#### Assisting in Worship at 8

Preacher: The Reverend Thomas E. Mathews Jr.

Assisting Clergy: The Reverend Bill Coats

LEMs: Don Steen, Joseph Mamatz
First Reading/Psalmist: Bill Goodson

Second Reading: Don Steen Intercessor: Thomas Martin

Ushers: Nancy Jacoby & Callie Campbell

Altar Guild: Pauline Burt, Callie Campbell, Pam Canali, Linda Duane, Kelly Duane, Maria Herbruck, Pat Kortjohn, Linda Larson, Kristen Lee, Tanya Mathews, Dorothy Meyers, Patty

Smith, Linhua Sun, Jenny Talbot, Nancy Zabriskie

Perennials: The Perennials Team

Nursing Home: Ridgewood-Dorothy Meyers

#### Assisting in Worship at 10

Preacher: The Reverend Thomas E. Mathews Jr.

Assisting Clergy: The Reverend Bill Coats

Organist: David Rutherford

LEMs: Barbara Monahan, Richard Moynihan

First Reading: Judy Sheffield

Second Reading: Lynne Moran

Intercessor: Richard Moynihan

Verger: Al Portela

Choir: Tim Berry, Cathy Dash, Susan Eggers, Bill Eggers, Troy Eggers, Chris Elliot, Barbara Hemink, Toni Pasqualicchio, Elaina Richardi, Paris Simms, Kelly Sullivan, Melinda Weber, Marlene Whittemore

Jubilation Choir: Jared Auriemma, Ryan Auriemma, Sarah DiMaulo-Milk, Mary Eggers, Andrew Freeborn, Ainsley Goot, Cole Hamon, Read Hamon, Alexandra Harris, Matthew Harris, Ava Mathews, Elyse Mathews, Cami Miller, Julia Miller, Joe Murphy, Kendall Van Putten Vink, Lara Ziccardi

Acolytes: Andrew Stoddard, Matthew Harris, Cole & Read Hamon, Collin & Emma Williams, Cecile Malo, Alex & James Bodino, Sarah DiMaulo-Milk, Giacoby & Carson Halpert

Ushers: Olive Wolfe, Lyle Hatch, Frank Ducoat, Lynda Portela, Lucy DiMaulo

## **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; Phil, our Governor; and all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world.

<u>Parish Birthdays this Week</u>: **Apr. 1**-Nick Hampson; **Apr. 2**-Victoria Fallon, Cori Sheffield; **Apr. 3**-Blair Seidler; **Apr. 7**-Jessica Harbour, Matthew Harris, Sarah Nagle.

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, Katherine Chatfield, Marge Christie, Jeffrey Cloidt, Cohen & Levy families, Karen Cook, Roberta Dawson, Linda Dicanio, John & Alice Dummler, Barbara Elek, Nicole Farquhar, Donna, Sofia, Van Finn, Shannon Flandrau, Joan Fraiser, Andrew Greco, Heather, Donna Harris, Jean Haslinger, Ian Henry, Harry Jarvis, Jackie, Althea King, Alyson Kirk, Lenny, Linda Larson, Madalyn Lindsay, Carrie Lindsay, Letty Llamas, Joseph Locus, Michael B., Kevin Martin, Maria Martino, Mary B., Elizabeth Mahoney, Liz Mongiello, Patricia Montague, Brent, Lindsey Moynihan, Pasternak, Mike Paterson, Lynda Portela, Donald Rogers, Roseanne, Suzi and Elliott, Jeff, Susan Raucci, Sean, Brandon Seidler, Morgan Seidler, Marge Singer, Robert Steen, Ellen Steensma, Cathy Tonjes, Carol Traynor, Todd, Mike Villegas, Matthew Weatherbee, Shay Wexler, Sally Whittemore, Gina Wilkens, Marcia Wilson, Roy Zabriskie, Charles.

We remember all who have died, especially Walter Barthold.

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.

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## DISCIPLES MAKING DISCIPLES FOR JESUS CHRIST:

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

# THE SUNDAY OF RESURRECTION: EASTER SUNDAY

April 1, 2018

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

8:30 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsals

9:15 a.m. Joy! Worship

9:30 a.m. Nursery Care (ends at 11:30 a.m.)

9:45 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt on playground

(Joy! Families only)

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

11:15 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt

(PreK-College, all meet in

the Great Hall)

11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour

3:00 p.m. Nursing Home-Ridgewood

## WELCOME!

If this is your first time attending Christ Church, or the first time in a while, we are so glad to welcome you. Christ Church is a warm, fun, and formational place for you and your family, and in a time when the world seems to be so topsy turvy, we are blessed to have a community like this to remind us of God's constant presence with us. We hope to see you again very soon, and may God bless your family and Christ Church family, this Easter and always. We hope to see you again soon.

peace,

Tom+

#### 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.

You're encouraged to bring a food item each Sunday. Include your children in deciding what would be good to bring - a favorite breakfast cereal, perhaps a popular snack or crackers, juice (in unbreakable containers), lunchbox supplies.

All contributions, including money, will be very much welcomed by families who come to the Food Pantry at St. Paul's in Paterson, seeking enough food to feed their families a meal or two. God bless all of you for your continued generosity to this very important mission.

