

Celebration of Holy Eucharist
Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany



Christ Episcopal Church
Kensington, Maryland
February 8, 2026
5:00 PM

A Blessed Sunday & Welcome to All

Whether at home or in-person, we are so glad you have joined us for worship this evening, especially if you are new or visiting!

Children of all ages are welcome in the service. We welcome little voices and exploration. There are child-friendly activities on a table in the back of the sanctuary should you want them. On Sunday mornings, we have faith formation for PreK - 5th grade, and Junior High Youth Group at 9:30am. Nursery coverage is provided from 9:30-12:30pm.

All are welcome to receive communion. At this service, we gather around the altar after the Eucharistic Prayer and pass the bread and wine around the circle. See more detailed instructions in the Distribution of Communion notes in the service. The presider will dismiss everyone with the words "Go in peace."

Offerings. You may make a donation by placing cash or checks in the offering plate in the back of the sanctuary, or you may also give online via the link on our website, or simply scan the QR code below. We are grateful for your support!



All-gender restrooms are located at the end of the hallway off the back of the sanctuary.

If you are participating via Zoom, please know that you are as much a part of our worship today as those in the church! We hope you participate fully, sing loudly, and use the chat function to greet one another and add prayers.

If you have the pre-consecrated sacrament at home, join in the communion after the invitation. If you are at home and do not have the sacrament, the prayer for a spiritual communion is printed in the bulletin.

Welcome to all our visitors!

Please introduce yourself and if you'd like more information, fill out a visitor's card in the pew racks. You can also email Parish Administrator Jen Luna administrator@ccpk.org, or call us at 301-942-4673. We'd be happy to connect with you, and if you wish, add you to our weekly e-newsletter the Christ Church Connection. Visit our website at www.christchurchkensington.org.

**We are better for your presence with us today,
and would love to get to know you.**

Liturgy of the Word

Prelude

Welcome

Opening Hymn *Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling*



1 Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er dwell-ing in the ho-liest realms of light;
2 Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er liv-ing as the church's ver-y life;
3 Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er work-ing through the church's min-is-try;



Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er brood-ing o'er a world of gloom and night;
Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er striv-ing through us in a cease-less strife;
quick-'ning, strength-'ning, and ab-solv-ing, set-ting cap-tive sin-ners free;



Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er rais-ing those of earth to thrones on high;
Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er form-ing in the church the mind of Christ:
Ho-ly Spir-it, ev-er bind-ing age to age and soul to soul



liv-ing, life-im-part-ing Spir-it, you we praise and mag-ni-fy.
you we praise with end-less wor-ship for your gifts and fruits un-priced.
in com-mu-nion nev-er end-ing, you we wor-ship and ex-tol.

Text: Timothy Rees, 1874–1939, alt.

Music: IN BABILONE, *Oude en Nieuwe Hollandse Boerenlities en Contradansen*, 1710

Opening Acclamation

Presider Blessed be the one, holy and living God.

People **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

The Collect of the Day

Presider God dwells in you.

People **And also in you.**

Presider Let us pray.

O God of light, your searching Spirit reveals and illumines your presence in creation. Shine your radiant holiness into our lives, that we may offer our hands and hearts to your work: to heal and shelter, to feed and clothe, to break every yoke; to become repairers of the breach, with your help. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah

Isaiah 58: 1-9s

Shout out, do not hold back! Lift up your voice like a trumpet! Announce to my people their rebellion, to the house of Jacob their sins. Yet day after day they seek me and delight to know my ways, as if they were a nation that practiced righteousness and did not forsake the ordinance of their God; they ask of me righteous judgments, they delight to draw near to God. "Why do we fast, but you do not see? Why humble ourselves, but you do not notice?"

Look, you serve your own interest on your fast day, and oppress all your workers. Look, you fast only to quarrel and to fight and to strike with a wicked fist. Such fasting as you do today will not make your voice heard on high. Is such the fast that I choose, a day to humble oneself? Is it to bow down the head like a bulrush, and to lie in sackcloth and ashes? Will you call this a fast, a day acceptable to the LORD?

Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke? Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to hide yourself from your own kin? Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard. Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.

If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil, if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday. The Lord will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters never fail. Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many generations; you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 112:1-9 *Beatus vir* *read responsively by half verse*

1 Hallelujah!

Happy are they who fear the Lord *

and have great delight in the divine commandments!

