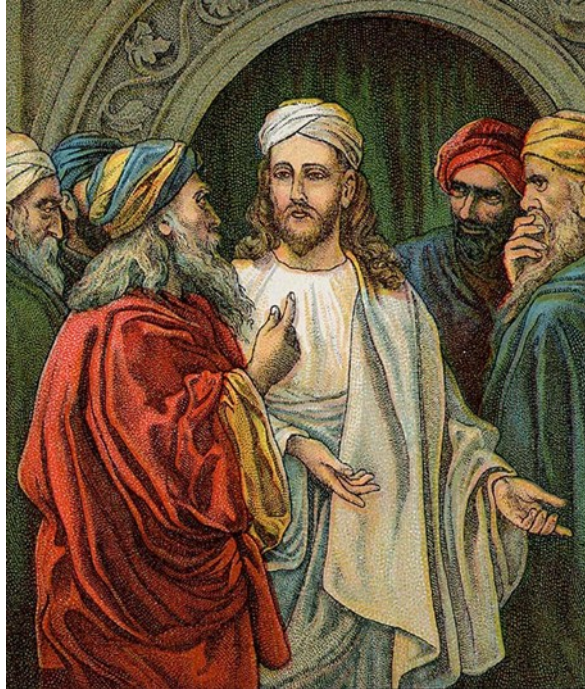


TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 18, 2026



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Christ Church

Woodbury, New Jersey

A Parish in the Diocese of New Jersey

Saturday 4:30 PM & Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM



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 10 am service. An usher will be happy to escort you there. **The Child Care Room 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.

Adult Forum is usually held during Coffee Hour in the Upper Parish Hall 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 Bible Study Adult Bible Study continues on Mondays at 8:00 pm via Zoom. 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 Parish Halls . 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 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Holy Eucharist: Rite I— Saturday 4:30 & Sunday 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
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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

the people are seated
The First Lesson: Isaiah 45-1-7Bulletin p. 5

the people remain seated
Gradual Psalm 96:1-13.....Bulletin p. 6

The Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 Bulletin p. 7

The people standing
The Holy Gospel: Matthew 22:15-22 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:</i>	
<i>Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.</i>	
<i>Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.</i>	
<i>Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.</i>	
<i>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>	Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
<i>People</i>	<i>Thanks be to God.</i>



THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Holy Eucharist: Rite I, 10:00 am

THE ENTRANCE RITE

Prelude: Improvisation

The Congregation stands when the bell is rung.

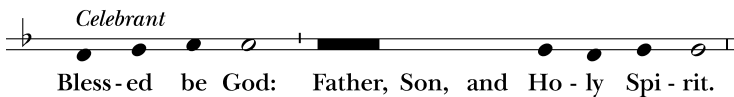
Processional Hymn 372 "Praise to the living God"*Leoni*

Introit.....*Mode VII*

Give peace, O Lord, to them that wait for thee, and let thy Prophets be found faithful: regard the prayers of thy servant, and of thy people Israel (Ps) I was glad when said unto me: we will go into the house of the Lord.. Glory be..., Give peace, O Lord...,

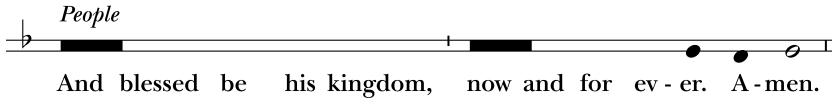
Opening AcclamationS76 Hymnal

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 PurityBCP 323

Summary of the Law.....BCP 324

Kyrie..... (see *H. Willan Music Supplement*)

Gloria in excelsis (see *H. Willan Music Supplement*)

COLLECT OF THE DAY (Proper 24)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People ***And with thy spirit.***

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, who in Christ hast revealed thy glory among the nations: Preserve the works of thy mercy, that thy Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of thy Name; through the same 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 Isaiah 45:1-7

Lector A reading from the Prophet Isaiah

Thus says the LORD to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped, to subdue nations before him and ungird the loins of kings, to open doors before him that gates may not be closed: "I will go before you and level the mountains, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut asunder the bars of iron, I will give you the treasures of darkness and the hoards in secret places, that you may know that it is I, the LORD, the God of Israel, who call you by your name. For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen, I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me. I am the LORD, and there is no other, besides me there is no God; I gird you, though you do not know me, that men may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is none besides me; I am the LORD, and there is no other. I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe, I am the LORD, who do all these things.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

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

The people remain seated.

