

The Angelus

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From the Rector



Fr. McDuffie

Dear Friends in Christ,

As I write this note to you, it is a beautiful September afternoon, and the official beginning of fall is almost here. I am excited and energized by the beginning of the Christ Church programmatic year. It is a joy to see all of you when I return from summer holiday, and I am especially delighted to see several new families with babies and young children. On Sunday mornings, we have quite a number of little ones in our nursery, which is one of the most beautiful spaces in all of the churches in our Diocese. I am also delighted when new individuals and families tell me that they have found a warm reception at Christ Church, and a special, almost ineffable feeling of God's grace and goodness. If you are among those extending a friendly greeting to the newly arrived, way to go!

As October comes, we will go into an annual time of prayerful discernment and activity in our fall financial stewardship campaign. This year's campaign is called "Living by Faith". We are invited to give thanks to almighty God for the many blessings in our lives, and part of giving thanks, and living faithfully, is realized by making an annual pledge of financial support to Christ Church. If you find that there is something good, and holy, and inspiring, and life-giving about our parish and its ministry, we hope that you will want to join with others in helping to sustain this ministry. Our Vestry can only do effective planning for the use of the fiscal resources of Christ Church when we have an accurate projection of what we have available – and that comes when all of us join in to help. Everyone is important in this enterprise!

Will costs for ministry rise in 2014? Yes! Will our need be greater? Of course! Will you be invited to consider an increase in your giving? Absolutely! This is all part of the adventure of living in faith. On September 8 in church, we heard Jesus say that those who are not willing to surrender all their possessions cannot be his disciple. No one among us at Christ Church is asking or telling anyone to do such a radical thing. But we do invite each one of us to consider what giving sacrificially might feel like and look like – in our own lives, and in the life of the coming Kingdom of God.

I issue a special invitation to come to our annual fall stewardship Sunday, which this year falls on October 6. As we have done in years past, our Stewardship Committee will help me make sermon time that day very lively, and fun! – but with it will be the serious call to faithful living. Come be a part of this ongoing adventure.

Faithfully in Christ,

John+

ADULT COVENANT CLASS BEGINS



Fr. McDuffie will once again lead a fall Adult Covenant Class, beginning on **Wednesday, October 2nd, at 7:30 p.m.**, and continuing for six more classes on successive Wednesdays through November 13. This is a short course on Christian faith as it is lived in the Episcopal Church, and it is designed for adults who are new to Christ Church or the Episcopal Church. It can also serve as a “refresher course” for those who have been in the church for some time. Participants have the option to be presented for adult baptism at Christ Church; or confirmation, reception, or public reaffirmation of their baptismal vows at a special service on Saturday, November 16th, at the Washington National Cathedral.

If you are interested in the class or would like more information, contact our parish office at 301-762-2191, ext. 12. We also have a schedule and class description in the church, and a sign-up sheet as well.

UPDATE ON OUR KOREAN CONGREGATION

Since its beginnings in February 2012, our Korean Episcopal Congregation has shown gradual growth and generous support from a small but dedicated community of worshippers. Attendance at the 1:00 p.m. Sunday service has ranged between 15 and 20 in recent weeks, and Fr. Athanasius Choi is to be commended for his faithful mission focus and ministry outreach.

Earlier this year, Fr. Choi asked if Christ Church could sponsor him for permanent residence, which means our guaranteeing his gainful employment and assisting in revising the visa status for himself and his family. Our parish leadership thought it would be more appropriate to approach the Diocese of Washington with this request, and I am happy to report that Bishop Budde subsequently contacted the Rt. Rev. Paul Kim, Archbishop of the Korean Episcopal Church (you may recall that Archbishop Kim visited us here at Christ Church in July of last year). The Archbishop has guaranteed acceptable financial support for Fr. Choi over the next three years, such that the Diocese of Washington is now in agreement to sponsor the Chois. This is good news for all, and we are happy to continue to be the “nesting place” for this congregation. Our weekly parish prayers have been fruitful!

