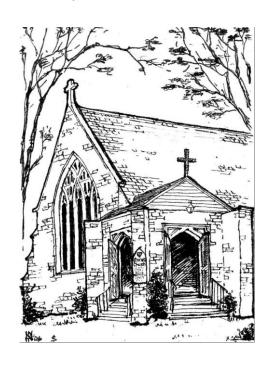
CHRIST CHURCH PARISH EPISCOPAL

5:00 PM / 9:00 AM

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 26 + 27, 2025



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.

A Note to Parents and Caregivers with Children in Church

Thank you for bringing your children to church. We are so glad you are here!

We know it can be difficult at times to manage little ones during the service.

For that reason, we have provided some resources which we hope will make it easier for you and your family to enjoy worship together.

You will find books and coloring pages at the back of the Mary Chapel. Please feel free to utilize these at any point during the service.

We have installed a TV in the nursery! You are welcome to visit the nursery with your child during any portion of our service and join us via our livestream.

It is okay to take breaks. If you need to step out with your child, our parish grounds are a great place to get the wiggles out.

Above all, please remember: You and your family are very welcome here!

Though your children may be squirming, talking, or making noise, they are also observing, copying, and learning. Children are a gift and an important part of our community; we are grateful to have them worship with us.

Announcements

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

Any names added this week are in bold.

Barbara Hulme; for the repose of the soul of Bob Steele; for the repose of the soul of Chad; Don Bolt; Donna Eby; Ellen Nordquist; Greta Couter; Jack Willett; Jane Murphy; Jean Belle Bernhardt; for the repose of the soul of Jeanne Patenaude-Lane; Jim Kelly; Katharine LiBretto; Laurie Ghelfi Smith; Mark Poster; Norm Harbinson; Peter Trenouth; Sandy Underhill; Sharon Steadman; Skip Nielsen; Suzanne and Dave Salois; Valerie B. Pflock; William Underhill

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

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.

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.

Summer Sunday Worship Schedule Changes - Starting June 15, Christ Church will transition to our summer worship schedule. We warmly invite you to join us for our Saturday service of Holy Eucharist at 5pm or Sunday service of Holy Eucharist at 9am.

Following the Sunday 9am service, we will be gathering for a delightful tradition: Lemonade on the Lawn. This is more than just refreshments; it's an opportunity to mingle, connect, and bask in the sunshine together. We'd love to see you there!

Christ Church Food Pantry – All are welcome to the Christ Church Food Pantry! We are open by appointment: Tuesday 12:00-1:15, Thursday 12:00-1:15 and 4:00-5:15, and Saturday 10:00-11:15. Call the pantry message line: 508-746-4959, ext 6, BY 1 PM THE DAY BEFORE YOU WISH TO PICK UP YOUR ORDER. Our volunteers check messages and return your call from their homes to ask you what you need.

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



Come Join Us!



As we introduce the exciting new ministry of:

Invite · Welcome · Connect

Saturday, August 9th @ 6-8:30pm - Parish Hall OR Sundy, August 10th @ 10-11:30am - Parish Hall

Christ Church Parish Plymouth
Is excited to continue our mission of
Seeking Christ in Ourselves,
Serving Christ in the World
with a renewed and intentional focus on
Evangelism, Hospitality, and Belonging!
All are welcomed to an introductory session to
learn more about this ministry and explore how it

There is no obligation to take on a big role, just come, learn, and be part of the conversation.

might take root in our church.

To sign-up for the Introductory Session please scan the QR Code or contact Makenzie mknzface@gmail.com - 774.283.2734



Evening Women - will be held Wednesday, August 6 at Donna Lawrence's home at 21 Pine Ridge Way, Carver at 5:00 PM. Please RSVP 508-243-2293.

Christ Church Thrift Shoppe - We were all moved by the devastating consequences of the July 4th floods in the Hill Country of west Texas. In response, the Christ Church Thrift Shoppe leaders recently designated an outreach donation of \$5000 to the Episcopal Relief and Development Fund, specifically for the Bishop of West Texas flood relief. These funds, approved by our Vestry, will be used to help the impacted areas of the Hill Country.

There are still some unallocated 3rd quarter Thrift Shoppe funds, and since outreach is one of the Thrift Shoppe's main priorities, the leaders, Drew Lench and Barb Hurney, are open to suggestions from parishioners for programs that could benefit from these monies.

Shoppe Hours: Thursday and Friday 10-4 Saturday 10-1

Week At - A - Glance * July 27, 2025 - August 3, 2025

SUNDAY 9:00 AM **Holy Eucharist – The Seventh Sunday after**

Pentecost

Lemonade on the Lawn 10:30 AM

MONDAY Morning Prayer - Facebook Live 9:00 AM

> Fore & Aft 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Fore & Aft **TUESDAY** 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

12:00 PM - 1:15 PM **Food Pantry**

WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM Morning Prayer - Facebook Live

> Fore & Aft 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

THURSDAY 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Thrift Shoppe

> 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM Fore & Aft 12:00 PM - 1:15 PM **Food Pantry** 4:00 PM - 5:15 PM **Food Pantry**

Office Closed **FRIDAY** 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM

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Morning Prayer - Facebook Live Thrift Shoppe 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Fore & Aft 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

SATURDAY 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM **Food Pantry**

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM Thrift Shoppe

Holy Eucharist Rite II - The Eighth 5:00 PM

Saturday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist - The Eighth Sunday after **SUNDAY** 9:00 AM

Pentecost

Lemonade on the Lawn 10:30 AM

Christ Church Parish

Seeking Christ in Ourselves * Serving Christ in the World

JESUS CHRIST IS THE HEAD OF THE CHURCH

MINISTERS

All the people of Christ Church Parish

Staff

The Rev. Melissa Howell, Rector
The Rev. Deacons James & Natalie Thomas
David Tyler, Parish Administrator
Lea Tyler, Choir Director
Peter Litchfield, Accompanist
Sam Stevenson, Sexton

Officers and Vestry Representatives

Robb Pflock, Senior Warden John Steele, Junior Warden Ray Rogers, Treasurer Amanda Peterson, Clerk

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Office Hours

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