- 2 Their descendants will be mighty in the land; *
the generation of the upright will be blessed.
- 3 Wealth and riches will be in their house, *
and their righteousness will last forever.
- 4 Light shines in the darkness for the upright; *
the righteous are merciful and full of compassion.
- 5 It is good for them to be generous in lending *
and to manage their affairs with justice.
- 6 For they will never be shaken; *
the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.
- 7 They will not be afraid of any evil rumors; *
their heart is right;
they put their trust in the Lord.
- 8 Their heart is established and will not shrink, *
until they see their desire upon their enemies.
- 9 They have given freely to the poor, *
and their righteousness stands fast for ever;
they will hold up their head with honor.

A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians *1 Corinthians 2:1-12*

When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to perish. But we speak God's wisdom, secret and hidden, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. None of the rulers of this age understood this; for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But, as it is written,

“What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived,
 what God has prepared for those who love him” —

these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. For what human being knows what is truly human except the human spirit that is within? So also no one comprehends what is truly God's except the Spirit of God. Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit that is from God, so that we may understand the gifts bestowed on us by God.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
 People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn #490 *I want to walk as a child of the light*

1 I want to walk as a child of the light.
 2 I want to see the bright - ness of God.
 3 I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.

I want to fol - low Je - sus.
 I want to look at Je - sus.
 I want to be with Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world. The
 Clear sun of right - eous - ness, shine on my path, and
 When we have run with pa - tience the race, we

star of my life is Je - sus.
 show me the way to the Fa - ther.
 shall know the joy of Je - sus.

Refrain

In him there is no dark - ness at all. The

night and the day are both a - like. The

Lamb is the light of the ci - ty of God. *rit.*

a tempo
Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

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The Gospel *Matthew 5:13-20*

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

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, “You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot.

“You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

“Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.”

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Homily

The Rev. Hope Christensen

The Creed

**We believe in God the Creator,
by whom every person in heaven and earth is named.
We believe in God the Son,
who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us with power from on high.
We believe in one God:
Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

As we pray together for the church and the world, our response is
"Hear our prayer."

A brief silence

For the gift of life, O Lord, we give you thanks. Infuse us with your light,
and make us instruments of that life-giving light. O God of mercy,
hear our prayer.

For all who live with fear, anxiety and uncertainty. Comfort and strengthen them, we pray,
that they may know the healing power of your love. O God of mercy,
hear our prayer.

For the leaders of nations and all who are in positions of political authority, that they may
hear your voice above all others and act in such a way that brings about healing and
reconciliation. O God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For our enemies, the ones for whom we would rather not pray, and for ourselves: lead us
from prejudice to truth; deliver us from hatred and revenge; give us courage to overcome
our fears and build bridges of love. O God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For those who mourn and wonder, "O God, where were you?" May they know your
presence, and the comfort of our care. O God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For all prisoners and refugees, for the homeless and destitute, the lost, the lonely and the
sick, particularly those in need of healing in our parish, including Maggie, Carl, Phyllis,
Jon, America, Lissa, and William; and for those we now name.

Your prayers for healing are invited.

O God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We remember all who now rest from their labors, those killed in gun violence, in war, in
disasters natural and human made, and those we name before you now, on our lips or in
our hearts,

Your prayers for the departed are invited.

Keep us in fellowship with all your saints and bring us at last to the joy of your heavenly
kingdom. O God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We give you thanks for the blessings of this life, large and small.

Your thanksgivings are invited.

O God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Presider adds a concluding collect, either the following or another.

O Lord our God, may the light and hope of this season, and of your Son's Incarnation, reassure our hearts that you are among us, that you hear our prayers, and that you will be with us always, even to the end of the age. **Amen.**

Confession & Absolution

Let us confess our sins to God.

A moment of silence

Merciful God, we have sinned in what we have thought and said, in the wrong we have done, and in the good we have not done.

We have sinned in ignorance:

we have sinned in weakness:

we have sinned through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry.

We repent and turn to you. Forgive us, for our Savior Christ's sake, and renew our lives to the glory of your name. Amen.

The Presider offers absolution

The Peace

Presider The Peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence



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The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord is here.

People **God's Spirit is with us.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Blessed are you, Lord God, our light and our salvation; to you be glory and praise forever. Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, for ever praising you and saying:

The Sanctus *Santo, Santo, Santo*

San - to, san - to, san - to, mi cor - a - zon te a - do - ra! Mi
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you! My

cor - a - zon te sa - be de - cir: san - to - e - res Se - ñor.
 heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, Lord.

