



Christ Church Chronicles

Reminder of Weekly Offerings

Following the directives set forth by the Bishop, the current Sunday and weekday offerings (outlined below) will continue through the end of September.

Sunday Schedule

8:00 AM — Holy Eucharist, Rite I in the Nave.
Limited to 22 people who have signed-up in advance.

[CLICK HERE](#) to reserve a spot at the 8:00 AM Mass.

10:30 AM — Holy Eucharist, Rite II in the Great Room and live-streaming on [Facebook](#).
Limited to 20 people who have signed-up in advance.

[CLICK HERE](#) to reserve a spot at the 10:30 AM Mass.

Weekdays

9:00 AM Daily Morning Prayer streaming via [Facebook](#).

Please note: Fr. Joshua will be away from Monday, September 7 through Sunday, September 13. On Sunday, September 13, Fr. Samuel Ndungu, rector of St. Peter's, Phoenixville will preach and preside.

Update From Our Deacon

Deacon Dennis has provided an update on the outreach and ministry activities provided by Christ Church and other local community members, churches, and organizations.

[CLICK HERE](#) to learn more.



Altar Flower Schedule

Christ Church has a wonderful tradition of beautiful flowers adorning our altar for Sunday worship. Flowers are given in the

memory of loved ones, in thanksgiving for friends or family, to celebrate special occasions, or simply to glorify God and beautify the altar. Please [click here](#) to view the 2020-2021 Altar Flower Schedule.



Our thanks to our parish family and guests for their generous donations. There are a few open Sundays throughout the year, if you are interested in sponsoring altar flowers, please contact Megan at mhriefer@christpottstown.org or (610) 323-2895.

Virtual CROP Hunger Walk

Sunday, October 11

The Walk is virtual, but the need could not be more real! CROP Hunger Walks are happening in a new way. To keep everyone safe and healthy, Walks are going virtual – either walking alone, with immediate family or in small groups walking a safe distance apart.



CROP Hunger Walks are community-based walk events held in cities and towns across the United States raising funds to support the global mission of Church World Service, a faith-based organization transforming communities around the globe through just and sustainable responses to hunger, poverty, displacement and disaster. Twenty five percent of the funds raised are returned to the Pottstown Cluster to support local hunger fighting efforts.

Please contact Megan at mhriefer@christpottstown.org for more information, including how to register.

Systematic Racism: An Introduction (Webinar)

Held online on Saturday, September 12 from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM, this webinar explores the multi-layered manifestations of systemic racism in the United States. Participants will develop a sociological understanding of the concepts race, racism, prejudice, discrimination, ethnicity, minority, power, privilege, stratification, as well as other relevant terminology.



[CLICK HERE](#) to register.

Prayer Request

As the Body of Christ, each of us are called to care and pray for one another, especially in times of sickness and need. To request prayer, send an email with the name (either the full name or just the first name if they want privacy) of the person you are wanting prayers for and a brief description of the reason for prayer to prayers@christpottstown.org. We welcome prayer requests for anyone in or out of the parish.



Staying Grounded in Your Faith

During this time of distancing ourselves from others, it is especially important to find different ways to engage with your spirituality. The following is a list of resources that can be accessed from home:

[Book of Common Prayer](#) – Church Publishing has made a digital, clickable copy

[Daily Lectionary](#) – assigned readings and the collect for each day

[Forward Day by Day](#) – daily meditations. Now also available in audio; podcast is available on all streaming platforms, including Apple Podcasts, Spotify, Stitcher, and anywhere else you listen to podcasts.

[Tucked In](#) – Bedtime stories and prayers with Episcopalians and others each Monday and Wednesday.

[Three Minute Retreat](#) – take a short prayer break right at your computer; spend some quiet time reflecting on a Scripture passage

[d365 Daily Devotional for Youth](#) – inspirational and relevant reflections on scripture for young people

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