

CHRIST CHURCH PARISH

BORDENTOWN, NJ



THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

12 MARCH 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.



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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R. <i>And let light perpetual shine upon them.</i>	
V. ☩May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in the peace. <i>Amen.</i>	
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10:00 A.M. SUNG MASS

The page numbers refer to pages in the red 1979 Book of Common Prayer found in your pew. Hymns can be found in the blue Hymnal 1940.

AT THE ENTRANCE: THE GREAT LITANY

The Congregation joins the choir in the responses.

PROPER COLLECT

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The Congregation is seated for the Lesson and Psalm.

LESSON *Exodus 17:1-7*

PSALM 95:6-11 *Venite, exultemus*

Plainchant Tone III A1



6 O come let us · worship and fall down, * and kneel before the ·
LORD our Maker.

7 For · he is the Lord our God; * and we are the people of his pas-
ture and the · sheep of his hand.

8 To-day if ye will hear his voice · harden not your hearts * as in
the provocation and as in the day of temptation · in the wilderness;

9 When your · fathers tempted me, * prov-ed · me and saw my
works.

10 Forty years long was I griev-ed with this gener-ation and said, * It
is a people that do err in their hearts for they · have not known my ways:

11 Unto whom I · sware in my wrath, * that they should not enter ·
into my rest.

EPISTLE *Romans 5:1-11*

The Congregation stands for Sequence Hymn and the Gospel.

HYMN 450 *As pants the hart for cooling streams*

Martyrdom

THE HOLY GOSPEL *John 4:5-26 (27-38) 39-42*

SERMON

Fr. Tucker

The Congregation stands for the Creed.

NICENE CREED

M. M. (♩ = 111)

(Choir and Congregation)

(Priest)

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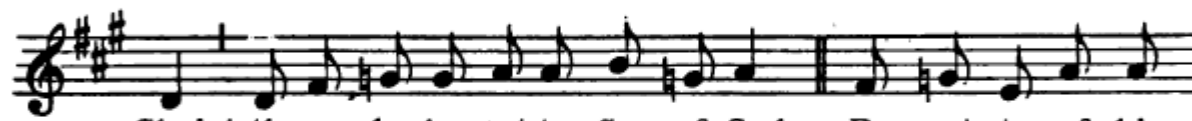
I be-lieve in one God † the Fa-ther Al-migh-ty,



Ma-ker of heav-en and earth, And of all things vi - si -



ble and in - vi - si - ble: And in one Lord Je - sus



Christ, the on - ly - be - got - ten Son of God; Be - got - ten of his



Fa-ther be - fore all worlds, God of God, Light of Light,



Ver - y God of Ver - y God; Be - got - ten, not made; Be - ing of one



sub - stance with the Fa - ther; By whom all things were made:



Who for us men and for our sal - va - tion came down from heav - en,



And was in - car - nate by the Ho - ly Ghost of the Vir - gin Ma - ry,



And was made man: And was cru - ci - fi - ed

al - so for us un - der Pon - tius Pi - late: He suf - fer - ed

rit. poco **Tempo primo**
mf *f*
and was bu - ri - ed: And the third day he rose a -

gain ac - cord - ing to the Scrip - tures: And as - cend - ed in - to

heav - en, And sit - teth on the right hand of the Fa - ther:

And he shall come a - gain, with glo - ry, to judge both the

quick and the dead, Whose king - dom shall have no end.

And I be - lieve in the Ho - ly Ghost, the Lord, and

Giv - er of Life, Who pro - ceed - eth from the Fa - ther and the Son;

Who with the Fa - ther and the Son to - geth - er is

f
wor - ship - ped and glo - ri - fi - ed; Who spake by the pro - phets:

And I be-lieve One Ho-ly Cath-o - lic and A-pos-tol-ic Church
 I ac-know-ledge one Bap-tism for the re-mis-sion of sins:
cresc. poco a poco
 And I look for the Re-sur-rec-tion of the dead:
al fine rit. f
 And the Life_ of the world_ to come.
f a tempo rit.
 A - - - - - men.

The Congregation kneels for the Confession.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

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

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INTENTIONS OF THE MASS

OFFERTORY

Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

*Like as the hart desireth the waterbrooks, so longeth my soul after Thee, O God.
 My soul is a thirst for God, yea, even for the living God. When shall I come to appear before God?
 My tears have been my meat day and night, while they daily say unto me. Where is now thy God?
 Like as the hart...When shall I come to appear before the presence of God?*

Text: Psalm 42, verse 1-3

The Congregation stands for the Hymn through the Benedictus.



ALL ye who seek a comfort sure
 In trouble and distress,
 Whatever sorrow vex the mind,
 Or guilt the soul oppress,

- 2 Jesus, who gave himself for you
 Upon the cross to die,
 Opens to you his sacred heart;
 O to that heart draw nigh.
- 3 Ye hear how kindly he invites;
 Ye hear his words so blest—
 'All ye that labour come to me,
 And I will give you rest.'
- 4 O Jesus, joy of saints on high,
 Thou hope of sinners here,
 Attracted by those loving words
 To thee I lift my prayer.
- 5 Wash thou my wounds in that dear blood
 Which forth from thee doth flow;
 New grace, new hope inspire, a new
 And better heart bestow.

