



Christ Church

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

January 30, 2011

Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am

Order of Worship

9:30 a.m. – Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

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

Prelude **Arietta** Thomas Kerr

Ringing of the Church Bell

Hymn # 339 **Be Thou My Vision** SLANE

Call to Worship The Nukk-Freeman Family

Leader: The Lord says: When the time comes, I will answer the prayers of my people.

People: I will wed you to myself forever with integrity and justice, with tenderness and love.

Leader: I will wed you to myself with faithfulness and you will come to know me.

People: I will say: You are my people and you will answer: You are our God.

Leader: For once you were outside of mercy but now you have been given mercy.

All: This is our hope, our living hope, we shall be glad.

Prayer of Invocation The Nukk-Freeman Family

Scripture Reading I Kings 19:11-12 The Nukk-Freeman Family

A Story for Children Rev. Caroline Dean

(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 # 324 **Open My Eyes That I May See** OPEN MY EYES

Passing of the Peace

Announcements, Joys and Concerns Rev. Julie Yarborough

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 **What Does the Lord Require of You?**
Mark Miller
Julian Wamble, soloist

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 7th grade may leave for
Sunday school at this time.)

Scripture Reading Luke 10:38-42 Rev. Charles Rush

Sermon "Listening and Awareness" Rev. Rush

Hymn **Over My Head** African American Spiritual
Over my head, I hear music in the air
Over my head, I hear music in the air
Over my head, I hear music in the air
There must be a God somewhere

Benediction Rev. Charles Rush

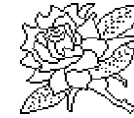
Postlude **Toccata** Eugene Gigout

Acolyte for 9:30 am:

Greeters: Eunice Couselo and Ann Marie Remus

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 Joy Bland to the glory of God
and in loving memory
of Robert Bland*

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 and 2nd graders	Good News Games (B-204)
3rd graders	Creation Corner (B-206)
4th graders	The Welcome Table (Kitchen, B-119)
5th graders	Prophet's Playhouse (B-210)
6th and 7th graders	Conference Room in Barnwell Hall
8th thru 12th graders	Stay in Worship

MFA meeting in conference room off Barnwell Hall at 10:45 today (Sunday Jan. 30th).

"Souper Bowl" Lunch Fundraiser: Next Sunday, **February 6th**, Kara Richardson Whitely will share about her experiences hiking Mt. Kilimanjaro to raise funds for AIDS orphans in Africa at a luncheon from 10:45am until 12:00pm.

Cornerstone School and Christ Church families are hosting this luncheon to support Kara's work in Africa. It costs

\$10 per person and \$20 per family. There will be childcare and child-friendly food. Please RSVP to Caroline Dean at cdean@ccsnj.org.

For more information see Kara's website (<http://www.fatwomanonthemountain.com/>).

Small Groups at Christ Church:

On Sunday, **February 13th**, we will have an adult education session to brainstorm Adult Education possibilities in small dinner groups for the fall of 2011. If you are interested in becoming more active in our adult education program in any way, please come by and share your thoughts!

PROGRESSIVE DINNER THANK YOU's to the many who contributed to last night's wonderful Progressive Dinner.

We especially appreciate the hospitality of Lisa Butler and Bob Kelly for hosting the entire crowd of 160 plus for appetizers.

To our many dinner hosts:

Cynthia and Terry Baker
Beth and Jim Baxley
Maribeth and Ben Bowen
Ann and Dennis Bushe
Patty and Steve Caputo
Lizanne Ceconi and Ken Grispin
Mary and Tom Cummins
Kristen and Michael DeSanto
Meredith and Andrew Guida
Kathryn and Michael Radutzky
Sandi Schroeder and Richard Poole
Sheila and David Srere
Sally and Charles Tsiang
Deanna Smeltz and Jamil Nazarali
Penny and John Vigilante

We say thank you for hosting dinner

(many of you do so year after year...).

Kate and Chuck Rush for hosting the end of evening festivities at your house.

To Stephanie Fisk for another delicious catered dinner for 160+ people in 15 different locations.

To Cheryl Levy for all of her administrative support.

To Florence Fosello, assistant to Lizanne Ceconi for taking rsvp's, managing the attendance spreadsheets, organizing the directions and envelopes for our 160+ guests. Without Flo's help we would not have the personalized directions, name tags etc.

To Mike Paytas for the music and sound system at the Rush's.

To Juan Restrepo for the coffee set-up and on-site support.

And to Ed Walter for another amazing invitation and for being a great partner in all the Church Life events.

And most importantly, thank you all for attending the annual Progressive Dinner. Without your support we would not have an event.

See you next year. Mark your calendar's now for next year's Progressive Dinner, Saturday, January 28, 2012.

Nora Holley

Are you relatively new to Christ Church and would like to meet a few people and find out a little more about us?

Have you been attending services here and there and would like a non-threatening way to get some questions answered?

We're having a get together just for you. You are invited for hors d'oeuvres and wine on Sunday, February 27th from 4-6 pm at the home of Lizanne Ceconi & Ken Grispin, 28 Druid

Hill Road, Summit. Call Carol Angle at 908-918-1005 or email at jerseyangle@aol.com. On-site babysitting is available, please let Carol know if needed.

Some of the leaders of the church will be there and so will Rev. Chuck and Rev. Julie. At a minimum, it will be a nice evening.

Hatha Yoga for All Levels: Enhance your connection among mind, body and spirit! Join Christ Church's own Anne DeBevoise for this popular class, in which you will use breathing exercises and gentle seated, standing and reclining poses. The intention of the class is to create an environment where each student can explore yoga and come away feeling relaxed. Modifications will be integrated as needed. Please bring a yoga mat. Anne DeBevoise, M.S., has spent three decades teaching children with learning disabilities, and has been practicing yoga for more than 25 years. She is a certified yoga teacher. The class is offered at two different times, Thursday evenings and Friday mornings. Thursdays, Feb 3 and 10, from 7:00-8:15 p.m. and Fridays, Feb. 4 and 11, from 9:30-10:45 p.m. \$15 drop in per class. Further series of classes will be scheduled if there is sufficient interest. Call (908) 277-2120 or visit www.interweave.org for further information or to register.

Black History Month and blogs.

February is Black History Month. I will be writing information about it in my blog during the month. As a preview to Black History Month there is a link to 4th grade children in Washington DC reciting Martin Luther King Jr's "I have a Dream" speech at the Lincoln Memorial. It was broadcast on the PBS NewsHour on MLK Day. The link to my blog is <http://ccsnj-jeb.blogspot.com/2011/01/mlk-s-i-have-dream-speech-done-by-4th.html>. I suggest that you show it to your kids. The kids are so cute. It made me cry because they were acting out the words of the speech when little black boys and girls would join hands with little white girls and boys.

Jeannette Brown

Sunday January 30, 2011	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
	Canticle Singers – Lile Hall	11:00 am
	High School Youth Choir	11:15 am
Fourth Sunday after Epiphany	Second Worship Service	11:15 am
	Middle School Night	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
 Associate Pastor of Adult and Youth Education – The Rev. Caroline Dean
 Minister of Music – Mark Miller
 Children's Choirs Director – Alison Vidal Caravano
 Second Service Pianist – Daniel Rufolo
 Office Manager – Cheryl Levy
 Housekeeping – Juan and Rocio Restrepo

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