



Christ Church
Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 13, 2012

Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am

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

Order of Worship

9:30 a.m. – Sixth Sunday of Easter

Prelude ***Toccata on Festal Song*** William H Walter

Ringing of the Church Bell

Hymn # 411 ***Arise, Your Light Is Come!*** FESTAL SONG

Call to Worship The Spence/Mooney Family

Leader: May you walk with God

People: in the daily unfolding,

Leader: in the sharp pain of growing,

People: in the midst of confusion,

Leader: in the bright light of knowing.

People: May you live in God,

Leader: in Her constant compassion,

People: may yours increase,

Leader: in her infinite wisdom,

People: in Her passion for peace,

Leader: May you walk with God

People: and live in God

Leader: and remain with God

All: forever. Amen.

Prayer of Invocation

The Spence/Mooney Family

Scripture Reading

Hosea 11:1-4;8,9

The Spence/Mooney Family

Service of Baptism for Lily Katherine Garvey

Presented by

Lauren and Michael Garvey

We receive this child as a new person in Christ. We offer our understanding and support as she explores life. We enfold her in our love, seeking together to grow in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and all people. We join with Lauren and Michael in telling the Gospel in our midst, so that their child and all children may live with us for Christ, showing forth his love for all people.

Song of Dedication

***Lily, we greet you on this glad morning;
We are so happy that you are here.
Our fondest wishes go with you always:
God guard and keep you all through the years.***

Presentation of Third Grade Bibles

Rev. Julie Yarborough

Leader: We are pleased to present you with these Bibles today.

People: We want you to take these Bibles home and read them with your parents.

Leader: We want the stories in this book to become stories that mean something in your lives.

People: We want you to read about Jesus and his teachings, and take them to heart.

Leader: We want you to become people of faith, guided by the wisdom found in the Bible.

All: Take these Bibles home with you and read them with our blessings and our love.

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 # 335

Though I May Speak

WALY WALY

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.**

Invitation to Sharing

Offertory Anthem

J. Brahms

How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place from 'A German Requiem'

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

Isaiah 66:13

Rev. Charles Rush

Sermon

“Divine Nurture”

Rev. Rush

Hymn

May You Run and Not Be Weary

words and music by Paul Murakami and Handt Hanson

May you run and not be wea - ry, may your
heart be filled with song, and may the love of God con - tin -
ue to give you hope and keep you strong, and may you
run and not be wea - ry, may your life be filled with joy,
and may the road you tra - vel al - ways lead you home.

Benediction

Rev. Rush

Postlude

Toccata on 'Old One Hundredth'

Michael Burkhardt

Acolyte for 9:30 am:

Greeters: The Westphal Family

Ushers for 9:30 am: George Ross and the Vigilante 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 Billy Cave
to honor all mothers and daughters.*

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 graders	Good News Games (Art Room, B-206)
2nd graders	Labyrinth (Atrium)
3rd graders	The Welcome Table (Kitchen B-119)
4th graders	Art History (Media Rm. B-210)
5th graders	Faith Matter-Science (Computer Room, B-211)
6th and 7th graders	Conference Room
8th thru 12th graders	Stay in Worship

Sign up Now for the Christ Church ANNUAL MEETING BRUNCH on Sunday, May 20th immediately following the 9:30 service. No 11:15 service. Brunch will be served in Barnwell Hall at 10:45. Annual business meeting will follow at 11:15 and conclude by noon. Stephanie Fisk is catering the following and we need to know how many are coming!

Scrambled eggs
Sugar and spice bacon
French Toast and Apple Strada with Maple Syrup Casserole
Assortment of mini muffins and bagels
Fresh Fruit cups

All are welcome. Childcare provided as well as supervised activities for school age children during the meeting. Cost of brunch is \$10 per adult, \$5 for children over 5 years of age*

Sign up after church or through email to annualbrunch@ccsnj.org

* we want everyone to attend, please see the ministers if hardship exists

YOGA for Youth Missions: Open Class for adults and youth, 16 and up at All Levels, Mondays 7pm-8:15pm beginning May 7th in Barnwell Hall. Bring a Sticky Yoga Mat. Suggested donation of \$10 to benefit our youth

service in upstate New York and Nicaragua.
Bring Friends!

