



# The Good News Weekly

of

Christ Episcopal Church

October 14, 2018



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## Upcoming Events

- 10/14/18 Holy Eucharist Rite II at 10:00 a.m. at Christ Church
- 10/14/18 Holy Eucharist Rite II at 5:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas
- 10/14/18 Second Sunday Supper at 6:30 p.m. at St. Barnabas
- 10/17/18 Bible Study at 10:30 a.m. at Christ Church
- Oct. 19 and 20 WV Diocesan Convention in Flatwoods

## Backpack Blessings Schedule

- Pack after church on October 14
- Driver to deliver bags October 18 – Beth Sickles
- Shopper for October 18 – Pam Critchfield
- Pack after church on October 21

## United Thank Offering

A special offering for UTO will be taken on October 14. Use the special envelopes you received last Sunday or you can write a check to Christ Church with UTO on the memo line.

## 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:

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

## Outreach Project – Huge Success

Thanks to all who donated underclothing for patients at the Veterans Hospital. On hand at the hospital last week when items were presented were Dick Clovis and long-time hospital volunteers, Dee and Bill Trimbach.



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## Serving Ministries

### October 14, 2018 -- 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

- 9:30 a.m. Choir warmup
- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at Christ Church  
Lector: Bill Saviers  
Ushers: Ben Barksdale and Tom Walsh  
Acolyte: Nate Critchfield  
Altar Guild: Kitty Clovis

11:00 a.m. Coffee hour in the parlor

11:00 a.m. Pack backpacks

11:30 a.m. Choir rehearsal

- 5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at St. Barnabas  
Lector: Nancy Cotten  
Ushers: Tom and Becky Durrett  
Altar Guild: Elsa Bartlett

### 6:30 p.m. Second Sunday Supper at St. Barnabas

### October 21, 2018 -- 22<sup>nd</sup> 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  
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## God Bless Our Animals

Miller, Morse, and Clovis family pets came to be blessed.



October 8, 2018

Dear Parishioners,

This fall promises to be a busy time for the Christ Church/St. Barnabas parish and I wanted to take this opportunity to mention a few things.

First, the Lifeway Church lost its worship space when Heritage Christian School in Bridgeport was damaged in September. Lifeway approached us about renting space at St. Barnabas and we have agreed to rent space to them on Sundays and Wednesdays. The folks at Lifeway have been very grateful for our willingness to provide them a worship space.

The Building and Grounds Committee has been busy. Construction of the Memorial Garden Fence commenced October 8. Planning for the rest of the garden is underway. Work on the roof over the Parish House is scheduled to begin this month also. Replacement of the carpet in the meeting room is scheduled for October 17. And the PA system for the sanctuary at Christ Church is scheduled to start around November 1.

Our outreach program is busy with the Backpack Ministry, Veterans Administration hospital donations and other smaller efforts. Plans are being made to fill Thanksgiving food baskets to be distributed by the Salvation Army.

Thank you to all parishioners who have assisted with these projects.

Chuck Critchfield

Senior Warden