



EXPEDITUS

for the Easter Sunday in 2022

Welcome to the 7th issue of the baby bro of our old news-
letter, the Trumpet. This is a mini-newsletter for info &
news for distribution in our bulletin.

**FEEL FREE TO TAKE THIS PIECE OF PAPER HOME
WITH YOU AND STICK IT TO YOUR FRIDGE.**

Did any of you see that the trumpet moved on the picture
from the previous weeks? Through the magic of photo
editing, our little Expeditus can now herald the arrival of

Easter Sunday. Have you not heard of this Trumpet newsletter that I have
been chattering on about? You can read the back issues of them on our web-
site at <https://www.christ-episcopal-xenia.org/trumpet-newsletter.html>
and see almost 2 decades of history.

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month

During Child Abuse Awareness Month in April, blue
pinwheels bring awareness to our community's commitment to prevent
child abuse and neglect. The blue pinwheel, representing innocence is a na-
tional symbol for child abuse prevention. Pinwheels reflect the bright future
all children deserve. Nikki is working on getting some blue pinwheels to
put in the yard of our church and the Nickell House.



CECX Share 1 to 1 Clothing Closet:

We are starting a special area to collect clothes
for children in foster care! Please spread the word and donate as able.



*****Also the closet is in desperate need for men's casual clothing.**



The Pews are Alive with the Sound of Music!

How about those Choir anthems on Sundays? Our singers sound great and you can be a part of that wonderful sound. Come join them and lift your voices!

All rehearsals will be on Sundays at 8:45am in the Sanctuary. Please see the sheet on the piano, talk with the Schuberts, or go to <https://bit.ly/choir2022> for more info, including songs and the schedule through April. You can also call Nikki with any questions.

Updated Ways to help Ukrainians

Fundacja Ocalenie and their donation page

<https://bit.ly/3KhFvtG>

Polish Humanitarian Action, and their donation page

<https://bit.ly/3JiNGo6>

Club of the Catholic Intelligentsia, and their donation page

<https://bit.ly/3Jed8v5>

If you are willing to go to the extra trouble of making a bank transfer, Borderlands Foundation and Homo Faber would also be excellent choices. Homo Faber also has PayPal.

*It seems to be out of print, but you can find Reconstruction of Nations on Kindle. Yale University Press, its publisher, has made electronic versions of number of pertinent books available free of charge for a couple of weeks, including Ukrainian Night, which treats Ukrainian-Polish relations and gives a sense of why Ukrainian self-organization has been so impressive in 2022."



Read the source article here: <https://bit.ly/3uZfSY3>



Procter Center Summer Camps for 2022

Camp Open House & Spring Craft Show — Rain or shine, join us May 7th, anytime between 9am-1pm for the Camp Open House! The Camp Open House is for everyone, folks who have never gone to camp before, or those who are long-time camp goers, but who maybe just want to learn a little more about the inner workings of Procter. This will be a time when you can take in our beautiful grounds, learn about all things camp, take tours of our farm, cottages and lodge, and get walked through any registration requirement questions from our knowledgeable staff. It will be a day full of fun and excitement, with special goodies given out throughout the day. This event will be taking place along side our Spring Craft Show! Local craftsman and artists will be onsite, selling off their one of a kind works. Food trucks will also be in our upper parking lot for those wishing to enjoy a warm drink or lunch while on the property. Join us! Please RSVP here. <https://bit.ly/7proc7>

Procter Center Day Camp

Farm Fresh Camp

1st through 6th Grade

Weekly, June 13 - August 5

9:00am to 4:30pm, Monday through Friday

Youth Camps

June 19-25 Youth Camp I (3rd-8th G)

June 26-July 2 Senior High Camp (9th-12th G)

July 10-16 Youth Camp II (3rd-8th G)

Sunday afternoon to Saturday morning

Family Camp

June 15-18 Family Camp I

July 6-9 Family Camp II

July 20-23 Family Camp III

July 27-30 Family Camp IV

Silver Camp

You're Never Too Old To Play

August 1-4



Register at www.proctercenter.org/camp



Upcoming Events:

See emailed Church Notes for more details

Apr. 17th: Easter Sunday

Apr. 17th: Loose Offerings for Discretionary Fund

Apr. 17th: Easter Egg Hunt after services

Apr. 22nd: Earth Day

Apr. 24th: 2nd Sunday in Easter

Apr. 24th: Red Cross Blood Drive - No Coffee Hour this Sunday

May 1st: 3rd Sunday in Easter



Remembrances

Today's prayer list: Claris, Jane, Bill, Shelly, Brad, Rick, Kim, Heather, Ruth, Cyn-da, Pat, Mark, Laura C., Jennifer, Braylon, and Diana & Peter – and for all who suffer because of COVID-19.

Long term prayer list: Madysun, John, Jess and Tim, Heidi, Amelia, and David O.

We mourn the passing of:

We pray for all who have passed into God's nearer presence.

Announcements

- Red Cross Blood Drive in the Parish Hall, April 24th from 8am to 2pm. They will park in the lot across the street and will use the double doors with the ramp into our library. They will also make sure we have a passage through the Parish Hall to the kitchen door. If you would like to give blood, they are happy for any volunteers. (There will be no Coffee Hour during this event.)
- CECX Sexton: Call Nikki with Sexton concerns. Welcome Jill Dryden as sexton!
- Xenia Area FISH Food Pantry (now the Greene County FISH Pantry): need tuna, cereal, box mixes, soups, cake mixes, icing, brownies, & condiments. April suggestion is spaghetti, sauce, packaged pasta, ravioli.
- The Vestry and the Creation Care Committee (formerly the Green Team) would like for you consider eliminating the use of plastic bottles in your life.
- CECX Share 1 to 1 Clothing Closet needs men's casual clothes donations!