

The Messenger

Feb. 13-20, 2022

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Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper is on March 1; Lent begins on March 2

We will have our Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper in person and as a to-go option in the Harrison Center on March 1st from 5-6:30pm. Our traditional dine-in option allows for seconds and thirds. Or you could get a to-go plate at the door. We will have a limited amount for people who don't reserve in advance.

It is \$6 per adult, \$4 for children 3-10. Children under 3 eat free. We will have a \$20 cap per household. All funds raised will go towards youth ministry.

You can pay [online](#) on the church website, in person (cash or check), or any time at church. Order your to-go plates [here](#).

We look forward to seeing you. Let [Meg Jones](#) know if you have any questions.

Then the next day, we have four opportunities to observe Ash Wednesday: 8am, Noon, 5pm, and 7pm. The 8am service will be in the Chapel. The others will be in the Nave. The 5pm service will be especially geared to younger children. The 7pm service will be livestreamed. We will have multiple opportunities for all ages to continue deepening our faith and our understanding of who we are as Episcopal followers of Jesus. Watch your email, Facebook, and Instagram for more information coming soon!

TIDBITS

Sunday School Updates

• **Godly Play** - Last week they talked about Jesus and his friends. You can talk to them about their friends. This week they'll learn about "St." Valentine.

• **Whirl (K-5th)** - Last week they talked about Jesus calling the disciples. Ask them about how they choose their friends. This week they'll be learning how to trust in the Lord.

• **Youth** - Last week they learned about the book of Revelation. Ask them about the end of the world. This week they're learning about Jesus and his miracles.

Flower Donations

If you would like to give flowers in remembrance or thanksgiving of someone, please sign up on the bulletin board in the reception area, call the church office or sign up online [here](#). \$35 per Sunday

Be Aware of Scams!

This is the phone number/email address for Paul: 252-571-6892 and paulcanady@christchurchnewbern.com. Messages coming from other emails and numbers should be viewed with suspicion.

Blood Drive Information

Christ Church will be hosting another blood drive with the American Red Cross this month. **10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Feb. 22 at the Harrison Center.** Click [here](#) to make an appointment. If you have any questions, contact [Ellie Roberts](#).

Where Can You Plug In?

• **Worship:** Click [here](#) to volunteer to be a reader, greeter, and usher in February.

• **Volunteer Receptionists:** The February signup link is [here](#).

Contacting Clergy

Have a question, thought or good news to share? Schedule a meeting with Paul. Use [this link](#) or call 252.633.2109. When scheduling, please indicate if you'd rather meet face-to-face, via phone or via video conference. To speak with Deacon Lisa Kirby, call 252-617-9806.

Mental Health Workshop

On Feb. 13th we'll have a workshop about Mental Health and Suicide Prevention in the Parish House. This workshop will be led by Madison Crum from First Presbyterian. We'll talk about research and prevention for individuals and the community. We hope this will be helpful for our community for years to come.

The workshop is geared toward adults. Youth are invited if they would like to attend. There will also be a youth-focused workshop in the future. Contact [Meg Jones](#) with questions.

Scholarship Opportunity

The Ann Bustard Award was created to honor the service of Ann Bustard to Christian Education as Director of Children's Ministries. The Scholarship is awarded each May to a youth member of Christ Episcopal Church who demonstrates academic excellence, participation in extracurricular activities, as well as leadership, service and participation in church activities.

Those eligible must complete the Ann Bustard Scholarship application form and submit a transcript of high school grades to the award selection committee. Both documents are needed to complete your application. Application forms will be available at the Reception Desk at Christ Church, [this link](#), and on our [homepage](#). The deadline to turn in applications is noon on March 25th.



Meet The Rev. Catherine Campbell

This week's preacher is The Rev. Catherine Campbell. Catherine is an eastern North Carolina native and two-time graduate of Campbell University. She completed a B.A. in Religion in 2010 and a M.Div. with a concentration in Theological and Historical Studies in 2013.

Her most recent time in Raleigh has been spent networking among non-profits and pastoring in Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) congregations where she is an ordained clergy

member. In 2020, Catherine also became an RYT-200 Yoga Teacher.

Catherine's move back to the coast was a "coming home" moment and she joined the Habitat for Humanity of Craven County staff as the Volunteer Coordinator. In her free time, Catherine and her husband Drew enjoy spending time on the water, playing with their dog Maggie, and watching cows on the family farm.

