

THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 26, 2025
8:00 AM & 10:00 AM



Pharisee and Tax Collector wood engraving, published 1888

Christ Church
Woodbury, New Jersey
A Parish in the Diocese of New Jersey



Welcome to Visitors and Guests

We are delighted to have you with us today. The ushers will be glad to assist in any way they can to make your visit more comfortable. Please do take a moment to introduce yourself to the clergy at the door following the service and sign the guest book in the church porch / vestibule.

Child care is available during the 10am service for infants to age 4. Parents are given pagers. An usher will be happy to escort you there. **The nursery is open.**

Sunday School (from age 3 through grade 12) begins after children and young people receive Holy Communion or a Blessing at the Altar Rail during the 10am service, then proceed to their classrooms. We are excited to have everyone back!

Adult Forum is held in the Upper Assembly Room following the 10am service when Sunday School is in session, and ends at 12 noon when the children are dismissed from their classes. All are welcome to attend! Adult Forum will resume today.

Adult Bible Study Adult Bible Study continues on Mondays at 8:00 pm via Zoom. We will be studying 1st & 2nd Timothy and Titus. We have a lot of great discussions and would love to have everyone who is able to join!

A Lift is available for those who require assistance in reaching the Upper and Lower Assembly Rooms. The ushers will be glad to help with its operation.

Safety Precaution: Because there is no adult supervision in the parish house, children under the age of 13 leaving the service for any reason need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Exiting and Entering—To avoid unnecessary distractions during the service, please try to exit and enter during a hymn if possible. (But we do understand that when urgent needs arise it may not be possible!)

*Let Reverence and Quietness
Characterize your Entrance into God's House*

THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Holy Eucharist: Rite I - 8:00 am
THE ENTRANCE RITE

The congregation stands when the bell is rung.

Opening AcclamationBook of Common Prayer (BCP) 323

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People ***And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

The Collect for PurityBCP 323

Summary of the Law BCP 324

Kyrie & Gloria in excelsisBCP 324

The Collect of the Day (Proper 25) Bulletin p. 5

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

the people are seated

The First Lesson: Book of Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22 Bulletin p. 5

the people remain seated

Gradual Psalm 84 *Quam dilecta*..... Bulletin p. 6

The Epistle: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Bulletin p. 7

The people standing

The Holy Gospel: Luke 18: 9-14 Bulletin p. 7

the people are seated

The Sermon Fr. Civale

the people standing

The Nicene Creed BCP 327

The Prayers of the People BCP 328

the people kneeling

Confession of Sin BCP 330

the people standing

The Peace BCP 332

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Sentence

the people are seated until the Offering is brought forward, the people standing

At the Presentation:

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord.

People **And of thine own have we given thee. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II	BCP 340
Sursum corda	BCP 340
Sanctus et Benedictus qui venit	BCP 341
<i>Said by all</i>	
<i>Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.</i>	
<i>the congregation kneels for the canon of the Mass</i>	
The Great Amen	BCP 343
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 336
Fraction	BCP 337
Agnus Dei	BCP 337
Prayer of Humble Access	BCP 337
Invitation to Communion	BCP 338
Behold the Lamb of God; Behold him that taketh away the sins of the world.	
<i>Celebrant and People</i>	
<i>Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof: but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.</i>	
<i>All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who are not baptized or who do not wish to receive Communion are invited to come to the altar for a blessing, indicated by placing crossed hands over the chest.</i>	
Post Communion Prayer	BCP 339
The Blessing	BCP 339
<i>the people standing</i>	
Dismissal	BCP 340
<i>Celebrant</i>	Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
<i>People</i>	<i>Thanks be to God.</i>

THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Holy Eucharist: Rite I, 10:00 am

THE ENTRANCE RITE

Prelude “*Fantasy on Brother James’ Air*” Daniel Gawthrop (b.1949)
 Processional Hymn 546 ”Awake, My Soul, Stretch Every Nerve” Siroë
 Opening Acclamation S76..... *Ambrosian*

Celebrant

Bless - ed be God: Father, Son, and Ho - ly Spi - rit.

People

And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ev - er. A - men.

