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**Worship**

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**A Letter From Our Rector**



Dear Friends:

In last month's issue of the Parish Paper I advised the parish that our service schedule next fall was being reviewed with the possibility of changing the times and number of services on Sunday morning. The Music and Worship Committee served as a committee of advice for my decision and indeed many of you contacted members of that committee as I had suggested. The three options being considered were 1) 8 & 9:30 am; 2) 8, 9:30 & 11:30 am; and 3) 7:45, 9 & 11:15 am (our current schedule). Some people suggested a fourth option of 8 & 10 am with church school in between, but that will not work simply because we have fifty to sixty treble choristers rehearsing between the first and second Sunday morning services of whatever configuration we adopt.

I have decided that option number two best addresses all of the concerns that have been offered. Those concerns include returning the first service to its original time of 8 am, providing the second (and major) service with an additional one half hour to rehearse, park and prepare for church school classes following, and retaining the third service albeit at 11:30 am instead of 11:15 am for those few parishioners who greatly prefer the quiet and the late morning.

One advantage of this new schedule is that the first two services throughout the year, including summer, will always be 8 and 9:30 am, thus providing a year-round consistency we've not had. We also plan to continue a 5 pm Sunday afternoon service once a month, either Evensong or Taizé.

My hope and prayer is that all our services will provide welcome and spiritual nurture alongside ample opportunity for Christian formation for all ages. We expect our Sunday mornings to accommodate our deep hunger for God and profound participation in the life of the Spirit.

I send you all my love, in Christ.

*Ned Prevost*

Be sure to sign up your family up for a Sunday of Green KP Duty to help our parish family shrink our carbon footprint.  
See page 6 for details.

**A Warm Summer Breeze.  
A Good Book. What Could Be Better?**

Have you been eager to try the Christ Church Book Discussion Group but you are not free on Monday mornings? Please consider joining us on two Monday nights this summer, **July 14 and 21**, to discuss The Gospel of Mary of Magdala, Jesus and the First Woman Apostle, by Karen L. King. (We ask that you complete the book prior to the first meeting.) Please contact Elizabeth Clemmitt at [eclemmitt@sbcglobal.net](mailto:eclemmitt@sbcglobal.net) for the time and location of the meetings.

We will resume our regular weekly schedule on Monday mornings at 10 starting on September 22, when we will discuss the first chapter of The Prophetic Imagination, by the renowned Old Testament scholar, Walter Brueggemann.



**Major Donation Adds To Success of Our Mexican Fiesta**

At the recent very successful Mexican Fiesta on May 4 held in the Great Hall our community treasure, Grand Foods, donated ALL the food. The event was a fund raiser for our sister diocese in SE Mexico. Thanks to the Grand's generosity this meant that almost 100% of the income will go right back out the door to our friends of La Esperanza. So please...next time you are shopping in The Grand please give owner, Kevin Salus, a BIG thank you. Their commitment to our community continues to be amazing.

**Annual Parish Picnic**

**Sunday, June 15**

On the Patio of Church House

Immediately after the 9:30 am service

The grill masters will be on hand to cook dogs, brats and burgers provided by the Hospitality Committee.

If your last name begins with A-M, please bring a salad to share. If your last name begins with N-Z, please bring a dessert to share.

Questions? Call: Melanie Cody (847) 441-0678 or Darlene McKinney (847) 446-4507

**An Impressive Crowd At The Altar**

As a part of the 9 am service on May 18 the Church School Leaders were recognized for their outstanding year of service to our children. It was quite an impressive group of people standing at the front of the church. In case you missed it the following people were honored:

- Nursery Coordinator – Leslie George
- Three Year Olds – Sherry Gormanous, Nina Gray, Annette Peck & Lois Ware
- Good Shepherd Atrium – Emily Baillos, Laurie Gormanous, Lisa Kerpan & Annsley McKinney
- True Vine Atrium – Jennifer Crone, Sophie Durbin, Susan Harris, Caroline Healy & Kathleen Lloy-Jones
- Music for Good Shepherd Atrium and True Vine Atrium – Elizabeth Clemmitt
- Third Grade – Marla Bagan, Amy Deuble, Amy Kuhns & Cindy Lyman
- Fourth Grade – Jack Coladarc, Melissa Durbin, Duncan Healy & Kathy Sanchez
- Fifth Grade – Margaret Lamason, Jennifer MacRitchie, Lauri Maney & Michael Peregrine
- Sixth Grade – Beth Anaclerio, Pete Fawcett, Sheri Kempel & Charlotte McGee
- Seventh Grade – Joanne Hudson, Claudia Montgomery & Kevin Walsh
- Eighth Grade Confirmation – Judy Brace, Suzanne Canfield, Gary Martin & Elizabeth Parkinson
- High School – Anthony DiNicola, Jim McGee

Want to see your name included in this list next June? Just complete the enclosed green volunteer form and return it to Missy Harrison, Director of Children's Ministries.

