Announcements

Christ Church Parish - Plymouth, MA

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week. Any names added this week are in bold.

Anita Trottier; Barbara Hulme; Bill Lutz; Carol MacPhee; David Flynn; David Mann; Deborah Dines; Donna Eby; Dorothy Smith; Doug Perry; Elizabeth Liuzzi; Ellen Nordquist; Evelyn Ferioli; Francis Ferioli; Forrest Berardi; Greta Couter; Heidi Hunter; Jim Kelly; John Powderly; John Steele; Karen Guerra; Katharine LiBretto; Kathy Rust; Kenny Blackwell; Kenny Witte; Kesha Nielsen; Kim Stevenson; Kristin Denker; Laurie Ghelfi Smith; Linda Quigley; Mark Ouellette; Mark Poster; Matthew Begley; **Matthew Chrien;** Peter Trenouth; Polly Chadwick; Raymond Reid; Roberta Williams; Sandy Underhill; Skip Nielsen; **Stephen Thomas;** Suzanne and Dave Salois; Sylvia Wade; Theodora DeGaust; Valerie B. Pflock

We ask your prayers for those serving in the military and their families: Aidan McKinney, Andrew Barton, Austin Vico, Harry Morini, Josh Zabin, Peter Leone

In our Diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for:
Churches of the Mt. Hope-Buzzards Bay Deanery
Church of Our Saviour, Somerset
Christ Church, Swansea
Young Adults Ministry
Diocesan Youth Leadership Council
Barbara C. Harris Camp & Conference Center

Summer Office Hours - In July and August, our church office will be closed on Fridays. We will resume our normal Monday through Friday office schedule in September.

Evening Women's Group – will be meeting at Donna Lawrence's home 21 Pine Ridge Way, Carver on August 5 at 5 PM.
Please RSVP 508-243-2293.

Week At - A - Glance * July 27, 2026 – August 2, 2026

FRIDAY		Office Closed
	6:00 PM	Congregation Beth Jacob
SATURDAY	**5:00 PM**	**Holy Eucharist – The Tenth Saturday after Pentecost**
SUNDAY	**9:00 AM**	**Holy Eucharist – The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**
	10:00 AM	Lemonade on the Lawn
	10:00 AM	The Poets' Corner

Recurring Events

- Fore & Aft – Monday to Friday, 10:30 – 11:30 AM
- Morning Prayer on Facebook Live – Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 9:00 AM
- Thrift Shoppe
    - Thursday & Friday 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM
    - Saturday 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
- Food Pantry
    - Thursday 12:00 – 1:15 PM & 4:00 – 5:15 PM
    - Saturday 10:00 – 11:15 AM

The Poets' Corner - The Poets' Corner is six 60-minute weekly sessions for people curious about poetry. In each session we discuss an eclectic range of works, three poems by women and men from various cultures and times. At Christ Church we are invited to pay attention to life. Poetry helps us do that, and no question or comment about the selected poems can be wrong. Each session starts after the Sunday 9 AM service. Please bring your name tag and any coffee-hour refreshments to the upstairs conference room. Poems will be provided. Peter Trenouth is your host. The Poets' Corner starts June 14.

Campfires & Compline - CCP Church School & Youth Group are hosting a relaxed summer evening filled with s'mores, lawn games, laughter, and friendship. **All parishioners** are invited to join us around the campfire Friday, August 7 from 7-9 PM on the Christ Church Lawn. Bring your family, invite a friend, and join us for a peaceful summer evening together.

Notes from the Vestry meeting of July 15, 2026

At its July meeting, the Vestry:

- Heard a presentation from Bill Ferguson on the history, purpose, and past practices of Christ Church's commemorative service plaques
- Continued its prayerful discernment regarding how a recent bequest can best support Christ Church's mission and long-term ministry. As part of this process, the Vestry will meet with diocesan stewardship consultant Brian Raiche this fall to learn more about options, including the possibility of a future capital campaign.
- Received an update from the Capital Committee as it continues evaluating the church's long-term building maintenance needs and gathering information to help guide future planning.
- Approved the following Thrift Shop donations to support summer camp opportunities for children:
- $2,100 to Barbara C. Harris Camp
- $2,100 to Camp Amazing Grace
- Approved obtaining bids to install air conditioning on the second floor of the Parish Hall to improve the space for church programs, meetings, and community use.
- Approved painting and refreshing the Church School classrooms to create a more welcoming environment for our youngest parishioners.
- Approved a Coffee House Fundraiser on Saturday, October 3, with proceeds benefiting Christ Church's Overnight Hospitality Ministry.

**Next Meeting: **

Scheduled for Wednesday, August 19, at 6:30 pm. Meeting will be held at the home of Ray Rogers and Lynne Neeley.

The Plymouth Taskforce to End Homelessness will hold its 20th Annual Golf Tournament on Monday, August 24th at Southers Marsh beginning at 1 PM. The funds raised will support our Overnights of Hospitality and our permanent housing units. In addition, the Taskforce will be partnering with Father Bill's Mainspring to raise money for the building of the Housing Resource Center in Plymouth. As always, we will be looking for golfers and sponsors. Go to https://plymouth-taskforce-homeless.org/ for the registration form. We are also interested in obtaining high value items for our live auction. Contact Connie for further information (conmel@aol.com) Please share with your Social Media friends!"

Christ Church Thrift Shoppe - The Thrift Shoppe has been undergoing a transformation and everyone is encouraged to stop by, take a look, and perhaps make a purchase or two. There's always a sale going on, making the low prices even more of a bargain. Also keep in mind that the Thrift Shoppe offers a great opportunity for volunteering, making friends while contributing a few hours of your time.

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Office Hours
Monday - Friday 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM