Announcements

CHURCH IN THE YARD (CITY) TODAY AT 2 P.M.

Today and every first Sunday of the month Christ Church Cathedral serves a meal to the hungry in the parish hall of Holy Trinity (615 6th Ave. So.). You are invited to come and assist us in this servant ministry. Ask for Stacey Nebel when you arrive or contact her at merundatil13@yahoo.com for more information.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION: Sunday school for all ages begins Sunday, September 8. Classes begin at 9:45 a.m. and end at 10:45 a.m. The parents of children age 3 through 6th grades should have received a packet in the mail – no further registration is required. Parents should return the Volunteer form and the Child's Information Form as soon as possible. If you did not receive a packet or if you are a newcomer, please contact Becky Rochford at brochford@christcathedral.org. All children and youth are welcome in Sunday school.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PARENT MEETING

What will my child learn on Sunday morning? How do I answer my children's questions about faith? On Sunday, September 8, at 9:45 a.m. in the Nave there will be a meeting that will include an overview of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program, the spiritual formation program for children from age 3 through the sixth grade. Parents who are interested are invited to attend.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: Christ Church Cathedral will be offering a new course for adults. Level I of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd covers the presentations that are offered to 3-6 year olds, and the course will give participants a time to experience these lessons in a contemplative class with other adults. Classes will begin Tuesday, October 1, and conclude on March 25, 2014. These classes meet from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Childcare and lunch is provided for all classes. There is a nominal charge for lunch and a \$35 registration fee for Cathedral parishioners. You may register online at christcathedral.org or contact Becky Rochford at brochford@christcathedral.org for more information.

THE BIBLE CHALLENGE: The Bible Challenge **will not** meet today. Join us on Wednesday, September 4, 11 a.m.-12 p.m., in the Wheeler Room.

Readings for week 48, beginning September 2.

Day 337 Micah 7, Psalm 123, Mark 1 Day 338 Nahum 1, Psalm 124, Mark 2 Day 339 Nahum 2, Psalm 125, Mark 3 Day 340 Nahum 3, Psalm 126, Mark 4 Day 341 Habakkuk 1, Psalm 127, Mark 5 Day 342 Habakkuk 2, Psalm 128, Mark 6 Day 343 Enjoy hearing the Scriptures read aloud in church.

FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 6:00 P.M. - "FLOURISHING

& FRAGMENTATION" The modern world is marked by ever -increasing fragmentation, disintegration, and alienation. If there was once a consensus about the meaning of a good and fruitful life, there is surely not one now. Yet, in the midst of competing visions of a good life, Christians are called to flourish, to live life abundantly. Mixing prayer, music, and film, this First Friday will examine the cultural tension inherent in modern life and the Church's vision for flourishing amidst it. Childcare provided and reception following the liturgy.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL PARENTS AND YOUTH GRADES 6-12

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

BACK TO SUNDAY SCHOOL KICK-OFF!

9:45 a.m. Youth Room in the 810 Broadway Bldg.

Please join us as we introduce the teachers and events of the upcoming year.

POTLUCK PICNIC

4:00-6:00 p.m. at Edwin Warner Park, Shelter # 6

COMPANIONS IN CHRIST: Companions in Christ is a spiritual formation program in which groups of 6-8 people meet weekly for 28 weeks. There is a rhythm of scripture reading, honest reflection, and deep prayer that leads to a fuller understanding of God. You may sign up for a group or just learn more about the program on **Sunday, September 8 in the Wheeler Room from 9:30-9:45 a.m.** If you cannot attend, or if you would like more information, please contact Libby Patterson, 615.948.6431, or libpatterson@comcast.net or Pam Lasley, 615.665.9959 or plasley@comcast.net You may find more information about the CiC ministry at companionsinchrist.org. **The deadline for sign up is September 12.**

HOT! HOT! HOT! COFFEE MINUTE, the Cathedral's time to gather with familiar faces and greet new friends, returns on **Sunday, September 8, following the 11 a.m. Eucharist**. All are encouraged to stop by the Parish Hall for an informal time of fellowship and a cup of coffee freshly brewed in the Cathedral's <u>new</u> coffee-making equipment. Tea will also be available, as will homemade cookies (on selected Sundays). Volunteer greeters and cookie bakers are needed. Please contact David Berndt, davidwberndt@gmail.com, for more information and to learn how you can help.

