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Christ Church Cathedral, Est. 1829

# Announcements

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## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

### FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

#### SUNDAYS

7:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
11:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
6:00 p.m.	BreakingBread@6

#### WEEKDAYS

7:15 a.m.	Morning Prayer
11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.	Nave open for prayer
12:15 p.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II

## EVERY SUNDAY

### CHILDCARE

(Ages six weeks – five years old)

7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Nurseries are located in the Undercroft of the church. Please ask the receptionist, an usher, or a member of the clergy for directions.

### BREAKFAST

7:30 – 8:30 a.m.

Suggested donation: \$3

12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute (Parish Hall)

### CHRISTIAN FORMATION

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

### ADULT CLASS

The Dean's Forum (Parish Hall)

Centering Prayer (Cathedral Annex Building)

Faith and Family Matters (Chapel)

Sitting with Scripture (Room 4, Undercroft)

### CHILDREN'S CLASSES

#### Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Ages 3 (as of 8/16/17) through 1st grade (Cheek Hall)

2nd through 5th grade (Cathedral Annex Building)

### YOUTH CLASSES

#### Sunday School Break-Out Groups

6th grade through 12th grade (810 Broadway Building)

## VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS



Welcome to Christ Church Cathedral! We are delighted that you have joined us this morning. Children of any age are welcome to attend the Liturgy, but if you prefer, a nursery for children 6 weeks to 5 years of age is also available in the Undercroft. An usher will be happy to direct you. You may pick up copies of Sunday Paper at any of the Nave entrances for the young children in your family who are accompanying you. If you are attending the 7 a.m. Liturgy, we invite you to join us afterward for breakfast in

Cheek Hall downstairs. If you are attending the 8:30 a.m. Liturgy, come to our Christian Education classes afterward, and if you are attending the 11 a.m. Liturgy, please stop off afterward at the Coffee Minute in the Parish Hall. We look forward to meeting you! If you would like more information about Christ Church Cathedral, contact the Very Reverend Timothy Kimbrough at [tkimbrough@christcathedral.org](mailto:tkimbrough@christcathedral.org)

## PARKING

On Sunday mornings, the **A lot** is reserved for guests with mobility challenges and those with disabled plates or placards. Parking for the able-bodied is available in the **B** and **C lots** off 9th Avenue and on the street.

## DISCOVERY WEEKEND

### THE CATHEDRAL WELCOMES BECCA GRIFFIN AS OUR SPEAKER THIS MORNING AT THE 8:30 A.M. LITURGY

Becca Griffin (Penname: RL Rahamim) is a writer, speaker, worship leader, poet, stand-up comedian, youth director and all-around creative. She is originally from Mobile, Alabama, where she studied music and theology for her B.A. in Worship Leadership. She then worked at SIFAT in Lineville, Alabama, and is now studying at Vanderbilt Divinity School for a Master of Divinity. She is a candidate for deacon in the Alabama-West Florida conference of the United Methodist Church. Come meet Becca and check out her book, *Ode to We: Volume One* in the Wheeler Room following the 8:30 a.m. Liturgy.



## JOURNEY IN FAITH BRUNCH

TODAY | 12:15 P.M. | CHEEK HALL

A brunch will be held in Cheek Hall for the Sunday Journey in Faith participants.

## CHURCH IN THE YARD (CITY)

TODAY | 2:00 P.M. | CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY | 615 6TH AVENUE SOUTH

Every first Sunday of the month at 2 p.m., Christ Church Cathedral serves a meal to the hungry at the Church of the Holy Trinity (615 6th Ave. S.). You are invited to come and assist in this servant ministry. Please contact Gina Williams, [ginakwilliams@gmail.com](mailto:ginakwilliams@gmail.com), for more information.

## DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

JANUARY 14, 2018 | 9:45 A.M. | SECOND FLOOR

The Daughters of the King will meet next Sunday at 9:45 a.m. on the second floor at the end of the hall. DOK is a prayer group of women who serve the church by praying daily and engaging in evangelism and aid to the clergy as needed. The prayer group meets on the second Sunday of each month. For more information, please contact Roz Bordain, President, at 1.414.690.3678 or [rozbor@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rozbor@sbcglobal.net). All women are welcome.



## A JOINT WORSHIP SERVICE WITH GORDON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14 | 3:00 P.M. | GORDAN MEMORIAL UMC  
2334 HERMAN STREET, 37208

Make plans to join Christ Church Cathedral and Gordon Memorial UMC to commemorate Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day with a joint ecumenical worship service at Gordan Memorial UMC, 2334 Herman Steet, 37208 on Sunday, January 14, at 3 p.m.