The Collect for Purity BCP 323
 Summary of the Law BCP 324
 Kyrie (*see Missa Marialis Service Music Supplement*)
 Gloria in excelsis (*see Missa Marialis Service Music Supplement*)

COLLECT OF THE DAY (Proper 25):

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People ***And with thy spirit.***
Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, give unto us the increase of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain that which thou dost promise, make us to love that which thou dost command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The people are seated

The First Lesson Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22

Lector A reading from the Book of Jeremiah.

Though our iniquities testify against us, act, O LORD, for thy name’s sake; for our backslidings are many, we have sinned against thee. O thou hope of Israel, its savior in time of trouble, why shouldst thou be like a stranger in the land, like a wayfarer who turns aside to tarry for a night? Why shouldst thou be like a man confused, like a mighty man who cannot save? Yet thou, O LORD, art in the midst of us, and we are called by thy name; leave us not.” Hast thou utterly rejected Judah? Does thy soul loathe Zion? Why hast thou smitten us so that there is no healing

for us? We looked for peace, but no good came; for a time of healing, but behold, terror. We acknowledge our wickedness, O LORD, and the iniquity of our fathers, for we have sinned against thee. Do not spurn us, for thy name's sake; do not dishonor thy glorious throne; remember and do not break thy covenant with us. Are there any among the false gods of the nations that can bring rain? Or can the heavens give showers? Art thou not he, O LORD our God? We set our hope on thee, for thou doest all these things.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

The people remain seated.

Gradual Psalm 84 *Quam dilecta*.....George Elvey (1816-93)

The Psalm is said responsively by verse.

O HOW amiable are thy dwellings, * thou Lord of hosts!

My soul hath a desire and longing to enter into the courts of the Lord; * my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

Yea, the sparrow hath found her a house, and the swallow a nest, where she may lay her young; * even thy altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Blessed are they that dwell in thy house; * they will be always praising thee.

Blessed is the man whose strength is in thee; * in whose heart are thy ways.

Who going through the vale of misery use it for a well; * and the pools are filled with water.

They will go from strength to strength, * and unto the God of gods appeareth every one of them in Sion.

O Lord God of hosts, hear my prayer; * hearken, O God of Jacob.

Behold, O God our defender, * and look upon the face of thine anointed.

For one day in thy courts * is better than a thousand.

I had rather be a door-keeper in the house of my God, * than to dwell in the tents of ungodliness.

For the Lord God is a light and defence; * the Lord will give grace and worship; and no good thing shall he withhold from them that live a godly life.

O Lord God of hosts, * blessed is the man that putteth his trust in thee.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; * as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

The Epistle2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Lector A reading from the second letter of Paul to Timothy

For I am ready on the point of being sacrificed; the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that Day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing. At my first defense no one took my part; all deserted me. May it not be charged against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength to proclaim the message fully, that all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion’s mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The people standing

Alleluia and Verse *Tone VI*

Alleluia. Alleluia. Thou, O God, art praised in Syon: and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem. Alleluia.

Sequence Hymn 517 “How lovely is thy dwelling-place“.....*Brother James' Air*

The Holy Gospel Luke 18-9-14

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and despised others: “Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, ‘God, I thank thee that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week, I give tithes of all that I get.’ But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, ‘God, be merciful to me a sinner!’ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other; for every one who exalts himself will be humbled, but he who humbles himself will be exalted.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

The people are seated

The Sermon Fr. Civale

The people standing

The Nicene CreedBCP 327

The leader and People pray responsively

Intercessor Father, we pray for thy holy Catholic Church;

People ***That we all may be one.***

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve thee;

That thy Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of thy Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do thy will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in thy sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise thee for the Blessed Virgin Mary, and all thy saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in thy heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

The people kneeling

Celebrant

The peace of the Lord be al-ways with you.

People

And with thy spi - rit.

All are invited briefly to greet one another with a sign of peace.

Blessing of the Pledges

Celebrant: Creator of all, the earth is thine, the world and all who live in it.

People: Thou hast entrusted us with gifts—time, talent, energy, money—and asked us to use them to build thy kingdom. With thanks and praise we respond to thy call.

Celebrant: We bring these gifts thou hast given, returning thy generosity, paying it forward.

People: We offer ourselves, our lives, our hopes and fears, our dollars and our hours to thee. We commit ourselves to work for thy world, to love and serve wherever thou will call us.