Fr. Choi tells me that there are congregants of his church who may be seeking baptism and confirmation in the near and further future in the fellowship of our own Christ Church community, and we stand by ready to assist in these ministries.

JAZZ VESPERS RETURNS, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6



Washington Redskins fans have a right to sing the blues, considering how the season has begun. Why not come and celebrate the rich and vibrant world of blues and jazz at our first fall Jazz Vespers service, on Sunday, October 6th, at 5:00 p.m.? Fr. McDuffie will have our original Jazz Vespers band reassembled, with Jim Levy on piano, Dave Marsh on bass, and Coleman O’Donoghue on drums, and will offer some of the great classics of jazz music as accompaniment to the liturgy of evening prayer. A free-will offering will be gratefully accepted to benefit the Diocese of Washington Hunger Fund. Don’t miss it!

“THE STORY” IS COMING!

A number of parishioners have expressed interest in having a group to explore together “The Story”, a Bible study series endorsed by the Diocese. We are planning for a group to begin in October, led by Patrick Bush, our seminarian. Watch for announcements in Church bulletins and emails for the starting date and time, or you can contact the parish office. In the meantime, you can access “The Story” for your own individual study at the Diocesan website, www.edow.org.

PARKING LOT IDENTIFICATION IS NEEDED

Recent conversations with Christ Episcopal School have revealed that increasing numbers of people are attempting to use our parking lot during the work week in order to attend to District Court business. The parking lot and the driveway parking spaces along the side of the church are only for the use of people involved with Church or School activities, or people who have business in the Jefferson Building.

If you are coming to Christ Church for a meeting, or worship, or ministry activity during the week from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., we would ask that you display a laminated parking identification card on your dashboard inside your car. These cards are available in our parish office, and if you are a regular visitor, you can have one for permanent use. This practice will greatly help us to know who is authorized to be in our lot, as we have a towing policy for unauthorized individuals.

Please remember that no one is permitted to park along the church driveway between the hours of 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., because we need to keep two lanes open for School dismissal and pickup in the afternoon.

Thank you for helping to make our parking lot be better available to those who need to use it for church or school.

--Fr. McDuffie

Inside Outreach

An update from the Christ Church Outreach Committee



STOP HUNGER NOW

“Late in the afternoon the Twelve came to him and said, ‘Send the crowd away so that they can go to the surrounding villages and countryside and find food and lodging, because we are in a remote place here.’

He replied, ‘You give them something to eat.’”

Luke 9:12-13

It is a blessing when we have an opportunity to live our faith such that the fruit of our labor directly alleviates human suffering in the world, in our own time. Over the past four years, our faith community has fed more than 125,000 children worldwide through the annual CEC Stop Hunger Now event. Please mark your calendars for Saturday, November 2nd, 2013, when we again show the spirit of Christ Church as a living extension of Jesus’ mission.

Stop Hunger Now is a U.S. based non-profit hunger relief organization that facilitates the distribution of nutritious and stable meals for children in schools and orphanages throughout the developing world. In a single day, a volunteer community can assemble thousands of meal packets that are delivered to places of need worldwide. Christ Church has been a leader among Maryland churches in support of this effort, with participants of all ages and generations making the event a highlight of our Outreach Ministry.

A key to the success of Stop Hunger Now Saturday is that it is organized as an efficient and family-friendly enterprise, with roles for every age and ability. Children and teens work alongside their parents, grandparents, and peers in a cooperative and raucous setting, where the work of our hands connects us all with our sisters and brothers all over our planet. And it’s great fun!

Further details and registration forms will follow in the weekly bulletin as the event draws closer. Please consider joining this inspired endeavor, and watch for more information in the weeks to come. If you have questions or would like to sign up early, please e-mail Kelvin Dowd at KJDowd24@gmail.com.