**Regular Meetings & Events:**  
Families Anonymous: Weds., 7:30 pm  
Soup Kitchen: 2nd Tues. (5:30 pm)  
and Sat. (7 pm)  
Men and Ho: Tues.  
first and last Fridays  
Boy Scout Troop 18: Tues. pm

**Christ Church  
June 2008**

All church services are at the Church on the Hill, 784 Sheridan Road, Winnetka, unless otherwise noted

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	8 am - HE (COH) 9:30 am - HE (COH) Acolyte Recognition & Choir Recognition	9 - 10 am Friends In Faith Guild Room Set up for Summer Rummage 1 - 3 pm	.....Set Up For Summer Rummage Sale 9am - 3 pm.....	4	5	6	7
8	8 am - HE (COH) 9:30 am - HE (COH) Bishop Lee Visit - Special Forum following 9:30 service	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	8 am - HE (COH) 9:30 am - HE (COH) Parish Picnic Following 9:30 service - on the patio	Rummage Sorting 12:30-3 pm	17	18	19	20	21
22	8 am - HE (COH) 9:30 am - HE (COH) (First Beach Service)	Rummage Furniture Pick Ups & Sorting 12:30-3	24	25	26	27	28
29	8 am - HE (COH) 9:30 am - HE & Baptism (Maple St.)	Rummage sorting 12:30-3	Vestry Meeting 7:30 pm - (Lib)	9:30 am - HE (Chapel)	Rummage Sorting 9:15 - 11:30	Rummage Sorting 9:15 - 11:30	Rummage Sorting 9 am-12 noon
							5 pm - Soup Kitchen

### Downtown Lunch Group

Work downtown?  
Please join other parishioners  
for lunch.  
We will reimburse our host.

Thursday, June 5  
12 – 1 pm  
Bank of America  
231 S. LaSalle St.  
2<sup>nd</sup> floor (up the escalator)

Please RSVP to Jeanne Stewart  
(847-446-2850)  
by Tuesday, June 3.

This will be our last gathering  
until September.

### Save The Date

#### Mark Your Calendars

**Sunday, Sept. 7**  
Church School Begins

**Friday, Sept. 19**  
Tent Party

**Saturday, Sept. 20 &  
Sunday, Sept 21**  
Fly-Over

**Thursday, Oct. 2**  
85th Annual  
Rummage Sale

### The Green Corner

#### Sign Up Once A Year To Help Christ Church "Go Green"

*In September we will use ceramic coffee mugs on Sundays eliminating the need for paper cups. This is very good news. It does create a bit of a housekeeping issue. Someone has to be sure those mugs get cleaned. The Go Green Committee is asking each parish family to sign up for one stint of*

*"Green KP Duty."*

*We all do the dishes at home. Why not step up at church? Engage your children in the process. Once a year (if we all take a turn) it will mean staying a bit late to be sure the mugs are gathered and stacked in the dish washer. Piece of cake.*

*Please email or call Charlotte McGee at parishpaper@christchurchwinnetka.org or 847-446-2850 to be placed on the schedule. It is a very green thing to do and a great example to set for your children and community.*

**Don't Forget ... the 9:30 am beach service which begins on Sunday June 22 is a great time to ride your bike or walk to church.**



#### How To "Do" A Beach Service Or Summer Service 101

*If you have not experienced one of our summer "beach services", you are in for a real treat. Let us start by explaining that it's not exactly on the beach, but in a lovely park overlooking the beach. Starting Sunday, June 22 and running through August 31 the service starts at 9:30 am at the Maple Street Park on Sheridan Road in Winnetka. It is just south of the Church On The Hill. Here is a Beach Service Primer that will ensure a great experience:*

- 1) *It's B.Y.O.B. or C... You should bring your own blanket or chair.*
- 2) *Always a good idea to bring bug spray.*
- 3) *The shade can be chilly. (We do live near Chicago. You know...colder by the lake.) Bring a sweater or sweatshirt.*
- 4) *The dress code is no code. Shorts and a t-shirt are most appropriate.*
- 5) *Children often frolic in the background.*

*If you happen to attend when a baptism is planned (June 29, August 3 or August 31), you have hit the jackpot. At the appropriate time in the service we gather at the shore of Lake Michigan for the Thanksgiving Over The Water and the clergy carry the candidate into the water. Very exciting. Hope you can join us.*

# Summer Rummage Sale

**Saturday, June 7**  
**8 am - 12 noon**

*We need your help  
sorting beginning at 1 pm  
on Monday, June 2 and working  
until the end of the day on Friday, June 6  
and  
we need help on Sale Day.*

*If your college student is back in town,  
please send him/her over to help out.*

*You know...many hands...*

*Please contact our Rummage  
Coordinator, Charlotte McGee, to volunteer.*

*You can reach her in the parish office at  
847-446-2850, ext. 35.*

## Rummage News

### Drop Off Room On Hiatus

As we are preparing for the Summer Sale we cannot accept new donations from June 2 through June 8. Thank you.

### Rummage Tentacles Are Long and Deep

Pam Framberg, Chairman of the Holiday Department, reports the sad news that one of her stalwart volunteers died on March 5. Joan Renier, of Naples, Florida, was a rummage volunteer in the Holiday Department for over 50 years! Joan's daughter, Louise, said that when she and her sisters were going through her mom's things they realized that their mom also "really liked to buy a lot of Christmas decorations at the Rummage sale." Pam will greatly miss Joan's "enthusiasm, wit and super-salesmanship." Our Rummage Sale touches so many lives in so many ways.

