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Upcoming Events

- 12/3/17** Holy Eucharist at 10:00 a.m. at Christ Church
12/3/17 Holy Eucharist at 5:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas
12/4/17 Centering Prayer at 9:00 a.m. at St. Barnabas
12/6/17 Bible Study at 10:30 a.m. at Christ Church
12/10/17 Holy Eucharist at 10:00 a.m. at Christ Church
12/10/17 Annual Parish Meeting following the 10:00 service
12/10/17 Compline at St. Barnabas at 5:30 p.m.
12/12/17 Vestry Meeting at Christ Church at 6:30 p.m.
12/21/17 Blue Christmas Ecumenical Service at 7:00 at Christ Church on Thursday evening

Annual Parish Meeting and Dinner

The annual parish meeting will be December 10th immediately following the combined service at 10 o'clock at Christ Church Clarksburg. We will have a covered dish dinner during the annual meeting immediately following the 10:00 service. The main course will be provided, and parishioners are invited to bring sides and desserts to share. We will elect four vestry members: one to fill the term of the late Jane Wade and three for retiring members Kathy Posey, Ann Kennedy, and Bill Saviers; deanery representatives and convention delegates will also be elected.

Pledge Sunday – This Sunday, Dec. 3

So we can better plan for the 2018 Budget we are asking everyone to please consider completing a pledge card and placing it in the alms basin this Sunday. You can also make a "pledge plus" to a special expense. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Beth Ann at the Church Office.

Backpack Blessing Schedule

Pack after church on December 3
 Deliver on December 7 – Dick Clovis
 Shopper for December 7 – Beth Sickles
 Pack after church on December 10
 Deliver on December 14 – Corliss Barksdale
 Shopper for December 14 – Beth Sickles
 Pack after church on December 17
 Deliver on December 21 – Ben Barksdale

Serving Ministries

December 3, 2017

First Sunday of Advent

9:20 a.m. Choir Warmup
 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at Christ Church
 Lector: Susan Walsh
 Ushers: Tom Walsh & Zac Steed
 Acolyte: Nate Critchfield
 Altar Guild: Kitty Clovis and Brenda Barnes
 11:00 a.m. Coffee hour - in the parlors
 11:00 a.m. Pack Backpacks
 11:15 a.m. Adult forum
 11:45 a.m. Choir Practice
 5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at St. Barnabas
 Lector: Nancy Cotten
 Usher: Joe Martin
 Altar Guild: Kipp Martin

December 10, 2017

Second Sunday of Advent

9:20 a.m. Choir Warmup
 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at Christ Church
 Lector: Jody Morse
 Ushers: Ben Barksdale and Dee Trimbach
 Acolyte: Nate Critchfield
 Altar Guild: Kitty Clovis and Brenda Barnes
 11:00 a.m. Annual Parish Meeting and Dinner
 11:00 a.m. Pack Backpacks
 11:45 a.m. Choir Practice
 5:30 p.m. Compline at St. Barnabas
 Leaders: Kipp Martin and Nancy Cotten
Due to the parish dinner and the annual parish meeting, the second Sunday supper is being postponed until the third Sunday of December.

**Our mission is to know, live, and share
the Good News Story of Jesus Christ.**