

# CHRIST CHURCH PARISH

BORDENTOWN, NJ



## THE FEAST OF ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

29 SEPTEMBER 2024

# 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. **A restroom for small children** is located in the nursery at the far end of the Parish House.

**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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V. Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord	
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.

ORGAN *Spring Song*

*Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy (1809-1847)*

### INTROIT

**B**ENEDICITE Dominum, omnes Angeli ejus: potentes virtute, qui facitis verbum ejus, ad audiendam vocem sermonum ejus. *Ps.* Benedic, anima mea, Domino: et omnia, quæ intra me sunt, nomini sancto ejus.  
Gloria Patri. Benedicite.

*O Praise the Lord, ye Angels of his: ye that excel in strength, ye that fulfill his commandment, and hearken unto the voice of his words. Ps. Praise the Lord, O my soul: and all that is within me praise his holy name.  
Glory be. O Praise.*

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KYRIE ELEISON *Communion Service in E-flat*

*L.J. White*

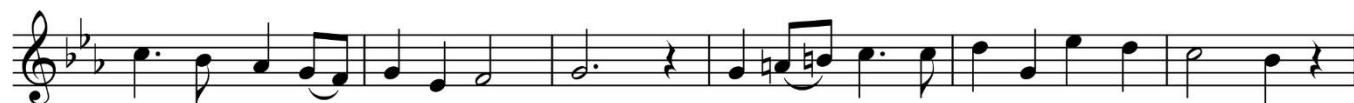


# GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO



And on earthpeace, 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.

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

LESSON *Genesis 28:10-17*

PSALM 103:19-22



19 The LORD hath prepared his seat in · heaven, \* and his kingdom · ruleth over all.

20 O praise the LORD ye angels of his, ye that excel in · strength; \* ye that fulfil his commandment and hearken unto the · voice of his word.

21 O praise the LORD all ye his · hosts; \* ye servants of his that · do his pleasure.

22 O speak good of the LORD all ye works of his, in all places of his do·minion: \* praise thou · the LORD O my soul.

EPISTLE *Revelation 12:7-12*

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

HYMN 123 *Christ the fair glory*

*Coelites Plaudant*

THE HOLY GOSPEL *John 1:47-51*

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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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OFFERTORY

*Tomas Luis de Victoria (c.1548-1611)*

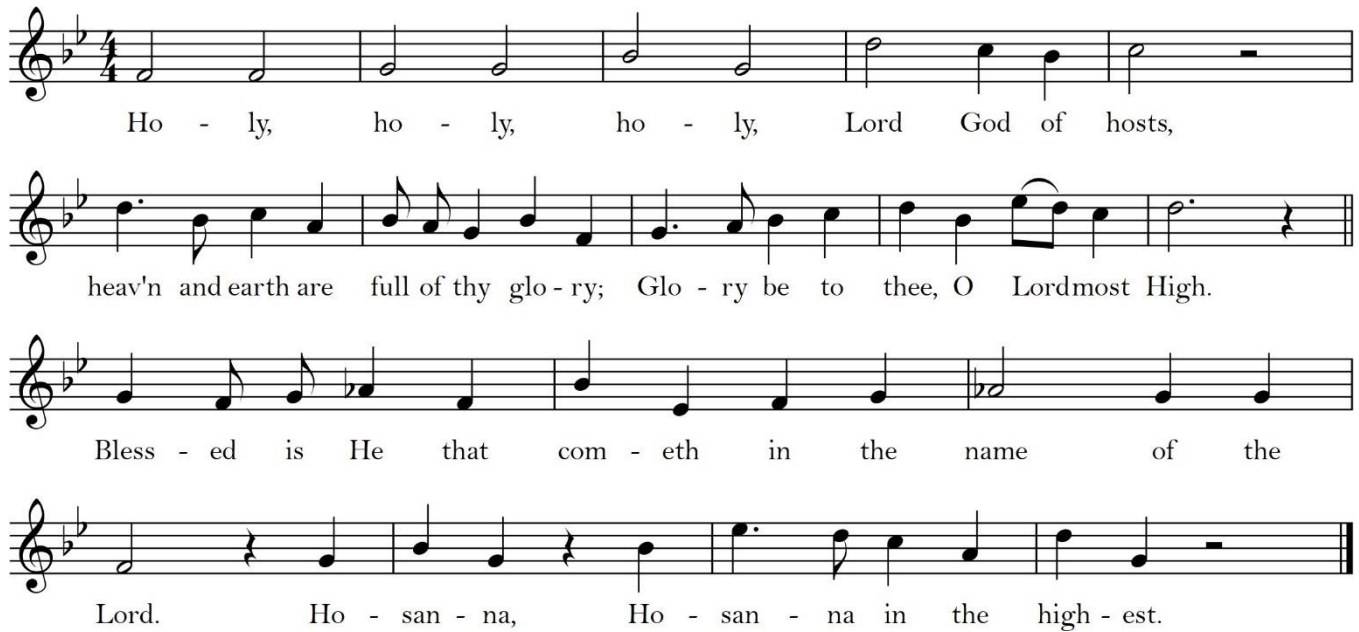
**G**AUDENT in cælis animæ sanctorum, qui Christi vestigia sunt secuti: et quia pro ejus amore sanguinem suum fuderunt, ideo cum Christo exsultant sine fine.