### Book Department Needs Help With Sidewalk Sale

Judy Harmon is looking for people who would be willing to work a shift during the Winnetka Sidewalk Sale - July 18 & 19. If you will be in town, please call Judy at 847-920-1189 or contact her at judyharmon@sbcglobal.net.

### Weekly Sorting Opportunities:

After our Summer Sale on June 7 we will resume our regular sorting schedule on Monday, June 9.

Mon. 12:30-3 pm & Thur. 9:15-11:30 am

Stop by the West Building when your schedule allows. On the spot training! You'll be an expert in no time.

### June Furniture Pick Up Date

We will be making local furniture pick ups for Rummage on June 16. Please call the Rummage Office to get on the schedule. For a list of items that we are unable to accept (because they just don't sell) visit the church web site.

### June Saturday Sorting

Come to our once-a-month Saturday Sorting opportunity. This month's date is **June 21**. Join us in the West Building from 9am to noon.

## Highlights of the June Service Schedule

June 1 - 9:30 am - Choir & Acolyte Recognition

June 8 - 8 & 9:30 am - Bishop Lee Presiding & Preaching

There will be a special Forum after the 9:30 service where all will have an opportunity to interact with our dynamic new Bishop.

June 15 - The Parish Picnic begins on the patio immediately following the 9:30 service.

June 22 - Our first summer Beach Service starts at 9:30 am. (see page 6 for a list of handy-dandy tips for new members)

## Reaching Out

### Our Own Patti Willian Named "Woman Of The Year" By The Winnetka Chamber Of Commerce

Parishioner, Patti Willian who has been a member of Christ Church "forever" and is currently a member of the Handbell Choir was recently named "Woman of the Year" by the Winnetka Chamber of Commerce. Patti was recognized for her work with the Hadley School for the Blind, where she has been involved since 1965. At the school, she served as editor of the magazine, "Focus." She also founded "The Friends of Hadley," which aims to help students and families with special needs. She currently serves on the Development/Communications Committee and the Education Committee at Hadley. Patti is also a member of the Winnetka Woman's Club and the Woman's Board of Seabury Western Theological Seminary. Wow!

### Christ Church Volunteers Honored by Presbyterian Homes For Active Participation

During National Volunteer Week the Presbyterian Homes located in Evanston honors the many men and women who contribute their time and talents to help the residents and staff at Presbyterian Homes. This year the members of Christ Church were chosen by the Volunteer Department to be honored. Pat Fiorio, Director of Volunteer Services, noted that Christ Church volunteers "make a difference in the lives of our residents. Thank you." If you would like to join this effort, please contact Pat at 847-492-4800.

### Clear As Mud

The Parish Paper Editor needs to make a correction to a story which appeared in the May 2008 issue. If you read the article on Sherry Gormanous (which if you haven't, I am sure you are planning to), you may remember that Sherry encountered Jamie Schroeder in a hospital ER. It wasn't Jamie who had been there on multiple visits (as my article erroneously suggested), but Sherry who was making repeat visits with her husband, David. I can't speak to Jamie's track record at the ER. Maybe I'll interview him next. - C. McGee

## 2008 Christ Church Graduates Congratulations!



**Sam Campbell**, a graduate of New Trier High School, will attend Washington & Lee University in Lexington, VA. He will wrestle for The Generals.



After graduating from New Trier on June 1 **Liza Fowler** will head to Granville, OH in the fall where she will be a Freshman at Denison University.



Long-time choir member, **Annsey McKinney**, will graduate from North Shore Country Day School on June 6. In the fall she will attend Scripps College in California.



**Libby Munson** graduates from New Trier this June and will attend Bucknell University in the fall.



2008 New Trier June graduate **Conrad Scully** will attend Purdue University in September.

Camera shy **Anne Cutler**, a recent high school graduate, will attend Fordham University in NYC in the fall where she will concentrate in musical theater.

**Peter Peregrine** may not have a photo available but he will graduate from New Trier and he will be attending St. Olaf's College in Northfield, MN in the fall.

Former parishioner, **Haley Malchione**, graduates from high school in LaCanada, CA this month and will head to Yale University in the fall.

**David Smith**, a member of the Class of '08 at New Trier, will head to the Kelly School of Business at Indiana University in the fall.



AND ... on to graduate school ... On May 20 **Margaret Deli** graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Johns Hopkins University. In September she will begin a Masters program in the History of Art and Connoisseurship at Christie's Education in London.

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Interested? Want to learn more? Complete this form and place it in the box marked "Church School Volunteers" in the Cloister of the Church on The Hill or return it to Missy Harrison.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes! I would like to volunteer to be a Church School leader next year.

If you would prefer to lead a certain class, please indicate: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate your interest in other volunteer opportunities:

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to help prepare classroom materials.

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to help maintain the Children's Table (Sunday Papers/crayons)

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to help with the Christmas pageant.

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to help with special outreach projects (like Heifer).

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