



Christ Church

Second Sunday after Epiphany

January 15, 2012

Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am

Order of Worship

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

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

Prelude **Prelude on 'Bradbury'** Dale Wood

Ringing of the Church Bell

Hymn **For Everyone Born** words by Shirley Erena Murray
Music by Lori True

1. For ev - ery-one born, a place at the ta - ble, for ev - ery-one
2. For young and for old, a place at the ta - ble, a voice to be
3. For wo - man and man, a place at the ta - ble, re - vis - ing the
4. For ev - ery-one born, a place at the ta - ble, to live with-out

born, clean wa - ter and bread; a shel - ter, a space, a
heard, a part in the song, the hands of a child, in
roles, de - cid - ing the share; with wis - dom and grace, di -
fear and sim - ply to be, to work, to speak out, to

safe place for grow - ing, for ev - ery-one born, a star o - ver-head.
hands that are wrin - led, for young and for old, the right to be - long.
vid - ing the pow - er, for wo - man and man, a sys - tem that's fair.
wit - ness and wor - ship, for ev - ery-one born, a right to be free.

And God will de - light when we are cre - a -

tors of jus - tice and joy! Yes, God will de - light when

we are cre - a - tors of just - ice, jus - tice and joy!

Call to Worship Brian Angle

Leader: God of the prophets, call to us today

People: Call us into your ways of love, justice and righteousness.

Leader: God of the poets, remind us again how much You love us

People: Sing to us your ways of love, justice and righteousness.

Leader: God of the disciples, teach us how to follow You

People: Teach us your ways of love, justice and righteousness.

Leader: God of all creation, help us to know Your ways

All: Teach us your ways of love, justice and righteousness.

Prayer of Invocation Brian Angle

Scripture Reading John 1:43-51 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 # 404 **Precious Lord, Take My Hand** PRECIOUS LOR

Passing of the Peace

Announcements, Joys and Concerns Rev. 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 **God is Able** Mark Miller
Ginger Green, 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 1st through 7th grade may leave for Sunday school at this time.)

Scripture Reading Genesis 28:11-19b Rev. Caroline Dean

Sermon **"Stone Pillows: MLK Sunday"** Rev. Dean

MLK Dramatic Reading Janet Quartarone
Frank Bolden

Hymn **Glory Glory, Hallelujah!** Spiritual, arr. M Miller

The image shows a musical score for the hymn "Glory Glory, Hallelujah!". It consists of three staves of music in a 4/4 time signature with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff contains the lyrics "Glo-ry, glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!". The second staff contains the lyrics "Since I laid my bur-dens down,". The third staff contains the lyrics "Glo-ry, glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!". The music features a mix of single notes and chords, with some notes beamed together.

Since I laid my bur - dens down.

2. I feel better, so much better.
3. Feel like shoutin' 'Hallelujah!'...

Benediction Rev. Caroline Dean

Postlude **Variations on 'Kum Ba Yah', movt.III** John Behnke

Acolyte for 9:30 am:

Greeters: Chuck and Marin Mixon

Ushers for 9:30 am: The Guida 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 **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-205
1st - 5th graders	Art Room
6th and 7th graders	Conference Room
8th thru 12th graders	Stay in Worship

Congregational Meeting on Sunday, January 22: There will be a Congregational Meeting following the first service to review and vote on the church's 2012 operating budget. The proposed budget will be emailed to the congregation several days in advance of the meeting.

Thank yous:

We thank Mitchell Garcia for leading music in worship today. We also thank Danny Rufolo for accompanying the final hymn on the piano this morning

RSVP now for Progressive Dinner on Saturday, January

28th: Don't miss Christ Church's biggest and best social event of the year. All adults are welcome.

We start the evening at 6:00 with appetizers at Lisa Butler and Bob Kelly's house (154 Bellevue Ave, Summit) where dinner assignments are distributed for dinner from 8:00-10:00 pm at one of sixteen local homes. The evening concludes with dessert and dancing at Kate and Chuck Rush's home (10 Stony Hill Court, Summit).