Celebrant: We ask thy blessing on this, thy church, as we seek to follow thee with heart, mind, and soul. Bless also these gifts, our investment as a parish church in the future thou hast called us, that they may multiply in faith, hope, and love.

People: Amen.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Sentence.....*Tone II*

Like as in the burnt offerings of rams and bullocks; and like in ten thousands of fat lambs: so let our sacrifice be in thy sight this day that it may please thee; for they shall not be confounded that put their trust in thee, O Lord.

Offertory Anthem “The Pharisee and the Publican” *Heinrich Schütz (1585-1672)*

Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee, and the other a publican.

The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican.

I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.

And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner.

I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other: for every one that exalteth himself shall be abased; and he that humbleth himself shall be exalted.

Behold the Lamb of God; Behold him that taketh away the sins of the world.

Celebrant and People

Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof: but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.

All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who are not baptized or who do not wish to receive Communion are invited to come to the altar for a blessing, indicated by placing crossed hands over the chest. the people kneeling

Communion Sentence.....*Tone I*

Bow down thine ear to me: make haste to deliver me.

Communion Motet “*O Lord, Increase Our Faith* ”Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)

O Lord, increase my faith, strengthen me and confirm me in
Thy true faith, endue me with wisdom, charity, and
patience. In all my adversity, sweet Saviour, say Amen.

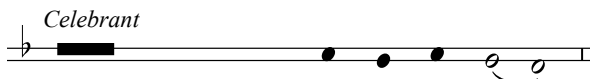
Communion Hymn 656 “Blest are the pure in heart”*Franconia*
the people kneeling

Post Communion Prayer BCP 339

The Blessing.....BCP 339

The people standing

The DismissalS 174 Hymnal



Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.



Thanks be to God.

Processional Hymn 561 “Stand up, Stand up for Jesus ”..... *Morning Light*

Postlude “*Fanfare*”.....Théodore Dubois (1837-1924)



Please join us today as we ask God to bless our continued stewardship and pledges and celebrate with breakfast hosted by the Vestry after Mass.



Additional Notes

**There will be Sunday School today as well as Adult Forum and Coffee Hour.
Vestry is hosting the Coffee Hour this week.**

Next Week Tara Mass & Tori Wishnick will be hosting Coffee Hour.

**Next Sunday we will be baptizing and welcoming into the Christ Church family
Headley Moore & Harrison Moore.**



Those Who
Serve Today

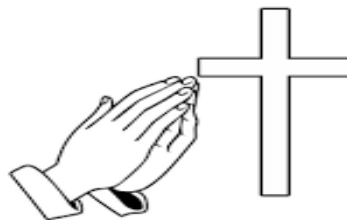
8:00 am

Celebrant: The Rev. Lawrence Civale
Server & Chalice: Bernie Lasoski
Lector: Bernie Lasoski
Ushers: Mark Hendricks & Steve Shomo

10:00 am

Celebrant: The Rev. Lawrence Civale
Organist: Luke Staisiunas
Master of Ceremonies: Jim Bathurst
Thurifer & Boat: Brandon Graham
Crucifer: Miguel Sanchez
1st Server: Maya Sanchez
2nd Server: Riley Shomo
Torches: Evan Shomo & Daphne Rhodes
Acolyte Master: Robertta Shomo
Chalice Bearers: Doreen Mills & Jim Bathurst
Lector I & Intercessor: Gwen Simpson
Lector II: Doreen Mills
Ushers: Charles Lewis & Nathan Wishnick
Nursery: Jennifer Allbright
Vestry Lock up: Doreen Mills
Notewriter: Marilyn McGeoch
Food Bank: Doug & Carol Hill
Vestry Counters: Team 1: Doreen Mills, Mark Novalsky, Nathan Wishnick

Prayer List



Pray for those who are sick or in any other adversity.

Pray for those who are in immediate need, especially: Janet, Gwen, Krista, Rich, Dottie, Hughie, Larry, Betty, Easton, Mike, Warren, David, Darrah, Rosie, Steve, Fran, Mike, Gloria.

