



## **Weekly Update February 5, 2020**

### *Our Vision*

We are a growing community of believers committed to walking with Christ, welcoming all, and serving God by serving others.

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Dear Parishioners,

This weekend the Vestry will be gathering for its annual Vestry Retreat. Among many agenda topics, we will be having a purposeful discussion surrounding our Search Chair nominees. Soon after the retreat, the Wardens will select the Chairperson. On the following two Sundays, applications will be provided for any Christ Church member wishing to join the search team. Approximately 8-10 members will be selected soon thereafter.

Preparations for the arrival of Father Don & Marcie are progressing nicely at both ends. We've had a dedicated group of Christ Church decorators furnishing & supplying the Rectory with all it needs. Father Don has kept in constant touch with many of us, absorbing all he can in order to hit the ground running; he's very excited to get started and to meet everyone!

Matthew Mumford  
Senior Warden

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## 2020 VISION STEWARDSHIP

In support of the ministries of Christ Church in 2020:

I (WE) PLEDGE A TOTAL OF \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TO BE CONTRIBUTED, \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per week,  
OR \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

*If you are feeling called to share in or expand your involvement in a ministry here,  
please let us know which one and we will contact you. \_\_\_\_\_*

*Bequests are a way to provide for our church and its missions for generations to come.  
Please consider including Christ Church as a beneficiary when planning your estate.*



### The Welcome Wagon

Our new Interim priest and his wife will be arriving shortly. We are preparing the rectory for them! To help welcome them, we would like to stock the kitchen and bathroom with some essential items to help get them started while they settle in.

Your help is needed! Please consider purchasing and donating a ShopRite gift card that we can use to purchase some needed items. You can purchase the gift card at Sunday services or directly from the office. Please give the gift card to the Vestry member who is handling the gift card sales at Sunday Services and we will do the rest. Gift cards are needed by February 10.

Thank you,  
Danielle Post  
Kristen Neavin  
Judy Girod

### Christ Church has joined a Warwick Lions Club initiative to keep more plastic out of landfills.

For every 500 pounds of plastic bags and film packaging recycled in a six-month interval, Trex will donate an environmentally responsible bench that the Lions will place in the community. There are two ways you can participate:

- Directly recycle your clean, dry, empty plastic bags and film packaging in 30-gallon or 45-gallon clear plastic recycle bags (30 gallon can be purchased from Shop Rite). When you have a full bag, take it to Price

Chopper on Route 94 in Warwick. Go around the right side of the building to get to the rear loading dock. After delivery, contact George McManus with the total that you dropped off at [mcmamus@warwick.net](mailto:mcmamus@warwick.net) or call 986-1681 and leave a message. Each 30 gallon filled bag is eight pounds.

- Or just bring your clean, dry, empty plastic bags and film packaging to church and put it in the big white Trex box in the parish hall. A team from Christ Church will be recycling several times a week.

The Lions will only get the bench if we let George know what we recycled, so please don't omit that step.

Thank you very much!

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### **FEED YOUR FAMILY and SUPPORT YOUR CHURCH**

Every Sunday immediately following each service (most times during Coffee Hour) you can visit with the weekly gift card seller and purchase gift cards to Shop Rite and Price Chopper. At no cost to you, Christ Church earns a percentage that goes to supporting church programs.

Cards will be sold after the 9:00 service in the hallway of the parish house directly outside the church side doors and in the Narthex after the 11:00 service.



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**We are in need of Coffee Hour Hosts for this Sunday, February 9. Please let the office know if you can volunteer. Thank you!**

Coffee Hour  
hosts needed for:



Feb & March



BARGAINS + RECYCLE + COMMUNITY

CHRIST CHURCH  
**THRIFT  
SHOP:**



SHOP TUES 5-7PM  
SAT 9:30AM-12PM

DONATE TUES 5-7PM  
WED 9AM-12PM  
SAT 9AM-12PM

COMMUNITY FREE BREAKFAST  
SAT 10AM-11AM

Helpers & Shoppers Always Needed!