The Outreach Committee meets the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish House. All are welcome to attend and learn more about the opportunities to live our faith through service to those who need us most. For further information, contact Kelvin Dowd at KJDowd24@gmail.com

NEWS FROM COMMUNITY MINISTRIES OF ROCKVILLE

Community Ministries of Rockville (CMR) is a faith-based organization that seeks to improve the quality of life of the most vulnerable residents in Montgomery County through the Mansfield Kaseman Health Clinic; the Rockville Emergency Assistance Program (REAP); the Language Outreach Program (LOP); the Elderly Ministries Program; and Jefferson House. Through the Outreach Committee, Christ Church provides monthly funding to CMR to support these direct service programs.

Program updates

The **Kaseman Health Clinic** continues to grow and is **now open five days a week**, Monday through Friday. The clinic serves uninsured adults in Montgomery County and currently provides primary medical care, as well as specialty services in the areas of orthopedics, endocrinology, podiatry, and dermatology.

The **Language Outreach Program (LOP)** has registered 230 adults and children for the fall semester of ESOL and literacy classes, which began on September 10th. Volunteer tutors for students' school-aged children are needed on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Upcoming fundraising events

Purchase a Rockville Rewards Card. You can support local businesses, access discounts, and help raise money for CMR by purchasing the \$25 card. When you purchase your card directly from CMR, CMR receives 100% of the profit.

Dine at El Mariachi (765 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852) **on October 23, 2013.** The restaurant will donate a portion of the day's proceeds to CMR.

Enjoy food, friends, and fun at the Second Annual Monte Carlo Night on November 9, 2013, at Temple Beth Ami (14330 Travilah Road, Rockville, MD 20850). The evening will feature WTOP's "Wine Guy," Casino style games from Talk of the Town, and live and silent auctions. All proceeds will support the Kaseman Health Clinic.

For more information on CMR programs and upcoming events, please visit www.cmrocks.org or contact Lynn Arndt, CMR Director of Development and Volunteer Services, at (301) 637-0705.

STEP UP TO SUPPORT THE DIOCESAN HUNGER FUND THIS MONTH



Clear your calendars now for the 2013 Hunger Walk to benefit the Diocesan Hunger Fund. The walk will take place at Lake Needwood on Sunday, October 20th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Look forward to a gift for the walker who brings in the most money for the walk and the opportunity to buy specially designed Hunger Walk T-shirts. Snacks and drinks will be on-hand for all walkers. You'll also want to attend the **October Jazz Vespers**. The music will be great as always, and proceeds go to the Hunger Fund.

It's easy to contribute to the Hunger Walk. Make your check out to CEC with a memo for HUNGER FUND, and put it into the plate, mail it to the church office, hand it to anyone collecting funds for the walk – including walkers you may be sponsoring – or, for the best fun, bring it directly to the walk! Questions? Call Rebecca Browning at 301-762-0426.

Music at Christ Church

MUSICIANS' RETREAT AT CLAGGETT

For the past dozen years, I have been able to attend the annual two-day musicians' retreat at the Claggett Conference Center near Buckeystown MD. Organized by the Diocese of Maryland, this event draws about 50 participants from the Baltimore and Washington metropolitan areas, as well as others from Pennsylvania, Virginia, and North Carolina. Last year, I had the honor of presenting a session "Singing the Psalms: a practical guide". It was based on our worship experience at Christ Church with medieval plainsong, Anglican chant, and rhymed metrical paraphrases, and was very well received.

This year, the opening worship was the service of Evensong in which the singing of Psalms plays a major part. I was invited to rehearse and conduct Psalm 46 using unaccompanied plainsong and Psalm 87 using Anglican chant accompanied by the organ. It was interesting to discover how much of the previous year's presentation had remained in the collective memory and experience of the participants. At Evensong, the words became clearer, and praying the psalms through singing made the entire experience more profound and intense.

