

The Parish Paper

Christ Church, Winnetka

September 15, 2011

Help Us Welcome Kenneth Erickson



We are pleased to report that to date we have received 25 applications, and have spent the last month reviewing the written portfolios that each candidate has submitted. We have a diverse and interesting group of applicants, so narrowing the field is proving to be a challenge.

We are now conducting phone interviews with those candidates we feel best meet our criteria, and will use these interviews to identify 5-7 candidates we'd like to visit in their current parishes this Fall. We continue to be on an aggressive timeline, hoping to complete these visits before Thanksgiving. Although we remain committed to a strictly confidential process, we encourage parishioners to contact any member of the committee with questions or suggestions. Our search is not yet closed, so if anyone knows of candidates that should be considered, please encourage them to review

Please welcome The Rev. Kenneth Erickson, our new part-time, assistant Priest. We recently hired Kenneth to be with us during this interim period to support our clergy and staff as we start the new programming year. Kenneth's schedule at Christ Church will incorporate 2 days each week, including 3 Sundays a month.



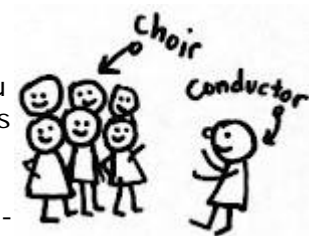
Kenneth was ordained to the Priesthood nearly 10 years ago. His most recent experiences include Associate Rector at Church of the Holy Comforter in Kenilworth. While with us, Kenneth will retain his current position as Head of Boys and Missioner for Ecumenical Ministry at Holy Family School. St. Gregory's School recently merged with Holy Family Lutheran School, and continues to be a Christ Church Benevolence recipient - a wonderful connection to Kenneth's other professional life.

Kenneth, his wife, Katherine, and son, Emil, reside in Hubbard Woods. Please warmly welcome Kenneth and his family to Christ Church.

Robin Anstaett - Senior Warden
Dietrich Knoer - Junior Warden

Our Choirs Are Open to All

Would you be interested in one of our excellent and fun choirs for you or your child? We'd love to have you with us! Our rehearsal schedule is as follows:



1st graders: Wednesdays from 3:45-4:25 p.m. at the Parish House

2nd graders: Wednesdays from 4:30-5:10 p.m. at the Parish House

3rd graders: Monday or Tuesday afternoons for one 40 minute rehearsal in the Choir Room. Please contact

our parish profile and submit a formal application through the diocesan website.

We hope you will continue to pray for God to guide all of us, including our new rector, as we reach the next critical phase of this discernment process.

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Richard Clemmitt for more details (contact information below).

4th-6th graders: Mondays from 4:30-5:30 p.m. and Wednesdays from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Choir Room

7th-12th grade sopranos: Wednesdays from 7:30-8:45 p.m. in the Choir Room

7th-12th grade changed voice boys: Wednesdays from 8:00-9:15 p.m. in the Choir Room

Adults: Thursdays from 8:00-9:30 p.m. in the Choir Room

. . . and, for adults considering our **Handbell Choir**, please know that we rehearse on Tuesdays from 9:15-10:30 a.m. in the McClain Room. We'd love to have you give our group a try!

Please contact our Organist and Choirmaster, Richard Clemmitt, for more information about any of our choirs ([email](#) or 847-347-9967) or our Primary Choir Director, Elizabeth Clemmitt, for specific information about our 1st and 2nd grade choirs ([email](#) or 847-853-8033).

Evensong - September 18

Following a very successful trip to Centerbury Cathedral, our choirs will sing Evensong at 5 PM at the Church on the Hill. The liturgy will include beautiful choral music by Felix Mendelssohn and George Dyson. Organ voluntaries will be Herbert Howells and Alberto Ginastera. Please join us for a lovely, peaceful and prayerful service.



Scavenger Hunt! **September 25, 5-7 PM** **Youth Group Fall Kick Off Event**

Into the night the hunt will go,
A multitude of treasures to show.
Review the list with careful eye,
The correct items you must spy.
To be successful, the Winnetka
neighborhoods you must rule,
The rewards are great.
The prizes cool.



RSVP to Missy Harrison/Mehpara Suleman
847-446-2850 or [via email](#).

Meet at the Parish House Chapel, 470 Maple St. at 5 PM.

Got Bags? Got Safety Pins? Rummage Needs Them

Please deliver any paper bags (WITH HANDLES) or safety pins to the Rummage Office. They will help lower our overhead costs and recycle.



Tent Party - September 23

Please join us for this GREAT party. Click on this image for our promo video. You won't want to miss this one!



October 6 - Our 87th Rummage Sale How Can You Help? Let Us Count the Ways

It's that time again. Consider joining this major outreach effort. We have jobs to fit all schedules. Contact Rummage Coordinator, Charlotte McGee, at 847-446-2850 or [email](#).



Come Experience Deep Calm

Choir alto section leader, Tina Pappademos will be offering **yoga classes** at Christ Church in the Mc Clain room **Thursdays from 6:30 to 7:45 PM**. All are welcome, ages middle school through adult. Tina is a certified instructor through Sivananda Yoga.



Some comments overheard from students after last year's offering: "I didn't know I could stretch that part of my body!" "I've never felt more relaxed in my life!"

Beginning **Thursday, October 13** we will take the first 6 sessions to get acquainted with the mechanics of the series of poses, which never changes, and eventually it will become an open class with more flow and less "instruction," resembling meditation in motion. But newcomers are welcome at any time along the way. Give

yourself a treat!

No need to RSVP - Just come. Please bring your own mat if you have one. If not, Tina has a few extras. Contact Tina with questions at 773-610-7820 or [email](#).

Holy Comforter Housewalk October 5

Our friends at Holy Comforter in Kenilworth are having their 57th annual Housewalk & Boutique "Home for the Holidays". Click on this picture for more information and to RSVP.



Parish Paper Deadline

The Parish Paper is published twice monthly during the program year. A paper edition is delivered via U.S. Mail at the beginning of each month. An electronic edition is emailed later in the month. The paper is published monthly in July and August and sent via email. The deadline for the October issue is **Tues. Sept. 20**. Please hand deliver submissions to the Parish Office or email to parishpaper@christchurchwinnetka.org.

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