



## Christ Church

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 12, 2010

Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am

## Order of Worship

9:30 a.m. – Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you're welcome here.*

Ringing of the Church Bell

Prelude

Trish Joyce, Guest Organist

Hymn # 455

**All Creatures of Our God and King**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

verses 1-4

Call to Worship

Ryan Sebastian

Leader: O that all people might turn to the prophets -

**People: And learn that God defines wealth not as the abundance of goods, but as the abundance of sharing.**

Leader: O that all people might turn to the prophets -

**People: And learn that God defines neighbor not by the circumstances of one's life but by the fact of one's humanity.**

Leader: O that all people might turn to the prophets -

**People: And learn that God defines peace not as the absence of violence but as the presence of justice.**

**All: O God, let your righteousness pour forth like a mountain stream.**

Prayer of Invocation

Ryan Sebastian

Scripture Reading

John 6:35-44

Dave Sebastian

A Story for Children

Rev. Julie Yarborough

(The 2 and 3-year-olds may leave for Sunday school at this time.

Church Mice Choir for children pre-K through 1st grade may leave at this time.)

Hymn # 370 **Just as I Am, Without One Please**

WOODWORTH

Passing of the Peace

Announcements, Joys and Concerns

Rev. Caroline Dean

Silence & Prayer

*The Lord's Prayer*  
**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
Hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done  
On earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread  
And forgive us our debts  
As we forgive our debtors;  
And lead us not into temptation,  
But deliver us from evil,  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory forever.**

**Amen**

Invitation to Sharing

Offertory Anthem     **He, watching over Israel**     from Elijah  
Mendelssohn

Doxology     OLD 100TH  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Sing praise, all creatures here below.  
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts;  
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

(Children pre-K through 7<sup>th</sup> grade may leave for  
Sunday school at this time.)

Scripture Reading     John 6:66-69     Rev. Charles Rush

Sermon     **"Free Falling"**     Rev. Rush

Hymn # 399     **We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight**  
DUNLAP'S CREEK

Benediction     Rev. Charles Rush

Postlude

Acolyte for 9:30 am: Matthew Markay

Greeters: The Mac Raes

Ushers for 9:30 am: The MacMillan Family

**Welcome! Visiting today? Please complete a Visitor Card and drop into the offering plate and join us for fellowship after today's service.**



*The flowers today are given  
by Peggy and Al Mac Rae  
in loving memory of Peggy's brother,  
Irvin R. Hazard, Jr.*

The third white candle on the altar is lit in hope of world peace.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Here is today's Sunday school schedule:

2-3 year olds	Room B-202
Pre-K & K	Room B-203
1st graders	Prophet's Playhouse (B-210)
2nd graders	Creation Corner (B-206)
3rd graders	Faith Matter (B-214)
4th graders	Good News Games (B-205)
5th graders	The Welcome Table (Kitchen B-1119)
6th and 7th graders	Chapel (by Lile Hall)
8th thru 12th graders	Stay in Worship

## YOUTH DATES FOR SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER:

Sunday, September 12th 5:00-6:30: Large Group

\*Saturday, September 18th 10:00AM-12:30PM: Bridges Run to Newark (Sign up with Caroline at [cdean@ccsnj.org](mailto:cdean@ccsnj.org)) (Students in 8th-12th grade are welcome)

Sunday, September 19th 5:00-6:30: Middle School Meeting

Sunday, September 26th 5:00-6:30: Large Group

Sunday, October 3rd 5:00-6:30: Middle School Meeting

Sunday, October 10th 5:00-6:30: Large Group

Sunday, October 17th 5:00-6:30: Middle School Meeting

\*Sunday, October 24th 10:00AM-1:00PM: Confirmation Out-  
ing to Calvary Baptist Church in Morristown, NJ

Sunday, October 24th 5:00-6:30: Large Group

Sunday, October 31st NO YOUTH HALLOWEEN

Modern Day Slavery – IT EXISTS: Slavery still exists in the United States today - it's called human trafficking. Human trafficking is the buying and selling of people for profit. Traffickers exploit their victims through forced labor and commercial sex. Most people don't think that human trafficking happens in the United States. But it does, and it happens in New Jersey. Learn more about human trafficking and what you can do to end it. Come to Barnwell Hall Sunday, September 19, 2010 at 10:30 a.m. for an Adult Education presentation by Polaris Project, an anti-human trafficking organization.

ADULT EDUCATION PANEL DATES FOR  
SEPTEMBER /OCTOBER:

NEXT Sunday, September 19th from 10:45am-Noon –  
"Human Trafficking in New Jersey"

Sunday, September 26th from 10:45am-Noon - "How to talk  
to your child/teen about Sexuality"

Sunday, October 17th from 10:45am-Noon- Sing Sing Prison  
Ministry Presentation

Sunday, October 24th from 10:45am-Noon- Clips from the  
Video "For the Bible Tells Me So," a Documentary on Homo-  
sexuality and Religion in the U.S.

Make Sandwiches for the Bridges Run!

If you are interested in helping out our youth on their Bridges  
run on Saturday, September 18th. We need help making  
lunches! Please email Caroline at cdean@ccsnj.org for more  
information. We need you to drop off the lunches at the  
church on Saturday, September 18th between 9:30am and  
10:00am. Thanks!

On Saturday, September 18th, Holly Chatham and  
Patrick Wood will return to play a farewell concert in Lile  
Hall at 8:00 p.m. They will perform works by Mozart, Bee-  
thoven and Brahms. The concert will last approximately one  
hour and ten minutes, and then there will be a wine recep-  
tion afterward. Tickets are \$15 (\$30 max per family, \$5 stu-  
dents), at the door. Please invite your friends! On Sunday,  
September 19th, Holly will play her final service at Christ  
Church.

<b>Sunday September 12</b>	Choir Practice – Sanctuary	8:45 am	
	First Worship Service	9:30 am	
	Church Mice – Barnwell Hall	9:45 am	
	Coffee Hour – Barnwell Hall	10:30 am	
	Genesis Choir - Sanctuary	10:45 am	
	<b>Twenty-fourth Sun- day in Ordinary Time</b>	Canticle Singers – Lile Hall	11:00 am
		Second Worship Service	11:15 am
Large Group Youth		5:00 -6:30 pm	

Ministers – All Members of Christ Church  
Senior Minister – The Rev. Dr. Charles T. Rush  
Associate Minister – The Rev. Julie Yarborough  
Youth Minister – The Rev. Caroline Dean  
Director of Music – Dr. Holly Chatham  
Children’s Choirs Director – Alison Caravano  
Second Service Pianist – Daniel Rufolo  
Office Manager – Cheryl Levy  
Housekeeping – Juan and Rocio Restrepo

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