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS QUI VENIT

Missa Marialis

(Cantor:) *f* HO - LY, *mf* HO - LY, HO - LY, *f* HO - LY, -
f Lord God of hosts, Hea - ven and *mf*
earth are full of thy glo - ry: Glo-ry- be to- thee,
mf O Lord Most High.
p Bless - ed is - he that com - eth in the Name
p of the Lord. Ho -
f san - na in the high *p* - *pp* est.

The Congregation kneels for the Canon of the Mass.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER *Hymnal 722*



(Cantor:) *p* O Lamb of God, *All:* that ta - kest a-way the
sins of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.
p O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a-way the sins
of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.
O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a-way the
sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

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COMMUNION *Passer invénit*

The sparrow hath found her an house, and the swallow a nest, where she may lay her young: even thy altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God; blessed are they that dwell in thy house: they will be alway praising thee.

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

HYMN 213 *Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless*

Saint Agnes

The Congregation kneels through the Dismissal.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

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BLESSING

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DISMISSAL

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The Congregation stands for the Last Gospel.

THE LAST GOSPEL

V. The beginning of the Holy Gospel according to John.

R. Glory be to thee, O Lord.

...full of grace and truth. **R. Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 385 *Glorious things of thee are spoken*

Austria

ORGAN *Prelude and Fugue in C major*

Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

PRAYERS & DEDICATIONS

*The flowers that decorate the church this week are given in loving memory of
Marion Manthey, Rhea Arthur Preston and Aileen Preston.*

The Fritz-Weitzel Sacramental Candle in the Lady Chapel is given in loving memory of Christine M. Young.

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REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

the sick: Dr. David Addis, 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, Sarah Talpis, 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, Brianna 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: Patricia Varga, Deborah Brown, Jaylee Rodriguez, Joseph Malone IV, Seraphina Howard, and Lucia Howard.

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

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be offered every Friday at 6 p.m. The Christ Church Stations are beautiful and haunting, and they serve to remind us of the sacrifice Jesus made on our behalf. Remember that each one of us can walk the Stations on our own as well, in private devotion. Please plan on joining us.

FILL FATHER MATT'S TRUCK FOR EASTER: Christ Church, Hope Hose Humane Fire Company #1, and Old Town Pub are partnering to help those in need this Easter. We'll be at Old Town Pub on **March 28th from 5pm to 8pm**, collecting the items published in the Angelus and on our other platforms. Join us!

GIVING STATEMENTS 2022: Giving statements are ready and available upon request. Please contact the church office through email, office@ccbtown.com or by phone 609-298-2348 and we will be happy to send a copy to you.

BORDENTOWN 5K WATER STATION: Our parish will once again have a water station on **Saturday, March 18** set up in front of the church. We need volunteers to fill cups and pass them out to thirsty runners. Please let Fr. Matt know if you can help minister to the runners.

HOLY WEEK DEVOTIONS: Signup sheets for the Maundy Thursday Foot Washing and Vigil can be found on the table outside the Parish Office. Please consider participating in these important devotions to our Lord Jesus Christ.

ADDITIONAL EASTER MEMORIAL flower and greens envelopes are available on the entrance table in the church. All flower offering envelopes, with the full names of those you wish remembered, must be returned **no later than March 31st** to ensure listing in the Easter Memorial Booklet.

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 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!

MAKE YOUR OFFERING online using the code below:



Holy Week Schedule

4/1 – The Vigil of Palm Sunday

5:30pm Vigil Mass w. Blessing of the Palms

4/2 - Palm Sunday

8:00am Low Mass w. Blessing of the Palms

10:00am Sung Mass w. Blessing of the Palms

4/3 – Holy Monday

12:10pm Low Mass

4/4 – Holy Tuesday

12:10pm Low Mass

4/5 – Holy Wednesday

6:30pm Rosary and Low Mass

4/6 - Maundy Thursday

10:00am Low Mass w. Anointing for Healing

7:00pm Sung Mass w. the Maundy, the Stripping of the Altars, and Vigil

4/7 - Good Friday

12:10pm Good Friday Solemnities & Mass of the Presanctified

6:30pm Stations of the Cross

7:00pm Sung Solemnities & Mass of the Presanctified

4/8 - Holy Saturday

9:00am Altar Service

8:00pm The Great Vigil of Easter

4/9 - Easter Sunday

8:00am Low Mass of Easter

8:55am Church School Easter Event

10:00am Sung Mass of Easter

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A Parish of the Episcopal Church



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Schedule for the Week following 12 March

Sunday, 12 March

The Third Sunday in Lent

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

10:00 a.m. Sung Mass

7:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting

Monday, 13 March

Lenten Feria

Church office closed

Tuesday, 14 March

Lenten Feria

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

12:10 p.m. Low Mass

7:30 p.m. Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, 15 March

Lenten Feria

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

6:30 p.m. Rosary

6:50 p.m. Low Mass

8:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting

Thursday, 16 March

Lenten Feria

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

Friday, 17 March

Patrick, Bishop and Missionary of Ireland, 461

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

12:10 a.m. Low Mass

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, 18 March

Cyril, Bishop and Missionary of Ireland, 461

5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass

Sunday, 19 March

The Fourth Sunday in Lent

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

8:45 a.m. Homefront Meal Preparation

10:00 a.m. Sung Mass

7:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting