



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

Friday, November 3, 2017

Welcome to the newly branded *The LANCET*. Before you get to thinking about that little needle that the hospital uses to check your blood sugar level, let me explain. A lancet window, like the Christ the Good Shepherd one above, is a narrow window made in the shape of a spear. They are common in Gothic architecture, and we have at least five actual lancet windows in our Nave and many others that are similar in shape.

The name change was precipitated by my ongoing desire to make Christ Church as accessible to visitors as possible, and one giant barrier to entry in many Episcopal congregations is the use of acronyms. EYC, ECM, DOK, and TWACC, what these things might mean, the average person has no clue. So, in order to eliminate one acronym and in keeping with the style of our logo and the monthly electronic newsletter, *The Window*, our narrowly focused small weekly window into life at Christ Episcopal Church now comes to you as *The LANCET*.

Father Steve+

CALENDAR

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

The Church Office is closed Fridays.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

8:00am Brotherhood of St. Andrew – Conference Room

1:30-3:00pm Cookies for a Cause – Kitchen and Moore Hall

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

STEWARDSHIP CELEBRATION SUNDAY

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite One Service – Nave

8:45am Breakfast – Moore Hall – Hosted by Brotherhood of St. Andrew

8:50am Daughters of the King (DOK) – Chapel

9:00am Sunday School

9:15am Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Nave

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite Two Service – Nave

1:00-3:00pm Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) – EYC Lounge

5:00pm All Saints' Choral Evensong – Nave. Reception follows in Surface Hall

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6

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

1:00pm Guild – St. George Room
1:30pm Staff – Conference Room
5:30-8:30pm Education for Ministry (EfM) Class – EfM Room
7:00-9:00pm Narcotics Anonymous Group – Moore Hall

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7

12:15pm Centering Prayer Community – Chapel
3:30-4:30pm Knitting and Crochet Group – Gathering Area
4:45-6:00pm Yoga Group – Moore Hall

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

7:00am Morning Prayer Service – Conference Room
11:00am Wednesday Community Lunch Ministry – Moore Hall
12:00pm Weekly Submission Deadline for the Friday electronic TWACC, Sunday Bulletin Insert, and Electronic Bulletin Board
5:30pm – Episcopal Campus Ministry (ECM) Dinner and Evening Prayer Service – Moore Hall – Dinner hosted by Gail Brooks, Margie Dotson, and Mary Lloyd Moore
6:30pm Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal – Surface Hall
7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Moore Hall

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9

12:00pm Holy Eucharist with Healing Prayers Service – Nave
1:00pm 2nd Thursday Lunch Bunch – Bowling Green Country Club (251 Beech Bend Road)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10

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190th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Kentucky – St. Mark’s Episcopal Church (2822 Frankfort Avenue, Louisville, KY 40202)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite One Service – Nave
8:45am Breakfast – Moore Hall – Hosted by Daughters of the King (DOK)
9:00am Sunday School
9:15am Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Nave
10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite Two Service – Nave
11:30am-1:30pm Madrigal Dinner Rehearsal – Moore Hall
5:00-7:30pm Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) – Nave and EYC Lounge

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY NEXT WEEK

11/5 Kailee Parker
11/7 Hollie Sowell
11/8 Janet Flora

11/8 Lisa Martens
11/8 Clayton Palmer
11/9 Kal-El Cline

11/9 Steve Hoyng
11/11 Wayne MacGregor
11/11 Karen Towell

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

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

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

- † Junior 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

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW

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

Next meetings – Saturdays, November 4 and 18

COOKIES FOR A CAUSE

Saturday, November 4 – 1:30-3:00pm – Kitchen and Moore Hall

Come bake and deliver cookies for those serving overseas, recently widowed, shut-in, or just in need of something sweet. Bring the whole family! For more information, please contact Laura Goodwin (laura@cecbg.com).

AFRICAN TEAM MINISTRIES JEWELRY & CRAFTS SALE

Sundays, November 5 and 12 – Before and after each service – Surface Hall

Proceeds from the sales of handmade jewelry and crafts go to support children's Christian education, Drip Irrigation kits for families, clean water, medical care, meals distributed to families in drought and famine areas, and training for the laity in east Africa.

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

First Sundays – 8:50am – Chapel

Next meeting – Sunday, November 5

REMINDERS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Daylight Savings Time ends at 2:00am Sunday morning, November 5. Please remember to set your clocks back one hour Saturday night.

The Bowling Green Marathon and Half Marathon races will take place through part of downtown Sunday morning, November 5. Please expect possible delays in getting to church. Be sure to allow extra time.

At both the 8:00am and 10:00am services – We will read aloud and remember the names of those parishioners who have died since last All Saints Day, November 1, 2016. Loose plate offerings will go to All Saints Center.

At the 5:00pm Evensong service – We will read aloud and remember the names of family and friends who have died since last All Saints Day, November 1, 2016. Child care will be provided.

2017 Stewardship Celebration Sunday – If you haven't returned your completed 2017 pledge card yet, please remember to bring it to either morning service on Sunday, November 5. Please remember also to bring your puzzle piece and fit it in the puzzle on the table in Surface Hall.

EPISCOPAL YOUTH COMMUNITY (EYC)

Sunday, November 5 – 1:00-3:00pm – EYC Lounge

ReCreation. Join us for a discussion and collaborative art project. A light lunch will be served.

Sunday, November 12 – 5:00-7:30pm – Nave and EYC Lounge

Circle: Instructed Eucharist. Father Steve will lead us in an instructed Eucharist and share dinner with us. Afterwards, the EYC will create a Eucharistic Prayer to share with the parish.