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*Please let the parish office know of any requests, or if any should be taken off the list. Thank you!*

**Prayer Requests**

**Parishioners:**

Diane, Brian, Colleen, Judy, June, Sarah, Cathy, Lorne & Grace, Diana, Jim, Dave, Richard, Bob, Ann, Dorothy, Bruce, Kim, Pat, David, Heather, Blanche, Joseph, Carol, Amanda, Joan, the Hurd family

**Friends and Family:**

Chris, Jacqueline, Joe and the Arias family, Sander, Ostam family, Mitchell family, Mariana and Diego and family, Angie, Esther and Soeurette, Patty, Heidi, Brendan, Peter, Jennifer and Jessica, Ann Schneider and family, Lewis, Ken Jr., Judy,

**Read Sunday,  
February 9  
Lessons**

**Sunday,  
February 9, 2020**

9:00 and 11:00 am  
The Rev. Mark Brown

**Ministers**

**Lector:**

9:00 - Judy Girod  
11:00 - Linda Garcia

**Chalicer:**

9:00 - George Opper  
11:00 - Mark Arnowitz

**Acolytes:**

9:00 - Sarah, Patrick, Austin  
11:00 - Alek

**Ushers:**

9:00 - Bob Glohs, Vanessa Mann  
11:00 - Sally and Thom Woglom

**Healing Hands Ministers:**

9:00 - Laura Kling  
11:00 - Martha Frame

**Read Sunday,  
February 16  
Lessons**

**Sunday,  
February 16, 2020**

9:00 and 11:00 am  
Morning Prayer  
Ernie VanderKruik

**Ministers**

**Lector:**

9:00 - **Volunteer Needed**  
11:00 - Diana Van Fossen

**Chalicer:**

9:00 - Mark Arnowitz  
11:00 - Rich Poplaski

**Acolytes:**

*None needed for morning prayer*

**Ushers:**

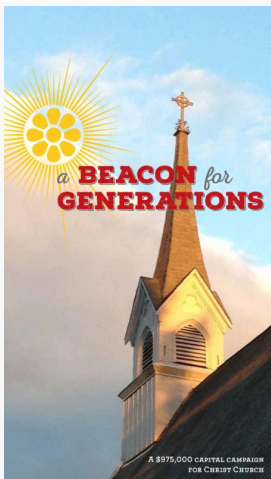
9:00 - George Opper, Debbi Sattler

11:00 - Paul and Gail Graf

**Healing Hands Ministers:**

9:00 - Liz Houlton

Tammy, Jacqueline, Taylor, Julie,  
Ted, Amy, S, Chris, Michael,  
Connor, Maria, Mary and Frank,  
Al, Patti, Ana, Gillian, Richie,  
Dori, Alison, Melissa & Paul,  
Brian, Zvika, Theresa, Kayla,  
Alice, Michael, Ralph, Eileen, the  
Corbett family, Sam, Lori,  
Vanessa, June, Lilianna, Pete,  
Evan and Robin, Ralph, Jennifer,  
Max, Hugh, Steven S., the Bland  
family, Joe, Patrick, Julia, Scott,  
David, Sarah, Deirdre, Kevin, AJ,  
Tom, Mary Fran, Jerry, Jeff,  
Deborah, Annette, Janell,  
Michael, James, Holmes Family,  
Chris, Veronica, Juan, Alex,  
Michelle, Jeannie, Ginger,  
Joanne, Lindsay, Billy, Mel,  
Anthony, Michael, Thomas,  
Virginia, the Toscano family,  
Dennis, Austin, Marion, the  
Whitesell/Ransom families, Healy  
family, Ketty, Walt, Scott, Lyle,  
Michelle, Israel, Katie, Katherine,  
Julia, AnnaMarie, Marty, Evelyn,  
Barbara, Terry, Lee, Jonah,  
Karla, Willa, Jeffery, Fred,  
Suzanna, George, Kayden, Rafy,  
and the Georgalas family.



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**Altar Guild:** Linda Garcia's Team  
**Coffee Hour Hosts: Volunteers Needed**

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**[Parish Directory](#)**

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***This directory is for church purposes only!***

**11:00** - Diane Nicholson

**Altar Guild:** Joanne O'Keefe's Team

**Coffee Hour Hosts:** Priscilla Caskey and Judy Girod

Remember to pick up Applebutter!



Articles for Christ Church Eblast newsletter are due by noon on Tuesday before Wednesday publication

VESTRY: Matthew Mumford - Senior Warden, Mark Arnowitz - Junior Warden  
Elena Chavez Carey, Judy Girod, Sharon Kelly, Steve Laico, Chris Loftus, Barbara Mann (Clerk), George Mindos,  
Kristen Neavin, Louise Schultz (Treasurer), Charlotte Trott and Cheryl Walters

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