



## Weekly Update February 12, 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 past weekend the Vestry held its annual retreat; among many topics on our agenda was the task of selecting a Chairperson to lead our Search Team. With full support of the Vestry, an invitation went out to Danielle Post to assume this role. For those of you who missed the announcement at our Sunday services, Danielle has accepted the invitation and is anxious to assemble our search team. Applications to join this team are available in the office (my apologies for locking them up before the 11 O'Clockers had a chance to grab one). The search is a step-by-step process lasting about 12 months, and Danielle is the perfect candidate to navigate this process to the finish line.

On a more short-term note, we are just one week away from welcoming Father Don & Marcie into our midst, and we're equally fortunate to have Father Don to navigate us through this transition period. Their planned arrival time is Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm, and I ask anyone who is available to please lend them a hand unloading their belongings (no big furniture, just clothes, linens, boxes, electronics, etc.)

Lastly, if you're not regularly visiting our Christ Church website ([www.christchurch.org](http://www.christchurch.org)), I urge you to do so. It is professionally maintained by our Webmaster, Steve Laico, and contains many features to "click on". Our

Parish Hall rental policy, our history, our ministries & outreach, our church calendar, even our recorded sermons in case you've missed one; all right there! I also encourage you to surf our Diocesan website ([www.diocesenyny.org](http://www.diocesenyny.org)), it too addresses just about anything you'd want to know about our Episcopal Diocese of New York.

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.*



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**Ash Wednesday: February 26 Services at Noon & 7:00pm**

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### **Lenten soup lunches are back!**

Please join us in the parish hall after the 11 a.m. service every Sunday in March for fellowship and a lunch of simple abundance: soup, salad and bread. Potluck contributions are welcome but not necessary; the most important thing is to share food and time together.

This lunch series kicks off March 1 with a special focus on plant-based fare, delicious food that is appropriate for everyone but also offers information and tools for those who are thinking about cutting back on meat and dairy consumption.

For more information about the March 1 lunch, talk with Sally Woglom. For more information about the soup series, or to offer your signature soup, salad

## Save the Date Spring Cleanup: April 4

Wear your best dirty clothes and come help spruce up the church property. Join us from 9am-1pm. Everyone is welcome!  
Please contact Mark Arnowitz with questions  
[mark.arnowitz@yahoo.com](mailto:mark.arnowitz@yahoo.com)

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### 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 [mcmanus@warwick.net](mailto:mcmanus@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.



# 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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*We will be clearing  
the prayer requests  
March 4. Please let  
the parish office  
know of any  
requests.*

**Prayer Requests**

**Read Sunday,  
February 16  
Lessons**

**Sunday,  
February 16, 2020**

9:00 and 11:00 am

Morning Prayer  
Ernie VanderKruik

**Read Sunday,  
February 23  
Lessons**

**Sunday,  
February 23, 2020**

9:00 and 11:00 am

The Rev. Don Davidson

## 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:

Cookie, Susan Post Garnet,  
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,  
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.

## Ministers

### **Lector:**

9:00 - Charlotte Trott

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 - Gail and Paul Graf

### **Healing Hands Ministers:**

9:00 - Liz Houlton

11:00 - Diane Nicholson

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

Team

### **Coffee Hour Hosts:** Priscilla

Caskey and Judy Girod

## Christ Church Directory

The Parish Directory is available  
for you to view, save and/or print.

Please click [HERE](#) to view the  
Directory.

(Password: fatherjim)

If you see any errors in your  
family's listing or you wish to be  
removed from the directory,  
please contact the

[Church Office](#). If you would like  
your picture added or updated,  
please send to Steve Laico at  
steve@searchlightweb.com

If you cannot open this file,  
contact the office for a copy

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

## Ministers

### **Lector:**

9:00 - Charlotte Trott

11:00 - Calvin Hargis

### **Chalicer:**

9:00 - Will Agosto

11:00 - Fred Widman

### **Acolytes:**

9:00 - Dawson, Corbett

11:00 - Alek

### **Ushers:**

9:00 - Judy Girod, Bob Glohs

11:00 - Ann Moore, George

McManus

### **Healing Hands Ministers:**

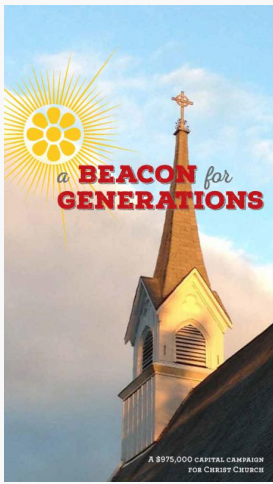
9:00 - Liz Houlton

11:00 - Gail Graf

### **Altar Guild:** Lisa Laico's Team

**Coffee Hour Hosts:** Debbi and  
Eddie Sattler





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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 (Recording Secretary),  
George Mindos, Kristen Neavin, Louise Schultz (Treasurer), Charlotte Trott and Cheryl Walters

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SUNDAYS: 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

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