NEWCOMER GATHERING: If you have begun attending Christ Church Cathedral in the last several months, are visiting for the first time, or are interested in learning more about life and ministry in this parish, please join us on **Sunday, September 8, 2013 at 10 a.m. in the Wheeler Room for coffee and conversation.** This will provide an opportunity to meet some of the clergy, to meet others who are new to the parish, and to learn more about this community.

CATHEDRAL TO WELCOME THE VICAR OF BAGHDAD, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15: The Reverend Canon Andrew White is the Chaplain of St. George's Anglican Church in Baghdad, Iraq. A remarkable man with a riveting story, Canon White will preach at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday morning liturgies and will also lead the Sunday Forum. Go to christcathedral.org to learn more.

EVENING PRAYER ACCOMPANIED BY MUSIC OF THE TAIZÉ COMMUNITY

September 8 at 6:00 p.m.

A quiet, meditative, and reflective style of worship, using music, simple chanting, periods of silence, and brief readings. A special way to worship God and to quiet the soul. **Youth Minister Search:** Christ Church Cathedral is looking to hire a new Youth Minister. There is a full job description of the position on the Church website. All interested applicants should apply to YouthSearch@christcathedral.org by October 1st.

MATERIAL MAKING DAY: Come and enjoy fellowship and help make materials for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program on Tuesday, September 10, 17, and 24, 9:30 a.m. and noon, childcare provided. No particular talent required! We will cut, laminate, glue, paint, draw, and do whatever is needed to make materials for the children to use on Sunday mornings. Contact Becky Rochford at brochford@christcathedral.org for more information.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ACOLYTE? The Cathedral is always interested in training young parishioners between 5th and 12th grades to serve as acolytes. This is a great way for young people to take a leadership role in an important church ministry. Two training sessions will be offered on Saturdays, September 14 and 21 at 3 p.m. in the Nave. If you would like to find out more, please email Pamela Eddy at pamela.eddy624@gmail.com, or the Rev. Joshua Caler at jcaler@christcathedral.org

LOST & FOUND: THE NEW STEPHEN FOSTER MUSICAL TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 7:00 p.m. FREE STAGED READING

Lost & Found interweaves Stephen Foster songs with an adaptation of the parable of the Prodigal Son. It is a family story dealing with the passions of youth, jealousy, corruption, redemption and the longing for love. Story and book by Martin and Corabel Shofner; arrangements by Rachel DeVore-Fogarty. Go to christcathedral.org to learn more.

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY: Please consider serving as a greeter on the CCC hospitality team! While we have many visitors each Sunday, Christ Church Cathedral has little structure to greet, orient, and draw in the guests who come through our (sometimes imposing) doors. We invite you to consider helping to reinvigorate and improve this effort as part of our shared ministry of hospitality and welcome at the Cathedral. This is an exciting and vital ministry, one central to the health and growth of our parish family. For more information, please contact Julian Garza, juliangarza@yahoo.com, or the Reverend Joshua Caler, jcaler@christcathedral.org.

JOIN A FOYER GROUP: Foyer groups are made up of 8 to 10 members of the Cathedral who meet casually once a month in order to get to know their fellow parishioners better. The format and time of the meetings are determined by each group. If you are interested in joining a 2013-14 foyer group, please fill out the form at christcathedral.org/InOurChurch/FoyerGroups by September 13. You will then be assigned to a group. All participants are invited to a combined kickoff/potluck dinner at the Cathedral on Friday night, September 20. For additional information, please contact Brent Clark at brent.clark@hcahealthcare.com or Rees Mitchell at rees.mitchell@comcast.net.

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