

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL  
ORDER OF WORSHIP



SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

SEPTEMBER 20, 2015  
7:00 a.m.

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Cathedral Parish of the  
Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

*Proclaim. Seek. Serve.*

## To Visitors

*Welcome! We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer, which is the red book located in the rack on the back of the pew in front of you. The Hymnal is the blue book. Anyone sitting near you will be happy to answer questions about worship at Christ Church Cathedral and opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. Please complete a Visitor's Card and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. You may also visit our website, [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org), to learn more about the Cathedral. Thank you for visiting!*

## HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

### The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION (*BCP, p. 323*)

GLORIA (*BCP, p. 324*)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Grant us, O Lord, not to mind earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to cleave to those that shall abide; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON – Wisdom of Solomon 1:16 – 2:1, 12-22

The ungodly by their words and deeds summoned death;  
considering him a friend, they pined away  
and made a covenant with him,  
because they are fit to belong to his company.  
For they reasoned unsoundly, saying to themselves,  
“Short and sorrowful is our life,  
and there is no remedy when a life comes to its end,  
and no one has been known to return from Hades.

“Let us lie in wait for the righteous man,  
because he is inconvenient to us and opposes our actions;  
he reproaches us for sins against the law,  
and accuses us of sins against our training.  
He professes to have knowledge of God,  
and calls himself a child of the LORD.  
He became to us a reproof of our thoughts;  
the very sight of him is a burden to us,  
because his manner of life is unlike that of others,  
and his ways are strange.

We are considered by him as something base,  
and he avoids our ways as unclean;  
he calls the last end of the righteous happy,  
and boasts that God is his father.

Let us see if his words are true,  
and let us test what will happen at the end of his life;  
for if the righteous man is God's child, he will help him,  
and will deliver him from the hand of his adversaries.

Let us test him with insult and torture,  
so that we may find out how gentle he is,  
and make trial of his forbearance.

Let us condemn him to a shameful death,  
for, according to what he says, he will be protected.”

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Thus they reasoned, but they were led astray,  
for their wickedness blinded them,  
and they did not know the secret purposes of God,  
nor hoped for the wages of holiness,  
nor discerned the prize for blameless souls.

#### PSALM 54

- 1 Save me, O God, by your Name; \*  
in your might, defend my cause.
- 2 Hear my prayer, O God; \*  
give ear to the words of my mouth.
- 3 For the arrogant have risen up against me,  
and the ruthless have sought my life, \*  
those who have no regard for God.
- 4 Behold, God is my helper; \*  
it is the LORD who sustains my life.
- 5 Render evil to those who spy on me; \*  
in your faithfulness, destroy them.
- 6 I will offer you a freewill sacrifice \*  
and praise your Name, O LORD, for it is good.
- 7 For you have rescued me from every trouble, \*  
and my eye has seen the ruin of my foes.

#### THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON – James 3:13 – 4:3, 7-8a

Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom. But if you have bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not be boastful and false to the truth. Such wisdom does not come down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, devilish. For where there is envy and selfish ambition, there will also be disorder and wickedness of every kind. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace.

Those conflicts and disputes among you, where do they come from? Do they not come from your cravings that are at war within you? You want something and do not have it; so you commit murder. And you covet something and cannot obtain it; so you engage in disputes and conflicts. You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, in order to spend what you get on your pleasures.

Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you.

#### THE GOSPEL LESSON – Mark 9:30-37

Jesus and his disciples went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, “The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.” But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him.

Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, “What were you arguing about on the way?” But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest. He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, “Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.” Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, “Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.”

SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough

*A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

THE NICENE CREED (BCP, p. 326)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (BCP, p. 328)

CONFESSION OF SIN (BCP, p. 330)

THE PEACE

## The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (BCP, p. 333)

The Lord's Prayer (BCP, p. 336)

The Breaking of the Bread (BCP, p. 337)

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (BCP, p. 339)

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Wilburn Johnson, Suzanne Lee, Jane Boram, Bebe Harton

## CHURCH SCHOOL

### Adult Classes:

**Dean's Forum—9:45 a.m. (Parish Hall)**

“Living Into God's Dream for Christ Church Cathedral”

Visioning for the ministries of **Parish Life and Pastoral Care**

Presenters: Dean Kimbrough and Scott Viebranz

All other adult classes are cancelled. Everyone is encouraged to attend the Dean's Forum.