Gradual Psalm 96 (*Cantate Domino*) Stephen Elvey (1805-1860)

Read responsively at the 4:30 pm & 8:00 am Mass

O SING unto the Lord a new song; * sing unto the Lord, all the whole earth.

Sing unto the Lord, and praise his Name; * be telling of his salvation from day to day.

Declare his honour unto the heathen: * and his wonders unto all people.

For the Lord is great, and cannot worthily be praised; * he is more to be feared than all gods.

As for all the gods of the heathen, they are but idols; * but it is the Lord that made the heavens.

Glory and worship are before him: * power and honour are in his sanctuary.

Ascribe unto the Lord, O ye kindreds of the people: * ascribe unto the Lord worship & power.

Ascribe unto the Lord the honour due unto his Name: * bring presents, and come into his courts.

O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: * let the whole earth stand in awe of him.

Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King: * and that it is he who hath made the round world so fast that it cannot be moved; and how that he shall judge the people righteously.

Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad: * let the sea make a noise, and all that therein is.

*Let the field be joyful, and all that is in it: * then shall all the trees of the wood rejoice before the Lord.*

For he cometh, for he cometh to judge the earth: * and with righteousness to judge the world, and the people with his truth.

The Epistle 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Lector

A reading from the Apostle Paul to the Thessalonians.

Grace to you and peace. We give thanks to God always for you all, constantly mentioning you in our prayers, remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brethren beloved by God, that he has chosen you; for our gospel came to you not only in word, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction. You know what kind of men we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you received the word in much affliction, with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit; so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For not only has the word of the Lord sounded forth from you in Macedonia and Achaia, but your faith in God has gone forth everywhere, so that we need not say anything. For they themselves report concerning us what a welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.

Lector

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

The people standing

Alleluia and Verse*Mode VI*

Alleluia. Alleluia. The heathen shall fear thy Name, O Lord: and all the kings of the earth thy majesty. Alleluia.

Sequence Hymn 377 “All people that on earth do dwell”.....*Old Hundredth*

The Holy Gospel Matthew 22:15-22

People

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

Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Then the Pharisees went and took counsel how to entangle Jesus in his talk. And they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, “Teacher, we know that you are true, and teach the way of God truthfully, and care for no man; for you do not regard the position of men. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar, or not?” But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, “Why put me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the money for the tax.” And they brought him a coin. And Jesus said to them, “Whose likeness and inscription is this?” They said, “Caesar’s.” Then he said to them, “Render therefore to Caesar

the things that are Caesar’s, and to God the things that are God’s.” When they heard it, they marveled; and they left him and went away.

	The Gospel of the Lord. <i>Praise be to thee, O Christ.</i>	
<i>People</i>		
<i>The people are seated</i>		
The Sermon		Fr. Civale
<i>The people standing</i>		
The Nicene Creed		BCP 327
A Litany of Thanksgiving:		

The leader and people pray responsively

<i>Intercessor</i>	Let us give thanks to God our Father for all his gifts so freely bestowed upon us. For the beauty and wonder of thy creations, in earth and sky and sea,
<i>People</i>	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For all that is gracious in the lives of men and woman, revealing the image of Christ,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For our daily food and drink, our homes and families, and our friends,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For minds to think, and hearts to love, and hands to serve,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For health and strength to work, and leisure to rest and play,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For the brave and courageous, who are patient in suffering and faithful in adversity,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For all valiant seekers of truth, liberty and justice,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	For the communion of saints, in all times and places,
	<i>We thank thee, O Lord.</i>
	Above all, we give thee thanks for the great mercies and promises given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord:
	<i>To him be praise and glory, with thee, O Father, and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen</i>

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

The people kneeling

The Confession of Sin BCP 330

The Peace

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.





Christ Church Stewardship Prayer

Almighty God, we thank thee for all of the gifts that thou hast given us; our lives, our loved ones, and all that we have, and all that we are. Most of all we thank thee for Jesus, thy son and our redeemer who came among us to show us the way to eternal life. Jesus was the perfect steward of thy gifts, showing that complete trust in thee is the most important part of following him. May the offerings of our time, talent, and resources be made in the spirit of sacrifice that Jesus taught us by his life and death for us. Who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, Amen

THE HOLY COMMUNION

the people standing

Offertory Sentence.....*Tone II*

Moses consecrated an altar unto the Lord, offering burnt offerings upon it, and sacrificing peace offerings: he made an evening sacrifice for a sweet-smelling savour unto the Lord God, in the sight of the children of Israel.

the people sitting

Offertory Anthem

“A Grateful Heart ”..... Mary Plumstead (1905-1980)
Lyrics: George Herbert (1593-1632)

Thou that hast given so much to me
Give one thing more, a grateful heart.
Not thankful when it pleaseth me,
As if Thy blessings had spare days:
But such a heart, whose pulse may be thy praise.
Thou that hast given so much to me
Give one thing more, a grateful heart.

