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The Good News Weekly

of

Christ Episcopal Church

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Upcoming Events

- 10/19 & 20** ----WV Diocesan Convention in Flatwoods
10/21/18 Holy Eucharist Rite II at 10:00 a.m. at Christ Church
10/21/18 Holy Eucharist Rite II at 5:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas
10/24/18 Bible Study at 10:30 a.m. at Christ Church
10/28/18 Holy Eucharist Rite II at 10:00 a.m. at Christ Church
10/28/18 Holy Eucharist Rite II at 5:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas
10/31/18 Bible Study at 10:30 a.m. at Christ Church

Backpack Blessings Schedule

- Pack after church on October 21
 Driver to deliver bags October 25 – Corliss Barksdale
 Shopper for October 25 – Susan Walsh
 Pack after church on October 28

Generosity for United Thank Offering

Thanks for your generous gifts for the United Thank Offering. Bill Saviers and Jody Morse will be presenting our Christ Church check for \$695 at the West Virginia Diocesan Convention United Thank Offering Ingathering.

St. Barnabas Outreach Project

The St. Barnabas project to provide personal care items for the patients at the Veterans Hospital continues. All are welcome to provide items or to send a check to Christ Church Clarksburg with St. B. VA Project in the memo line. **All items must be alcohol free.** Needed items include:

men's deodorant	shampoo	soap	toothpaste
shaving cream	razors	combs	toothbrushes

Outreach Project – Underclothes for VA Patients

The need continues for underclothes for patients at the VA Hospital. Tee-shirts and shorts of all sizes and colors are needed. Leave them in the baskets inside the front doors of both Christ Church and St. Barnabas.

Look on page 2 for more exciting news.

Serving Ministries

October 21, 2018

22nd Sunday After Pentecost

- 9:30 a.m. Choir warmup**
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at Christ Church
 Lector: Chuck Critchfield
 Ushers: Ben Hardesty and Kitty Clovis
 Acolyte: Nate Critchfield
 Altar guild: Kitty Clovis
11:00 a.m. Coffee hour in the parlor
 Coffee hour hostess: Jody Morse
11:00 a.m. Pack backpacks
11:30 a.m. Choir rehearsal
5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at St. Barnabas
 Lector: Ron LaNeve
 Ushers: Tom and Becky Durrett
 Altar guild: Elsa Bartlett

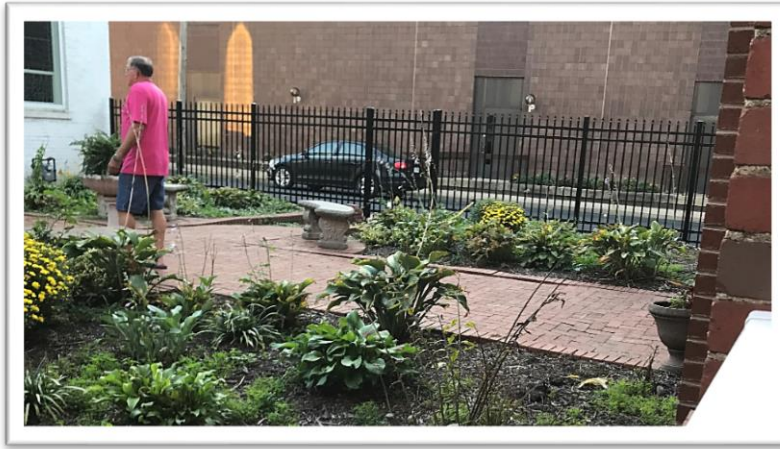
October 28, 2018

23rd Sunday After Pentecost

- 9:30 a.m. Choir warmup**
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at Christ Church
 Lector: Ira Richardson and Jody Morse
 Ushers: Dee Trimbach and Zac Steed
 Acolyte: Nate Critchfield
 Altar guild: Kitty Clovis
11:00 a.m. Coffee hour in the parlor
 Coffee hour hostess: Mary Beth Paugh
11:00 a.m. Pack backpacks
11:30 a.m. Choir rehearsal
5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at St. Barnabas
 Lector: Kipp Martin
 Ushers: Nancy Cotten
 Altar guild: Elsa Bartlett

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Memorial Garden Fence



With the completion of the fence installation on the Sixth Street side of the Memorial Garden, it is now the safe, secure, sacred place that it should be. The landscaping committee will continue to beautify the space this fall, but some of the plantings will need to wait for the growing season next spring.

CAUTION ... CAUTION ... CAUTION ... CAUTION ... CAUTION ... CAUTION

When entering the Memorial Garden walkway from the sacristy or the parish hall, be sure the door behind you or the one at the other end of the walkway is unlocked. The fence gate is locked, so if both doors are locked, you will be locked in the garden.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Jody Morse has been appointed chairperson for the Parish Life Committee. Below is a message from Jody concerning rejuvenating the Parish Life Committee.

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There has been a request to resume the Parish Life activities. Fall is a great time to start. Several fun things from the past are "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?" and a week night gathering for all ages. In the past we have met once a week, several times a month or just monthly. How we proceed in the future will depend on interest. The group can decide on selected Mondays or Tuesdays. We can meet at 5:30 or 6, lasting about 1 or 1 1/2 hour depending on consensus. Fortunately, the details are up to the group of us who show interest.

Also, Parish Life is the group, who in the past, have stepped up to help with receptions after musical events or funerals. Sometimes we have filled the freezer with cookies and snacks "just in case." Once we filled the freezer with food to help parish families in crisis. The activities and opportunities are endless. We can do as much or as little as the group decides.

If you are new and have never experienced "Guess Who", just ask me on Sunday. It is really fun and a great way to get to know other parishioners on a casual basis.

We are open to how to go from now ... with ideas and offers to join the planning group. So far Vicky Ashby has stepped up. That's ONE!!!

Thanks for your interest
Blessings to all
Jody Morse