

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH! We are happy to have you worship with us today! If you are a visitor or would like to know more about the life, work, and ministry of Christ Church, please fill out a "Connect Card" in the pew rack. You can drop the completed card in the offering plate or give it to a member of our staff, an usher, or a Vestry member following the service. We are glad you are here!

COFFEE HOUR: is immediately following the 10 am worship service. Light refreshments are served. Please consider staying after worship for this opportunity of fellowship!

SPIRITUAL FORMATION FOR CHILDREN: is held each week during the 10 am worship service. We use the Montessori-based curriculum, Godly Play. Interested children (K-5) are welcome to join in the procession. Children return to the Sanctuary during The Peace so they may join their families for Holy Eucharist.

TOWER LIGHTING: The tower lights are lit each night in March in loving memory of Margaret Moore from Paul and Marilyn Homa and family.

LINCOLN SCHOOL: There is no longer a problem getting peanut butter instead the problem is jelly. In addition to the jelly there is a need for ramen noodles, macaroni and cheese, spaghetti and fruit cups. Pants are

is being distributed as soon as they are received. There is a continued need for pants for boys and girls sizes 6, 8, 10, and 12. Thank you for your kindness and caring.

WARREN FAMILY MISSION: The Mission is now collecting hams for their community Easter dinner which is scheduled for April 7th from 12 pm until 2 pm at 155 Todd Avenue NW. In addition to the ham, the Mission collecting cans of crushed pineapples, green beans, corn, cream of mushroom soup, boxes of stuffing, mashed potatoes, jars of gravy, Hawaiian rolls, and dessert for the meal.

THE PARISH CHOIR REHEARSALS: are in the choir room on Thursdays at 7 pm. New members are always welcome!

PALM SUNDAY CHILDREN'S CLOTHING DRIVE: As part of our children's ministry's outreach, we will collect new or gently used children's Easter clothes each Sunday in Lent. You may deposit them in the narthex in the bins marked "Palm Sunday Clothing Drive". On Monday of Holy Week, Paul and children will take the clothes to Warren Family Mission to be distributed.

KISS THE DONKEY: Shirley, the donkey (actually, a Shetland pony), will be back to help us with our Palm Sunday festivities and procession. As in the past, we will have a fundraiser and sell tickets to vote on who will kiss the donkey on Palm Sunday. The candidates are: Father Tom, Paul Keriotis, Jamie Shiell, Linda Day, and Cortney Boggs. Please see Paul after worship to purchase your ticket and make your vote(s) count. Tickets are \$15 each.

SIMPLY CHOCOLATE: is offering another exciting fundraiser for "Arts on Atlantic" featuring: Mercken Chocolate. **Milk Chocolate Notes** will be for in sale The Narthex, on March 5th after the 10:00 o'clock service. (Only milk chocolates are available this year) For only \$2 each, proceeds support the "Arts on Atlantic" programming! Questions call MaryAnne Stefanick at 330-637-0427 or maryannes1937@gmail.com

We mourn the loss of Mark Peteritis. Our prayers are with his wife Lynn, his daughter Amanda, and his son Adam.



LENTEN BIBLE STUDY ON Wednesdays

10:00 am – 11:00 am Scripture and Spiritual Reflection

or

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm Soup, Scripture, Spiritual Reflection, and Compline

"Portraits of Jesus"

Each of the four Gospels presents a different portrait of Jesus. Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John each present a unique vision of who Jesus is and how he calls us to live a vibrant life of faith. In this Lenten program, we will look at each of the Gospels in turn and explore the unique message and invitation for our life of faith today.

We will begin with a simple soup supper at 5:30, the reflection program from 6:00 to 6:45 and conclude at 7:00 PM with Candlelight Compline in the Church.

March 1 "Matthew: Jesus, The Messiah – King"

March 8 "Mark: Jesus, The Miracle Man and Suffering Servant"

March 15 "Luke: Jesus, The Man Who Feels Our Pain"

March 22 "John: Jesus, A Visitor from the Heart of the Universe"

March 29 Looking to Holy Week: Why Did Jesus Have to Die?"