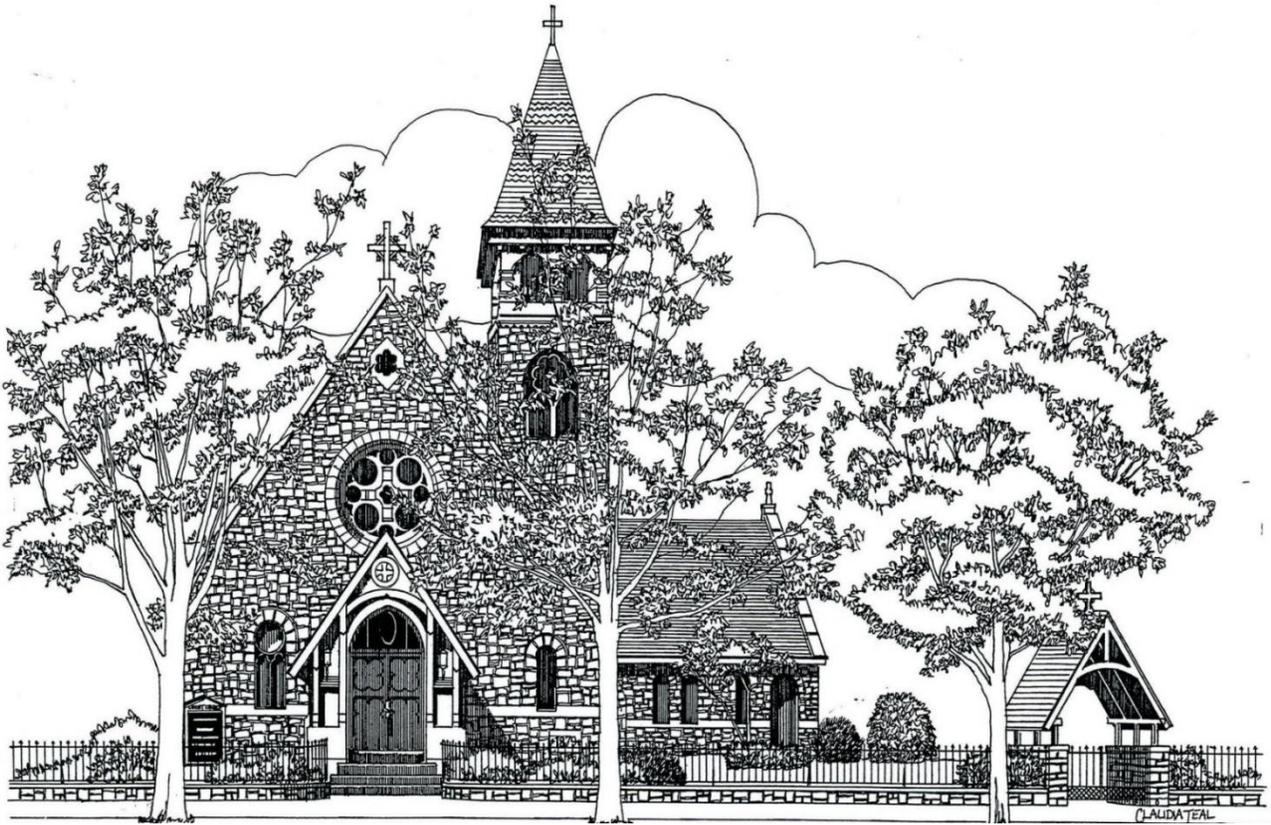


CHRIST CHURCH PARISH

BORDENTOWN, NJ



THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

12 SEPTEMBER 2021

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.



8:00 A.M. LOW MASS

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1 Take up your cross, the Sa - vior said, if
 2 Take up your cross, let not its weight fill
 3 Take up your cross, heed not the shame, and
 4 Take up your cross, then, in his strength, and
 5 Take up your cross, and fol - low Christ, nor



1 you would my dis - ci - ple be; take up your cross with
 2 your weak spi - rit with a - larm; his strength shall bear your
 3 let your fool - ish heart be still; the Lord for you ac -
 4 calm - ly ev - ery dan - ger brave: it guides you to a -
 5 think till death to lay it down; for on - ly those who



1 will - ing heart, and hum - bly fol - low af - ter me.
 2 spi - rit up, and brace your heart, and nerve your arm.
 3 cept - ed death up - on a cross, on Cal - vary's hill.
 4 bun - dant life and leads to vic - tory o'er the grave.
 5 bear the cross may hope to wear the glo - rious crown.

THE HOLY GOSPEL *Mark 8:27-38*

SERMON

The Congregation stands for the Creed.

NICENE CREED

The Congregation kneels for the Prayers.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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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

V. Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord

R. *And let light perpetual shine upon them.*

V. ☩ May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in the peace. **Amen.**

OFFERTORY

HYMN 396 *The Church's one foundation*

Aurelia

THE MASS OF THE FAITHFUL

The Congregation stands for the Sursum corda.

SURSUM CORDA *Hymnal 734*

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

The Congregation kneels for the Canon of the Mass.

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COMMUNION — *Dómine, memorábor*

O Lord, I will make mention of thy righteousness only: thou, O God, hast taught me from my youth up until now: forsake me not, O God, in mine old age, when I am gray-headed.

ECCE ANGUS DEI

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

The Congregation kneels through the Dismissal.

HYMN 566 *Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult*

Galilee

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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.***

Descant



Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim

Refrain



Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim



till all the world a - dore _____ his sa - cred Name.



till all the world _____ a - dore _____ his sa - cred Name.



