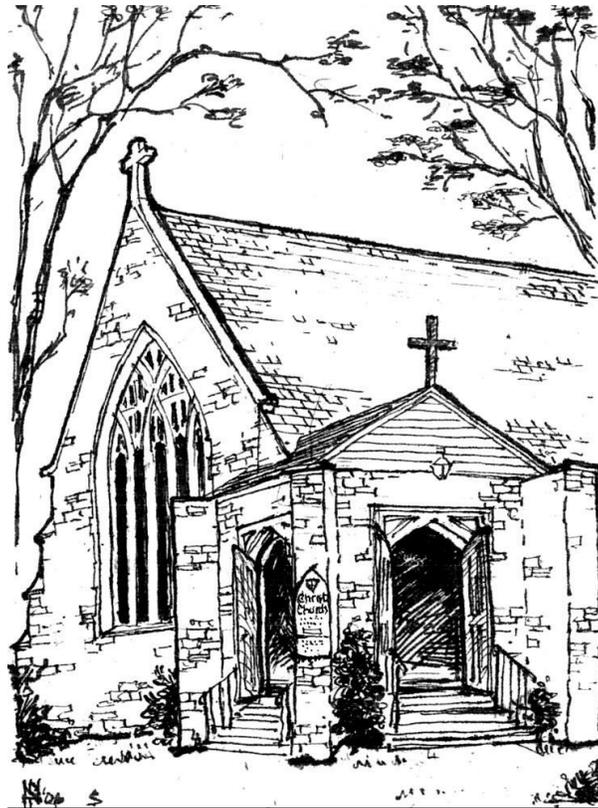


CHRIST CHURCH PARISH
EPISCOPAL

5:00 PM / 8:00 AM / 10:00 AM

The Sixteenth Saturday/Sunday after Pentecost

September 24 & 25, 2022



WELCOME

Christ Church is an Episcopal Parish in the Diocese of Massachusetts. We welcome and honor the God-given gifts that make us unique as individuals and strong as community. You and your family are welcome regardless of age, ethnicity, sexual orientation, marital status or prior religious affiliation.

Announcements

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week.

Sue Derendal; Linda Garrone; Harvey LeSueur; Alice McCracken; Steven Mills-Price; Sharon Steadman; Larry Weaver; Nancy Rich; Robert Kelly; Scott Estes; Jim Walsh; Becky Jones; Cindy Boyer; Tina MacAllister; Margie Kaupp; Nicole Smith; Laurie Ghelfi Smith; Valerie Pflock; Marion LaMark; Frankie McAlpine; Jake Dailey; Joe Iamele; Anita Chase; Karen Guerra; Owen Smith; Lenny Williams; Deborah Dines; John Hill

We ask your prayers for those serving in the military and their families: Josh Zabin, Andrew Barton, Jonathan Dixon, Clay Drew, Austin Vico

Church School News Adventures In Learning For All Ages

Our church school learning in faith began Sunday September 18th. To register online, visit our website christchurchplymouth.org. The teachers, class assistants and I are so excited to begin this new year together.

This year we are trying something a little different with our middle and high school class. Students in grades 6th through 12th, will meet at Hall House with Becky Metzger from 9AM through 10AM and attend the 10AM service together as a group or choose to sit with their families. This is an amazing opportunity to discuss the readings and the sermons with the students and help them make a connection between their learning and what goes on during the church service.

At 9AM Su D'Ambrosio will meet with students in grades one through five who love to sing. This will fill in the gap until the start of church school at 9:30 AM, giving the younger learners an engaging activity from 9 to 10:30 AM. Our first rehearsal will be on Sunday, September 18th in the education office across from the nursery. Please contact Su D'Ambrosio at assunta999@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Blessings,

Donna Eby - Interim Sunday School Coordinator education.christchurchplymouth@gmail.com

Bible Study Resumes - After a 2 1/2 year pause, we are resuming our Bible studies! There are two times offered. The topic will be the Acts of the Apostles for both groups. NOTE: These are not "drop in" studies.

The daytime Bible study will meet in the Hospitality Suite beginning Thursday, September 29th from 10:00 to 11:30am. This group is limited to 12 people.

The Sunday afternoon group will meet in our home in the Pinehills beginning September 25th from 4:00 to 5:30pm. This group is limited to 10 people.

To sign up, call Dee or Bill Ferguson at 508-224-1680 or email us at fergusondandb@gmail.com.

From the Office

In order to have your announcements included in the weekly bulletin and *Keeping Connected*, please send them to the office by 12 Noon on Wednesday. They should include date, time, place, description of event and contact information and should be written exactly the way you want them to appear.