Invitations were mailed last week. If you did not receive one please contact one of the ministers or call the Church Office at 273-5549. Please sign-up after church today, or send an email to rsvp@ccsnj.org. Cost per person is \$45.

Please let us know if you will bring an appetizer or dessert. Dinner and Wine are provided.

Please bring your appetizers with you (or leave your desserts in your cars). Don't forget to take your platter with you when you leave for dinner.

Dinner assignments and directions will be handed out at check-in at 154 Bellevue. Check-in will be expedited if you forward your checks (to Christ Church) to Nora Holley at 8 Devon Road, Summit.

Acolytes Needed: All 3rd -5th graders are eligible to serve as Acolytes for the 9:30 worship service. And we really need your help! It's easy and fun, and if you have not already been trained, Julie will be happy to meet with you after Sunday School to train you. Once you've been trained you can sign up on the "Acolyte Assignment" link on the "Member Pages" of the church website, www.ChristChurchSummit.org

On **Sunday Jan 22nd at 10:45am** we are excited to host Jerry Kasta who will host an adult ed session on **autism awareness** in an effort to explore how our congregation can be more welcoming to families with children and family members who are differently abled. Join us for bagels and an interesting discussion!

Email Caroline if you can participate in a **Bridges run this Saturday Jan 21st at 10:30am** (for 8th-12th graders and chaperones). Or if you can bring lunches by the church on Friday, Jan 20th (and leave them in the kitchen). Thanks!

New Prayer Concerns and Joys: We pray for the Grubman/Compton family upon the death of Eric's father, for Chuck Mixon whose brother-in-law recently died, for the Palmasons, former church members, whose 58-year-old son, Bill, died unexpectedly, for Jim Semper's Uncle Art in hospice care, for Liz Marsh's daughter-in-law, Nicki, who is to have a baby in 3 weeks and is suffering from high blood pressure, and for Julie Nixon's Aunt Claire who has Pulmonary Fibrosis.

We celebrate with the Dickey family upon Hannah's engagement, with Stephanie Fisk whose youngest son, Graham, is engaged, with Florence Swanstrom upon her Dad Paolo's 93rd birthday and with Susan Aicher, whose daughter starts a new job.

We rejoice with Samantha and Brian Williams upon the birth of Nolan Elliott, with Margaret and Mike Tompsett upon the birth of their granddaughter Anna Sylvia and with Jim and Lee Hilton who have a new granddaughter Maeve.

The Rings have a great joy to share. Their son Alex is to marry Sarah in Denver this weekend. Chuck will be officiating, safe travels to all.

Sunday January 15, 2012	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
Second Sunday after Epiphany	High School Youth Choir	11:15 am
	Second Worship Service	11:15 am
	MS Youth Group	5:00 pm

Calendar of Upcoming Events

January 2012

Sun, Jan 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Service	Sanctuary
Mon, Jan 16	MLK Community Blood Drive	
Tues, Jan 17	E-Board Meeting	Acker Conference Room
Thurs, Jan 19	Open & Affirming Advocacy Group, 6:30 pm	
Sat, Jan 21	Meditation Group, 9:00 am High School Youth Progressive Dinner, evening	Small Chapel off Lile Hall
Sun, Jan 22	Adult Ed: Autism Presentation, 10:30 am	Barnwell Hall
Sat, Jan 28	Meditation Group, 9:00 am Progressive Dinner	Small Chapel off Lile Hall

February 2012

Fri-Sun, Feb 3-5	Youth Retreat	Camp Bernie
Sat, Feb 25	Let Freedom Roll concert	

for updates or additions to calendar, please email Julia O'Brien at jaywob@gmail.com

Ministers – All Members of Christ Church
 Senior Minister – The Rev. Dr. Charles T. Rush
 Associate Minister – The Rev. Julie Yarborough
 Associate Minister – The Rev. Caroline Dean
 Minister of Music – Mark Miller
 Children's Choirs Director – Alison Vidal Caravano
 Second Service Pianist – Daniel Rufolo
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