From the beginning you have created all things. In the fullness of time you sent your Son, the Word made flesh, to reveal your glory, to bring light to the nations, and to call us out of darkness into your marvelous light.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Recalling his life, death and resurrection, we offer you these gifts of bread and wine, and our own lives as a living sacrifice. Send your Holy Spirit upon us, and upon these gifts, that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Son.

Shine your light upon your Church, O God,
**that we who are fed by this holy food
 may be filled with the radiance of Christ
 and show forth your light in all the world.**

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory are yours, O source of all light, now and forever. **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer (*contemporary version*)

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

The Presider breaks the bread.

Presider We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
People We who are many are one body, for we all share one bread.
Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God, holy food for holy people.

All are welcome to receive communion at Christ Church!

At this service we gather in a circle around the altar and pass the bread and wine to one another. When you give the bread to your neighbor, it is our custom to say "the body of Christ" and you may add "the bread of heaven"; with the wine, "the blood of Christ" and you may add "the cup of salvation." If you forget the words, simply pass the bread and wine with respect & love! You may either sip from the chalice or "intinct" (dip the bread in the wine). If you do not want to partake of the wine, please pass it along to the next person with the accompanying words. Gluten-free wafers are available, alert the priest. If you'd like to join the communion circle but not receive the bread and wine, cross your arms over your chest, and the priest will offer you a blessing instead. When all have received, the Presider will say "Go in Peace," and all return to your seats.

For those at home without the sacrament – A Prayer for A Spiritual Communion:

Faithful God, in the wonder of your wisdom and love, you fed your people in the wilderness with the bread of angels, and you sent Jesus to be the bread of life. Although I am not consuming the gifts of bread and wine, I thank you that I have received the sacrament of Christ's presence. By the power of the Holy Spirit, may I embody your desire and be renewed for your service, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

**Loving God, you have nourished us at the table of life and hope.
Teach us your way of peace, sustain us as we work for justice, and empower us
as we proclaim your love to the world, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

Blessing

Closing Hymn *My Heart Sings Out #59 - Longing for light*



1 Long-ing for light, we wait in dark-ness. Long-ing for
 2 Long-ing for peace, our world is trou-bled. Long-ing for
 3 Long-ing for food, man - y are hun - gry. Long-ing for
 4 Long-ing for shel - ter, man - y are home-less, long-ing for
 5 Man - y the gifts, — man - y the peo - ple, man - y the



truth, we turn to you. Make us your own,
 hope, man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone has
 wa - ter, man - y still thirst. Make us your bread,
 warmth, — man - y are cold. Make us your build - ing,
 hearts that yearn to be - long. Let us be ser - vants



your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see. _____
 pow - er to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice. _____
 bro - ken for o - thers, shared un - til all are fed. _____
 shel - ter - ing o - thers, wall made of liv - ing stone. _____
 to one an - oth - er, mak - ing your king - dom come. _____

Refrain



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.



Shine through the dark - ness. Christ, be our light!



Shine in your church gath - ered to - day. _____

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Dismissal

Go in peace bearing God's love and light to the world. Alleluia, Alleluia!

People

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Postlude

Announcements

*The altar flowers today are given by Barbara Swartz to the glory of God
and in loving memory of her brother, David Field Brittle.*

Love in Action: Reaching Our Neighbors

TODAY - CARROT SUNDAY!

It's our inaugural Second Sunday Carrot Collection at Christ Church.

Please place your **TWO-POUND BAGS OF CARROTS** in the receptacles at the back of the sanctuary. They will be stored in the fridge until taken to San Mateo for the food distribution to 250+ families. *Did you forget your carrots?* Feel free to drop them off later today, before the 5:00 service this evening. Or simply put cash in the collection plate, which will be designated for the project.

Feb 11: Monthly Food Packing at San Mateo Volunteer to help bag groceries - including those carrots! - for distribution to families in need at San Mateo Episcopal Church in Hyattsville, MD. This **Wednesday, February 11**, we'll meet in the CC parking lot, load the carrots and carpool over together. Interested? Please let Margaret Broe FitzPatrick know if you are coming by the morning of *Tuesday, Feb 10*, at magbroefitz@aol.com.

