

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP AT 8 A.M.

Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Thomas E. Mathews Jr.

LEMs: Don Steen

First Reading/Psalmist: Jamel Shimpfky

Second Reading: Don Nagle

Intercessor: Bill Goodson

Ushers: Nancy Jacoby & Jo Kern

Altar Guild: Linda Duane, Kelly Duane, Doris Singlevich,
Pauline Burt

Perennials: Elaina Richardi

Nursing Homes: Van Dyk- Demafeliz/Llaams

THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP AT 10 A.M.

Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Thomas E. Mathews Jr.

Organist: Bill Trafka

LEMs: Felice Llamas & Don Nagle

First Reading: Felice Llamas

Second Reading: Frank Ducoat

Intercessor: Pat Kortjohn

Choir: Tim Berry, Susan Eggers, Bill Eggers, Troy Eggers, Chris Elliot,
Barbara Hemink, Toni Pasqualicchio, Elaina Richardi, Paris Simms,
Kelly Sullivan, Melinda Weber, Marlene Whittemore

Acolytes: Ainsley Goot, Jared Auriemma, Zachary Malo, Carson
Halpert, Alex Bodino, James Bodino

Ushers: Frank Ducoat, Lyle Hatch, Rick Hampson, Lynda Portela

Greeters: Lucy Di Maulo, Laura D'Alessio

INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Within our local community, Fr. Tom is part of a monthly gathering of Interfaith and local leaders, and they are planning to move the Interfaith Thanksgiving service from the Old Paramus Church to Temple Israel, 475 Grove St. Ridgewood, NJ this year in solidarity with our Jewish brothers and sisters. Please strongly consider attending on **November 20 at 7:30 P.M.**, which is followed by a reception.

Prayer Intentions

We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Carlye, our diocesan Bishop; Carlye, and Tom & Bill, our priests.

We pray for Donald, our President; Phil, our Governor; and all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world.

Parish Birthdays this Week:

Nov. 12- Anne Loving, Charlotte Pillow ; **Nov. 13-** Megan Stoddard ; **Nov. 15-** Emma Nagle ; **Nov. 16-** Callie Campbell, Claire D'Alessio, Maria Herbruck ; **Nov. 17-** David Rutherford

For those serving in the armed forces in harm's way overseas, and for all who suffer from violence in war-torn areas of the world.

For those among us whose hearts are troubled or are ill and infirm: Lynda Alessi, Silvana Botta, Marion Goetz, Bill Kirk, Andrew Landis, Don Rogers, Tom Savage, Patty Steen, Laurie Werling.

We remember all who have died.

Our **Prayer Chain Ministry** offers prayers for healing, hope and comfort; for joy and thanksgiving; for God's presence on the journey. *The Christ Church Prayer Chain* is a quiet and confidential ministry. All requests are considered strictly confidential. If you, or someone you know, needs or wants our prayers, contact Father Tom at: (201) 652-2350 or Linda Larson at (201) 934-7229.

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**CHRIST CHURCH
RIDGEWOOD**

DISCIPLES MAKING DISCIPLES FOR JESUS CHRIST:
By Encountering God, Equipping God's People, and
Extending God's Kingdom

Hymns & Psalm for 10 A.M.

PROCESSIONAL 9:	MORNING SONG	stanzas 1, 4, 5, and 6
GOSPEL 705:		FOREST GREEN stanzas 1 and 2 before the Gospel, stanza 3 following the Gospel
CHOIR ANTHEM:	"GIVE ALMES OF THY GOODS"	CHRISTOPHER TYE Give almes of thy goods, and turn never thy face from any poor man, and then the face of the Lord shall not be turned away from thee. Tobit 4:7
PRESENTATION 707:		HOLLINGSIDE
COMMUNION 656:		FRANCONIA
MISSIONAL 594:		CWM RHONDDA

PSALM 127

Verses are chanted on the reciting tone; change pitch on underlined syllables and with each new line of text, except for those that have two lines for parts of the verse.

Robert Knox Kennedy
(b. 1945)



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Choir only

1 Unless the LORD builds the house, *
their labor is in vain who build it.

2 Unless the LORD watches over the city, *
in vain the watchman keeps his vigil.

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3 It is in vain that you rise so early and go to bed so late; *
vain, too, to eat the bread of toil,
for he gives to his beloved sleep.

4 Children are a heritage from the LORD, *
and the fruit of the womb is a gift.

5 Like arrows in the hand of a warrior *
are the children of one's youth.

6 Happy is the man who has his quiver full of them! *
he shall not be put to shame
when he contends with his enemies in the gate.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

November 11, 2018

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
8:30 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
9:00 a.m. Adult Education/Coffee Hour
9:15 a.m. Joy! Worship
9:30 a.m. Nursery Care (ends at 11:30 a.m.)
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. African Drum Ensemble Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
11:15 a.m. Coffee Hour
11:15 a.m. Jubilation Choir Rehearsal
12 noon Luncheon at Kurth Cottage
2:00 p.m. Nursing Home: Van Dyk

ST. PAUL'S FOOD PANTRY THANKSGIVING DINNER FOOD DRIVE



Each Thanksgiving our parishioners generously provide the "fixings" for a Thanksgiving meal for families who come to the St. Paul's, Paterson, food pantry. Using the list of suggested items (around the church and a flyer in the e-newsletter), please fill a grocery bag (or two) with traditional food items as well as some of your own family favorites. If your grocery store rewards with a free turkey which you will not be using, these can be brought to the Christ Church freezer on or before Sunday November 18 - please clearly label for "St. Paul's."