In peace we pray to you, Lord God

For our ill and recovering parishioners: Barbara Willis, Dottie Parker*, Gary Derck, Jackie Barney, Mike Pridgen, Mary Hasell, Betty Jane Bonapartian, Bob and Joan Burnett,* Champ Mitchell, Janet Anderson, Joe Freemon*, Bob Kohn, Nicholas Pridgen, Susan Rivenbark, Warren Meadows, Hal Cameron, Larry Whitney, Joe Mansfield, Barbara Odderstol*, Evelyn Dill, Jim Keeter*, M. Carolyn Lawson, Fair Leonard*, Paul Tait, Evelyn Hunter, Katherine Gill, Kathy Blanchard, Pat McCotter, Ralph Cowan, Vivienne Armstrong, Martha Schell, David Watrous, Vicky Allen, JoAnn Frank, Michele Mnatzakanian, Eileen Nelson, Lindy Emory, DJ Bessack, Carol Kross, Margaret Wall, Carol Athing, Rena Knott, Rodney Hayes, CB Evans, Cathy Fitch, John Mason, Mike McCulley, Jack Browning-Henry, Willis Stevens, Betsy Primavera, Betty Simon, Mollie Bales, Rosemary Stark, Robert Lane, Sheridan Holstein, Ken Chance, Judy MacDougall, Vickie Evans, and Robin Biondi.

For our friends and families: Liesel, Jeff, Corinne, Paul, Travis, Edward, Irene, Matt, David, Schellie, Peter, Michael, Jim, Joanne, Anderson, Vicki, Nelma, Ashley, Alexander, Bambi, Laurie, Amelia, Dennis, Blake, Brian, Oakley, Bryce, Helen, Carter, Eunice, Mary, Joseph, Mason, Sarah, Nicholas, Janet, Myra, Jimmy, Jim, Denni, Matthew, Chelsea, Niels, Cindy, Lucia, Trinity, Pam, Jason, C.E. (Max), Christopher, PK, Beverly, Krissie, George, William, James, Tom, Bryan, Patti, Ruth, Ron, Patty, Jackie, Jani, Barrie, John, Bill, Joan, Brooke, Norma Jean, Mary, Ann, Ruth Ann, George, Anne, Bruce, Nancy, Lynda, Mike, Connor, Stephen, Linda, Lynne, J. Matthew, Inez, Ed, Jimmy and Caliana.

For our deployed military: Lt. Christopher Miller, SSgt. Philip Buffa, III.

For refugee families and those seeking asylum.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. Philip's, Holly Ridge; and Holy Cross, Wilmington
**These parishioners live out of the area but have requested to remain on the Christ Church prayer list. If you would like to add or remove someone from the list, contact Dare Oliver.*

PUBLICATION DEADLINES

- The *Crown* will be distributed on March 6, so we need all articles submitted by Feb. 15th.
- Weekly (Sunday) email: noon on Thursday
- MidWeek Messenger (Thursday) email: noon on Wednesday
- Printed *Messenger*: noon on Wednesday

Send all pictures and articles to communications@christchurchnewbern.com.

If you have any questions, contact our communications coordinator,

Dare Oliver, at dareoliver@christchurchnewbern.com.

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST CHURCH

Sunday, Feb. 13

8:30 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave)
9:45 Sunday School/Mental Health Workshop
11 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave/[online](#))
12:15 pm: Children & Youth Comm. (Library)
12:30 pm: Cursillo Reunion (Harrison Center)
3 pm: Mom's Group (Parish House)
5 pm: EYC (Youth Room)

Monday, Feb. 14

10 am: ECW All Saints Mtg (Parish House)
11 am: Contemplative Prayer (via Zoom)
11 am: Staff Meeting
1 pm: Endowment Board (Pelletier Room)
5:15 pm: Stephen Ministry Mtg (Library)

Tuesday, Feb. 15

Deadline to submit articles/pics for the Crown
8:30 am: Eucharist (Chapel)
10 am: Women's Book Study (2nd Fl LR)
5 pm: Evangelism Commission Mtg (Library)
6 pm: Rehearsal (Nave)
6:30 pm: Small Wonders NA Meeting (Pelletier)
7 pm: Bell Choir (Music Room)

Wednesday, Feb. 16

11 am: Rector's Bible Study/Good Book Club (Library and [Zoom](#))
4:30 pm: Wednesdays at Christ Church
6 pm: EfM (2nd Floor Living Room)
6:15 pm: AA Meeting (Harrison Center)
7 pm: Parish Choir (Nave)

Thursday, Feb. 17

10:45 am: Truewood by Merrill Eucharist

Friday, Feb. 18-21

Youth Ski Trip

Saturday, Feb. 19

4 pm: Allen/Olson Wedding

Sunday, Feb. 20

8:30 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave)
9:45 Sunday School
11 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave/[online](#))