

Prayer Intentions

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

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

Parish Birthdays this Week: **Nov 5**-Jane Burton ;
Nov 6-Jennifer Talbot ; **Nov. 7**-Kristie Prokop ;
Nov. 10-Barbara Pam Canali, Richard Moynihan.

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:

Dave Albahary, Louis Anderson, Catherine, Russ & Mary Burnside, Katherine Chatfield, Marge Christie, Cohen & Levy families, Linda Dicanio, Nicole Farquhar, Donna, Sofia, Shannon Flandrau, Joan Frasier, Andrew Greco, Heather, Richard Grimley, Jean Haslinger, Ian Henry, Harry Jarvis, Jackie, Althea King, Lenny, Madalyn Lindsay, Carrie Lindsay, Letty Llamas, Joseph Locus, Michael B., Kevin Martin, Maria Martino, Mary B., Elizabeth Mahoney, Liz Mongiello, Patricia Montague, Al Morel, Brent, Lindsey Moynihan, Mike Patterson, Donald Rogers, Roseanne, Suzi and Elliott, Jeff, Susan Raucci, Sean, Marge Singer, Ellen Steensma, Cathy Tonjes, Carol Traynor, Todd, Mike Villegas, Matthew Weatherbee, Shay Wexler, Sally Whittemore, Gina Wilkens, Marcia Wilson, Joni Wilters, Roy Zabriskie, Charles.

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 (201) 652-2350 or Linda Larson (201-248-4080).

Upcoming Meetings, Programs & Events!

November 26 to December 2-Christ Church Hosts Family Promise

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

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

November 5, 2017

- 7:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
- 8:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 9:00 a.m. Adult Forum
- 9:15 a.m. Joy! Eucharist
- 9:30 a.m. Nursery Care (ends at 11:30 a.m.)
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School & J2A
- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
- 11:15 a.m. Jubilation Choir Rehearsal
- 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour

Share Sunday is Today!

Please support St. Paul's Food Pantry with a financial contribution for the jars in the form of cash or checks (made out to Christ Church with St. Paul's in the memo line) or donations of canned goods for the food barrels. The pantry manager is able to stretch our dollars to help our neighbors. God bless you for your faithful support of this ministry.

Youth African Drumming

November 5th African drumming with Evan will meet downstairs in the Youth Room after Sunday School. Sunday school teachers will escort students interested in drumming to the Youth room. Parents should collect their children downstairs following 10am worship.

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Assisting in Worship Today at 8

Preacher & Celebrant: The Rev. Thomas E. Mathews Jr. |
LEMs: Callie Campbell, Linda Larson | First Reading/Psalmist:
Dan Eckhardt | Second Reading: Callie Campbell | Intercessor:
Bill Goodson | Ushers: Tony & Anne Loving | Altar Guild: Pat
Kortjohn, Callie Campbell, Linda Larson | Perennials: Frank
Ducoat, Lyle Hatch | Nursing Home: Ridgewood-Dorothy Meyers

THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO THE
GLORY OF GOD

CDCSP Men's Shelter Cook Day



Calling all cooks. We're cooking for SPCDC men's shelter again on **Sunday, November 12** at 9:00 am in the Christ Church kitchen. Don't miss out on the

fun. We'll have all the ingredients setup and ready. Questions? Contact Kathy at chincanilang@yahoo.com

Thanksgiving Food Drive

The annual food drive for Thanksgiving meals will once again be taking place in November. We provide the "fixings" and frozen turkeys for Thanksgiving Day meals for families who come to the Food Pantry at St. Paul's in Paterson. A list of suggested items to bring for this in-gathering is provided, but please feel free to supplement with your own personal favorites. Shopping bags with the lists attached can be found in the church during November, but of course you can simply bring a copy of the list to the grocery store to make your purchases.

If you can provide a frozen turkey, please label it "St. Paul's" and place it in the church's freezer prior to November 19. On Sunday, November 19 we will have the in-gathering of all the food bags in the church, and immediately following the 10:00 AM service the food will be transported to Paterson for distribution. Also, if you are unable to shop but would like to contribute, checks can be made out to "Christ Church" with "St. Paul's Food Pantry" written on the memo line of the check; these can be brought to church on November 19. If you need any assistance or have any questions, please call Anne and Tony Loving at 201 652-5252.



SO MANY BLESSINGS

Acolytes Training

Acolyte training will take place after the 10AM service. Please meet in the hallway to the church. Thank you!

Family Promise Returns to Christ Church!

This year Christ Church will have a great way to prepare for Advent – by helping to host homeless working families with children when they spend a week at our church. Family Promise of Bergen County is a private, non-profit agency that helps these families get back on their feet and become self-sustaining. They'll be with us from **Sunday, Nov. 26 through Saturday, Dec. 2.**

We need volunteers to cook and serve meals; to play with, or read to, the kids; to set up beforehand and cleanup afterward and spend the night in the Guilds Room on one of our super-comfortable inflatable beds. (Legally, we must have two volunteers at the church overnight.) Or you can make a monetary donation for "Take Out Night."

All of us ~ of all ages and backgrounds ~ who have participated in this ministry know how meaningful it can be. If you haven't joined us before, think about doing so in November. We'll soon be in church with our big, beautiful signup poster listing all the service opportunities. In the meantime, for more information contact: Rick Hampson (rhampson@usatoday.com ; 201 286 9577) ; Barbara Monahan (bam234@verizon.net) ; Dick Moynihan (rjmoynihan@msn.com) ; or Elaina Richardi (Jetare@aol.com).



Miniature Golf in The Zone

On the first Sunday of each month, a miniature golf course will be set up downstairs in The Zone for children and youth. All are welcome to participate. Grab a putter and swing your way through the hallways to your classroom. Feel free to arrive early or golf your way through coffee hour. Special thanks to those that donated putters and golf balls.

United Thank Offering

All Sunday school students, grades nursery-12th grade will collect coins each Sunday in class. The children will tell their class what they are thankful for. Collected coins will be donated to the United Thank Offering (Dollar bills are acceptable as well).



Youth Sunday Thank You's

Special thanks all our Acolytes, Oblation bearers, Jubilation choir members, Readers, Lay Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers and those that brought goodies to share at our fellowship hour following 10am worship. The singing, costumes and participation was fabulous! You all did an amazing job sharing your time and talents with the entire parish. Blessings and thanks to all!