Announcements

EVERY MEMBER CANVASS 2013 "BY WORD AND EXAMPLE"



The Stewardship Committee hopes have you received your Canvass letter and pledge card in the mail. Please prayerfully consider your pledge to the Cathedral for 2013 and submit your pledge card to the Cathedral office. You may also make your pledge online at christcathedral.org/give. As of Thursday October 25, 115 households have submitted a 2013 pledge for a total of \$390,738. In 2012, 557 households pledged a total of \$1,786,706.60. We will keep the parish updated as the Canvass continues through December.

CONFIRMATION POTLUCK TODAY

12:30 p.m. in Cheek Hall



Wednesday Evenings at the Cathedral

PASTORAL CONVERSATIONS

November 7 & 28, 2012 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Please join these important conversations as we seek to have the faith inform some of the most difficult aspects of our lives and the lives of our loved ones.

November 7: Dr. Jamie Kyne, Clinical Psychologist, "Perspectives on Mood: A Theological Consideration for the Management of Anxiety"

November 28: The Reverend Paul Pradit, Chief Clinical Officer and Director of Pastoral Care Services, Cumberland Heights

"Faith and Addiction"

Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m. Cost of the dinner is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. Childcare is provided. Please call Marti Lawson at 615.255.7729 for dinner reservations.

Dinner reservations are required by 4 p.m. on Monday each week.

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Please join us for **Theology on Tap**, a theological gathering of the Young Adults of Christ Church Cathedral, on **Thursday**, **November 8**, 7 p.m., at The Flying Saucer, 111 10th Avenue South. All are warmly welcomed, so invite guests and friends. For more details, please contact the Reverend Joshua Caler, jcaler@christcathedral.org, or 615.255.7729.

EVENING PRAYER ACCOMPANIED BY MUSIC OF THE TAIZÉ COMMUNITY

November 11, 2012, at 6:00 p.m.

Sacred Space for the City FALL SYMPOSIUM

The Role of the Laity: From New Testament Times to the Episcopal Church Today

Featuring

THE REVEREND DR. BENJAMIN J. KING



What is the role of the laity in our churches? In the Catholic Church of the Victorian era, one English Monsignor notoriously answered: "To hunt, to shoot, to entertain. These matters they understand, but to meddle with ecclesiastical matters they have no right at all." In a study prepared for the recent General Convention, a different answer was given: "The Episcopal Church has historically embraced and legitimized laity,

bishops and clergy equally to take their place in the governance of the church." Dr. Benjamin J. King's lectures will examine the various roles of the laity since New Testament times so that we might better understand what the role of the laity could be today.

Friday, November 16, 2012

Reception: 5:15 p.m.; Dinner: 5:45 p.m.; and Lecture: 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 17, 2012 Lecture: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Dinner, Friday and Saturday Lectures, \$25
Dinner and Friday Lecture ONLY \$15
Friday Lecture ONLY \$10
Saturday Lecture ONLY \$10
Students: Friday and Saturday Lectures
ONLY, no dinner \$5

Reservations are required by November 12. Childcare available upon request by November 12.

The Reverend Dr. Benjamin King will be our guest preacher on

Sunday, November 18, 2012

7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 11:00 a.m. Liturgies Sunday Forum at 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Go to our website christcathedral.org for more information. Please contact Becky Rochford, brochford@christcathedral.org if you have any questions.

TURKEY PILGRIMAGE, MARCH 1-10, 2013

This coming spring, join fellow parishioners of Christ Church Cathedral on pilgrimage to early Christian sites in Turkey. Home to many of the first Christian communities to whom New Testament epistles were written, Turkey affords a glimpse into the places, centuries, and people that generated some of the most significant and formative developments of the Christian faith. Application deadline is Wednesday, October 31 (application forms plus \$500 deposit, applicable towards the program fee). The overall program fee is \$4,050, which includes, airfare, housing, meals, etc. The pilgrimage will be led by the Reverend Joshua M. Caler and Dr. Daniel Shafer, Professor of History at Belmont University and a member of the Cathedral Vestry. Please contact the Reverend Joshua M. Caler at jcaler@christcathedral.org or Dr. Dan Schafer at daniel.schafer@belmont.edu for more information.

Room In The Inn Volunteers and Clothing Needed

Room In The Inn at the Cathedral is seeking six men willing to serve as innkeepers from November 1 through March 31. New volunteers will be paired with experienced innkeepers and will stay overnight with guests about once a month. Duties include helping with the set-up of dinner, distributing clothes, doing laundry, providing transportation back to the Campus for Human Development, and general fellowship. If you are interested in ministering to homeless men this winter, please contact David Morton at dmorton60@gmail.com. Warm clothing is also needed for distribution to Room In The Inn guests. If you would like to donate gently worn jeans, long-sleeved shirts, hooded sweatshirts, warm coats, or shoes and boots, preferably in large and extra-large sizes, as well as new socks and underwear, please contact David Morton at dmorton60@gmail.com or Marie Masterson at mariemasterson@att.net.

EUCHARISTIC VISITOR MINISTRY

We who are many are One Body, because we share one bread, one cup.

From time to time fellow parishioners are unable to attend the Sunday celebration of the Holy Eucharist due to illness, hospitalization or infirmity. Eucharistic Visitors are licensed and authorized by the Bishop to take the Consecrated Elements to such persons. This month we have begun sending Eucharistic Visitors from the Sunday liturgies to those who wish to receive the sacrament. Please contact The Reverend Canon Gene Manning, 615.255.7729 or gmanning@christcathedral.org, if you, your family member or a fellow parishioner desires such a visit. A visit by a Eucharistic Minister does not take the place of a pastoral call by one of the clergy.

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

Sunday, November 4: *Church in the Yard* at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 2-3:30 p.m. Come join us as we celebrate an outdoor Eucharist and share a meal with our homeless brothers and sisters. This is a beautiful and moving experience of Christian community that you don't want to miss. (6th-12th grades)

Saturday, November 10: *Lambscroft* at Connection Pointe Church, 3016 Nolensville Rd, 5-8 p.m. Join us and the staff of Lambscroft ministry as we serve food and enjoy a dinner with our homeless friends. Bring board games, cards, guitars or other musical instruments! (6th-12th grades)

VISITORS MINISTRY

While we have many visitors each Sunday, we have very little structure in place to greet, orient, and draw in the guests who come through our (sometimes imposing) doors. Central to our charge to be "friends who welcome the stranger," Christ Church is reinvigorating and improving our effort to welcome visitors to the Cathedral. You will start noticing fellow parishioners before and after the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. liturgies stationed outside the Church and the Nave to help in this effort. Take a moment to speak with them, thank them for their service, and introduce yourself to them. Likewise, if this is a ministry in which you feel called to participate, please contact the Reverend Joshua Caler, jcaler@christcathedral.org, for details.

SAVE THE DATE!

Tenth Annual Christ Church Cathedral Women's Retreat January 25-27, 2013. Details to follow.