*The souls of the Saints rejoice in heaven who followed the footsteps of Christ; and, because for his love they shed their blood, therefore they reign for ever with Christ.*

HYMN 122 *Angels and ministers*

*Slane*

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS QUI VENIT



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 Lordmost High.  
Bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the  
Lord. Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na in the high - est.

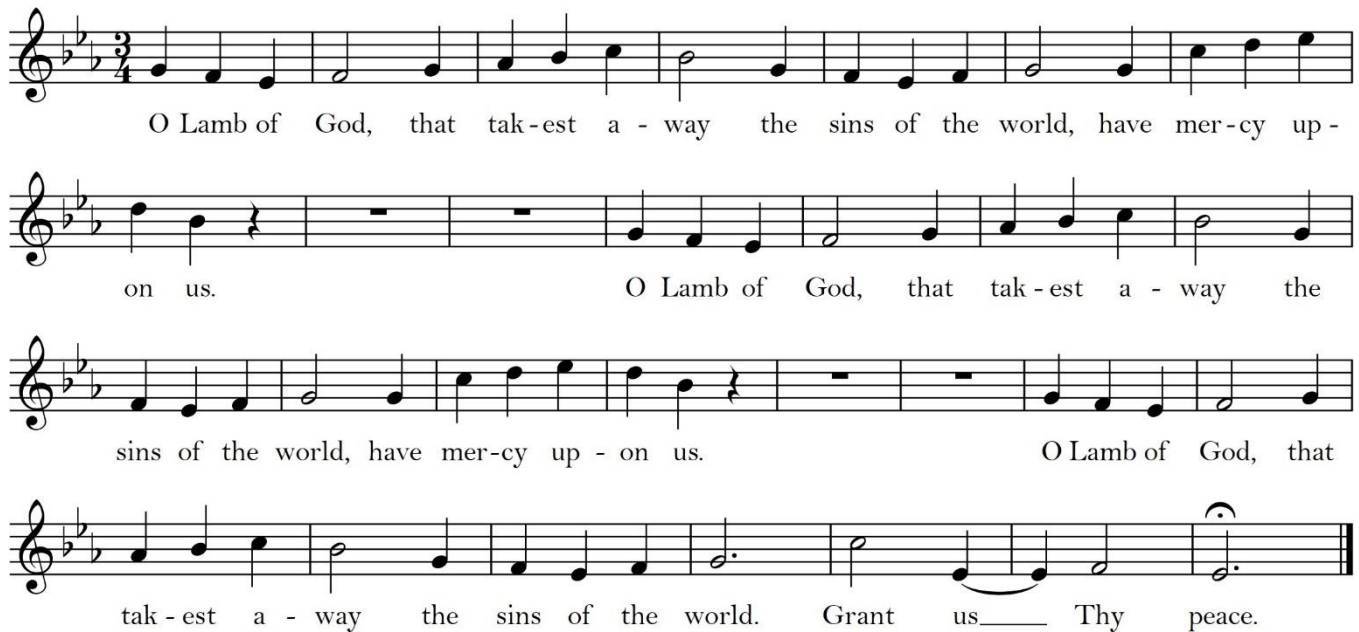
*The Congregation kneels for the Canon of the Mass.*

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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THE LORD'S PRAYER *Hymnal 722*

AGNUS DEI



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

**B**ENEDICITE omnes Angeli Domini  
Dominum: hymnum dicite et  
superexaltate eum in sæcula.

*O all ye Angels of the Lord, bless ye the Lord: sing  
ye praises, and magnify him above all for ever.*

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

HYMN 444 *O thou in all thy might*

*Irish*

*The Congregation kneels through the Dismissal.*

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

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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 599 *Ye watchers and ye holy ones*

*Lasst uns erfreuen*

ORGAN *Trumpet Tune in D Major*

*David Johnson (1922-1988)*





## PRAYERS & DEDICATIONS

*The flowers that decorate the church this week are given in loving memory of  
the Reverend Canon Dr. Alan K. Salmon.*

*The Fritz-Weitzel Sacramental Candle in the Lady Chapel in  
loving memory of Helen Addis.*