One very interesting session at the conference involved a review of "new hymns" included in the 1982 Hymnal. I am happy to report that the Congregation and Choirs of Christ Church rate very high in the use of both the number and variety of hymns reviewed in this session. I believe that in Rockville, we truly delight in offering God our musical praise in the most imaginative and long-lasting combinations of words and music.

WELCOME TO NEW CHORISTERS



We are delighted to welcome four new Choristers to the group of boys and girls which helps lead the singing each Sunday at the 9:00 a.m. service, and joins with the adults and teens of the Choir for the beginning of the 11:00 a.m. service on the first Sundays of the month.

On Sunday, October 27th, Dylan Marshall, Marie Matulka-Nicely, Esme Pickel, and Eliana Wong will receive their white surplices to wear over their red cassocks. This is symbolic of the six weeks of preparations they will have made in rehearsals, learning such basics as singing posture, finding their place in the hymnal, and processing down the center aisle. They will have also memorized the Choristers' Prayer:

<p>Bless, O Lord, us thy servants who minister in thy temple; grant that what we sing with our lips we may believe in our hearts, and what we believe in our hearts we may show forth in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.</p>
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Choristers rehearse each Thursday from 4:30-5:30 p.m. in the Choir Room, with snacks in the Dining Room beforehand at 4:15 p.m. We welcome new Choristers throughout the season. For further information and a parents' manual for Choristers, contact director Tad Cavuoti at 301-762-2191, ext. 14 or at tcavuoti@CECrockville.org.

MASS OF THE MONTH FROM SAN MARCO, VENICE

We are blessed in being able to offer choral Mass settings as part of the monthly musical cycle at Christ Church. On Sunday, October 6th at the 11:00 a.m. Eucharist, the Choristers and Choir will sing the Mass in A Major by Antonio Lotti (1667-1741). Despite his Italian name, Lotti was probably born in Hanover where his father was Kapellmeister, and he also had connections in Dresden. By age 16, he had moved to Venice, and by age 20, he had become part of the musical establishment at the basilica of San Marco, where he remained for the rest of his life. He rose eventually to become chief Organist and Choirmaster. His Mass in A Major is a delightfully bright and cheerful composition, full of imitative counterpoint among the various Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass vocal parts. Although optional horn parts exist, in the edition our music director Tad Cavuoti has created, it is more appropriately performed with light organ accompaniment or a *cappella*.

To complement this Italian/German baroque music, our Choirs and Congregation will join in singing Psalm 37 to a chant by the present day Italian/German/American Tad Cavuoti. The text of that Psalm begins “Do not fret yourself because of the ungodly”. In a composer’s pun, the harmony of the chant is based upon on the “open strings” of the guitar, quite literally the chord produced when the frets are not used.

Tad Cavuoti

Pastoral Care



Since Cindy talked about our prayer shawl ministry at church, we wanted to share with you the moving service that we use to bless the shawls. Our former assistant priest Karen Johnson created it for us.

THE BLESSING OF A PRAYER SHAWL

Leader: Let us pray.

All: Loving God, we give you thanks for the gift of our hands. Give us the grace to see them as you do – instruments to minister the touch of your blessing. Use them, O God, to infuse this prayer shawl with your mercy, healing, and love. May it become a mantle of grace to (name), whom it will wrap and upon whom it will rest. Amen.

Leader (all holding up the shawl): May God’s grace be upon this shawl.

[All lay hands on the shawl as the touch of God’s blessing, then pray silently or aloud for (name). The liturgy then continues:]

All: May it be for (name)

Safe haven,
A sacred covering of security and well-being,
Sustenance and comfort in good times and difficulties.
May s/he be
Blessed with healing,
Cradled in hope,
Kept in joy,
Graced with peace,
And enfolded in love.

Blessed be! Amen.