1 Led on their way by this tri - um - phant sign,
 2 Each new - born ser - vant of the Cru - ci - fied
 3 O Lord, once lift - ed on the glo - rious tree,
 4 So shall our song of tri - umph ev - er be:



Repeat Refrain



the hosts of God in con - quering ranks com - bine.
 bears on the brow the seal of him who died.
 as thou hast prom - ised, draw the world to thee.
 praise to the Cru - ci - fied for vic - to - ry.



PRAYERS & DEDICATIONS

The flowers that decorate the church this week are given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving by Dr. David Addis and family.

The Fritz-Weitzel Sacramental Candle in the Lady Chapel is given in honor of our emergency personnel

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

the sick Jacob Bonser, Patricia Dixon, Christiana Carty, Joseph Carson III, Darrell Vigh, Karen Kwietnieski-Casais, Earl Reading, Fran Sutter, 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, Alanna Bellflower, John Haney, Sharon Kedzierski, Marcus Behrsin, Sean Higgins, Howard Dreskin, Kathy Buckland, Daryl Albury, Val Jackson, Bruce Smith, Sarah Talpis, Alexander Ounjian, Dennis Russell, Michele Hartpence, Renee Formica, and Kevin Preston.

and those who have long term illnesses: Donna Fritz, Carl Hasson, Patrick Moscatiello, 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, Carla Douglas, 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, Maria Stout, 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, Brian Nguyen, Brianne Nicosia, Sister Pat, Carl Hasson, Susan Sizetz, Frank Clebock, Ron Clebock, Jennifer Millar, Kelly Zsenak, Robert Burke, and Alexandra McKallagat.

for the dead: Maryann Pullen

and for those in military service: Ben Skarzynski, USMC; Chris Neal, USN; Jacob Foerter; USAFR; Samuel Manion, USA.

celebrating a birthday this week: Wyatt Million, Natasha Graver, Doan Tucker, Ivan Sopko, Janet Moscatiello, Madelyn Malone, Fiona Guyer, Jennifer Dalton, Andrew T. Zalescik, William Mesa, and Kenneth Hartmann.

celebrating an anniversary of their nuptials: Gary & Suzanne Wheelock, Richard & Andrea Jones, Mark & Wendy Goldstein, and James & Janet Atkinson.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUTREACH REPORT: Last Friday, we dropped off school supplies for students in need. Another drop off will be made to the local shelters for women and children. Special thanks to Team85 Fitness & Wellness for their donation of 115 backpacks filled with supplies! We're so grateful to be able to work with First Baptist Bordentown in so many outreach projects. Prayers for our students and teachers for a fun and safe year.

SPECIAL PARISH MEETING: Following the announcement of Bishop Stokes' retirement (June 2023), a special Parish Meeting has been called for Sunday, September 26, at 11:30am. We will elect delegates who will attend a special Convocation meeting on October 24, at which one clergyperson and one layperson will be elected to the Search Committee for a new bishop. Both meetings will be conducted via Zoom; information for ours has been sent via the Angelus and will be resent prior to the meeting. Please plan on attending.

CHRIST CHURCH MUSIC MINISTRY: As we ease out of Covid-19 related restrictions, we are beginning to plan the resumption of our music program. Much of the 2020/21 choir year was lost due to the restrictions. While the parish has resumed public worship, we are aligning the return date for our choir ministries with CDC guidelines and the diocesan COVID policy. We will begin the choir year as soon as we are cleared to do so. As always, the goal of this ministry is to help lift our praise and worship to the greater glory of God and for the edification of God's people, and it takes money, time, and effort to continue maintaining our excellent organ and traditional Anglican choral program. Music giving envelopes were mailed to all parishioners on our mailing list and can also be found on the table across from the Baptismal Font. For additional comments or information contact our Organist and Choirmaster Stephen Bearse.

THE ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS will be held on **Sunday, October 3 at 9:15 a.m.** on the front church lawn. Everyone is encouraged to attend with or without an animal. Since 1992, this beloved tradition has drawn people from our parish membership as well as the community at large. It is traditionally held on the Sunday nearest the Fest of Saint Francis, who is remembered in part, for his concern for all of God's creation, "all creatures great and small."

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 back of the church. Please contact Donna Kirk at the Parish office 298-2348 or email office@ccbtown.com with any questions.

PLEDGES AND GIVING: Please remember your pledges and weekly giving, even in this time of crisis. Envelopes can be mailed to the church or slipped through the Rectory mail slot. Also consider online giving, which is convenient and socially distant. You can find the page for online giving under the donation link on our website. Thank you for remembering your church!

NEWBORNS IN NEED: Baby clothes, diapers, wipes, baby shampoo, and other items are currently being collected for Newborns in Need. Items can be placed in the white donation bin outside of our church office entrance at the end of the handicap rail. Please let Doan know after you have dropped off the items so we can bring them into the church. We will be making monthly deliveries to the Burlington County Chapter location in Mt. Holly, NJ. Thank you!

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A Parish of the Episcopal Church



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Schedule for the Week of 12 September

Sunday, 12 September

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 a.m. Low Mass
9:30 a.m. Sung Mass
7:00 p.m. AA Group

Monday, 13 September

Cyprian, Bishop and Martyr of Carthage, 258

Tuesday, 14 September

Holy Cross Day

7:30 p.m. Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, 15 September

Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 p.m. AA Group

Thursday, 16 September

Ninian, Bishop in Galloway, C. 430

10:00 a.m. Low Mass

Friday, 17 September

Hildegard of Bingen, 1179

Saturday, 18 September

Edward Bouverie Pusey, Priest, 1882

5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass

Sunday, 19 September

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 a.m. Low Mass
8:45 p.m. Homefront Meal Prep.
10:00 a.m. Sung Mass
7:00 p.m. AA Group