Open Mic Night is coming up on Saturday June 2nd! Email cdean@ccsnj.org if you know any youth or young adult musicians, artists, dancers, poetry readers, stand up comics or talented individuals who would like to participate.

Youth Sunday is coming up on June 10th. Please encourage your High School and Middle School students to come out on Sunday nights from 5pm-6:30pm to help plan. They must come to planning on Sunday nights in order to participate in worship

Come to the Cabaret! Meet up at the Chatham Community Playhouse for “Cabaret” May 19th at 8 PM. Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$23 for seniors. Meet us for dinner at the Bean Curd Chinese Restaurant at 6 PM before the show or meet us at the playhouse. Please let us know if you’ll be attending the show so we can order tickets in advance and possible be eligible for a group rate. And let us know if you’ll be joining us for dinner so we can make reservations. Email cdean@ccsnj.org to RSVP.

Spring Art Show: The Music and Fine Arts Committee is once again calling all artists in Christ Church to exhibit their landscape paintings (oil, pastel or graphic art) in Barnwell Hall from last week in May through June. (No photographs this time--sorry). The theme this time relates to Earth Day, which was April 22nd. Reception of the artworks will be Wed., May 23rd. Art Drop off times are Wednesday and Thursday of the week before, 8:30 - 10:00 am. It's not too late to do a painting or 2! Please e-mail your agreement to participate in this show to Havensart99@aol.com or phone her at 973-635-2244. Thanks. Kathy Havens

There will be a RISE car wash on Sunday May 20th during Annual Meeting. Join us to support our RISE team and their efforts in Upstate New York doing construction on their mission trip this summer.

There will be a “New Member Sunday” on June 3rd the 9:30 service. If you are interested in joining the church or have questions, please speak to Chuck, Julie or contact Carol Angle, Membership Chair, at 918-1005 or jerseyangle@aol.com.

Media Messages – are you concerned about their influence on your sons and daughters, family and friends? Join us in Barnwell Hall on Saturday, June 9, from 7 – 9 pm to view “Miss Representation”, a documentary that premiered at the Sun Dance Film Festival in 2011. Let’s get the conversation started. Save the date; advance ticket sales on May 20 and June 1 at coffee hour, \$10 each. More details to come...

You are invited to the Dan Rufolo Trio +2 CD RELEASE concert, featuring Rich Perry and Nathan Eklund. The quintet will be performing all the compositions from their new album, Laughter, several songs from Novelty, and even some new ones! The concert is Friday, May 18th at Cornelia Street Café! Located in the Village, 29 Cornelia Street. Doors open at 8:30 pm, shows at 9:00 and 10:30 pm. \$15 Cover charge and \$10 food minimum. Call for reservations soon: 1 (212) 989 9319. Hope to see you there!
-Dan Rufolo

Sunday May 13, 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
	High School Youth Choir	11:15 am
	Second Worship Service	11:15 am
Sixth Sunday of Easter	Youth Group	5:00 pm

Calendar of Upcoming Events

May 2012

Sun, May 13	Mother's Day Youth Sunday Planning, 5:00 pm	
Mon, May 14	Morning Quest, 9:30 am Deacon's Meeting, 7 pm Yoga for Youth Missions, 7 pm	Lile Hall Acker Conference Room Barnwell Hall
Tue, May 15	Executive Board Meeting, 8 pm	Acker Conference Room
Sat, May 19	Mediation Group, 9 am	Grace Chapel
Sun, May 20	Annual Meeting & Brunch, 10:30 am Rise Car Wash, 10:30 am Youth Sunday Planning, 5:00 pm	Barnwell Hall
Mon, May 21	Yoga for Youth Missions, 7 pm	Barnwell Hall
Thu, May 24	Prayer Group, 10 am	Lile Hall
Sat, May 26	Mediation Group, 9 am	Grace Chapel

June 2012

Sat, June 9	Miss Representation, 7 pm	Barnwell Hall
Sun, Jun 10	Youth Sunday	
Sun, Jun 17	Father's Day/Church Picnic	

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

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