### Children's Classes

**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd**

Age 3 (as of 08/15/15) through 1st grade—Cheek Hall

2nd through 5th grade—Cathedral Annex Building

### Youth Classes :

6th-12th grades (810 Broadway Building)

## PRAYERS

**Today we pray for** *Will Chappell, Roberta LaBour, Leigh MacMillan, Renee McLaughlin, Maddy Scruggs, Peter, David Paul Cotton, Florence Page, Linda, Shirley Lechleiter, Bill Winternitz, Cauley Lukens, Meg Bessey, Howard Willis, Clayton Reeve, Dorothy Massey, Gwyn Turner, Stacey Nickie, and Tom Busselle.* **We give thanks** for the marriage of *Gregory Brian Jackson and Roger Emerson Moore* on July 4, 2015.

**St. Luke's Community Center** (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*) serves low-income people of West Nashville by offering a variety of family-oriented services, such as child development programs and mobile meals to the elderly and handicapped.

## FLOWERS

The flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the marriage of *Caroline Cross Bronaugh and William Stuart Baugher* on September 19, 2015.

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SERMON NOTES:

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## “LIVING INTO GOD’S DREAM FOR CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, SESSION #1”

Today at 9:45 a.m.  
Parish Hall — All are welcome.  
Areas of ministry: Pastoral Care, Parish Life

## NEWCOMERS’ BRUNCH TODAY AT 12:45 P.M. CHEEK HALL



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 in Cheek Hall for brunch and conversation. This will give you an opportunity to meet some of the clergy, to meet others who are new to the parish, and to learn more about this community.

**SACRED SPACE FOR THE CITY:** The Cultural Arts Committee, which plans and produces the Sacred Space for the City arts events, will hold its fall meeting this **Tuesday, September 22, at 6 p.m.** at the Cathedral. A light supper will be served. Newcomers and inquirers are most welcome! For more information, please contact Jack Hill at [Johnhill6494@att.net](mailto:Johnhill6494@att.net).

**MATERIAL MAKING DAY:** Come and enjoy fellowship and help make materials for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Program. No particular talent required! We will cut, laminate, glue, paint, draw, and do whatever is needed to help make materials for the children to use on Sunday mornings. We will meet on **Tuesdays, September 22 and 29, between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.** Come for all or part of the time. All sessions will take place in Cheek Hall and childcare is provided. Contact Becky Rochford at [brochford@christcathedral.org](mailto:brochford@christcathedral.org) for more information.

## CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD TRAINING BEGINS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 DINNER AT 5:30 P.M. & CLASS 6:00-8:00 P.M.

Christ Church Cathedral will be offering a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level I training course for adults. The course includes information on the characteristics of the 3-6 year old child and lessons that have been used over the past 50 years to encourage the faith life of young children through prayer, liturgy, and the Bible. Go to [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org) for class times and dates. Childcare and meals will be provided for all classes. There is a nominal charge for the meal and a \$35 registration fee for Christ Church parishioners. Adult participants of all ages are welcome. You may register online at [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org) or contact Becky Rochford at [brochford@christcathedral.org](mailto: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. A training session will be offered on **Saturday, September 26, at 10 a.m.** at the Cathedral. If you would like to find out more, please email Pamela Eddy at [pamela.eddy624@gmail.com](mailto:pamela.eddy624@gmail.com) or any of the Clergy.

## PRISON MINISTRY ORIENTATION VISITATION ON DEATH ROW (VODR)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

9:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.

RIVERBEND MAXIMUM SECURITY INSTITUTION

Contact Joe Ingle at [joeingle@comcast.net](mailto:joeingle@comcast.net) or 615.242.5179 if you are interested in training to volunteer to visit Tennessee’s Death Row. **In order to attend, you must contact Joe Ingle and provide your name as it appears on a photo i.d. and date of birth.** The visitation on death row (VODR) orientation will thoroughly acquaint the visitor with the rules and regulations of the prison, the dynamics of visitation, and current visitors to death row will present their experiences and be open to questions. This experience is designed to make visitation as easy as possible for the visitor. We look forward to hearing from you. Although we encourage people not to evangelize through this program but to become friends, many of us are involved through the admonition of Jesus: *“Whatever you do to the least of these my brothers and sisters, you have done unto me.” (Matthew 25:45)*



## OUR MUSLIM NEIGHBOR CONFERENCE 2015

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

8:00 A.M.

