Assisting in Worship at 8

Preacher & Celebrant: The Rev. William Coats

LEMs: Don Steen

First Reading/Psalmist: Don Steen Second Reading: Dorothy Meyers

Intercessor: Albert Pucciarelli

Ushers: Cackie Scott & Brian Vesley

Altar Guild: Dorothy Meyers, Patty Smith, Linhua Sun, Pam Canali

Perennials: Donna Imbert

Nursing Home: Ridgewood–Monahan

THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD & IN LOVING MEMORY OF EDWARD HAMBRECHT GIVEN BY MARGARET HAMBRECHT

Assisting in Worship at 10

Preacher & Celebrant: The Rev. William Coats

Organist: Paris Simms

LEMs: Barbara Monahan & Dick Moynihan

First Reading: Pat Kortjohn
Second Reading: Dick Moynihan
Intercessor: Barbara Monahan

Acolytes: Matthew Harris, Alexandra Harris, Sebastian Dash,

Aidan Smith, Carson Halpert

Ushers: Rick Hampson, Felice Llamas, Lynda Portela, Doug Steen

Greeters: Laura D'Alessio & Frank Ducoat

NEEDLERS NEXT MEETING

Saturday, August 25 from 9:30am to 11:30am is the next Needlers meeting.

Any and all interested needle [wo]men are invited to join the Needlers for sociability and needlework. Knitters, crocheters, and other craftspeople. Come for coffee and cake.

If you have forgotten how to knit, we will refresh your skills. We also supply patterns, needles, and yarn to produce items for the Seamen's Church Institute in Port Newark. To find out more about this organization go to: http://seamenschurch.org/christmas-at-sea Call Cackie Scott with any questions: (201) 956-9712

Prayer Intentions

We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Mark, our diocesan Bishop; Carlye, our Bishop-elect; and Tom & Bill, our priests.

We pray for Donald, our President; Phil, our Governor; and all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world.

Parish Birthdays this Week:

August 21- Stephen Duggan;

August 22- Al Jones

For those serving in the armed forces in harm's way overseas, and for all who suffer from violence in war-torn areas of the world.

For those among us whose hearts are troubled or are ill and infirm: Marion Goetz, Bill Kirk, Mary Jane Kirk, the family of Susan (Richardi).

We remember all who have died.

Our **Prayer Chain Ministry** offers prayers for healing, hope and comfort; for joy and thanksgiving; for God's presence on the journey. *The Christ Church Prayer Chain* is a quiet and confidential ministry. All requests are considered strictly confidential. If you, or someone you know, needs or wants our prayers, contact Father Tom at (201) 652-2350.

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CHRIST CHURCH RIDGEWOOD

DISCIPLES MAKING DISCIPLES FOR JESUS CHRIST:

By Encountering God, Equipping God's People, and Extending God's Kingdom

Hymns for 10 am

PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL 420: WHEN IN OUR MUSIC, GOD IS GLORIFIED

GOSPEL 467: SING, MY SOUL, HIS WOUNDROUS LOVE

sing verses 1 & 2 before the Gospel reading sing verses 3 & 4 after the Gospel reading

Presentation 313: Let thy Blood in Mercy Poured

COMMUNION 332 (TUNE 615): O GOD, UNSEEN YET EVER NEAR

MISSIONAL 324: LET ALL MORTAL FLESH KEEP SILENCE

POSTLUDE

SUPPORT OUR YOUTH GROUP ST PETER'S HAVEN—BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE

We want to ensure children have the essentials to learn and succeed at school. Please consider donating a **backpack** or two filled with a few items such as notebooks, folders, glue sticks, & USB drives. **The Youth Group is looking to donate 150 backpacks like last year.**



Cash and checks (made out to Christ Church with "Backpacks" on the memo line) are also welcome. Leave your donations in the Christ Church Office.

The deadline for donations is TODAY, August 19th.

THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 19, 2018

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

9:00 a.m. Coffee Hour

9:15 a.m. Joy! Worship

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

11:15 a.m. Coffee Hour

3:00 p.m. Nursing Home - Ridgewood

TRAVEL GROUP—2019 TRIP TO THE NETHERLANDS

We're working on a spring 2019 trip to the Netherlands for the Keukenhof flower show. If you are a member of a local garden club or know someone who is, we'd like to run our marketing ideas by you and get your thoughts. It will only take a few minutes of your time and it would be a big help. If you are willing to help please e-mail christchurchtravel@gmail,com or speak to Fr Tom.