We will be collecting the bags of food and turkeys on Sunday November 18. You can bring them to any of the three Sunday morning services and place them in the side altar area. As always, financial contributions for the Pantry are always welcome - checks should be made to Christ Church with "Food Pantry" indicated on the memorandum line.

The generosity of our Christ Church parishioners is witnessed so very dramatically each Thanksgiving - thank you all and God bless each of you.

INFERTILITY SUPPORT GROUP: CIRCLE OF HOPE

Are you struggling with infertility? Does it feel like no one knows what you are going through? Where can you turn for support?

Join our Circle of Hope, for free 'peer' support to anyone (men or women). It is a safe place to share your hurts, joys, concerns, and struggles and to learn from others who have gone through or are going through an infertility journey. The group will provide a confidential place.

Meetings will be held the first Monday of every month at 7:30 P.M. at Christ Church. For more information please contact Kristy at: (201) 674-2441 or Kristykins79@aol.com

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Please remember that this year's pledge Ingathering is scheduled for November 18th. Pledge packets have been mailed out and links to a printable pledge card and online pledge card will be available online soon. As you hear testimonials from your fellow parishioners over the next couple of weeks, please prayerfully consider your pledge response. Links to the introductory mailing documents are available at www.christchurchridgewood.org.

If you have any questions/comments, please contact Deanna Najork at 610-462-6041 or deanna.najork@gmail.com.

Thank you for your faithful support!

YOUTH GROUP—RSVP TO SKYZONE TRAMPOLINE PARK

The trip is scheduled for **November 18**. We will depart Church parking lot at 11:30 A.M. Lunch at Roma Pizza Restaurant in Waldwick (includes pizza and a drink). 60 minutes at SkyZone Trampoline Park in Allendale (includes purchase of required Skysocks). We will return to Church at 3:00 P.M. for pick up. **Cost:** \$30 per youth. May be adjusted up or down based on the number of participants.



The RSVP link is located in the e newsletter.

Scholarships are available, contact Mrs. Lee via e-mail: klee@christchurchridgewood.org

NEWCOMERS LUNCHEON A SUCCESS!

On Sunday, November 4th, Julie, Nancy and Karl restarted our Newcomer's Luncheons on behalf of the Vestry and Clergy, and it was very well received, about 30 people attended! Thank you again to all who were involved.

ADVENT WREATH MAKING EVENT

When: Sunday, December 2
Where: In The Great Hall
Time: 9:00 A.M. - 12 noon



Everyone is invited to create an Advent Wreath. All ages are welcome to participate. Individuals, Families and Sunday school children may work together to make their very own wreaths to take home, with a booklet of Advent inspirations to enjoy during the upcoming Advent season. \$12 suggested donation. Refreshments will be served.

Please sign up in the Cloisters to reserve your wreath materials.

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS

Coffee Hour is a well-loved time of weekly fellowship, friendship & food at Christ Church. We need your help to keep the tradition alive! Please consider hosting a Coffee Hour by bringing food, setting up snacks for the congregation and cleaning up. If you are interested in hosting a coffee-hour or want more information contact Nancy Jacoby or Lynn Prokop.

9 A.M. – Nancy Jacoby (njaco47@aol.com; 973.835.2161)
11:15 A.M. – Lynn Prokop (herbalqueen129@yahoo.com)

Thank you to Ken Cook for hosting Coffee Hour on **Sunday, November 4th!**

DON'T FORGET:

DONATE CLOTHING AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS

When you donate clothing and household goods to the Community Thrift Shop in Midland Park (85 Godwin Ave. behind the strip mall on the lower level), **30% of the proceeds are donated back to Christ Church and used for our Memorial Scholarship fund.**

- Please mark your box or bag of items with #1. Donated items need to be in good condition, clean, folded, and in season.
- Donors are asked to bring clothes and other items in a maximum four grocery bags, three tall white plastic kitchen bags, or two medium size boxes.
- Donations may be made every Monday between 10 A.M. and 2 P.M. and the first Saturday of the month between 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.

SAVE THE DATE!

November 11– African Drumming Ensemble Rehearsal
(re-scheduled from November 4)

November 17– Needlers Meeting in the Guilds Room at 9:30 A.M.

November 18– Ingathering Sunday

November 20– Interfaith Thanksgiving service at Temple Israel at 7:30 P.M.

March 30, 2019– Progressive Dinner at 5:00 P.M.