

# CHRIST CHURCH PARISH

BORDENTOWN, NJ



## THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

14 MAY 2023

# WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH

We extend a welcome to all visitors who are worshipping with us today. Christ Church is truly a beautiful edifice, erected and appointed to the Greater Glory of Almighty God. Herein you find all things in their proper place; everything focused toward the Altar, the center of our worship. The windows in the Nave depict some of the fathers of the early Church, both English and Latin. The Rood shows our Savior, robed as a Priest, with the right hand in Blessing. The Chapel forms a quiet restful spot where, before the Blessed Sacrament, one may kneel in supplication and reverence. We are proud of our worshipful Church and invite you to share its benefit. Come in, rest, pray apart from the world. Surely God is in His Holy Temple.

All who confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, have been baptized in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, are repentant of their sins and believe the Blessed Sacrament to be the true Body and Blood of Christ are invited to receive the Sacrament of the Altar. We hope that you will enter fully into worship by joining in the prayers, responses, and hymns. Because our worship may be unfamiliar to those not raised in the Episcopal Church, feel free to ask the assistance of those around you in following and participating in the liturgy. If you are in search of a church home, we invite you to join us in worship, fellowship, and service. Please sign the guest register at the church entrance so we may have a record of your visit.

**Restrooms** are located in the Parish House and are accessible through the double doors by the pulpit or by exiting through main doors and accessing the Parish House by way of the side office door.

**Pastoral Emergencies** such as sickness, hospitalization, or the death of a loved one should be directed to Fr. Matt at 732.859.5823. Father is happy to respond to your needs even if you are not a parishioner, so please do not hesitate to call.

**The AED** is located to the left of the door to the parish office.

**A Baby Changing Station** is located in the accessible bathroom in the Parish Hall.



## **The Five Traditional Precepts of the Church**

1. Attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
2. Confession of serious sin at least once a year.
3. Reception of the Blessed Sacrament at least once a year.
4. Observance of the days of fasting and abstinence.
5. Providing for the needs of the Church.

## **At Christ Church**

1. Share the joy and strength found in Christ with others.
2. Be present at the Mass unless prevented by travel, illness, or condition.
3. Support the Parish with time, talent, and treasure.
4. Find community in the mission and ministry of the Parish.
5. Show Christ in the world by being of service to others.

## 5:30 P.M. VIGIL MASS

*The Vigil Mass follows the form found in the Chapel Booklet*

## 8:00 A.M. LOW MASS

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## 10:00 A.M. SUNG MASS

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ORGAN *Prelude and Fugue in G Major*

*Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)*

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KYRIE ELEISON *Hymn 710: Healey Willan*

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO *Hymnal 713: Willan*

PROPER COLLECT

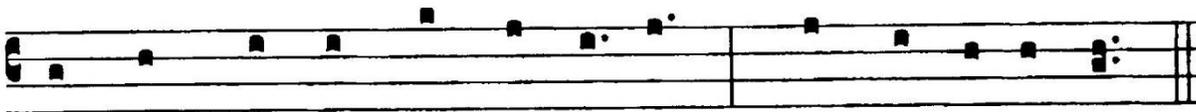
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*The Congregation is seated for the Lesson and Psalm.*

LESSON *Acts 17:1-15*

PSALM 148 *Laudate Dominum*

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7 Praise the · LORD from the earth, \* ye · dragons and all deeps;

8 Fire and hail · snow and vapours, \* wind and storm ful·filling  
his word;

9 · Mountains and all hills; \* fruitful · trees and all cedars;

10 · Beasts and all cattle; \* creeping · things and flying fowls;

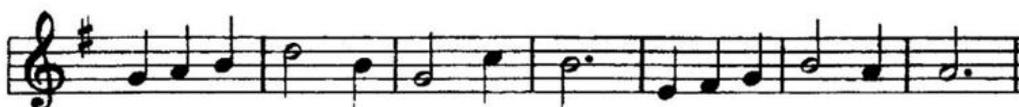
11 Kings of the · earth and all peoples; \* princes and all · judges  
of the world;

12 Young men and maidens, old men and children, † praise the ·  
Name of the LORD: \* for his Name only is excellent, and his praise  
above · heaven and earth.

13 He shall exalt the horn of his people: † all his · saints shall praise  
him; \* even the children of Israel, even the · people that serveth him.

EPISTLE *1 Peter 3:8-18*

*The Congregation stands for Sequence Hymn and the Gospel.*



SHALL we not love thee, Mother dear,  
Whom Jesus loves so well,  
And to his glory year by year  
Thy praise and honour tell?

2 Thee did he choose from whom to take  
True flesh, his flesh to be;  
In it to suffer for our sake,  
And by it make us free.

