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721 Hall Street
Bridgeport

Annual Picnic in the Park

August 24, 2014

Christ Church / St. Barnabas Combined Service
9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist at the VA Park
Chalicerist / Lector: Marilyn Blake
Ushers: Bill & Dee Trimbach
Altar Guild: Carol Rogers and Jody Morse

Picnic following our worship.

Chicken and drinks will be provided.
Bring a covered dish for the picnic
and outdoor games for the afternoon.



Gratitude for Leadership

A call for leadership was given, and many have answered the call. For this we are grateful! Watch the list of leaders grow, and prayerfully consider where your leadership is needed.

Celebration Sunday:

Leaf Peeping Picnics after Church:

Evensong Evening: The choir will host.

Holiday Bazaar: Kathy and Stephanie Posey

Creation Art Show: Cathie Jones and Katie Wiegand

Backpack Blessings: Pam Critchfield and Sue Clovis

Thanksgiving Baskets: Tom and Susan Walsh

Parish Picnic in the Park: Jane Wade and Jody Morse

Blessing of the Animals:

Firefighters Appreciation Sunday:

St. Barnabas Sunday:

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper:

Sunday School Teachers:

Guy Gage, Nancy Cotten, Joe and Kipp Martin, Tina Clark, Bill Csutoros, Misty Richardson and Anne West. (We are building teams and could use more volunteers.)

Outreach Sunday

August 31, 2014

With the support of the vestry, two Sundays will be designated this year as **Outreach Sundays**. We do not have money for outreach budgeted. Knowing the strong commitment we have to serving in the local community and beyond we ask you to be generous as we fund our current projects; Backpack Blessings and Thanksgiving Baskets and stay open to other outreach needs and opportunities that come our way.

Join us on August 31 as we bless the first of these two offerings.

Looking Ahead

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August 31 - Outreach Ingathering

September 7—Celebration Sunday

September 14—Christian Education begins for all ages.

knowing, living, and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

We are thrilled to announce

The Rev. Dr. Frank Wade

Will be here

To lead an Advent morning Retreat

“Finding Jesus in the chaos of the season”

Saturday, December 6th

9:00 a.m. — 12:00 noon

Mark your calendars now for this great pre-Christmas gift

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Do you know who leads the way?

Your Vestry

Guy Gage, Senior Warden, Lyle Blake Junior Warden, Suzanne Wilson, Treasurer, Carol Rogers, Ann Kennedy, Bob Steptoe, Nancy Cotton, Shawn Williams and Beth Sickles

The Altar Guild Director

Kitty Clovis

Our Choir

Toni Limbers, Director and Organist, Bill Saviers, Pam Critchfield, Chuck Critchfield, Carol Rogers, Marilyn Blake, Jane Wade, Dick Clovis, Sue Clovis and Thomas Flowers

Our Acolytes

Nate Critchfield, Joshua Limbers, Caleb Limbers, Mitch Smith, Marlee Smith, and Thomas Flowers . We will be bringing some new acolytes on today.

Ushers

Zac Steed, Ben Hardesty, Tom Walsh, Jody Morse, Bill and Dee Trimbach, and Kitty Clovis
We will be bringing several new ushers on board in September