Pray for those with enduring needs: Doreen, Barbara, Mary Sue, Joseph, Sammy Jo, Jillian, Amanda, Tara, Jackson, Jack, Ed, Jason, Samuel, Michael, Alex, Paul, Baby Rick, Tom, Mary, Bruce, Ivan, Andy, Joy, Kathi, Sean, Maya, Miguel, Carl, Linda, Douglas, Alfred, Sally, Ariella, David, Téó and Peter, Pat, Anne, Josephine, Ronald, Tony, Jordan, Mason, David, Sue, Barbara, Michael, Tyler and Laura, Marjorie, Jacob, Michele, Stephanie, Riley, Julia, Susan, June, Amy, Kathleen, Cora, Debbie, Norman, Tracey, Ginger, Candi, Becky, Carter, Rose, Adam, Dick, Daniel, Michael, Brad and Susan, Kathi, Lynn, Ralph, Peggy, Audrey, Sissy, Averil.

Pray for those that are serving in our armed forces: CJ, Jacob



Upcoming Events

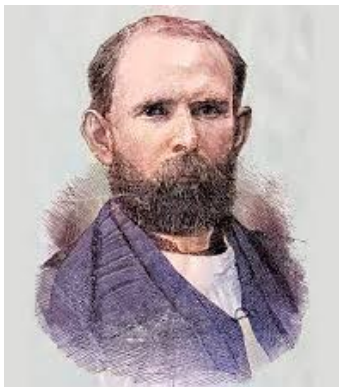


Monday <i>Feria</i>	October 27	6:00 PM	AA Meeting No Zoom Bible Study this week Endowment Meeting
Tuesday <i>Saint Simon & Saint Jude, Apostles</i>	October 28	10:00 AM NOON 8:00 PM	NA Meeting AA Meeting AA Meeting
Wednesday <i>James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa & Companions, Martyrs, 1885</i>	October 29	10:00 AM	Mass
Thursday <i>Feria</i>	October 30	6:30 PM 8:00 PM	Mass AA Meeting
Friday <i>Eve of All Saints</i>	October 31	5:30 PM	Evening Prayer
Saturday <i>All Saints Day</i>	November 1	10:00 AM	Mass
Sunday <i>All Saints Sunday</i>	November 2	8:00 AM 8:30 AM 8:45 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM	Mass Choral Scholar Rehearsal Choir Rehearsal Choral Mass Sunday School Chorister Rehearsal following Sunday School
<i>All Souls Day (Will be celebrated on Monday November 3, 2025 at 6:30 pm)</i>			

2025 is the 1700th anniversary of the Nicene Creed. The Creed itself was the culmination of the Ecumenical Council held in Nicaea in 325 AD. It sought to heal division and unify the Church around a common profession of faith, in particular around our understanding of the Holy Trinity and to some extent the nature of Christ. It laid the ground work for the work of future councils. Scott Carr will present a series on the Creed on November 2, 23, 30. December 7 and 14 and January 4 at our Adult Forum.



Weekday Services this Week



Wednesday, October 29

*James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa and
Companions, Martr, 1885*

10:00 am Mass with Prayers for Healing

Thursday October 30

Feria

6:30 pm Mass

Friday, October 31

Eve of all Saints

5:30 pm Evening Prayer

Saturday, November 1

All Saints Day

10:00 am Mass

The Sacrament of Penance

The Sacrament of Penance (Confession) and spiritual counsel are always available by appointment. Please don't hesitate to reach out to Fr. Civalo.

Readings for the Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost, Proper 26

First Reading: Book of Isaiah 1:10-2014:7-10, 19-22

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1-5, 11-12 4:6-8,16-18

Gospel: Luke 19: 1-10

*Please note Christ Church uses the RSV Bible Translation



Mark your Calendars

All Saints Day Mass

Saturday, November 1, 2025

10:00 am

All Souls Day Mass (Transferred)

Monday, November 3, 2025

6:30 pm

Convention Delegates

November 21-22, 2025

Diocese of New Jersey Convention



Pastoral Care Team

Our Vision Statement

The vision of the Pastoral Care Team is to engage the parish in a ministry to serve God by following the commandment of Jesus to 'to love thy neighbor as ourselves' and caring for those in need or transition by establishing a personal relationship with them in the name of the Lord.

Listed below are the ways in which we care for the people of Christ Church.

Parish Pathfinders

This is a group of people who have volunteered to provide transportation to parishioners who need and request a ride to church services and activities.