3 O wondrous depth of love divine,  
That he should bend so low;  
And, Mary, O what joy was thine  
The Saviour's love to know.

4 Joy to be Mother of the Lord,  
Yet thine the truer bliss,  
In every thought and deed and word  
To be for ever his.

5 Now in the realm of life above  
Close to thy Son thou art,  
While on thy soul glad streams of love  
Flow from his sacred heart.

6 Jesu, the Virgin's holy Son,  
Praise we thy Mother blest;  
Grant when our earthly course is run,  
Life with the saints at rest.

## THE HOLY GOSPEL *John 15:1-8*

### SERMON

*The Congregation stands for the Creed.*

### NICENE CREED

*The Congregation kneels for the Prayers.*

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

THE PEACE *The people may greet one another in the Name of the Lord with a bow or wave.*

### INTENTIONS OF THE MASS

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Mr. Paul Smith

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*Josquin des Prez (1455-1521)*

*Ave Maria, Gratia plena, Dominus tecum, Virgo serena.  
Ave, cuius Conceptio, Solemni plena gaudio,  
Caelestia, Terrestria, Nova replet laetitia.  
Ave, cuius Nativitas Nostra fuit solemnitas,  
Ut lucifer lux oriens, Verum solem praeveniens.  
Ave pia humilitas, Sine viro fecunditas,  
Cuius Annuntiatio, Nostra fuit salvatio.  
Ave vera virginitas, Immaculata castitas,  
Cuius Purificatio, Nostra fuit purgatio.  
Ave, praeclara omnibus, Angelicis virtutibus,  
Cuius fuit Assumptio, Nostra fuit glorificatio.  
O Mater Dei, Memento mei. Amen*

*Hail Mary, full of grace, The Lord is with thee, serene Virgin.  
Hail, thou whose Conception, Full of great joy,  
Fills heaven and earth, With new gladness.  
Hail, thou whose Nativity, Became our great celebration,  
As the light-bearing Morning Star, anticipates the true Sun.  
Hail, faithful humility, Fruitful without man,  
Whose Annunciation, Was our salvation.  
Hail, true virginity, Immaculate chastity,  
Whose Purification Was our cleansing.  
Hail, glorious one In all angelic virtues,  
Whose Assumption Was our glorification.  
O Mother of God, Remember me. Amen.*

*The Congregation stands for the Hymn through the Benedictus.*

1 Hail! ho - ly Queen en - throned a - bove, O Ma - ri - a!  
 2 Our life, our sweet-ness here be - low, O Ma - ri - a!  
 3 To thee we cry, poor sons of Eve, O Ma - ri - a!  
 4 This earth is but a vale of tears, O Ma - ri - a!

Hail! Mother of mer - cy and of love, O Ma - ri - a!  
 Our hope in sor - row and in woe, O Ma - ri - a!  
 To thee we sigh, we mourn, we grieve, O Ma - ri - a!  
 A place of ban - ish - ment, of fears, O Ma - ri - a!

*Refrain*

Tri - umph, all ye cher - u - bim, Sing with us, ye

ser - a - phim. Heav'n and earth re - sound the hymn.

Sal - ve, sal - ve, sal - ve Re - gi - na!

SURSUM CORDA *Hymnal 734*

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS QUI VENIT *Hymnal 711/797: Willan*

*The Congregation kneels for the Canon of the Mass.*

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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THE LORD'S PRAYER *Hymnal 722*

AGNUS DEI *Hymnal 712: Willan*

PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

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COMMUNION *Cantate Domino*

*O sing unto the Lord, alleluia: sing unto the Lord and praise his name;  
be telling of his salvation from day to day, alleluia, alleluia.*

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

HYMN

*Hanover*



In splendour arrayed,  
In vesture of gold,  
The Mother of God  
In glory behold!  
O Daughter of David,  
Thou dwellest on high,  
Excelling in brightness  
The hosts of the sky.

2 O Maiden thou art  
A Mother renowned;  
A Mother who yet  
As Virgin art crowned;  
The Lord of the Angels,  
God high and supreme,  
Took flesh of thy substance,  
The world to redeem.

3 All kindreds and tongues  
Thine Offspring adore,  
Creation must bow  
His footstool before;  
At thy gentle pleadings  
May he from his height  
Disperse all our shadows  
And fill us with light.