Offertory Hymn 408 “Sing praise to God” *Mit Freuden Zart*

Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II BCP 340

Sursum corda S112 Hymnal

Celebrant *People*

The Lord be with you. And with thy spi - rit.

Celebrant *People*

Lift up your hearts. We lift them up un - to the Lord.

Celebrant

Let us give thanks un - to our Lord God.

People

It is meet and right so to do.

Sanctus et Benedictus qui venit (See *H. Willan Music Supplement*)

the people kneel for the canon of the Mass

The Great Amen S118 Hymnal

Celebrant *People*

A-men.

The Lord's Prayer S119 Hymnal

The people kneeling.

Fraction

Celebrant

Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

People

There - fore let us keep the feast. Al - le - lu - ia.

Agnus Dei (See *H. Willan Music Supplement*)

Prayer of Humble Access.....BCP 337

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

Invitation to CommunionBCP 338

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.

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Communion Sentence.....*Tone I*

Promise unto the Lord your God, and keep it: all ye that are round about him bring presents unto him that ought to be feared. He shall refrain the spirit of princes: and is wonderful among the kings of the earth

Communion Motet “Adoro te devote ”T.F.F. Candlyn (1892 - 1964)

Thee we adore, O hidden Savior, thee,
who at this blessed feast art pleased to be;
both flesh and spirit in thy presence fail,
yet here thy presence we devoutly hail.
O blest memorial of our dying Lord,
who living bread to all doth here afford!
O may our souls forever feed on thee,
and thou, O Christ, forever precious be!

Fountain of goodness, Jesus, Lord and God,
cleanse us, unclean, with thy most cleansing blood;
increase our faith and love, that we may know
the hope and peace which from thy presence flow.
O Christ, whom now beneath a veil we see,
may what we thirst for soon our portion be,
to gaze on thee unveiled, and see thy face,
the vision of thy glory and thy grace.

Communion Hymn 706 “In your mercy, Lord, you called me ”*Halton Hogate*
the people kneeling

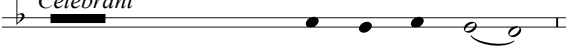
Post Communion Prayer BCP 339

The Blessing.....BCP 339

The people standing

The DismissalS 174 Hymnal

Celebrant



Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People



Thanks be to God.

Processional Hymn 665 “All my hope on God is founded”.....*Micheal*

Postlude Improvisation

Those Who
Serve Today

8:00 am

Celebrant: The Rev. Lawrence Civale

Server & Chalice: Bernie Lasoski

Lector: Bernie Lasoski

Ushers: Mark Hendricks & Brian Erasmus

10:00 am

Celebrant: The Rev. Lawrence Civale

Organist: Matthew Glandorf

Master of Ceremonies: Jim Bathurst

Crucifer: CeCe Lyden

1st Server: Thomas Piskun

2nd Server: Joey Scales

Torches:

Thurifer: Brandon Gorman

Acolyte Master: Robertta Shomo

Chalice Bearers: Sarah Cranston & Jim Bathurst

Lector I & Intercessor: Kim Henning

Lector II: Kim Henning

Ushers: Mark Novalsky & Steve Rash

Childcare: Jennifer Allbright

Vestry Lock up: Charles Lewis

Notewriter: Marilyn McGeoch

Food Bank: Mike & Darcie Sanchez

Vestry Counters: Team 4: Nathan Wishnick, Doreen Mills & Charles Lewis

Coffee Hour Host: Marilyn McGeoch & ECW

Prayer List



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

Pray for those who are in immediate need, especially: Sidney, Paul, John, Wesley, Nancy, Aimee, Bill, Edward, Baby Mark, Baby Anderson, Khoury, Don, John, Luke, Baby Emily, Francine, Mary C., Luke, Averil, Phil, Jack, Terry, J.J., Maureen, Louise, Janet, Krista, Rich, Dottie, Hughie, Easton, Mike, Warren, David, Steve, Mike, Gloria.