To learn more about the Keukenhof flower show check out their web site here: https://keukenhof.nl/en/

CONFIRMATION DINNER

Save the date! Confirmation Students and their parents are invited to attend our Confirmation Information Dinner on Sunday, September 23, from 6:00-8:00pm in the Guild's Room. This is a special evening of information, food and fellowship. Students in grades 8-12th are eligible for confirmation!

RSVP to Kristen Lee to let her know that you are attending this special evening.

Students should dress to impress because pictures will be taken.

New Schedule for Coffee-Hour

Coffee Hour is a well-loved time of weekly fellowship, friendship & food at Christ Church. We need your help to keep the tradition alive! Please consider hosting a Coffee Hour by bringing food, setting up snacks for the congregation and cleaning up.

It doesn't have to be an elaborate feast each week...something as simple as fruits, desserts, cheese & crackers, or bagels and muffins is just fine!



If you are interested in hosting a coffee-hour or want more information contact Nancy Jacoby or Lynn Prokop.

9am- Nancy Jacoby (njaco47@aol.com; 973.835.2161)

11:15am- Lynn Prokop (herbalqueen129@yahoo.com)

KICK OFF SUNDAY BBQ

Kick off Sunday is scheduled for **Sunday, September 16th**. Sign up sheets are located in the cloister. We will need volunteers to bring in different types of salads, desserts and to help with clean-up. Jamel Shimpfky will be coordinating the BBQ, if you have any questions contact her via e-mail at: jamelnyc@gmail.com

UPDATE ON PAUL GILLAN'S EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT

"I will begin work on the pet memorial seating area starting in early Fall. If you have any questions, you can contact me at (201) 957-6896 or paulgillan03@gmail.com. Thank you for all of your generous donations!"

Sincerely, Paul

NO NURSERY CARE & SUNDAY SCHOOL IN AUGUST

We are taking a hiatus for the month of August to clean and sanitize all the rooms and all the toys.

Nursery care will start up again on Sunday, September 2nd from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Beth Polo and Sarah DiMaulo-Milk are looking forward to fabulous school year with the Little Lambs! Any questions please email Kristen Lee at klee@christchurchridgewood.org

Sunday school will start up again on Sunday, September 16 at 10: 00 am. Registration Forms are available online or feel free to pick up your copy in the cloister. Please email Kristen Lee with any questions klee@christchurchridgewood.org

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER'S MEETING

Sunday, September 2nd we will hold a Sunday school teacher's meeting. We will meet in classroom number 1 following 10am worship. Please RSVP to Kristen on your availability. klee@christchurchridgewood.org

WOMENS RETREAT: SEPT. 28-30 OR OCT. 12-14

The Revs. Laurie Matarazzo and Dale Selover will lead a retreat based on the book *Help Thanks*, *Wow: The Threes Essential Prayers* by Anne Lamott. Insightful, funny, and honest. The same inspiring retreat is being offered both weekends, so choose the dates that work best for you. Sign up at www.crossroadsretreat.com

RALLY FOR CROSS ROADS

This intergenerational retreat and volleyball marathon helps Cross Roads continue to offer life-changing outdoor experiences for all. Let's keep the volleyball court busy all night Saturday, October 6, into Sunday morning. Recruit a group or register solo, and then get people to sponsor you. Whether you play or cheer from the sidelines, you'll have a great evening full of fun, food, and friends. Come on Friday for an intergenerational retreat.

Sign up at: www.crossroadsretreat.com

YOUTH GROUP POOL PARTY

Wednesday, August 29th, our Youth Group pool party will be held at the home of Lynne & Dennis Portsmore- 23 Orchard Lane in Midland Park. The party will start at 2 p.m. and will conclude at 5 p.m. Parents are welcome to attend. Youth Group is open to youth grades 7th-12th.

RSVP to Kristen Lee at klee@christchurchridgewood.org

ST PAUL'S FOOD PANTRY

When school is in session, school-age children are often provided government-subsidized breakfast and lunch. That ends when school is over. Therefore, let's all make a concerted effort to increase our contributions to the St. Paul's, Paterson food pantry during the last month of summer.

The usual staples of rice, cereal, and canned fruits and vegetables are great. Please also consider providing peanut butter, jelly, granola bars, dried fruits, and other items that you would find appealing. The incredible generosity of our Christ Church parishioners really makes a difference to this life-changing ministry.

SAVE THE DATE!

August 29 - Youth Group Pool Party

September 2- Blessing of the Backpacks & Briefcases

September 9– Meet the Teachers

September 16- Kick off Sunday-Ministry Fair & BBQ; First day of Sunday School

September 29– Blessing of the Animals @ 10 a.m.