



The Good News Weekly
Christ Episcopal Church ~ St. Barnabas Chapel
September 24, 2023



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 Clarksburg, WV**

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

**St. Barnabas Chapel
 (SBC)
 721 Hall Street
 Bridgeport, WV**

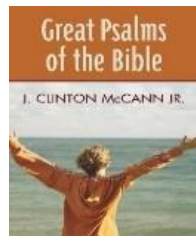
**This Week at Christ Church, Clarksburg
 and St. Barnabas Chapel, Bridgeport**

**September 24
 at 10:00 AM at Christ Church**
 Main and 6th Street in Clarksburg
Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
 Clergy: Deacon Chris Scott
 Lector: Ira Richardson

**September 24
 at 5:30 PM at St. Barnabas Chapel**
 721 Hall Street in Bridgeport
Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
 Clergy: Deacon Chris Scott
 Lector: Kipp Martin

**September 27
 Prayer Group at 10:00 AM
 at St. Barnabas Chapel**

**September 27
 Bible Study at 5:30 PM
 at Panera's in Eastpointe
 Psalm 32 and Chapter 5**



**September 28
 Bible Study at 10:30 AM
 in the parlor at Christ Church
 Reflection on prior week of Forward Day by Day**

**Welcome to Kaitlin Corbitt
 Our New Parish Administrator**



**Blessing of the Animals
 on St. Francis Day, Wednesday, October 4**

Spread the News

Deacon Chris will be
at the Bridgeport Dog Park
 Located between Hinkle Lake and Deegan Lake
 at 3:00 PM
 and
at St. Barnabas Chapel
 721 Hall Street in Bridgeport
 at 6:00 PM

to bless any and all kinds of pets.

Spread this information to **everyone** you can
 in the Bridgeport and Clarksburg communities.

Lector List for September and October 2023

10/1 Marilyn Blake
10/8 Chuck Critchfield
10/15 Bill Saviers
10/22 Jody Morse
10/29 Marilyn Blake

Deacon Chris' Contact Information

Deacon Chris would love to connect with you! If you ever need to reach out to him, call or text him at (304)646-9597. You can also contact him through email at christo.scott@gmail.com

Church E-mail List

Are you getting email correspondences from Christ Episcopal/St Barnabas chapel? If you're not, we need your email address! Please send us an email at christchurch1853@aol.com

Bible readings for October 1, 2023

Bible reading is a valuable and enriching spiritual practice.

Don't know where to begin? Deacon Chris encourages you to read ahead with the Bible readings for next week, October 1.

Exodus 17:1-7
Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16
Philippians 2:1-13
Matthew 21:23-32

Confirming Your Faith Beginning in October

Deacon Chris and Toni Limbers are beginning a six-week course on the basics of The Episcopal Church. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Toni Limbers at toni.limbers@steptoe-johnson.com

Important Dates to Remember

10/4/2023 Pet Blessings – 3:00 Bridgeport Dog Park
6:00 at St. Barnabas Chapel

10/19/2023 Feeding the Hungry at Clarksburg First United Methodist Church at 2:30 – 3:15 PM.

October 26-28 the 146th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of West Virginia will take place in Martinsburg, WV. Deacon Chris, Toni Limbers and Ira Richardson are planning to attend.

11/26/2023 Bishop Cowden's Visit If you are considering being confirmed at that time, you need to talk to Deacon Chris NOW to assure that everything is in place for that event.

12/3/2023 Annual Parish Meeting will follow the 10:00 AM Worship Service. We will be electing two new vestry members and one to fill the unexpired term of Susan Walsh.

12/16/2023 (Saturday) CORD Anti-Racism training If you are one who needs this training, don't let this date slip by as this is the last training scheduled before the December 31 deadline.

12/21/2023 (Thursday) Deacon Chris' Ordination at Christ Church Clarksburg. Time of service will be announced by Bishop Cowden.