### **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

***the sick:*** Vicky Bardos, Betty Slaper, Richard Mueller, Donna Preston, Michael Tunney, Suzanne Previti, Alannah Aldea, The Rev. Donald Muller, Wendy Goldstein, Suzette Mansell, Gail Petricek, Susan Preston, Angelo Cipriano, Ryan Wiese, Amelia Sciortino, Kimberlee McCafferty, Mark Goldstein, Roseann Walder, Dave Mohr, Fran Sutter, Christine Fritz, Theresa Abitz, Robert Abitz, Walt Fell, Ellen Murphy, James Tucker, Joseph Carson III, Bruce Kwietnieski-Casais, Reagon Condron, Russell Childs, Lisa Jones, Patty MacAllister, Scott O'Brien, John Miosz, Sava Nedic, Walter Easley, John Haney, Sharon Kedzierski, Kathy Buckland, Daryl Albury, Val Jackson, Alexander Ounjian, Michele Hartpence, and Renee Formica.

***and those who have long term illnesses:*** Dennis Russell, Jeffrey McCafferty Richard Mueller, Christiana Carty, Dawn Applegate, Barbara Sury, Paul Sootkoos, Caroline Tucker, Donna Fritz, Stephen Vigh, Mark Casais, Christine Nicosia, Kevin Kintner, Anna Sury, Earl Reading, Dixon Leavers, Zachary Birnbaum, Shelly Eberhart, Gary Rutherford, Alice Ward Carriger, Ryan Murray, Justin McCafferty, Zachary McCafferty, Kelly Bergen, Hannah McNinch, Mackenzie Sutter, Daniel Applegate, Jennifer Vigh, Jonathan Okeson, Mary Dallmann, Bob Bernard, Pat Temple, Danielle Morgan, Jai Autar, Emma Burris, Gloria Jones, Kelley Gilger, Lori Forenson, Michael Chahanovich, Sister Angela, Sister Gussie, Dee Watkins, Marge Lee, Robert Fritz, Lynn Muller, Irene Fithian, Brianne Nicosia, Jennifer Millar, Kathy Gabel, Sean Higgins, 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:*** Jack Norcross and Eliza Peterson

*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

**GOSPEL & COFFEE** is an opportunity for folks to reflect, share, and discuss passages from the Gospels in order to develop and deepen our relationships with God and one another. No preparation is required and all are invited to attend. Coffee and snacks will be on hand! Join us at 9am this morning and on 10/6 and 10/13 for Gospel & Coffee.

**CRANBERRY FESTIVAL:** One of the most popular festivals in Bordentown, the annual Cranberry Festival, is **October 5 – 6!** This festival has been quite a successful fundraiser for our Parish and Christ Church's homemade goods are sought out each year. Volunteers are needed to set-up, staff our booth, and create homemade goods for sale. Homemade goods needed are cookies, bar cookies, small cakes, breads and crafts. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board next to the church office. Please consider joining us in this fun community event.

**THE ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS** will be held on **Sunday, October 6 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."

**CHOIR FUNDRAISING:** A new season of choir fund raising has begun. 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 can be directed to Stephen Barse.

**FORWARD: DAY-BY-DAY** is available at the back of the church. This devotional booklet offers readings, thoughts and prayers for each day. If you already use *Forward*, pick up your copy today. If you don't, think about giving it a try. A \$1.00 donation is requested to offset the cost.

**DONATIONS NEEDED FOR BLESSING BOX:** Donations such as toothpaste, deodorant, baby powder, razors, shaving cream, soap, hand sanitizer, shampoo, socks 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 or monetary donations.

**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:





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A Parish of the Episcopal Church



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## Schedule for the Week following 29 September

### Sunday, 29 September

#### *Saint Michael and All Angels*

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

8:45 a.m. Church School

9:00 a.m. Gospel and Coffee

10:00 a.m. Sung Mass

11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

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

### Monday, 30 September

#### *Jerome, Priest and Monk of Bethlehem, 420*

*Church office closed.*

### Tuesday, 1 October

#### *Remigius, Bishop of Rheims, c530*

12:10 p.m. Low Mass

### Wednesday, 2 October

#### *The Holy Guardian Angels*

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

6:30 p.m. Rosary & Low Mass

### Thursday, 3 October

#### *Therese of Lisieux, 1897*

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

### Friday, 4 October

#### *Francis of Assisi, Friar, 1226*

12:10 p.m. Low Mass

### Saturday, 5 October

#### *Of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

9:00 a.m. Cranberry Festival

5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass

### Sunday, 6 October

#### *The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost*

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

8:45 a.m. Church School

9:00 a.m. Gospel and Coffee

9:15 a.m. Blessing of the Animals

10:00 a.m. Sung Mass

11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

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