## CATHEDRAL MEN'S BREAKFAST

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16 | 7:00 A.M. | CHEEK HALL

The Men's Breakfast will be held on Tuesday, January 16, at 7 a.m. Suggested donation is \$5. Please RSVP by calling the Cathedral at 615.255.7729. The deadline is today.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT COMPLINE

JANUARY 17 | 7:30 P.M. | NAVE

Beginning on January 17 at 7:30 p.m., the Cathedral will offer a service of Compline, an ancient monastic service of night prayer. Led by a small choir in a darkened Nave, the sung prayers, psalms, and hymns of Compline (from the Latin word for "completion") emphasize the serenity we seek before the start of a new day, in an atmosphere removed from the bustle of daily life. We hope you will join us.

## CALENDAR

### MONDAY, JANUARY 8

4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

8:30 a.m. – CGS Level III Training

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 9

7:00 a.m. – Women's Bible Study  
2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting  
5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer  
5:30 p.m. – Room In The Inn

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

8:30 a.m. – CGS Level III Training  
10:30 a.m. – Cathedral Tours

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10

8:30 a.m. – EfM  
11:00 a.m. – Bible Study  
4:30 p.m. – Senior Choristers  
6:00 p.m. – Journey In Faith  
6:00 p.m. – CGS Level II Training

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 14

*2 Epiphany*  
7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
7:30 a.m. – Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
9:45 a.m. – Christian Formation  
9:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer  
9:45 a.m. – Journey In Faith  
9:45 a.m. – Daughters of the King  
11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute  
12:30 p.m. – CGS Level III Training  
3:00 p.m. – Joint Worship at Gordon Memorial UMC  
6:00 p.m. – BreakingBread@6

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 11

8:30 a.m. – CGS Level III Training  
10:00 a.m. – Bible Study  
12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer  
5:30 p.m. – Room In The Inn  
7:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 12

7:00 a.m. – Implementation Committee Meeting

## ELECTION OF VESTRY CLASS OF 2021

JANUARY 21 AND 28 | PARISH HALL

On January 21 and at the Annual Parish Meeting on January 28, voting for the Vestry class of 2021 will take place. Five parishioners will be elected to serve a three-year term on the Vestry. The nominees are **Win Bassett, Wyeth Burgess, Elise Dugger, Becca Ingle, Ken King, David Long, Jill Meese, Trone Sawyer, Sheri Sellmeyer, and Ben Turnage.**

Information about the nominees will be sent to the parish prior to the meeting on January 21. An eligible voter must be present at the Annual Meeting, at least 16 years of age, and an enrolled, confirmed communicant in good standing of the Cathedral congregation. You must have been confirmed or received by a Bishop at Christ Church Cathedral, or have transferred your membership from another parish. If you have any questions or concerns about your eligibility to vote, please contact Nancy Wilson at [nwilson@christcathedral.org](mailto:nwilson@christcathedral.org) or 615.255.7729.



## PASTORAL CARE

One aspect of the Cathedral's Pastoral Care ministry is to prepare for and celebrate the birth and/or adoption of children to members of the parish. We do this through prayers, notes, meals, and gifts. If you are expecting or adopting a child, please share this news with the Reverend Matthew Lewis at [mlewis@christcathedral.org](mailto:mlewis@christcathedral.org)

# A T T H E C A T H E D R A L

Vestry Elections: January 21 & 28, 2018  
Annual Meeting: January 28, 2018



## STRATEGIC PLAN IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE PRESENTATION

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 | ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

On Sunday, January 28, the Implementation Committee will provide an update to the parish regarding the capital implications of the Strategic Plan. Conceptual drawings have been developed, which imagine both new construction and renovation to accommodate fellowship space, Youth meeting space, and a staging area for Outreach ministries. Additionally, objectives and a timeline for a Capital Campaign will be presented. There will be time for small group discussion as well. The results of your observations and feedback will be factored into the final decision-making by the Vestry in the next two months.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOAH CALL TO ACTION

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28 | 4:00 P.M.

NOAH volunteers, old and new, are invited to an Update Meeting at Susie Ries's home from 4 to 6 p.m. on Sunday, January 28. Following the NOAH's Fall Public Meeting, Mayor Barry created a Transit & Affordability task force headed by former Mayor Bill Purcell and Brenda Wynn.\* We will review this and other developments in the areas of mental health, school discipline, criminal justice, and a pending ordinance for economic equity in jobs. Join us for wine, cheese and lots of information. If you can come, please RSVP to [susiewries@gmail.com](mailto:susiewries@gmail.com).

\* The final recommendations will be presented at a public meeting at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, January 10, at the Lentz Center.

