

# CHRIST CHURCH PARISH

BORDENTOWN, NJ



## THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

**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

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ORGAN *Dialouge sur les Grands Jeux*

Nicolas DeGrigny (1671-1703)

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COLLECT FOR PURITY AND SUMMARY OF THE LAW

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KYRIE ELEISON

L. J. White

2

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son,

7

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son, Chris - te e - le - i - son,

13

Chris - te e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son,

19

2

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff begins with a repeat sign and a '2' above it. The lyrics are: 'Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son,'. The second staff begins with a '7' and a repeat sign. The lyrics are: 'Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son, Chris - te e - le - i - son,'. The third staff begins with a '13' and a repeat sign. The lyrics are: 'Chris - te e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son,'. The fourth staff begins with a '19' and a repeat sign. The lyrics are: 'Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.' The score ends with a double bar line and a '2' above it.

# GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO

White

And on earth peace, good - will towards men. We

praise thee, we bless thee, we wor - ship thee, we glo - ri - fy thee,

we give thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry. O Lord God,

heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - migh - ty.

O Lord, the on - ly be - got - ten Son Je - sus Christ; O Lord God,

Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, that tak - est a - way the sins of the world, have

mer - cy up - on us. Thou that tak - est a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -

on us. Thou that tak - est a - way the sins of the world, re - ceive our prayer. Thou that

sit - test at the right hand of God the Fa - ther, have mer - cy up - on

us. For Thou on - ly art Ho - ly; thou on - ly art the

Lord; thou on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, art most high

in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - - - - - men.

PROPER COLLECT (Proper 20)

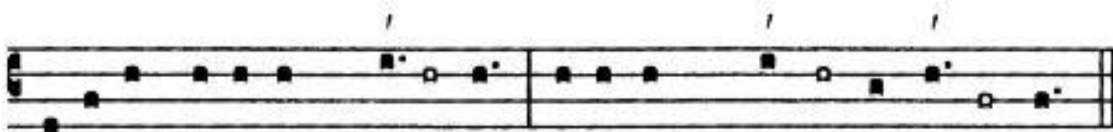
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*The Congregation is seated for the Lesson and Psalm.*

LESSON *Jonah 3:10-4:11*

PSALM 145 *Exaltabo te Deus*

Tone V 1



**I** WILL magnify thee O God my • King; \* and I will praise thy Name  
for • ever and ever.

2 Every day will I give thanks unto • thee; \* and praise thy Name  
for • ever and ever.

3 Great is the LORD and marvellous worthy to be • prais-ed; \*  
there is no • end of his greatness.

4 One generation shall praise thy works unto an•other \* and  
de•clare thy pow-er.

5 As for me I will be talking of thy • worship, \* thy glory, thy •  
praise, and wondrous works;

6 So that men shall speak of the might of thy marvellous • acts; \*  
and I will also • tell of thy greatness.

7 The memorial of thine abundant kindness shall be • show-ed; \*  
and men shall • sing of thy righteousness.

8 The LORD is gracious and • merciful; \* long-suffering • and of  
great goodness.

EPISTLE *Philippians 1:21-27*

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

HYMN 304 *There's a wideness in God's mercy*

*Beecher*

THE HOLY GOSPEL *Matthew 20:1-16*

SERMON

Fr. Tucker

*The Congregation stands for the Creed.*

NICENE CREED

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*The Congregation kneels for the Prayers.*

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THE PEACE *The people may greet one another in the Name of the Lord with a bow or wave.* p. 332

OFFERTORY

Hans Leo Hassler (1564-1612)

*Cantate Domino, canticum novum: cantate Domino omnis terra.  
Cantate Domino, et benedicite nomini eius: annuntiate de die in diem salutare eius.  
Annuntiate inter gentes gloriam eius, in omnibus populis mirabilia eius.*

Text: Psalm 96:1,2,3

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

HYMN 280 *God, my King, thy might confessing*

Stuttgart

SURSUM CORDA *Hymnal 734*

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS QUI VENIT

White

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of hosts,  
heav'n and earth are full of thy glo-ry; Glo - ry be to thee, O Lord most High.  
Bless-ed is He that com-eth in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na, Ho -  
san - na in the high - est.

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in G major (one flat) and 4/4 time. It consists of three systems of music. The first system has 6 measures, the second has 7 measures, and the third has 6 measures. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words split across measures. The score ends with a double bar line.