VANDERBILT DIVINITY SCHOOL, BENTON CHAPEL

CREATING A COMMUNITY OF INCLUSION IN MIDDLE TENNESSEE

This conference presents an opportunity to learn from leading authorities on Islamophobia, community, and welcoming our Muslim neighbor. Go to <https://faithandculturecenter.org/fall-conference/> to learn more or to register.

**JOIN A FOYER GROUP:** Foyer Groups provide an opportunity for parishioners to get to know each other and experience parish life by gathering to talk and share in friendship. Each Foyer Group is made up of 8 to 10 parishioners that meet once a month at various locations throughout Nashville. Foyer Groups are open to everyone throughout the church. For more information regarding Foyer Groups and to sign up, go to: [cognitofirms.com/ChristChurchCathedral1/JoinAFoyerGroup](http://cognitofirms.com/ChristChurchCathedral1/JoinAFoyerGroup). **Please sign up by Sunday, September 27.** Group assignments will be made by the end of the first week of October. For questions or more information, contact Adam Hutson at [ccc.foyergroups@gmail.com](mailto:ccc.foyergroups@gmail.com)

**COMPANIONS IN CHRIST:** Once again the foundational 28-week series of Companions in Christ, led by Lina Wellborn, will begin mid-September. Meeting on Fridays, the 28-week foundational Companions experience will take a small group of 6-10 people through an uninterrupted journey of five topics: Spiritual Formation, Scripture, Prayer, Vocation, and Spiritual Companionship. For more information, please contact Libby Patterson, 615.948.6431, Lina Wellborn, 615.438.6701, or Debbie Webster, 615.618.9565.

**THE TITHE OF TIME SURVEY:** You should already have received a Tithe of Time email questionnaire. If you have not filled out the questionnaire, please take a few moments to consider how you can give of your time and talents to this blessed community. Go to [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org) and complete the Tithe of Time questionnaire. This is an opportunity for all members of the Cathedral to renew their commitment to the mission and life of this community. **The survey will close on Wednesday, September 30.**

TO SUPPORT THE MINISTRIES AT CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, GO TO [christcathedral.org/give](http://christcathedral.org/give).

## FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS AND BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

10:00 A.M.

If you or your child or grandchild has a dog, cat, frog, newt, mouse, guinea pig, hamster, chameleon, fish, or anything else in the animal kingdom that could use a blessing, plan to bring your pet to this special Liturgy. **Pets should be in a carrier or on a leash.**

Please contact **Elise Dugger** at [elisedugger@gmail.com](mailto:elisedugger@gmail.com) by **September 25**, if you would like to volunteer or be in the procession.



### 100 HANDS OF MERCY EVENT

BEAUTIFUL FEET BRING GOOD NEWS

## NASHVILLE CARES AIDS WALK

*"How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"*

*Romans 10:15*

Saturday, October 3, at 10:00 a.m.

Join or sponsor at [nashvilleaidswalk.com](http://nashvilleaidswalk.com)

By designation of the Dean, Christ Church Cathedral's participation in the **Annual Nashville AIDS Walk** will be a **"100 Hands of Mercy"** event. As such, all friends of the Cathedral are invited to join the Walk. Check-in for the Walk & 5K Run begins at 10 a.m. in Public Square Park. The three-mile Walk and 5K Run begins at 11 a.m. Children, friends, and pets are welcome! You may register online at [nashvilleaidswalk.com](http://nashvilleaidswalk.com). There you can join the team, sponsor one of the walkers listed on the CCC team, or make a general team donation. You can also register by calling CARES directly at 615.259.4866. For more information, please contact Jere Lane at [lanejere@bellsouth.net](mailto:lanejere@bellsouth.net) or 615.496.3209; or Jeanne Thomas at [jeanne.thomas@hcahealthcare.com](mailto:jeanne.thomas@hcahealthcare.com) or 615.480.9642. If you do not have the shirt and cap from a previous year's walk, or your pet needs an AIDS Walk bandana, please contact Jeanne. Your participation will bring the good news of Christ's healing love to Nashville and Middle Tennessee.

## BREAKING BREAD AT 6

Beginning October 18, the Cathedral will offer a time of Evening Worship.