Food Justice DMV assists our immigrant neighbors with essential food and supplies. Please donate infant formula and diapers to help. You can leave them in the hallway across from the Outreach board. We will deliver them to Food Justice at least monthly. Do you want to know more about Food Justice DMV? Contact volunteer Thea Kayne theakayne@gmail.com.

Love in Action: Racial & Social Justice

Forum on Migrant Support: Next Sunday, February 15 Come learn about the migrant support work happening across the Episcopal Diocese of Washington, updates on our Care Pod ministry here at Christ Church, and ways to participate. We will have representatives from the Diocese here to share with us the work of the EDOW Refugee Response Team, and how you can get involved in this critical work. Please join us for this important conversation in the Parish Hall after the 10:00 a.m. service!

All are welcome to join the Mercy Team Support the vulnerable in the current political crisis and put your faith into action. To join the Mercy Team distribution list, contact Cynthia Mitchell at justice@ccpk.org or Thea Kayne at theakayne@gmail.com. *This is the best way to find out about emerging needs and a variety of ways to get involved.*

Care Pod: The Mercy Team is forming a *second* "Care Pod" - a circle of care and support - for an extended family of 13 in crisis in our region. If you would like to have a major impact on the well-being of a family struggling with the recent detainment or deportation of a loved one, **please come to the Forum on Feb 15th** and consider volunteering to be part of the second Care Pod. Email Thea Kayne for more information.

Celebrating Black History Month The 2026 Black History Month theme, “A Century of Black History Commemorations” marks the 100th anniversary of celebrations of Black history across the USA. Throughout the month in our weekly Connections email, we will be including information about the evolution of Black History Month. Check out this week’s email to answer the question, “Why is Black History Celebrated in February?”, including a quiz to test your knowledge of key moments in black history.

General Announcements:

Prime Timers February Meeting: Assisted Living Mary Squirewell, a Long Term Care Ombudsman for the Montgomery County Department of Aging will speak on finding an assisted living facility for yourself or family members. Join us on **Tuesday, February 10 at Noon** in the Parish Hall. We will pick up the usual sandwich, chips and cookies at Subway for lunch (\$10) if you wish. Let us know by Monday, February 9, what kind of sandwich you want. Call Anne Chase at 202-277-5266 or Bob Healy at 202-277-4306.

Shrove Tuesday Annual Pancake Supper, February 17, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Plan to come celebrate Mardi Gras at Christ Church with pancakes, sausage and other delights! Volunteers for prepping, flipping, serving, cleaning, and dancing, please contact the Pancake Potentate Katie Wallace katiwallace818@gmail.com or sign up online via the CC Connection. Wear those Mardi Gras beads! Invite your friends! Games for the young and young at heart.

Ash Wednesday, February 18.

Noon and 7:00 pm: Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes

6:00 pm: Short Service with Imposition of Ashes, suitable for all ages, particularly children and youth.

2025 Giving Statements have been sent. At the end of January, 2025 Giving statements were emailed to parishioners who have an email address in their Realm profile and mailed to all others. If you have questions or didn’t receive yours, contact Jen Luna, Parish Administrator, for help at administrator@ccpk.org or (301) 942-4673. Thank you for your continued generosity in support of Christ Church.

We raise to God those who are on our hearts and are in need of prayer:

Friends and Family of our Community

All who ask for prayers through our website

Anthony

Bob (friend of Nachin Bone)

Bruce Beamer (uncle of Nina Upshaw)

Betty

Charles

Coley Beggy (friend of the Hoffeditz Family)

Susan Best (sister-in-law of Jeff Taylor)

Moises Carera and the Carera family

Susan Catlette

Cecelia

Cindy

Eric Cozzens (son of Peter Cozzens)

Yvonne Dean (friend of Bonnie Douglas)

Kelly Doig (friend of Katie, Jackie & Katherine)

Daniel Epps (father of Cynthia Mitchell)

Gerald & Sandy Giddings (relatives of Liz & Bob Quinn)

John Godfrey (brother of Rena Godfrey)

Sandra Goldman (mother of Brad Christmas)

Gema Guarin (friend of Joan Centrella)

Rob Guzzon (father of a friend of Katherine Chatt)

Laura (friend of Betsy Robbins)

Doug Hanscom (friend of Emily Guthrie)

Lisa Harrison (friend of MaryBeth and Mike Etherton)

Earl Hill (godfather of Sean Quinn)

Terry Hodge (friend of Annie Seale)

Amanda Hoey (daughter of Anne Witt)