ADULT FORUM

Hemchand Gossai presents "Saints and Scoundrels in the Hebrew Bible"
Oct. 6, 13, 27, & Nov. 3

This series will explore the Old Testament narratives of saints and sinners and the manner in which their complex lives and actions give shape to the message of grace and redemption. The stories of Adam and Eve; Cain and Abel; Esau and Jacob; David, Deborah, Jael, Hannah, and others remind us that there is hope beyond despair; grace in the midst of judgment, and their message will resonate in our lives. We will read and listen to these stories anew.

Don't miss this award-winning professor and parishioner in this new series!!!

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Sponsored by The Adult Christian Formation Committee
Fran Palmer-Hill, Chair

Newcomer Corner

The Dykstra Family

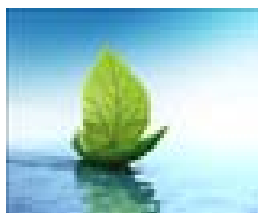
Laura and Peter Dykstra first came to Christ Church nearly two years ago. Peter is originally from the DC area, and Laura from New Jersey. They met in graduate school at the University of Maryland, where Laura is currently a professor of criminology. Peter, an electrical engineer by training, works as a patent agent for a law firm, serving as the technical voice in patent writing.

Laura and Peter's biggest news of the past year is the birth of their daughter, Tessa, who is now three months old. They were drawn to CEC because they liked the family-friendly nature of the congregation.

Welcome to Christ Church, Laura, Peter, and Tessa!



Environmental Stewardship



HELP WANTED FOR OUR ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

The Environmental Stewardship Committee is looking for anyone out there who has knowledge about assessing, performing, or contributing to a dwelling's energy audit. We are not asking for someone to perform this audit; we are seeking expertise and advice on what would help CEC select a firm to conduct our audit. PEPCO has a list of 'audit partners' that they work with. There are a myriad of companies that perform these types of audits. We are seeking help in identifying the attributes to look for and questions we should ask of these audit organizations. We would appreciate your input and assistance. The next Committee meeting is Wednesday, October 9, 6:30pm, in the Parish House Dining Room. All interested persons welcome!

Thank you. Barbra R. Johnson (glengenny@verizon.net) and Ruth Hanessian.

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you ever wonder what it is like living next door to a pipeline? Watch a video at <http://insideclimatenews.org/>



Hammond Organ – Free!

A standard size Hammond organ is available free for pick up. Needs about \$1500 to service. Please call Laura Spears at 301-309-0757 (home), or 301-594-0907 (work).

CHRIST EPISCOPAL SCHOOL PROGRAM UPDATE

Christ Episcopal School's (CES) community of young learners is being well-prepared for high school and beyond. Today, how students learn is just as important as what they learn. The 'how' begins with a rigorous 3Rs (reading, writing, and arithmetic) education enriched with *LIFT: Learning Integration For Tomorrow*TM. LIFT, a program unique to CES, serves as the ideal delivery model for a Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) education. LIFT enriches the basics, the 3Rs, by placing students in high-performance teams to solve real-world problems.



Providing highly advanced STEM programs takes teamwork and resources. CES is very excited to announce two new STEM programs affiliated with two of the area's top institutions. The first is a partnership with Carnegie Institute for Science.



Through the Institute's life science program, Project BioEYES[®], students will learn about the lifecycle of the zebra fish. The goal of the program is to provide a hands-on approach to learning that will transform children from science students to young scientists.

The second program to arrive at CES this year will have students looking to the stars. Through a partnership with the Space Telescope Science Institute, a NASA space research center, students will study the James Webb Telescope, set to be launched in 2018.



"I can probably count on one hand the number of group projects I was a part of in middle and high school," said Trevor Waddington, Director of Admission at CES. "CES students have an incredible advantage of not only having the amazing teachers at CES working with them, but also astrophysicists, engineers, and biologists from some of the country's top institutions."

Christ Episcopal School serves children ages 2 through grade 8 and is dedicated to providing an education relevant to the world we live in so students can be prepared for tomorrow, today.

