



**A weekly electronic newsletter published for the parish and friends of
Christ Episcopal Church of Bowling Green, Kentucky**

Friday, January 19, 2018

CLOSING DUE TO WEATHER

The Church Office will follow the Bowling Green City Schools' schedule each day for closing due to inclement weather in the winter months. Sunday services are rarely canceled due to inclement weather in the winter months. Please check our website, Facebook page, and parish email communications for any change in Sunday services.

CALENDAR

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

8:00am Brotherhood of St. Andrew – Conference Room
Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) – Bishop's Ball – Louisville, KY

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) – Bishop's Ball – Louisville, KY

No Breakfast or Sunday School

9:00am Holy Eucharist Rite Two Service – Nave; with Children's Church

10:30am Parish Annual Meeting – Nave

11:30am Eucharistic Visitor (EV) training – Nave

2:00-3:30pm English Country Dance Group – Surface Hall

MONDAY, JANUARY 22

9:00-11:00am Education for Ministry (EfM) – EfM Room

1:00-3:00pm Churches United in Christ Help Ministry – St. George Room

1:30pm Quarterly Staff Birthday Lunch – Steamer Seafood (801 State Street)

4:30pm Finance Ministry Team – Conference Room

5:30-8:30pm Education for Ministry (EfM) – EfM Room

7:00-9:00pm Narcotics Anonymous Group – Moore Hall

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23

12:15pm Centering Prayer Community – Chapel

6:00pm Vestry – Conference Room

4:45pm Yoga Group – Moore Hall

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

7:00am Morning Prayer Service – Conference Room

11:00am Wednesday Community Lunch Ministry – Moore Hall

12:00pm Weekly submission deadline for *The Lancet* Friday Electronic Newsletter, the Sunday Bulletin Insert, and the Electronic Bulletin Board

5:30pm Episcopal Campus Ministry (ECM) Dinner and Opening Eucharist – Moore Hall. Dinner hosted by Terry & Miliska Knauft.

5:30pm Room in the Inn – St. Catherine Room

6:30pm Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – Surface Hall

7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Moore Hall

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

Submission deadline for *The Window* February newsletter.

12:00pm Holy Eucharist with Healing Prayers Service – Nave

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

The Church Office is closed Fridays.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

9:00am Office Volunteers' Appreciation Breakfast - Moore Hall

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite One Service – Nave

8:45am Breakfast – Moore Hall. Hosted by the Centering Prayer Community.

9:00am Sunday School

9:00am Christ Church 101 – Education for Ministry (EfM) Room

9:15am Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Nave

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite Two Service – Nave; with Children's Church

11:30am Emergency Response Training – Surface Hall

11:30am Sunday afternoon Foyer Group – Moore Hall

2:00-4:00pm Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) – Feeding America Backpack Meals Program – Family Enrichment Center (1133 Adams Street)

Please click [here](#) to view the entire church calendar.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY NEXT WEEK

1/22 Tom Meacham

1/22 Hampton Moore, III

1/22 Christopher Siegert

1/23 Jim Bohannon

1/23 Grant Dunn

1/23 Grace Forbes

1/24 William Ardrey

1/24 Georgie Tabor

1/25 Theo Broadbent

1/25 John Hines

1/26 Clyde Joyce

1/27 Abby Flanigan

Every effort has been made to list the birthdays correctly. If there is a mistake or if your name and birthday have been omitted, please accept our apology and contact Heath (heath@cecbg.com or 270.843.6563) to update the Parish's database. Thanks.

SERVICE MINISTERS

Please click [here](#) to view the Service Ministers for the current quarter.

Please click [here](#) to login to Ministry Scheduler Web Terminal to view your personal schedule, request substitutes, update service preferences, dates, and/or times, view ministry contact information, etc.

A reminder to all service ministers who vest – Please be vested and near St. Andrew Room by 10 minutes to the service hour. If you are not there by then, a replacement will be secured.

SUNDAY LECTIONARY READINGS

Please click [here](#) to view the Sunday Lectionary Readings.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES @ 9:00AM

Children's Godly Play Sunday School Classes – Linder Education Building

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| † Nursery – Staff – Front hallway off Surface Hall | † 2 nd & 3 rd grade – Ashley Tabor, Jamie Chaffin |
| † PreK – Janice Erbach, Sarah Loiars | † 4 th & 5 th grade – Kate Cline |
| † K & 1 st grade – Linda Mitchell, Karen Towell | |

Youth Sunday School Class (6th-12th grade) – Youth Room

- † Junior High and Senior High Class – Karen Crabtree, Janet Grider

Adult Sunday School Classes

- † Bread of Angels Class – Conference Room
† Conversations With Scripture Class – Cates Lounge
† Parents' Gathering – St. George Room

EPISCOPAL YOUTH COMMUNITY (EYC)

Saturday, January 20 – Sunday, January 21 – Bishop's Ball

St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 9616 Westport Road, Louisville, KY 40241

RSVPs to Karen Crabtree required.