Bob Hoffman and his son Cornell

Floris & Rob Houston (friends of Joan Centrella)

John (friend of Mary Ellen Huzzard)

Nelly Jones (mother of Jennifer Jones)

Robert Kellam (cousin of Victoria Thanos)

Neal Klasky (friend of Lori Pujol)

Nancy & Pete Lane (sister & brother in law of Joan Centrella)

Abbi Livay (granddaughter of Ann Hagan)

Ray Martens (uncle of Roma Hart)

Martha (prayers for healing)

Maureen (friend of Donna Berkowitz)

Chris McCann (cousin of Katie Wallace)

Nick McGray (father of Craig McGray)

Meaghan Morin (Kensington neighbor)

Melanie Moxness (niece of Dwight Allen & Joan Centrella)

Miriam

Nicole

Dave Olson (father of Jenay Olson)

Cabrini Pak (friend of Dwight Allen)

Dawn Porter (friend of Liz McLeod)

Vivian Puricelli (mother of Lee Puricelli)

Ricky Reeves (grandson of Pat Reeves)

Robbie (friend of Sibbie O'Sullivan)

Andrew Rupli (son of Brenda Rupli)

Lori Richards (sister of Lisa Albright)

Sarah Rosenbaum (friend of Helen Urquhart)

Karen Sechrist (friend of Liz Quinn)

Margarita Serrano

Jerry Sheard (brother of Liz Quinn)

Scott Sherman (brother of Sara Thorne)

Sr. Margaret (friend of Leslie Everheart)

Naneita Smith (daughter of Calvin Smith)

Ben Sudbrink (son of Emily & Bill Sudbrink)

Rick V. (friend of Lori Pujol)

Mia Van Bee (sibling-in-law of Madison Chase)

Ronald Young (cousin of Patrice Whiting)

Those in our community in need of healing prayers:

Helen Paige Buck, Bonnie Douglas, Maggie Elgin, Anne Fox, Carl Keith, Phyllis Knight, Jon Martineau, America Perez, Lissa Ramsepaul, Calvin Smith, Ellen Thomas, Sara Thorne, Helen Urquhart, and William West; all caregivers; all federal civil servants.

Those in need of continued prayer: Nora Buckley, Dorothy Clarke, Sara Cowan, Florence Crozier, David Dixon, Stephanie Feller, John Frohman, Ray Gardiner, Liz McLeod, Lee Puricelli, and Betsy Robbins.

We remember those in our community serving our country.

Clara Bartram, Alex Cox, Michael Cullinane, Alex Miller and David Hanna.

We remember those who have died: especially Jim Tavares (brother of Phyllis Knight); Jay Douglas (brother of Bonnie Douglas).

We give thanks: for all in our parish who celebrate their birthdays this week, including Emily Guthrie (2/8), Samuel Weston (2/12), Maeve O'Sullivan (2/13), Katharin Gagarin (2/14), and Pam Stanziani (2/14). Happy Birthday! Have we missed your birthday? Please let us know!

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This Week at Christ Church

Sunday, February 8 – Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I, In person only
9:30 AM Children's Faith Formation, Parish Hall & Classrooms
10:00 AM Children's Chapel, Parish Hall
10:00 AM Holy Eucharist, In Person and Live Streaming on YouTube
11:30 AM Faith & Science Panel Discussion, Parish Hall
11:30 AM Choir Rehearsal
4:00 PM Bible Study, Church Library and Live on Zoom
5:00 PM Holy Eucharist, In person and Live on Zoom

Monday, February 9 – Office Closed

8:30 PM Compline, Live on Zoom

Tuesday, February 10

7:30 PM Holy Handcrafters, church library

Wednesday, February 11

6:30 PM Evening Prayer, Live on Zoom

Thursday, February 12

12:15 PM Prayers for Peace, Live on Zoom
7:00 PM Lectio Divina, Live on Zoom
8:00 PM Compline, Live on Zoom

Sunday, February 15 – Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany/Transfiguration

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I, In person only
9:30 AM Children's Faith Formation, Parish Hall & Classrooms
10:00 AM Children's Chapel, Parish Hall
10:00 AM Holy Eucharist, In Person and Live Streaming on YouTube
11:30 AM Migrant Support Forum, Parish Hall
11:30 AM Choir Rehearsal
4:00 PM Bible Study, Church Library and Live on Zoom
5:00 PM Holy Eucharist, In person and Live on Zoom

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