Pray for those with enduring needs: Pat, Gwen, Joy, Stephen, Sandie, Shirley, Ella Beth, Becca, Barbara T, Joshua, Anne, 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, 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: Omar, CJ, Jacob

Please advise the Parish Office of any names that no longer need to be on this list. Thank you

LITURGICAL NOTES ON HONORING THE CROSS

The cross or crucifix is the most powerful symbol in our lives as Christians. We are reminded of Christ's sacrificial love and his victory over sin, brokenness and death. We are reminded that we are a people reconciled and in covenant with Christ and each other by means of our baptism. As we gaze upon the cross, it should fill us with gratitude, joy, and thanksgiving for Christ's work on our behalf.

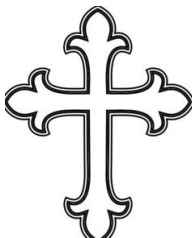
The Special Role of the Processional Cross

As the cross leads the opening procession, it symbolizes that Christ is in our midst and faithfully gathers us as a united people, His Church. We move from our lives outside to a visibly united life around the altar where we worship and where we are nourished to do the work we are called to do. We should be focused on the cross, not only in procession, but on the altar throughout the Mass. As the cross passes by we bow and turn toward the altar. We don't wait until the rest of the procession passes by because the cross and what is going to happen on the altar is now our focus.

The processional cross takes on a special meaning during the closing procession as well. We are a people who have been nourished and strengthened. As we leave the church, we leave entrusting our lives to the One who has nourished us and who goes before us. We are a united people in faith, led by Christ, moving out into the world with a duty to spread the Gospel as that Body of Christ.

The Gospel Procession

You may notice at the 10:00 Mass we no longer lead the Gospel procession with the cross. This is because our sole focus is on the Gospel itself. Instead of bowing and turning as the cross goes by, we may bow and turn as the Gospel book goes by. This shows that we are now focused in a special way on hearing the teachings of Jesus and hearing about his life, passion, death and resurrection.



Upcoming Events

Monday <i>The Martyrs of North America, 1642-49</i> <i>Henry Martyn, Priest & Missionary to India,</i>	October 19	6:00 PM	AA
Tuesday <i>Feria</i>	October 20	NOON 8:00 PM	AA Meeting AA Meeting
Wednesday <i>Feria</i>	October 21	10:00 AM 7:00 PM	Mass & Sacrament of Healing ECW Meeting
Thursday <i>Feria</i>	October 22	6:30 PM 8:00 PM	Mass AA Meeting
Friday <i>Saint James of Jerusalem</i>	October 23	5:30 PM	Evening Prayer
Saturday <i>Feria</i> <i>Eve of the Twenty-Second Sunday after</i>	October 24	4:30 PM	Vigil Mass
Sunday <i>The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost</i>	October 25	8:00 AM 10:00 AM	Mass Choral Mass

Designated Monthly Offerings

OctoberAll Souls
November.....Thanksgiving

Readings for the Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost—October 25, 2026

Leviticus 19:1-2,15-18
Psalm 1
1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Matthew 22:34-46

*Please note Christ Church uses the
RSV Bible Translation

UPCOMING EVENTS & SPECIAL MASSES AT CHRIST CHURCH

Saturday Evenings: Vigil Mass - 4:30 pm

- November 1** All Saints' Day
- November 2** All Souls' Day- Requiem Mass 6:30 pm
- November 13** Christmas Attic 5:00 - 8:00 pm
- November 14** Christmas Attic 9:00 am- 3:00 pm



**Pack a
Shoebox!**

National Collection Week

Nov. 16-23

SamaritansPurse.org/OCC

Shoe Boxes can be
picked up
during Adult Forum
in the
Parish Hall.



GWCM Special Collection



GWCM is collecting Thanksgiving Dinner "fixens" to give to their clients.

These items include:

Stuffing, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables (Potatoes, Yams, Onions, Squash, Carrots, Beans), Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Rice, Corn Muffin Mix, Jell-O or Pudding Mix.

These items are separate from our weekly food bank donations. Please put them on the table in the back of Fellowship Hall. If you are not going upstairs, you can give them to an usher – just let them know it's for Thanksgiving.