Greeters for 10 AM service - Do you like to meet new people and see old friends? Come join our "Greeters ministry". We need two smiling faces every Sunday! If you might be interested or have questions, call or email me. I'd be happy to explain this important ministry to you. Dee Ferguson 508-224-1680 or fergusondandb@gmail.com

Stewardship Kick Off Sunday Lunch - Please join us Sunday October 2nd after the service for the Stewardship Kick Off Lunch hosted by the Men's Group. Members of the Stewardship Committee will be on hand to answer any questions. We will also have representatives from our various ministries available to answer your questions about what they do and how you can help. Hope to see you there!

Indigenous Peoples' Day - On Indigenous Peoples' Day, Monday, Oct. 10, the Rev. Canon Cornelia Eaton, Canon to the Ordinary in the Episcopal Church in Navajoland, will join at Christ Church in Plymouth with the bishops of both Massachusetts Episcopal dioceses and Indigenous leaders from the Commonwealth for a symposium of sacred listening and response, lunchtime conversations and a special worship service of lament and commitment. The program begins at 11 a.m. All are welcome; register in advance (required) here:



Knitting Ministry - People who knit or crochet are needed. We only have a few prayer shawls. If you can help or know someone who can, please contact Jackie Giaccaglia jackiegia@comcast.net or Donna Lawrence donnaml21@comcast.net. We have patterns and yarn that have been donated. We are not having actual meetings so if you make one, please contact one of us or leave it at the office. We will arrange to have them blessed and a label sewn on. Any help will be greatly appreciated. THANK YOU.

Christ Church Thrift Shoppe - 🍁 **Welcome Fall** 🍁 Jackets, vests, sweaters, corduroy and all things Fall have returned to the racks. Shop for affordably priced clothing, housewares, books, jewelry, linens, and small furniture with all proceeds benefitting Christ Church ministries.

Shoppe Hours
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 10-4
Saturday 10-1

Donations of gently used items welcome inside the shoppe during store hours, or in the garage on Saturdays 10-1 and Sundays 11:15-12:00

Garage Open Sundays for Donations - The Thrift Shoppe will be taking donations in the garage after church on Sundays during September, 9/11-9/25. Please consider donating your gently used clothing (no summer please), housewares, and small furniture. All proceeds benefit CCP ministries.

Food Pantry – All are welcome to the Christ Church Food Pantry! We are open by appointment 3 days a week: Tuesday 4:00-5:15; Thursday 12:00-1:15 and 4:00-5:15; Saturday 10:00-11:15. 508-746-4959, ext 6. Please call and leave a message by 4pm the day before you wish to come to pick up your order. Our volunteers check messages and return your call from their homes. Leave a message if you wish to donate non-perishable food and household items. Squirrels like to get into any bags left on porch!

Although we order the bulk of our supplies once a month from the Greater Boston Food Bank, supply chain problems have restricted the availability of some items. We will offer a monthly “Wish List” for those of you who may want to help us keep our inventory well stocked. Please do not donate anything with an expiration date before 2020. Donations can be left in the basket inside the front entrance to the church, or at the pantry during the hours we are open. Below is September’s list.

September 2022:

Coffee
Black Tea
Raisin Bran
Rice Krispies
Canned meals, such as Chef Boyardee ravioli
Egg Noodles
Ramen Noodles
Dish Washing Liquid
Paper Towels

THANK YOU in advance for your willingness to help us love our neighbors!

If you wish to volunteer, contact Eileen Paris at eileenpca@aol.com
For more information please contact Barbara Wojtkiewicz at 617-291-4634, or by email at barbara.wojtkiewicz@gmail.com

Week At - A - Glance * September 25, 2022 – October 2, 2022

SUNDAY	8:00 AM	Morning Prayer Rite I – The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
	10:00 AM	HE Rite II – The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour
	4:00 PM	Bible Study
MONDAY	9:00 AM	Morning Prayer – FB Live
	10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Fore & Aft
TUESDAY	10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Fore & Aft
	4:00 PM – 5:15 PM	Food Pantry
WEDNESDAY	9:00 AM	Morning Prayer – FB Live
	10:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Thrift Shoppe
	10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Fore & Aft
THURSDAY	10:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Thrift Shoppe
	10:00 AM	Bible Study
	10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Fore & Aft
	12:00 PM – 1:15 PM	Food Pantry
	1:00 PM	Book Study
	4:00 PM – 5:15 PM	Food Pantry
FRIDAY	9:00 AM	Morning Prayer – FB Live
	10:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Thrift Shoppe
	10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Fore & Aft
SATURDAY	10:00 AM – 1:00 PM	Thrift Shoppe
	10:00 AM – 11:15 AM	Food Pantry
	5:00 PM	HE Rite II – The Seventeenth Saturday after Pentecost
SUNDAY	8:00 AM	Stewardship Kickoff Sunday
	10:00 AM	HE Rite I – The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
	11:30 AM	HE Rite II – The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
	4:00 PM	Stewardship Kickoff Lunch Bible Study

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All the people of Christ Church Parish

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Office Hours

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