Martha's Meals

This is a group of parishioners, some who prepare and others who deliver meals to families who are in immediate need due to illness, birth of a child, or death in the family.

Visitation and Caregiving

This ministry does not require nursing skills. It is a way that we connect with our hospitalized and homebound parishioners and also their families to check on their needs and offer support.

Pastoral Care Team: Deb Allbright, Jean Lucas, Doreen Mills, Barbara O'Mealia

If you or someone you know in the parish is in need, please contact the church **(856) 845-0190**.

Remembrances for All Soul's Day
Monday November 3, 2025 6:30 pm Mass

We invite you to honor and remember your departed loved ones this All Soul's Day. Please use the All Soul's Day envelopes in the pew rack. If you have any questions, please contact the office (856)845-0190 or office@christchurch.woodburynj.org



Honor Special Moments & Loved Ones

Would you like to remember a departed loved one, celebrate a birthday or anniversary, or express your gratitude? You can do so by requesting Altar Flowers. Simply use the envelopes found in the pews - there's space on the back for you to share your information. Your offering will help beautify our worship and make your occasion even more meaningful.



Altar Flowers

Stewardship 2026 Following in Faith



Thank you to those who have pledged.

We have received 36 pledges to date totaling \$112,820.

Atkins, Robin
Bathurst, James & Mary Beth
Bird, Mary Beth
Brown, Joan
Civale, Lawrence
Coleman, Patrick
Curtis, Hughie
Daugherty, Fred & Audrey
Dennison, Thomas
Gwalthney, Frank & Helen
Hay, James & Denise
Hendricks, Mark

Henning, Kim
Hill, Douglas & Carol
Johnson, Robert & Kim
Jones, Amelia
Kaback, Susan
Kurtz, Richard & Gloria
Lasoski, Bernard & Beverly
Lewis, Steven & Jennifer
Lewis, Jr., Charles
McGeoch, Ellen
McGeoch, Scott & Marilynn
Mills, Doreen

Nichols, Philip
Novalsky, Mark & Susan
Sheets, Barbara
Shomo, Steve & Robertta
Simpson, Gwendolyn
Viereck, Michael & Kathleen
Wenzel, Jim & Donna
Whitehead, Bonnie
Wishnick, Nathan
Wishnick, Victoria
Wright, Kimberly
Yeiter, Sherman & Stacey

If you have not submitted your pledge please do so as soon as possible.
If you are in need of a pledge card they are available in the ushers area.

Christ Church Stewardship Prayer

Almighty God, our loving Creator and Giver of all good gifts, bless Christ Church as we discern how to recommit to Thee and Thy Church during this season of stewardship. Strengthen our faith and grant us the grace so that we may give generously of our time, talent and treasure in order to strengthen our parish so that we may spread Thy Kingdom in our community and throughout the entire world. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*



Chorister rehearsals

Children in 2nd grade and above are invited to join the Christ Church Choristers. We are affiliated with the Royal School of Church Music which provides a framework for choral singers to develop their vocal skills, their musical understanding, and their knowledge of the repertoire. No previous choral/singing experience required! We have a short rehearsal following Sunday school most Sundays, and sing in the service with the adult choir 1-2 times per month. We have a lot of fun and we hope to have more children join us! If your child/grandchild would like to become a chorister, please complete this Google Form: <https://forms.gle/j8StoLfiWrdAHrro9>.

Are you interested in pursuing a position of service and leadership in our parish?

Please prayerfully consider this opportunity and contact any member of the nominating committee: Sarah Cranston, Frank Gwalthney, Susan Novalsky and Cheryl Rheiner.



Calling all Coffee Hour Hosts...

We are in need of some volunteers to serve as Coffee Hour Hosts on many dates from now until the end of the year. Thank you to all who have signed up to provide some snacks to those who choose to attend our Adult Forum which is held right after 10 AM Mass. Our turnout has been averaging 25-30 persons. It does not have to be elaborate - donut holes and cheese/crackers would suffice. Just a snack to carry us over to when Sunday School ends (noon) and we can all go home for lunch.

Please see Mary Beth or Jim Bathurst if you have any questions. There is a sign-up sheet in the Parish Hall.