Christmas Attic

We are just weeks away from our Christmas Attic event on Friday, 11/13 and Saturday, 11/14. Your donations are sorted and ready to be set up in the parish hall. The Signup Genius will soon be available. Pictures of last year's Christmas Attic at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Doylestown, PA will be on display in the upper assembly room this coming Sunday so that you can see what our next step will look like. An important part of the Christmas Attic will be the Check Out teams. We will need three Check-out teams, one for Friday evening, and two shifts on Saturday. Each team will have four volunteers. Volunteer #1 will take the price tags from the items being purchased. Volunteer 2 will total the amount using a calculator/adding machine. Volunteer 3 will be the cashier to receive the cash or check payment for the items that will then be passed to Volunteer 4, who, if needed, will wrap and bag the items. If you are interested in being part of one of our three check-out teams, please sign up on the Signup Genius.

The check out area will need newspaper, bubble wrap, tissue paper, shoe boxes, small – medium-size delivery boxes, and shopping bags. You may bring them to the parish hall the week before the Christmas Attic.

Christmas Attic Posters and postcards are being prepared and will soon be available for your distribution to places where you shop or dine. Remember to 'check out' the many opportunities that will be available to serve and enjoy this event with our parish family.



GWCM Christmas Hygiene Bags

(For those who want to get started collecting)

This year GWCM will again be giving each family a hygiene bag for Christmas. I volunteered our Christ Church Family to turn in 50 bags. Last year, one Christ Church family assembled these after their Thanksgiving Dinner! What a great idea! I know we can do this!

Each bag will be a gallon zipper bag that includes:
soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo, disposable razors, and dental floss. (No mouthwash please).

We are hoping each Christ Church family will be able to contribute a bag or two. If your children need service hours this is a great project for them to work on – we can give them a service hours receipt.

This collection will start Sunday, Nov. 8th and end on Sunday, Dec 13th.

For more information about GWCM visit gwcm.org



What's The Buzz About?

The ECW at Christ Church meets the third(3rd) Wednesday of every month at 7:00 pm 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, they are on a break for the summer and meetings will resume in September. 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.

Coffee Hour Hosts Needed for 2026–2027

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to host Coffee Hour. If you have not yet volunteered, please review your schedule and choose a date that works well for you. To sign up, choose whichever option is most convenient: use the SignUpGenius QR code below; contact Mary Beth at jim5001@verizon.net or 609-412-0691; contact Jim at 609-472-2812; or add your name to the list in the Parish Hall.

On Sundays when no one is available to host, coffee, tea, fellowship, and learning will still be offered, although no food will be served. Thank you for helping make Coffee Hour a warm and welcoming time for our parish family. Your hospitality helps create a joyful place to gather, connect, and grow in fellowship—we hope you will join us!



Remembrances for All Souls Day

We invite you to honor and remember your departed loved ones this All Souls Day. Please use the envelopes in the pew rack and check All Souls Day and list the names on the back of the envelope of whom you would like to be remembered or please contact the office at 856-845-0190.





Parish Office Business Hours

Monday - Friday

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Email: parishadministrator@christchurchwoodbury.org

Phone: (856)845-0190

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. Civalè.

Rector

Fr. Lawrence Civalè

Email: frcivale@christchurchwoodbury.org

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

Father Civalè observes Tuesdays as his Sabbath.



Adopt-a-Project: Caring for Our Parish Home

We continue to ask that you consider contributing to the Fund which will be used to address our facility and grounds needs. Donations of any amount are greatly appreciated. Just use the white envelopes in the pews and write in Adopt-a Project. The projects that we would like to complete are the shades in the Sunday School wing, repairing of the rear property gate, improving the walkway from the Rectory to the Church and the replacement of the utility shed. Thank you for helping us maintain our property.

Christ Church Member Directory

The member directory is complete. We have been reaching out trying to get updated information from everyone. Some individuals have opted not to be listed in the directory. In the back of the church they are in envelopes with every parishioner's name listed alphabetically. Anyone that has their newsletter mailed to them will also have the member directory mailed to them as well. Thank you to everyone that responded.



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*A Parish of the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey
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Service Schedule

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

Wednesday: 10:00 AM Healing Mass

Thursday: 6:30 PM Mass (Except Summer)

Friday: 5:30 PM Evening Prayer

Sacrament of Penance (Confession)
by appointment

Rector

The Rev. Lawrence Civale

Our Vestry

Wardens: Tori Wishnick & Steve Lewis

Treasurer: Mark Novalsky

Clerk: Nathan Wishnick

Class of 2027

Jim Bathurst

Charles Lewis

Class of 2028

Brandon Gorman

Robertta Shomo

Nathan Wishnick

Class of 2029

Doreen Mills

AnnaLisa Rodano