## SCHOLARSHIP FORMS AVAILABLE

College Students and graduating HS Seniors- the Christ Church Scholarship Application are now available. Scholarship applications can be found in the cloister or online.

#### **HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS TO BE HONORED**

On **Sunday, May 20** we will honor our High School Seniors at 10 a.m. worship as they prepare for graduation. Come join us as we honor our amazing and talented seniors! We will have a reception to honor our graduates after the service in the Guild's Room, all are welcome! Any questions, please contact Kristen Lee at klee@christchurchridgewood.org.

## NEXT YOUTH SUNDAY IS MAY 20, 2018!

Youth Sunday is fast approaching! If you are interested in participating in our next Youth Sunday, please let Kristen Lee know. We are looking for youth interested in reading, acolyting, ushering, Oblations and LEM's. Our Jubilation choir will be singing and there will be a special reception to honor our high school graduates. Let's come honor our graduates and make this a great Youth Sunday! Email Kristen today and let her know that you want to be a part of this very special Sunday. klee@christchurchridgewood.org



## E-Newsletter

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## YOUTH GROUP GOES BIKING



It's time to pump some air into your bicycle tires and head to Christ Church on April 22nd. We will meet in the Great Hall following JOY worship (9:45am) and then head to the Ridgewood Duck Pond to hit the trail for a bike hike! Pack a snack and bring a water bottle and prepare to get your Jesus on in the great outdoors! We will stop along the way for communion and a small worship service. We will also need adult volunteers to join us and be available to drive your son/daughter to the Park. The Ridgewood

Duck Pond is located at the end of Ridgewood Ave prior to Paramus Rd. Feel free to email Kristen Lee with any questions. Please RSVP by April 15th. klee@christchurchridgewood.org.

#### DIOCESAN YOUTH MINISTERS MEETING

On Thursday, April 19th at 6:45 p.m. Christ Church will host the monthly Diocesan Youth Ministries Meeting (DYM). We are looking for volunteers to help with preparing a meal, desserts and drinks for the committee of approximately 20. We will need a volunteer to help set up and prepare, you needn't stay for the meeting. Pizza and salad is fine! Please contact Kristen Lee at klee@christchurchridgewood.org if you are interested in helping.

#### COFFEE HOUR NEEDS YOU!

We are interested in having a vibrant and inviting coffee hour each Sunday and we need your help. What does it take? What is the effort? Below are some suggestions on what to bring:

- \* Buy or make cakes, muffins, or fruit.
- \* Buy bagels and cut them up into quarters.
- \* Buy deli meats
- \* Bring egg frittatas
- \* Bring all different types of snacks (we suggest something sweet & something salty)

#### What you will need to do as a coffee hour host:

- \* Leave out food items on the table in the Guilds Room
- \* Attend the service
- \* After Communion, check coffee, refill if needed
- \* Enjoy the company of Christ Church community
- \* Talk with new visitors
- \* Clean up!

An experienced person will be available to guide you if you are new to this ministry. We ask all of those who have hosted to share their experience with those who are unsure.

Sign-up sheets for the 11:15 coffee hour are available on Sunday. We would like to have two hosts each Sunday.

See Lynn Prokop before or after the service or e-mail her at herbalqueen 129@yahoo.com

Thank you to Julie Berry and Barbara Mathews for hosting coffee hour this Sunday, March 25.

#### PENNIES (TEDDY BEAR)

The pennies that are dropped in the 'Teddy Bear' go to the Church Periodical Club. It will provide educational and religious textbooks, magazines, Bibles, church school materials, prayer books, hymnals, pamphlets, and teaching guides to missions, schools, prisons, hospitals, student clergy, and seminaries here and abroad.

#### COMMUNITY THRIFT SHOP DONATIONS

When you donate clothing and household goods to the Community Thrift Shop in Midland Park (85 Godwin Ave. behind the strip mall on the lower level)., 30% of the proceeds are donated back to Christ Church and used for our Memorial Scholarship fund.

- Please mark your box or bag of items with #1. Donated items need to be in good condition, clean, folded, and in season.
- Donors are asked to bring clothes and other items in a maximum four grocery bags, three tall white plastic kitchen bags, or two medium size boxes.
- Donations may be made every Monday between 10 am and 2 pm and the first Saturday of the month between 10 am and 2 pm.

#### MONEY COUNTERS

Donation counters wanted! If you want to count on a Sunday (after the 10 a.m. service) or Monday (9 a.m.) please see Dan Eckhardt or Dick Moynihan. Thank you.

## CHRIST CHURCH TRAVEL GROUP

On October 21 to the 29th the Christ Church Travel group will be doing a river cruise in Bordeaux, France. The seven-night, all inclusive cruise will take us along the Garonne and Dordogne rivers and the Gironde estuary as we discover the wines, history, art and culture of the Bordeaux region. For more information, contact Ellen Singer at christchurchtravel@gmail.com

## SAVE THE DATE!

April 2—3-Christ Church Office will be CLOSED!

**April 8-**Ridgewood's Annual Holocaust Memorial Service at Temple Israel at 7:30 p.m.

**April 22-**Youth Group Biking

May 20-Youth Sunday; High School Seniors Recognition

August 6–10-Vacation Bible School (VBS) at Christ Church: "Jonah & the

Whale"; more details will be released soon.