Sunday, January 28 – 2:00-4:00pm – Feeding America Backpack Meals Program

Family Enrichment Center (1133 Adams Street)

For more information regarding EYC activities, please contact Karen Crabtree (karen@cecbg.com).

PARISH ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, January 21

9:00am — Holy Eucharist Rite Two (with Children's Church and Nursery)

No Breakfast or Sunday School (Children, Youth, or Adults)

After a short break following the service (10:30am) — Parish Annual Meeting (with Nursery)

AGENDA

Election of 4 parishioners to the Vestry Class of 2020 (**Please click [here](#) to view the seven nominees' biographies and pictures**)

Presentation of the 2017 Parish Annual Report

Presentation of the 2018 Operating Budget

EUCHARISTIC VISITOR (EV) TRAINING

Sunday, January 21 – following the Parish Annual Meeting – Nave

For more information, please contact Deacon Kellie (kellie@cecbg.com).

ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE GROUP

Sunday, January 21 – 2:00-3:30pm – Surface Hall

Please wear non-marking, comfortable shoes. For more information, please contact Jan Campbell (270.535.2258).

EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY (EFM) CLASSES

Mondays – 9:00-11:00am and 5:30-8:30pm – EfM Room

FINANCE MINISTRY TEAM

Monday, January 22 – 4:30pm – Conference Room

PLEASE NOTE – Rescheduled date and time.

CENTERING PRAYER COMMUNITY

Tuesdays – 12:15pm – Chapel. All are welcome!

YOGA GROUP

Tuesdays – 4:45–6:00pm – Moore Hall

Please enter through the College Street door. Led by Leslie Weigel. All levels are welcome. No fee is charged, but donations are welcome which go to support other parish outreach ministries.

VESTRY

Tuesday, January 23 – 6:00pm – Conference Room

PLEASE NOTE – Time change.

MORNING PRAYER SERVICE

Wednesdays – 7:00am – Conference Room. All are welcome!

WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY LUNCH MINISTRY

Wednesdays – 11:00am – Moore Hall

ROOM IN THE INN

Wednesday, January 24 – 5:30pm – St. Catherine Room

If you would like to contribute financially, please mark your check or pew envelope “Room in the Inn” and your contribution will be put in the fund to pay for linen cleanings and toiletry purchases for our guests.

To volunteer or for more information regarding the Room in the Inn program, please contact Digby Palmer (270.535.9838) or Belinda Palmer (270.535.0497).

EPISCOPAL CAMPUS MINISTRY

Wednesday, January 24 – 5:30pm – Dinner and 2018 Spring Semester Opening Eucharist – Moore Hall

Dinner hosted by Terry & Miliska Knauft. For more information, please contact Mother Becca (becca@cecbg.com).

MUSIC MINISTRY

Wednesdays at 6:30pm Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – Surface Hall

Wednesdays at 7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Moore Hall

Sundays at 9:15am Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Nave

For more information regarding the music ministry, please contact Ken Stein (ken@cecbg.com).

HOLY EUCHARIST WITH HEALING PRAYERS SERVICE

Thursdays – 12:00pm – Nave

OFFICE VOLUNTEERS' APPRECIATION BREAKFAST

Saturday, January 27 – 9:00am – Moore Hall

For more information, please contact Heath (heath@cecbg.com).

CHRIST CHURCH 101

Sundays, January 28 – March 18 – 9:00am – Education for Ministry (EfM) Room

New Member Formation and Adult Confirmation

Topics include – What it means to be Christian; What it means to be an Episcopalian; What it means to be a member of CECBG; How to pray and read the Bible; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; Discover your spiritual gifts; Connect with a ministry at CECBG; What is Confirmation?

For more information, please contact Father Steve (steve@cecbg.com) or Mother Becca (becca@cecbg.com).

EMERGENCY RESPONSE TRAINING OFFERED

Sunday, January 28 – following the 10:00am service – Surface Hall

PLEASE NOTE – Date and location change.

Christ Church will host Allen Youngman, a retired police officer who has trained hundreds of schools and churches in what to do in case of an emergency, to offer training for our staff, security shepherds, and Sunday school teachers. If you are in one of those groups, please plan to join us following the 10:00am service for lunch and a brief training. Bring your questions and concerns, as Allen will be glad to help us make a comprehensive plan to keep everyone safe in case of emergency. Please RSVP to Father Steve (steve@cecbg.com) so adequate lunch can be provided.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON FOYER GROUP

Sunday, January 28 – 11:30am – Moore Hall

For more information, please contact Marti Harrison (270.618.0627).