Bible Study Now in Session



Our weekly Bible Study is on Mondays at 8:00 PM via Zoom. **There will be no Bible Study this week, but we will resume on November 10 for a 6 week study 2 Timothy and Titus—letters that shape much of our Sunday worship this season.** Together, we'll reflect on themes of church leadership and faithful teaching using the *N. T. Wright for Everyone Bible Study Guide*.

We've had wonderful discussions in the past and would love for you to join us!

Zoom Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81627384062?pwd=PTpGtBPt7ZdyhgaiVzCreJFsn0vwM.1>

Priest-in-Charge

Fr. Lawrence Civale

Email: frcivale@christchurch.woodburynj.org


Cell Phone: (617) 947-3261, in case of a pastoral emergency.


Fr. Civale tries to keep Monday as his Sabbath day.





Youth Group Fall Outing – Dalton Farms

Join us for a fun fall afternoon at Dalton Farms Fall Festival is today October 26th at 12:00 pm.

 **Transportation:** Sarah Cranston, Scott and Anna Carr and Brandon Gorman will provide transportation from the church to Dalton Farms.

 **Tickets:** \$17.95 if purchased online in advance, or \$25 at the gate. Each participant is responsible for their own ticket. Tickets are available at [Dalton Farms Fall Festival](#).

 **Extra money:** Bring spending money for optional purchases (pumpkins, sunflowers, and treats).

 **Pick-up:** Parents should pick up their teens at Dalton Farms at 2:00 p.m.

 **RSVP Required:**

Please let us know if your child will be joining us so we can plan transportation. Friends are also welcome to join us -- this is a great opportunity to share our faith family with others!

You can **text or email Sarah Cranston** at 856-853-0210 or sarahcranston33@gmail.com



ECW (Episcopal Church Women)



The ECW at Christ Church meets the third (3rd) Wednesday of every month at 7:00 pm; Next meeting will be on November 19th . All women who attend Christ Church are considered members of the ECW. Since 1871, the National Episcopal Church Women, ECW, have championed women's rights and the Christian foundation of God and family. They are a ministry of the Episcopal Church and celebrate that Episcopalians believe in a loving, liberating, and life-giving God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew



The Brotherhood at Christ Church meets the third (3rd) Thursday of every month at 7:00 pm. The next meeting will be on November 20th. Join The Brotherhood of St. Andrew for prayer, study, and service. The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is an international ministry of men within the Anglican Communion with the commission of spreading Christ's kingdom among men and youth.

Winter Coat Drive

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is sponsoring a winter coat drive for the month of November. This drive is being done to assist Jeanette's Closet, an arm of the Greater Woodbury Cooperative Ministry. Coats for men, women and children of all sizes are needed for those who have been going without during the cold winter months. These coats should be in relatively good condition, clean and do not need repair. New coats are always accepted and often are used for Christmas gifts. Coats can be brought into Church on Sundays November 2 through November 26, and left with the ushers or in the Upper Assembly Hall. For more information see Steve Shomo, Ed Ferrell or Jim Bathurst



Parish Office Hours

Monday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Tuesday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Wednesday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Thursday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Friday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm



Greater Woodbury Cooperative Ministries Thanksgiving Drive

The GWCM is currently asking for our help collecting items for Thanksgiving dinner. Some examples are: Stuffing, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables (Potatoes, Yams, Onions, Squash, Carrots, Beans), Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Rice, Corn Muffin Mix, Jell-O or Pudding Mix.

We encourage every family at Christ Church to bring in one item each week to fill our table for this important ministry in our local community. Imagine the bounty we would be able to deliver!

Look for our table at the back of fellowship hall. We will be collecting until November 1st. This will allow time to assemble the bags for each family. This is a separate collection from our ongoing weekly food delivery



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Service Schedule

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM
Wednesday: 10:00 AM Healing Mass
Thursday: 6:30 PM Mass
Friday: 5:30 PM Evening Prayer
Sacrament of Penance (Confession)
by appointment

Priest-in-Charge

The Rev. Lawrence Civale

Our Vestry

Wardens: Tori Wishnick & Steve Lewis

Treasurer: Mark Novalsky

Clerk: Gwen Simpson

Class of 2026

Doreen Mills
Gwen Simpson
Sherm Yeiter

Class of 2027

Jim Bathurst
Charles Lewis
Tori Wishnick

Class of 2028

Laura Erasmus
Robertta Shomo
Nathan Wishnick