## SUNDAY FLOWERS

The flowers you see in the Cathedral on Sunday morning are placed to the glory of God in thanksgiving or in memory of a loved one. To give flowers on an upcoming Sunday, please contact Ellen Coleman at 615.255.7729 or [ecoleman@christcathedral.org](mailto:ecoleman@christcathedral.org)

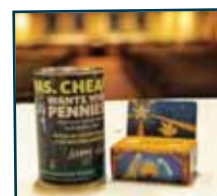


## POST-CHRISTMAS?

Between Week 1 of Advent and Candlemas day on February 2, we experience a whole set of stories. These form our hearts and minds as we ponder with Mary and others Christ's early life in Israel and Egypt. Time is viewed and experienced so differently in the church than in our secular world. Advent was both a looking forward and a looking back. The birth of the Christ child, God with us in the manger, happened once and yet was both foretold and is constantly remembered. We experienced the retelling with our eighth graders and children of the parish on at the pageant on December 23. In her retelling of the life of Christ in *The Glorious Impossible*, Madeleine L'Engle writes, "The birth of Jesus was a Glorious Impossible. Like love, it cannot be explained, it can only be rejoiced in. ..." We are in a season of wonder; allow yourselves to remain here a little while and ponder with Mary these wonders that were told to shepherds and kings, Jews and Gentiles. With God living among us as he does in the Eucharist and in our daily lives, what glorious riches we have!

## MS. CHEAP'S PENNY DRIVE, A BENEFIT FOR SECOND HARVEST

Donate your spare change to Ms. Cheap's Ninth Annual Penny Drive for Second Harvest. Cans are available after the Liturgies at the back of the church. Ms. Cheap's Penny Drive runs through January 31, 2018. For more information, go to [secondharvestmidtn.org/pennydrive](http://secondharvestmidtn.org/pennydrive)



## RIDE SHARING MINISTRY

The Commission for Pastoral Care is seeking volunteers willing to provide rides to and from Sunday worship for those among us who no longer drive and therefore are not able to be with us at the Altar. Providing rides for our seniors, for example, who otherwise would be absent from worship, is one of the many ways we in the Christ Church Cathedral community can live the Gospel, to Proclaim, Seek, and Serve. Please give this prayerful consideration. Email Debbie Webster at [debramarie@bellsouth.net](mailto:debramarie@bellsouth.net) if this is something that is of interest to you.



# Y O U T H H A P P E N I N G S

For more information on Youth events or to register for an event, visit [youth.christcathedral.org](http://youth.christcathedral.org) or contact Alison Bocking at 615.255.7729 or [abocking@christcathedral.org](mailto:abocking@christcathedral.org) to be added to our mailing list.



## PLEDGE UPDATE

The 2018 Pledge Drive is tracking well versus last year, but we still need your help to reach our goal. To date, 514 households have pledged about **\$1,982,000**. Of these, 233 households have increased their pledge over that of 2017. Many thanks to all who have pledged. If you have not yet recorded a pledge, please give of your first fruits for the building of the Kingdom at Christ Church Cathedral. Pledge cards may be mailed to Christ Church Cathedral, 900 Broadway, Nashville TN 37203 c/o Angela Greek or dropped in the offering plate, or go to [christcathedral.org/giving/pledge](http://christcathedral.org/giving/pledge) to make an online pledge.

## SHARE YOUR CATHEDRAL PICS!

Help us keep our photo archive up to date! We would love to see and possibly use photos you've taken around the Cathedral and at Cathedral events. It's very easy to share them to our Dropbox at <http://bit.ly/2yDPY0i> You do not need to have a Dropbox account to do so—just click on the link and follow the directions. It's a snap!



## 2018 CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL PLEDGE DRIVE

*"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?' And I said, 'Here am I. Send me!'" Isaiah 6:8*

We acknowledge with gratitude those who have recorded a pledge during the weeks ending December 28, 2017, and January 3, 2018.

### December 28, 2017

Jeff & Michele Bowman  
 Jeffery & Kemp Buntin, Jr.  
 Trey Caroland  
 Frances Christian  
 Brooks & Frances Corzine  
 Benjamin Dysart  
 Beth & Brad Jones  
 Sara Beth Myers & John Haubenreich  
 Cary & Scott Rayson  
 Charles Robinson  
 Wilson & Allison Robinson  
 Ann & Jonathan Shayne  
 Amy & Gregg Shepard  
 Gary Smith & Ann Evers  
 Julia Sutherland  
 Robert & Lisa Vaughn

### January 3, 2018

Henry & Lesa Agee  
 Luke & Sarah Rochford Benfield  
 Bill & Mimi Fondren  
 Dianne Green  
 Ken Hinman  
 Jeff & Eric London  
 Marcelo & Jennie Moreno  
 Bob Philp  
 Gail Reeve  
 Joshua Rich  
 Bobo & Viginia Tanner  
 Jeremy Teaford  
 Cindy & Bill Tyler  
 Bill Walker  
 Ruth Warner

**The Cathedral and church offices will be closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Monday, January 15, 2018.**

## SUNDAY TOURS

Tours of the Nave are conducted after the closing organ voluntary at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Liturgies. Please join a guide near the lectern.

**WEATHER ADVISORIES:** When inclement weather strikes, please check the Cathedral website, [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org), for current notices about schedules at the Cathedral.

## WEAPON-FREE POLICY

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 before entering the Cathedral grounds.

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

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