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

EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY (EFM) CLASSES

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

GUILD

Monday, November 6 – 1:00pm – St. George Room

CENTERING PRAYER COMMUNITY

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

KNITTING AND CROCHET GROUP

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

Next meeting – Tuesday, November 7

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.

MORNING PRAYER SERVICE

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

WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY LUNCH MINISTRY

Wednesdays – 11:00am – Moore Hall

EPISCOPAL CAMPUS MINISTRY (ECM)

Wednesday, November 8 – 5:30pm – Dinner and Evening Prayer Service – Moore Hall

Dinner hosted by Gail Brooks, Margie Dotson, and Mary Lloyd Moore.

Adopt a College Student – In order to develop deeper relationships, we are looking for families to commit to providing a meal, in your home or at a restaurant, with your adopted college student once a month during the academic year. If you are interested in participating or learning more about this new program, please contact Father Steve (steve@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

Sunday, November 5 – 5:00pm – All Saints' Choral Evensong – Nave. Childcare will be provided. A reception will follow in Surface Hall.

Sunday, November 12 – 11:30am-1:30pm – Madrigal Dinner Rehearsal – Moore Hall

PLEASE NOTE – The Music Ministry presentation, “Broadway on State”, originally scheduled for Friday, October 20, has been moved to November 17, at 6:30pm. Stay tuned for further details.

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

HOLY EUCHARIST WITH HEALING PRAYERS SERVICE

Thursdays – 12:00pm – Nave

2ND THURSDAY LUNCH BUNCH

Thursday, November 9 – 1:00pm – Bowling Green Country Club (251 Beech Bend Road)

Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Becky McCraney (270.842.8279) or Ann Esterle (270.782.3342).

TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, November 18 – 6:00pm – Moore Hall

Outwit your competitors with general facts and trivia on Saturday, November 18 at 6:00pm! Put together a team of 8 or fewer for \$75. Prizes will be awarded for first place and best table decor. To register, visit the table in Surface Hall immediately after today's service or contact Laura Goodwin (laura@cecbg.com). Proceeds will benefit the Living Waters for the World Fund for the 2018 mission trip.

FAIR TRADE COFFEE AND TEA SALE

Sunday, November 19 – Before and after both services – Surface Hall

Come buy for Christmas presents or treat yourself. For more information, please contact Kathy Wise-Leonard (270.779.5595).

2020 VESTRY CLASS NOMINATIONS

The election of four parishioners to the 2020 Vestry Class will be held on Sunday, January 21, 2018, at our annual parish meeting. The Nominating Committee consists of the 2017 Vestry Class whose terms are expiring (Laura Cohron, Janice Erbach, Laurie Joyce, and Wayne Morin).

If you would like to recommend a fellow parishioner or yourself to stand for election to the Vestry, please contact one of the committee members above by 12:00pm, on Sunday, November 12. The Nominating Committee will consider all recommendations and present a slate of at least 6 candidates for election in January.

MOTHER BECCA UPDATE

Mother Becca's pathological test results showed no cancer markers, which means no need for follow up treatment. Thanks be to God. Becca continues to recuperate at her parents' house, and hopes to return to Christ Church in time for Advent. Let's join in giving thanks for this good news and please continue to pray for her recovery. Notes and cards can continue to be placed in Becca's staff mailbox. Heath will collect and mail them each Friday.

NEW DIRECTORY PHOTOGRAPHY SESSIONS

If you missed your appointment or were not able to make an appointment, don't worry. **We will be hosting two make-up days in 3-4 weeks for additional photo sessions. Please watch for the dates and signup sheets in Surface Hall.** Remember that you will receive one free 8x10 and have the opportunity to purchase other package options. You will also choose your photo to be included in the new directory. We will not be accepting photo submissions until after the make-up days are completed.

FOOD DRIVE FOR WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY LUNCH

The Wednesday Community Lunch Pantry needs the following items –

Green Beans	Diced Tomatoes	Tuna	Ranch Salad Dressing
Corn	Tomato Sauce	Cream of Celery Soup	Rice
Baked Beans	Chicken Broth	Cream of Mushroom Soup	Egg Noodles
Chili Beans	Beef Broth	BBQ Sauce	

Please place your contributions in the marked containers in Surface Hall and in front of the Church Office. Thank you for supporting the Wednesday Community Lunch Ministry!

MEALS, INC CHRISTMAS BOXES

Each year the Meals, Inc program provides Christmas boxes for its 300+ guests. This year, Christ Church is responsible for providing rice. Please bring 16 oz. bags of rice to church. Boxes have been placed in Surface Hall and in front of the Church Office to collect your gifts of rice. Thanks to all for considering this ministry!

WANTED – OLD HALLOWEEN COSTUMES

Dishman-McGinnis Elementary School provides costumes to many of their students (until they run out). So any costumes you may have cluttering your closets would be appreciated for next year. Bring them to church and place them in the marked boxes in front of the Church office and in Surface Hall. We will collect them until Thanksgiving. Thanks! You can surely imagine the smile on a child's face when they receive your costume.

WEDNESDAY MEAL SIGN-UP TO ASSIST THE DALES

As many already know, our friend, Mary Dale, has been diagnosed with ALS. As we continue to pray for Mary and Jim, we have been made aware of an opportunity to take concrete action. Friends of Jim and Mary Dale have organized an online sign-up to provide a Wednesday evening meal for them. Please go to the web page (<https://mealtrain.com/98qqnk>) to sign-up and 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 Amazonus. 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