4 The Father we praise,  
Who chose for his Son  
A Mother all-pure,  
Th'immaculate one.  
All praise to her offspring  
Who saveth our race;  
Like praise to the Spirit,  
Who filled her with grace. Amen.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

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## PROCESSION & CROWNING

Let us proceed in peace.  
In the Name of Christ. Amen

*Daily, Daily*



1. Ye who own the faith of Je - sus Sing the  
2. Bles - sed were the cho - sen peo - ple Out of  
3. Where - fore let all faith - ful peo - ple Tell the



won - ders that were done, When the love of God the  
whom the Lord did come, Bles - sed was the land of  
hon - our of her name, Let the Church in her fore-



Fa - ther O'er our sin the vic - tory won,  
prom - ise Fash - ioned for his earth - ly home;  
- shad - owed Part in her thanks - gi - ving claim;



When he made the Vir - gin Ma - ry Mo - ther  
But more bles - sed far the Mo - ther She who  
What Christ's Mo - ther sang in glad - ness Let Christ's



of his on - ly Son. Hail Ma - ry, hail  
bare him in her womb.  
peo - ple sing the same.



Ma - ry, hail — Ma - ry, full of grace.

## STATION AT THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY

Vouchsafe that we may praise thee, O sacred Virgin, alleluia.  
Give us strength against thine enemies, alleluia.

Let us pray.

**O** Lord Jesus Christ, who upon the cross didst give us unto thy Mother to be her children, that we might find in her our refuge, our solace and our hope; look graciously upon us, that acknowledging the dignity of this holy Virgin, we may honour and venerate her with all affection of devotion, and own her as Queen and Mother; may her name be lisped by children, and linger on the lips of the dying, may it be invoked by the afflicted and hymned by the joyful, that she being our guide and protection, our Star of the sea, all may come to the harbour of eternal salvation; who livest and reignest, world without end. *Amen.*

HYMN

*Daily, Daily*

4

Let us weave our supplications,  
She with us and we with her,  
For the advancement of the faithful,  
For each faithful worshipper,  
For the doubting, for the sinful,  
For each heedless wanderer.

5\*

May the Mother's intercessions  
On our homes a blessing win,  
That the children all be prospered,  
Strong and fair and pure within,  
Following our Lord's own footsteps,  
Firm in faith and free from sin.

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For the sick and for the aged,  
For our dear ones far away,  
For the hearts that mourn in secret,  
All who need our prayers today,  
For the faithful gone before us,  
May the holy Virgin pray.

7

Praise, O Mary, praise the Father,  
Praise thy Saviour and thy Son,  
Praise the everlasting Spirit,  
Who hath made thee ark and throne;  
O'er all creatures high exalted,  
Lowly praise the Three in One.

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.  
**For the Lord hath arisen indeed, alleluia.**

Let us pray.

**O** God, who through the resurrection of thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ didst vouchsafe to give joy to the world: grant, we beseech thee, that through his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

ORGAN *Improvisation on 'Daily, Daily'*

## PRAYERS & DEDICATIONS

*The flowers that decorate the church this week are given in loving memory of Carl Fritz, Christine Young, Laura Fritz, George Zahorsky, Gwen Chilton Piazza, Charles H. & Annie R. Chilton, Kenneth B. Dennis, Bette J. Schweder, Phyllis Archer, and Loila Pierce.*



### **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

***the sick:*** Kimberlee McCafferty, Jeffrey McCafferty, Kevin Kintner, Anna Sury, Mark Goldstein, Roseann Walder, Joyce Venis, Roger Kafer, Dave Mohr, Fran Sutter, Christine Nicosia, Douglas Tootell, Christine Fritz, Theresa Abitz, Robert Abitz, Walt Fell, Ellen Murphy, Stephanie Ackert, Marc Mercantini, Harry Vale, James Tucker, Jacob Bonser, Patricia Dixon, Christiana Carty, Joseph Carson III, Darrell Vigh, Karen Kwietnieski-Casais, Earl Reading, Reagon Condron, Russell Childs, Lisa Jones, Patty MacAllister, Scott O'Brien, John Miosz, Mary Koch, Sava Nedic, Aimee Kurtis, Walter Easley, Frank Corbo, Josephine Corbo, Kathy Gabel, John Haney, Sharon Kedzierski, Marcus Behrsin, Sean Higgins, Kathy Buckland, Daryl Albury, Val Jackson, Bruce Smith, Alexander Ounjian, Dennis Russell, Michele Hartpence, Renee Formica, and Alexandra Mckallagat.