BOOKTALK TAKES YOU BACK TO HIGH SCHOOL

At its November 11th meeting, Booktalk will discuss the iconic novel **The Catcher in the Rye** by J. D. Salinger. We will meet at 1:00 p.m. in the Dining Room of the Parish House. We look forward to having you join us.



ADULT FORUM SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 2013

Christ Episcopal Church
Murdock Room
10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

October 6 – Pentecost	Hemchand Gossi 1 of 4 series	Saints and Scoundrels in the Hebrew Bible
October 13 – Pentecost	Hemchand Gossi 2 of 4	Saints and Scoundrels in the Hebrew Bible
October 20 – Pentecost	Michele Craig	Work Camp
October 27 – Pentecost	Hemchand Gossi 3 of 4	Saints and Scoundrels in the Hebrew Bible

The Bargain Box
Thrift and Consignment Shop
An Outreach Ministry since 1957
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 301-762-2242
 Email: bargainbox@cecrockville.org
 On the web: www.christchurchrockville.org
 Facebook:
www.facebook.com/BargainBoxRockville
 Monday – Saturday, 10 am – 4:30 pm
 Donna Wolohojian, Manager

All our profits fund outreach projects in the community and diocese.



FALL & HALLOWEEN

New donations arrive daily so the store is always filled with new items. Shop for fabulous fall clothing, household items, decorations and gifts. Shop here first for HALLOWEEN costumes and save.

FALL HOLIDAY BAZAAR

SUNDAY, November 17

8:30 – 2:30 p.m. at The Bargain Box



BBOX COOKBOOK

Volunteers have had several potluck gatherings to sample recipes and oh my, what a talented group of chefs! You will want this cookbook for everyone on your holiday shopping list. Pre-ordering is encouraged but not necessary. If you would like to reserve a copy (or several!) send an email to the store with "Cookbook" in the subject line. You can pay for the books when they come in. Cost TBA. We expect the cookbook to be ready early in December.

THIRD SUNDAY OUTREACH

Stop by the Outreach table in the dining room during coffee hour on October 20. Fall and Halloween items will be for sale and also the theme of this month's raffle. Raffle tickets for are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. You can also pre-order your copies of the Bargain Box Cookbook

Congratulations to Charlotte Snider for winning August's "Back to School" raffle. September's "Sports Fan" winner was Esme Pickle.



VOLUNTEERS WELCOME!

Calling all parishioners! Ask a neighbor! Phone a friend! Volunteering at the Bargain Box is an excellent opportunity for hands-on community service and fellowship. Free training & snacks!

Front Desk Clerks: (Especially Tues. & Thurs.)

- help customers find what they need
- ring up sales
- morning shift (9:45 – 1:30)
- afternoon shift (1:30 – 4:45)
- once a month, once a week, or more

Consignments:

- Write consignment tickets
- Tag clothing and other items
- Thursday or Friday, 10 to noonish
- Once a month, once a week, or more

Donations of new & gently used:

- Seasonal clothing & shoes
- Holiday decorations
- Books, toys, household items
- Jewelry, watches and purses
- Furniture
- Store Supplies (Wipes, Paper towels, Febreeze, Kleenex, TP)
- Shopping bags (paper or plastic)
- Newspapers (to wrap fragile items)



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OTHER PARISH EVENTS
(Date/Event/ Time/ Location)

OCTOBER 2013 WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Regular Sunday Schedule
Services at 7:45, 9:00 & 11:00am

- 7:45 AM** Holy Eucharist Rite I
a spoken service with Sermon
- 9:00 AM** Holy Eucharist Rite II
with Sermon, Service Music, Hymns, and Anthems
Choristers of Christ Church
- 9:00 AM** Children’s Church – Murdock Room
a service for children, using a story-telling theme with music
for young children. 9:00-9:30am
- 11:00 AM** Holy Eucharist, Rite I
with Sermon, Service Music, Hymns, and Anthems
Christ Church Choir
- Nursery** 8:45 AM – 12:15 PM *for infants and toddlers*
6 months to 4 years old

