer list includes names and concerns from the parish that will remain on the list for a month. If your prayer concern is on-going, please let Becky know and she will put it on the Devotional Prayer List.

Devotional Prayer List We have some concerns and thanksgivings that need sustained prayer. For on-going prayer, we will put names on the Devotional Prayer List that will be published here and in the service leaflet on Sundays. The Devotional Prayer List will rotate names every three months; let Becky know if the concern is on going. We ask that the community continue to lift these to God in your daily devotions.

Devotional Prayer List Sept 27, 2020

Roxanne, John N, Cynda, Claris, baby Amelia and family, Karen, Diana, Peter, Heather, Barbara, David, John R, Rob H, Carol H, Tawn, Bishop Breidenthal, John G, Dave W and family, Matt, Trisha, Reid, Connie, Trish, Shelly, Jason, Carolyn, Shayna, Mike, Kathy, Steve, Dorothy, Gordon and Claris, Marcia, Shirley, Terry, Arlene, Kim, Jill, Lynne, Cynthia, Tiffany, Heidi, Madysun, Ken, Lamar, Laura and Avis, John, Grandma Ann, Mukul, and Marsha S.

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