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW

First and Third Saturdays – 8:00am – Conference Room

Next meetings – Saturdays, February 3 and 17

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING (DOK)

First Sundays – 8:50am – Chapel

Next meeting – Sunday, February 4

KNITTING AND CROCHET GROUP

First Tuesdays – 3:30-4:30pm – Gathering Area

Next meeting – Tuesday, February 6

2018 CONGREGATIONAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Saturday, February 17 – 10:00am-2:30pm – Christ Episcopal Church

The Diocese of Kentucky will host a Congregational Leadership Conference (formerly known as the “Wardens and Treasurers” Conference) here at Christ Episcopal Church.

This free diocesan event is open to all vestry members (new and experienced), treasurers, stewardship chairs, clergy, audit committee members, and any other congregational leaders interested in this opportunity to share, discover, and learn best practices for the health and growth of our congregations. The conference will include plenary sessions for all congregational leadership in the morning, and four breakout workshop components in the afternoon.

For more information and to register, please click [here](#). For more information, please contact the Reverend Canon Jason Lewis (jason@episcopalky.org).

2018 BRENNAN LECTURE SERIES

Friday, March 2–Saturday, March 3 – St. Matthew’s Episcopal Church (330 North Hubbards Lane, Louisville)

Christ Church is invited to the 2018 Brennan Lecture entitled “Church Leadership in a New Missionary Age.” The event will be facilitated by the Right Reverend Charles “Andy” Doyle, current bishop of the Diocese of Texas. The Brennan lectureship was established through a bequest to provide continuing formation for clergy and interested laypersons.

Registration for the event is \$15. For more information and to register, please click [here](#). For more information, please contact the Reverend Canon Jason Lewis (jason@episcopalky.org).

FOR SALE – CHRIST THE GOOD SHEPHERD WINDOW PRINTS

Numbered prints have been produced of the Christ the Good Shepherd stained glass window that is centered above the altar. They are priced at \$100 to support the Friends of Music Fund at Christ Episcopal Church. If you would like to purchase one, please stop by the Church Office and speak to Ken or Heath.

FOR SALE – CHRIST CHURCH GUILD COOKBOOKS

The new “A Centennial Cookbook” is for sale at \$20 each to support the outreach efforts of the Christ Church Guild. They are available in the Church Office. Please make your check payable to Christ Episcopal Church and memo Guild Cookbook.

NAMES OF GARDEN MEMORIAL GIFTS

The grounds of Christ Church have benefitted through the years from a number of plantings given in memory of loved ones. The Memorial Garden Ministry Team plans to recognize those memorial gifts with a plaque to be placed inside the vestibule leading from the Gathering Area to the Memorial Garden.

We have records of some of those gifts, sometimes consisting of specific plants and sometimes of monetary contributions. We need your help to ensure that we don't overlook any such contributions that have been made through the years.

Please contact John Parker (270.799.4424 or john.parker@wku.edu) of anyone whom you know who was memorialized by such a gift to the Memorial Garden, whether made by you or someone else, regardless of when the donation was made. Thanks for your help.

LIVING WATERS FOR THE WORLD

The Christ Church Living Waters for the World Mission Team is planning to travel to Peru in 2018 to install a water purification system in the community of Santo Thomas, on the Rio Orosa, a tributary of the Amazon River. It will be installed in a medical clinic run by Project Amazonas. Please pray for our mission team and our mission partners. Donations are currently being collected in the 5-gallon water jugs near the assembled system in Surface Hall. Donations may also be made online (<http://www.cecbg.com/#/giving>) or by placing a check in the Sunday offering labeled Living Waters for the World.

ONLINE GIVING

Make a secure contribution online to the current year operating fund and/or other funds. Please click [here](#) to give.

Download the “EasyTithe” app from the App Store, find Christ Episcopal Church of Bowling Green, and give! You can give to CEC from your phone in seconds, manage your payment profile, and view all of your giving history.

WEEKLY SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Wednesdays at 12:00pm – Weekly submission deadline for *The Lancet* Friday Electronic Newsletter, the Sunday Bulletin Insert, and the Electronic Bulletin Board.

CLERGY AND STAFF CONTACT

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Christ Episcopal Church is a community of Christ's servants who seek to –
Worship God with joy and wonder,
Learn and Grow together, and
Radiate God's love to all.

Mission Statement adopted by the Vestry, August 22, 2017