ACTIVITIES AND MEETINGS

- 8:25 AM** Choristers Warm Up – Choir Room & Church
- 9:00 AM** Studies in Christian Faith (*led by Fran Palmer-Hill*)
- 10:10 AM** Adult Forum – Murdock Room
- 10:15 AM** Sunday School – Classrooms Preschool-8th Grade
- 10:15 AM** Choir Rehearsal – Choir Stalls
- 10:15 AM** Coffee Hour – Dining Room
- 12:45 PM** Korean Worship Service – Chapel
- 2:10 PM** Korean Congregation Coffee Hour – Parish House

REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

- Monday**
- 7:00 PM English Conversation Practice (CEC DR)
- 7:30 PM Acolyte Training - *through 11/11* (Church)
- Tuesday**
- 9:00 AM Staff Meeting (PH)
- Wednesday**
- 11:00 AM Bible Study (PH LR)
- 12:10 PM Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church)
- 7:30 PM Adult Covenant Class - *through 11/13* (PH LR)
- 8:00 PM Korean Congregation Prayer Group (CEC DR)
- Thursday**
- 12:00 PM AA (PH)
- 4:30 PM Chorister Rehearsal (Church)
- 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal (Church)

- 1 Pastoral Care Committee Meeting **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 2 Adult Covenant Class **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 3
- 4 Private Recital **6:30pm** (Church)
- 5
- 6 Stewardship Campaign Kick-Off
Adult Forum with Hemchand Gossai **10:10am** (MR)
Youth Group Activity **3:00pm** (CEC Kitchen)
Jazz Vespers **5:00pm** (Church)
- 7 Acolyte Training **7:30pm** (Church)
- 8 Adult Christian Formation Meeting **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 9 Environmental Stewardship Meeting **6:30pm** (PH DR)
Adult Covenant Class **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 10
- 11
- 12
- 13 Adult Forum with Hemchand Gossai **10:10am** (MR)
Faithful Professionals Meeting **10:15am** (PH LR)
Holy Eucharist at Rockville Nursing Home **1:30pm**
- 14 Columbus Day (Office Closed)
Acolyte Training **7:30pm** (Church)
Outreach Committee Meeting **7:30pm** (PH DR)
- 15 *The Angelus* Submission Deadline for the November issue
Pastoral Care Committee Meeting **7:30pm** (PH LR)
Adult Covenant Class **7:30pm** (PH LR)
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- 20 “Rockville Help” Sunday (*Third Sunday of each month*)
Loaves & Fishes carpool **10:15am** (leave from Church)
SOS - Serving Others Sunday Outreach Project **10:15am** (CEC DR)
Diocesan Hunger Fund Hunger Walk **1:00pm** (Lake Needwood)
- 21 Dine & Deal **6:30pm** (MR)
Acolyte Training **7:30pm** (Church)
- 22 *The Angelus* Printing
Vestry Meeting **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 23 Holy Eucharist at Collingswood Nursing Home **2:00pm** (Rockville)
Adult Covenant Class **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 24 *The Angelus* Assembly
- 25 Youth Group Event **6:00pm** (YR)
- 26 CES Truck Touch **11am-2pm** (Parking Lot)
- 27 Adult Forum with Hemchand Gossai **10:10am** (MR)
Sunday School Help the Homeless Walk **10:15am** (Grounds)
Faithful Professionals Meeting **10:15am** (PH LR)
- 28 Acolyte Training **7:30pm** (Church)
- 29
- 30 Adult Covenant Class **7:30pm** (PH LR)
- 31 Halloween
Chorister Rehearsal & Halloween Party **4:30pm** (DR, MR)

KEY	CEC = Christ Episcopal Church
PH = Parish House	CES = Christ Episcopal School
LR = Living Room	K = Kitchen
DR = Dining Room	N = Nursery
MR = Murdock Room	YR = Youth Room