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

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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THE LORD'S PRAYER *Hymnal 722*

# AGNUS DEI

White

O Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sins of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sins of the world. Grant us Thy peace.

## PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

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### COMMUNION *Vovête, et réddite*

*Make good your promises to the Lord your God; all you who gather around him with gifts, around him who is to be feared, who taketh away the life of princes, who puts fear into all the kings of the earth.*

## THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

HYMN 201 *Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands That holy things have taken*

Malabar

*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 276 *Now thank we all our God*

Nun Danket

ORGAN *Minuette and Gavotte from Organ Concerto in g minor*

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

# PRAYERS & DEDICATIONS

*The flowers that decorate the church this week are given in loving memory of  
John F. and Jacqueline K. Carty, John and Charlotte Markle,  
Walter H. and Mildred Weitzel, and Carl Fritz.*



## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

***the sick:*** Ryan Wiese, Amelia Sciortino, Kimberlee McCafferty, Jeffrey McCafferty, Kevin Kintner, Anna Sury, Mark Goldstein, Roseann Walder, Joyce Venis, 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:*** Barbara Sury, Paul Sootkoos, 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:*** Melissa Kotor, Andrew R. Zalescik, Ryan Waetzman, and Sherri Subramani

***celebrating an anniversary of their nuptials:*** Shannon & Jeffrey Foster

*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

***SPAGHETTI DINNER:*** Join us this **Saturday, September 30th at 6pm** for spaghetti and fun! The Youth Group invites everyone to come kick off the fall season in style. A free-will offering will be taken.

***CRANBERRY FESTIVAL:*** One of the most popular festivals in Bordentown, the annual Cranberry Festival, is **October 7 & 8**. This festival has been quite a successful fundraiser for our Parish. Volunteers are needed to set-up, staff our booth, and create homemade goods for sale. Please look at the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the church office for details. Please consider joining us in this fun community event.

***BLESSING OF THE FIRETRUCKS:*** The Annual Blessing of the Fire Trucks will take place on **Saturday, October 14, at 4:30pm**. As usual, the Mass will be preceded by a time to learn about fire prevention and some family fun. As in the past, the barbecue will be open to everyone at no charge, and we will collect a free will offering and run a 50/50 at the event, with all proceeds to be split evenly between Consolidated Fire Association and Hope Hose Humane #1. Please join us.

***CHOIR FUNDRAISING:*** A new season of choir fund raising has begun. All parishioners should have received a letter explaining the purpose for the fund drive. The goal is to meet last year's totals, thereby ensuring a full choir year coverage. We thank you for all those who participated and it is our intent that our choir met or exceeded your expectations. Please consider using the choir envelopes that are available at the back of the church. Any questions or comments furthering the Choir ministry be directed to Stephen Bearse.

***OUR PARISH CHOIR*** will once again be hosting an evening of hymns and anthems on **Friday October 27, at 7 p.m.** Save the date for this wonderful and popular event. More information to follow.

***MAKE YOUR OFFERING*** online using the code below:



### ***SOME UPCOMING EVENTS:***

September 17, 8:45am: Acolyte Practice & Coffee Hour

September 30, 6pm: Youth Group Spaghetti Dinner

October 1, 9:15am: Blessing of the Animals

October 7 and 8: Cranberry Festival

October 14, 5pm: Blessing of the Fire Trucks

October 27, 7pm: Hymn Sing

# CHRIST CHURCH PARISH

A Parish of the Episcopal Church



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## Schedule for the Week following 24 September

### Sunday, 24 September

*The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost*

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

10:00 a.m. Sung Mass

10:00 a.m. Mum Sale

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

### Monday, 25 September

*Sergius, Abbot of Holy Trinity, Moscow, 1392*

*Church office closed*

### Tuesday, 26 September

*Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop of Winchester, 1626*

12:10 p.m. Low Mass

### Wednesday, 27 September

*Vincent de Paul, Priest, 1660*

6:00 p.m. A.A. Meeting

6:30 p.m. Rosary & Low Mass

### Thursday, 28 September

*Wenceslaus, Duke of Bohemia and Martyr, 929*

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

### Friday, 29 September

*Saint Michael and All Angels*

12:10 p.m. Low Mass

7:00 p.m. Girls Friendly Society Meeting

### Saturday, 30 September

*Jerome, Priest and Monk of Bethlehem, 420*

5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass

6:00 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner

### Sunday, 1 October

*The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

9:15 a.m. Blessing of the Animals

10:00 a.m. Sung Mass

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