Informal worship in the tradition of Common Prayer.  
Hymns accompanied by local musicians.  
Come as you are. Come with a friend.

*All are welcome!*

Watch for more details and begin spreading the word!

## CATHEDRAL FLOWERS



The beautiful flowers you see in the Cathedral every Sunday are placed to the glory of God and often in thanksgiving for or in memory of a loved one. They express the generosity of those who contribute to our Flower Fund. Cost: \$150. To give flowers on an upcoming Sunday, contact Peggy Tucker at 615.255.7729 or [ptucker@christcathedral.org](mailto:ptucker@christcathedral.org).

## CHAPEL ALTAR

GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN MEMORY OF  
MEDORA CHEATHAM THAYER

The original 1888 chapel, designed by Francis Hatch Kimball, faced 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue North. The chapel altar, a memorial to Medora Cheatham Thayer, who died on February 3, 1880, was given by her sister Ada Cheatham. By 1913, the Vestry recognized a need for more office and classroom space. Russell Hart, Nashville architect, presented plans for a Parish House to replace the original chapel and to create a "new" chapel adjacent to the chancel. The altar was moved to the new chapel. During 1971, the altar was placed on loan to the Orthodox Church of the Redeemer. In 2010, Wayne Boyle-Parsley, Bishop-Rector of St. Basil's Church, acquired the altar which he then gave back to the Cathedral. The altar was re-dedicated by Bishop John Bauerschmidt on December 16, 2010.



*By Fletch Coke, Cathedral Archivist*

*The Cathedral Archives have assembled a detailed report of all gifts, memorials, and bequests from 1831 through 2014. This material was produced through research of the vestry minutes, church bulletins, newsletters, and the annual reports of Christ Church Cathedral and Davidson County will records. For more information, go to [archives.christcathedral.org](http://archives.christcathedral.org) or refer to the Book of Remembrance in the Wheeler Room.*

## JOURNEY IN FAITH OPEN HOUSE

October 14  
Cathedral Annex Building  
6:00 p.m.

*An Evening for All Newcomers and Inquirers.*

Are you interested in baptism, confirmation, or simply learning more about being a Christian in the Episcopal Church? Are you coming to Christ Church Cathedral from another tradition or from another Episcopal Church?

*Journey in Faith is for you!*

## AN EVENING WITH THE REVEREND MARTIN L. SMITH

OCTOBER 28

Dinner 5:30 p.m. and Program 6:30-8:00 p.m.  
Suggested donation: \$10 dinner and program, \$5 program only.

**Dinner reservations required by October 26.**

Please call 615.255.7729.

*For more information, go to [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org).*

**WEAPON-FREE:** The Cathedral clergy and Vestry have declared the Cathedral to be a weapon-free place of worship, prayer, study, and fellowship, as a sign of Eucharistic peace. Please leave any weapons you are licensed to carry at home or in your car when you visit Christ Church Cathedral.

**HAVE YOU REMEMBERED CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL IN YOUR WILL?**

# CALENDAR

## **SUNDAY, September 20**

*Proper 20*

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist Rite I  
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist Rite II  
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Dean's Forum  
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education  
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist Rite II  
12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute  
12:45 p.m. – Newcomers Brunch  
*Habitat for Humanity Build (off-site)*

## **MONDAY, September 21**

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

## **TUESDAY, September 22**

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
9:30 a.m. – CGS Material Making  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting  
5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer  
6:00 p.m. – Cultural Arts Committee Meeting

## **WEDNESDAY, September 23**

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
8:30 a.m. – EfM  
11:00 a.m. – Bible Study  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

4:30 p.m. – Senior Choristers  
5:30 p.m. – Dinner  
6:00 p.m. – CGS Training

## **THURSDAY, September 24**

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist  
12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer  
7:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

## **FRIDAY, September 25**

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

## **SATURDAY, September 26**

9:00 a.m. – CGS Training  
10:00 a.m. – Acolyte Training  
10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – Cathedral Tours

## **SUNDAY, September 27**

*Proper 21*

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist Rite I  
7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist Rite II  
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education  
9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer  
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist Rite II  
12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute

FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20  
7:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

CELEBRANT AND PREACHER  
The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

Names and contact information for the Cathedral staff  
may be found at [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org)

## CATHEDRAL VESTRY

### 2016

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Pete Stringer (Junior Warden)

### 2017

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### 2018

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