***and those who have long term illnesses:*** Caroline Tucker, Donna Fritz, Carl Hasson, Stephen Vigh, Mark Casais, Dixon Leavers, Dawn Matthews, Lucy Janicelli, Zachary Birnbaum, Shelly Eberhart, Robert Geneski, Maureen Rees, Gary Rutherford, Charles Martin, Alice Ward Carriger, Ryan Murray, Justin McCafferty, Zachary McCafferty, Kelly Bergen, Hannah McNinch, The Rev. Ted Anderson, R. Loraine Burke, Mackenzie Sutter, Daniel Applegate, Jennifer Vigh, Jim Tranter, Jonathan Okeson, Mary Dallmann, Bob Bernard, Pat Temple, Danielle Morgan, Jai Autar, Emma Burris, Gloria Jones, Kelley Gilger, Emma Carver, Lori Forenson, Michael Chahanovich, Rita Haney, Sue Kelly, Sister Angela, Sister Gussie, Dee Watkins, Marge Lee, Michael Slaper, Robert Fritz, Lynn Muller, Holly Jones, Irene Fithian, Cheryl Kranz Bach, Brianne Nicosia, Frank Clebock, Ron Clebock, Jennifer Millar, and Kelly Zsenak.

***and for those in military service:*** Ben Skarzynski, USMC; Chris Neal, USN; Jacob Foerter; USAFR; Samuel Manion, USA; Nickolas George USMC, Kevin Preston USAR.

***celebrating a birthday this week:*** Julianna Blake, Janet Atkinson, Gary Glicker, and Donna Lundeen.

*Anyone may contact the office with names of those who are ill and/or hospitalized for inclusion in our prayers. Names will remain on the list for a maximum of four weeks unless we are notified that they should remain for a longer period.*

*If you would like to include loved ones in the Altar Flower or Sacramental Candle dedications, please contact the Church Office. The donation for flowers is \$50; the donation for the Sacramental candle is \$10.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CHORAL EVENSONG:** A service of Choral Evensong will take place on Sunday, May 21, at 4pm. Plan on joining us for an evening of beautiful worship.

**GIRLS FRIENDLY SOCIETY:** May 19, 7pm. Come meet USAF CMSgt. Marguerite Hellwich (Ret.) to learn about women in the military and the meaning of Memorial Day. We'll be creating tissue paper poppies!

**IS THERE A GRADUATE IN THE FAMILY?** If so, please phone or email the parish office as soon as possible and no later than **Sunday, May 31** with the name and school (and degree, if applicable). We want to recognize and remember in prayer on **Sunday, June 4**, all members of the parish who are graduating from either high school or college.

**ASCENSION DAY MASS:** Join us on **Thursday, May 18 at 10:00 a.m.** to celebrate the Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**JOIN US ON MEMORIAL DAY,** May 29 at 12:10 for a Low Mass in the Lady Chapel to remember and pray for all those who gave their lives in service to our country.

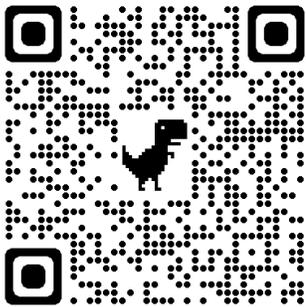
**OUTREACH REPORT:** In the month of April, over 390 meals were prepared by our parish for those in need in our community. Our Soles4Souls ministry received hundreds of pairs of shoes in April, and we hosted the Kiwanis Dress for Success clothing drive.

**COFFEE HOUR SIGNUPS:** A sign-up sheet for hosting Coffee Hour has been posted on the bulletin board by the Office. Many thanks to those who have already signed up to host!

**BLESSING BOX:** Donations of travel-sized items such as toothpaste, deodorant, baby powder, razors and shaving cream, soap, hand sanitizer, and the like are always needed and can be placed in the basket in the back of the church. Please contact Donna Kirk at the Parish office 298-2348 or email [office@ccbtown.com](mailto:office@ccbtown.com) with any questions.

**SOLES4SOULS:** Our shoe drive continues to bring in a wonderful amount of shoes for those in need. Keep this in mind during your winter cleaning of unwanted/unused shoes you may want to donate. Thank you!

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A Parish of the Episcopal Church



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## Schedule for the Week following 14 May

### Sunday, 14 May

#### *The Sixth Sunday of Easter*

8:00 a.m. Low Mass  
10:00 a.m. Sung Mass  
11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour  
7:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting

### Monday, 15 May

#### *Feria*

*Church office closed*

### Tuesday, 16 May

#### *Feria*

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
12:10 p.m. Low Mass

### Wednesday, 17 May

#### *Feria*

No Services  
8:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting

### Thursday, 18 May

#### *Ascension Day*

10:00 a.m. Low Mass w. Anointing

### Friday, 19 May

#### *Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury, 988*

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer  
12:10 a.m. Low Mass

### Saturday, 20 May

#### *Alcuin, Deacon, and Abbot of Tours, 804*

5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass

### Sunday, 21 May

#### *The Seventh Sunday of Easter*

8:00 a.m. Low Mass  
9:00 a.m. Homefront Meal Prep.  
10:00 a.m. Sung Mass w. Holy Baptism  
11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour  
4:00 p.m. Evensong  
7:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting