



Parish Notes

Christ Church Cathedral

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Gate access from Louisville Surgery Center lot now available

The Cathedral, with permission from the property managers of the Louisville Surgery Center, have installed a gate in the fence between the Surgery Center parking lot and the rear entrance of the Cathedral. This gate will be opened in advance of worship services, special events, and choir practices taking place at 5 PM or later, on the weekends, or by special arrangement with the Surgery Center. If your ministry or committee needs the key to open the gate for one of your meetings or events, please speak with Dean Matt.

Cathedral Office Hours Update

The Cathedral offices will be closed following the Silent Disco in observance of New Year's Day. Regular office hours will resume on Thursday, Jan. 2.

updates

New Year's Eve Sober Silent Disco at Christ Church Episcopal Cathedral

Join us this Tuesday night for a unique celebration to ring in the new year in a fun and sober way. Dance the night away with our silent disco headphones, where you can choose your own music channel. The event will take place at 421 S 2nd St, so mark your calendars and get ready for a night of dancing, good vibes, and positive energy. Light refreshments and mocktails included. Let's welcome the new year together in style!

All proceeds will benefit Room in the Inn - Louisville, providing up to 15 beds of overnight shelter for women and children.

Learn more and buy tickets here:

<https://tinyurl.com/4uz3yazt>

ROOM IN THE INN LOUISVILLE



Make a difference at Room in the Inn

This winter Christ Church Cathedral is hosting a pilot program for Room in the Inn. We will provide up to 15 beds of shelter space in Deans Hall every night from January 6-February 28. As a Room in the Inn partner congregation, we will be staffing Room In the Inn on the following dates: January 6-8, 16, 24 and February 1, 9, 17, and 25. You can make a difference in the lives of our neighbors who would not otherwise have a place to go by being a host on one or more of the nights listed above.

We will be providing training for all volunteers following worship next Sunday, January 5 in Deans Hall. Learn what volunteers at each shift will do, get oriented to the space, and get answers to any questions you may have. You are welcome to attend even if you have not yet signed up to take a shift.

Here is a brief description of what volunteers will be doing as a part of this ministry. Each

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night is broken up into three shifts: Welcome, Overnight, and Breakfast.

The Welcome shift will prepare for, welcome, and check-in guests from the guest list provided by UP. Guests arrive at 6 PM. After all the guests arrive, those who have volunteered to provide dinner will share and serve a family-style dinner and conversation with the guests between 6:00 and 7:00 pm, and help with clean-up after the meal. Volunteers to provide dinner are needed. Please sign up to provide a meal for guests and staff on the sign up sheets across from the Office. After dinner is over, guests will have time to watch a movie or television, play a card game, which we'll have available on site, or if they want to, go ahead and turn in for the evening.

The Overnight volunteers will arrive at 9:45 PM, 15 minutes prior to the end of the welcome shift, to allow for check in time between the two teams of volunteers. We require that at least one woman be a part of each overnight shift, as this is a requirement of our insurance provider. Lights will be turned out at 10:00 PM. Overnight volunteers are allowed to sleep in shifts, so no one must be awake for the entire night.

The breakfast shift volunteers arrive at 5:00 AM. Lights are turned on and the two volunteer teams check in about how the overnight shift went. The breakfast shift serves the guests breakfast, and helps them get their belongings together, clean up their spaces, and exit the shelter by 6:30 AM. Once all guests have exited the shelter, breakfast volunteers clean up the shelter space, wash dishes that were used over the course of the evening and

morning, and make sure that everything is ready to go the next night.

We're getting close to filling up our January nights, so please take a look at the schedule and see if you might be able to help close out those commitments. If you have any questions about how you can get involved in Room in the Inn, please contact one of the Room in the Inn planning team members.

Room in the Inn planning meeting this Thursday

You are invited to a planning meeting for our upcoming launch of Room in the Inn. The team will meet at 6 PM on Thursday, January 2 either in person in the Chapter Room or online using this link: <https://tinyurl.com/y667uwzs>

Midweek Noon Eucharists at the Cathedral

Major Feasts (in **bold**) are live-streamed with services held in the nave. All other services are held in the chapel.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1: HOLY NAME NOON EUCHARIST REPLACED BY MIDNIGHT MASS

Chapel Leader: Fazier Marsh

Celebrant: Matt Bradley

reminders

Weekly Sunday Bible Study

Please join us for Bible Study at 9:00 on Sundays. We meet in the Chapter room on the second floor of Diocesan House and via Zoom using the invitation below. Just click on the following link: <https://bit.ly/3RSozgS>

Staff Purse

Every year, our non-clergy staff members work hard organizing worship services, music, publications, and other matters of the congregation. Please take time to thank our staff when you see them. And if you are so inclined, we are a staff purse as in years past. If you are so inclined, you may place a check in the plate or contribute on our website, putting Staff Purse in the memo or note.

— Aaron Angel, Senior Warden

Dean's Schedule Update

Dean Matt is changing his day off from Mondays to Fridays, beginning on December 30, 2024.

Confirmation and Baptism Class coming this Lent

Are you interested in Confirmation or Baptism? Want to know more about the Episcopal Church? Then this class is for you! Participants will meet with Dean Matt one a week for an hour during Lent of 2025, beginning the first week of March. By the end of the class you'll be ready for Confirmation or Baptism on Easter. The class will also prepare you for Reception or Reaffirmation of your Baptismal Vows. Not sure what all of that means? You will by the time we're done!

And if you are already Confirmed, but would either like a refresher on information about the Episcopal Church or have a desire to go deeper in your learning, you're welcome to join in as well.

We'll use the book *Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs and Practices* to guide our conversations, though your input will help shape the course also.

The time and day of the week will be based on the schedules of those who want to participate. To register for the class, fill out the Google Form using this link: <https://forms.gle/hxZPSLUUjj3mrJQ3A>

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*We gratefully acknowledge those
who contributed to Flowers and
Music for Christmas.*



Ann Barbieri

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in memory of: Mary and William Bryant

Carolyn and Marilyn

in memory of Burrel and Jeanette Ubben

W. Thomas and M. Austin Cooper

in memory of: Courtney T. Cooper, Dale C. Cooper, and W. Carter Cooper

Page Curry

Marie Eff & Jim Walsh

in memory of Erich Eff and Patrick Walsh

Michael Ellis

in memory of Muriel K. Bass and Jan A. Ellis

Cynthia Fanning

in memory of Norm Fanning (flowers) and Merle Schott (music)

Mike Foster

in memory of Mike, Maggie, and Mary Foster

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in memory of Art Brooks, Lydia Hall

Robert and Angie Halliday

*in memory of Bob and Betsey Vaughan
in honor of their Children*

Mark Kano

*in memory of Zak Kano (flowers)
in memory of Kathy Kano (music)*

Kim McDaniel

in memory of Dean Robert Willis of Canterbury (music)

Patsy Melton

in memory of my sister, Bonnie King

Susan Shockey

in memory of Rev. Walter and Bonnie Rauh (music)

Leta Watson

in memory of Gilbert Macfarlane (music)

John and Marilyn Werst

We Pray . . .

Prayer is at the heart of Christian community. We use this space to bring before God and the community the needs of those we love. Please submit prayer requests for yourself and others to the church office: info@christchurchlouky.org. We will include those names here so that the community may join you in prayer..

. . . in the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, for the Anglican Church of Australia

. . . in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, for Murray State Campus Ministry

. . . for Cathedral members in need of healing

TJ, Dave Barbieri, Judy Donahue, Kitten Lawless, Terry Laun & Art Embrey, Robert Huffman, Konrad Margerum, Liam O'Daniel Munger, Nancy Otto, Len Sjogren, Winemiller-Durnil Family

. . . for Cathedral members in our abiding prayers

Jim & Dean, Carol Brown, Dorothy Converse, Charles Cooksey, Michael L. Foster, Maurice Gordon, John Kiesel, Norma Laufer, Ashley Pasteka, Donna Pottinger, Hollis Real, Ginger Shackleton, Joy Stultz, Tim Tice, Marcia Wilmet, Betty Lynn Williams

. . . for family and friends of Cathedral members

requested by

Judy Bradley, Stuart Burkhead, Deborah Burkhead, Clara Eskridge Ruby Hyde, Rollins Rubsamen, Trish Tyre, Ann & Tim Vellom Marge Brown	Matt Bradley Carol Brown
David Davies, Pam Williams	Jerry Brown
David Collett, Fonetta Collett, Kathleen Dina Betty Harrison Janet Shedd & family, Savannah Wright Debbie, Ellis, Honey, Marilyn	Melinda Collett Jim & Becky Collings
Kelly Brown, Tom Everhart, Anne Steele, Ed Swan, Carol Trainer, Gail & Alex Ocana Tom & Andy Rochester Elizabeth Foster, Michael Foster	Dorothy Converse Page Curry Mike Foster Bobbie Fritton
Ron Adams, Kathy Bischoff, Diane Flechler, Charlie Grubbs, Judy Horton Phillip Koloff, Byron & Leilani Sprinkle, Lindsay Tompkins, Neisja Yenawin Forrest Cook, Mike Freund, Paul Fussenegger, Sr., David Hammer Melissa Masterson, Gibbs Reese, Alex Rohleder	Vance Fritton
Justin Gallahar Rorie Guillen	Lea Ann Garbrough Rob Guillen
Betsy Vaughan Ric Hovda Eric Zoerb	Angie Halliday Diane Kyle Sissy Lanier
Art, Nick & Sally, Judi, Gregg & Mary, Whitney, Elvin, Charles Raith John, Becky E., Paula Hamilton, Martha Hyatt, Dave Kalinowski, Peggy Kalinowski Leisa, Kailey Caroline Potter, Kevin, Shay, Molly, Sammy, Noah Foster care children in the Commonwealth of Kentucky	Terry Laun Kitten Lawless
Patsy Cox, Judy Cummins	Jan Margerum
David Ellis, Yihong Liu	Jerry Marsh
Jim Trimpe, Katie Stephen Peters	Randy Peters Tom Peters
Mark, Ryan, Janice and Andy Carter Michael, James, Joey Mike Reisdorf, Khem Tice Rita, Jerry, Corbin Harris Diana Bonifield	Mitzi Schatz Tom Thill Tim Tice Carolyn Van Zant
Jared Stivers Tom & Karen Doyle	Graham Whatley Kay Shields Wilkinson Mike Wright

. . . for those celebrating birthdays

Vance Fritton, Hollis Real, Mike DaRif, Carolyn Van Zant

. . . for those celebrating anniversaries

Jerry & Carol Brown

**Additions or deletions to the Prayer
Lists must be sent to Tom Thill
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