



Parish Notes

Christ Church Cathedral

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Save the date: CLCM's Annual Campaign Celebration on April 13 at 12:30 PM

Christ Church Cathedral's partnership with Central Louisville Community Ministry has been strong for over 50 years...and it's time to celebrate. Our Annual Campaign is underway, and we invite you participate in several ways: make a donation on our website or mail a check; buy a raffle ticket for 3 great prize packages, and come join us for nibbles drinks and fellowship on April 13, 922 S 2nd St at A Noble Cause@ Noble Funk, starting at 12:30pm. Raffle tickets for a fantastic 3-day getaway in a 5 bedroom home in Innsbruck Golf Resort (Helen, GA), a Heaven Hill bourbon package and a picnic/wine package are available to view and purchase here:



Good Friday Offering, concert to support Middle East ministries

Episcopalians are invited to enhance their Good Friday devotion by attending a sacred performance of music devoted to this solemn day. The concert is being given in support of the 103 years of the Good Friday Offering, which assists churches, medical programs, and schools in the Anglican Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East.

"This Lent, the need is almost unfathomable," writes Presiding Bishop Sean Rowe in a letter

to Episcopal churches. "We do not know what the political future of the Holy Land will be; but whatever the future, our siblings in Christ in The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and the Middle East will continue to serve God's people."

The concert—an encore presentation recorded in the spring of 2024 at Christ and St. Luke's Church, Norfolk, in the Episcopal Diocese of Southern Virginia—will air online at **noon and 7 p.m. ET April 18** on The Episcopal Church's Facebook page and website. Viewers will have the opportunity to make donations to the offering during the event.

The Good Friday Offering, often collected during Good Friday liturgies, was first gathered in 1922 by The Episcopal Church to support Anglican ministries in the Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East that were impacted by the devastation of World War I, the Spanish flu pandemic, and social and political unrest affecting Armenian Christians, among others in that region.

Over a century later, the Good Friday Offering supports ministry in a wide variety of places, including al-Ahli Arab Hospital in Gaza, which has continued to provide essential health care services in the midst of war; St. George's Anglican Episcopal Church in Baghdad, Iraq, and its medical center; an eye clinic at Christ Church in Yemen; All Saints' Episcopal Church in Damascus, Syria; and All Saints' Episcopal Church in Beirut, Lebanon.

Find information about ways to give and downloadable resources—in English, French,

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Mandarin, and Spanish—at iam.ec/goodfridayoffering.

“It is easy to feel powerless in the face of the human suffering we have witnessed in the Holy Land, but with a gift to the Good Friday Offering, we can help The Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and the Middle East turn despair into hope for thousands of God’s people across their region,” Bishop Rowe writes.

For more information, contact Archdeacon Paul Feheley, Middle East partnership officer, at pfeheley@episcopalchurch.org or (212) 716-6222.

SAFE & STABLE HOUSING FOR ALL

Over 12,000 Louisvillians experienced homelessness last year, with shelters often beyond capacity every night. Metro Louisville does not have the resources needed to house our homeless neighbors, much less offer them the other services and resources they deserve.

To address this crisis, housing providers and advocates have launched the Safe & Stable: Housing for All campaign, which is pushing for necessary funding in the current (2025-2026) Metro Louisville budget. This campaign calls for \$25 million for the Affordable Housing Trust Fund to prioritize Permanent Supportive Housing, \$3 million for the Homeless Initiative Fund, and \$3.1 million for Eviction and Homeless Prevention Services.

As we reflect on God’s saving love this Easter and Passover season, we are reminded to share that love by supporting our homeless

neighbors. Please support the Safe & Stable: Housing for All campaign by calling your Metro Council representative at (502) 574-1100. Urge them to include the needed funding in the budget to ensure everyone has Safe and Stable Housing.

Highland Baptist Church Is Organizing a Group Event for Open and Affirming Churches to Attend Racing Louisville’s Pride Game – Group Tickets & T-Shirts

Last year, Highland Baptist Church organized a group of LGBTQIA+-affirming churches to attend Racing Louisville FC’s Pride-themed game, and it was a great success! They had 125-150 people from various congregations come together to show their support, celebrate Pride, and demonstrate that there are many churches in our city that fully welcome and affirm LGBTQIA+ individuals.

The Cathedral has signed up to attend the group event. Our Parish Coordinator will be the primary contact for tickets and t-shirts for this event. We will keep you informed as we receive more information in the coming weeks. A link to purchase tickets in the group seating area will be coming soon.

updates

George Hubbard is continuing to recover, and would like to resume attending on Sundays.

We are looking for people who are willing to pick George up, sit with him, and then take him back to the Rehabilitation Facility. He is at Cherokee Park Rehabilitation, 2100 Cherokee Ridge Way, Louisville, KY 40205. He would also enjoy having visitors. The main phone number at Cherokee Park is 502-451-0990. Please speak with Dean Bradley or the Parish Coordinator if you are willing to assist with this, and we will work to help facilitate it.

Father Bill Buppis and Father Edgar Wallace Are Celebrating their Ordination

Today, Father Bill Buppis and Fr. Edgar Wallace are celebrating 40 years of ordained ministry as Priests in the Episcopal Church. Please plan to join them for a festive coffee hour celebration after our Worship Service today. We are so thankful to both of them for their many years of service to God and God's Church and, especially, for all they have contributed and continue to offer to our Cathedral.

Easter Egg Hunt April 20th

This Sunday you will find bins with empty plastic eggs and large ziplock bags in front of the Parish Coordinator's office. We invite you to fill a bag with the empty eggs, and to return them to the adjacent bin, filled. Or, simply buy and fill eggs to donate to the "Filled" bin.

The Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Day will be held in the Memorial Garden immediately following the service. In case of rain, the backup location will be Deans Hall. The Resurrection Rabbit will be with us to welcome kids of all ages as they hunt for eggs! Bring your children, grandchildren, and invite your neighbors.

Parish Directory Update

We are updating our parish directory. A copy of the directory is available to view in Bishops' Hall. If you have changes to be made to your information or wish to be added or removed from the directory, please make a note in the copy provided. If you would like a picture taken for inclusion in the directory, please see Susan Shockey. Copies of the 2025 directory will be available to pick up on Sunday, April 13.

reminders

Christ Church Cathedral begins search for Associate Dean

Thanks to the generous support of a grant from the Forward Fund of the Diocese of Kentucky, the Cathedral has begun a search for an Associate Dean for Outreach and Evangelism. Please help us in our search by sharing the posts about our position from our Facebook Page and letting anyone you think might be a good fit know about the position.

You can find the full details of the search, including our parish profile and position details, on our website: ccclou.org/about

St. Matthews Dimensions of Faith Lecture Series

St. Matthews Episcopal Church will be hosting renowned author and voice for peace and nonviolence, The Rev. John Dear, on Sunday, March 30th at 6PM for a lecture and book-signing reception. The event is FREE and open to the public. For tickets please visit: www.stmatthewsepiscopallouisville.org/dimensions-of-faith

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.

Tuesday, April 1: Tuesday in the Fourth Week of Lent (Frederick Denison Maurice)
Chapel Leader: Dorothy Converse
Celebrant: The Very Rev. Matt Bradley

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E-Mail Changes Are Now In Effect

Don't forget that as of Monday, March 10, our email addresses here at the cathedral changed to use the same domain as our website: name@christchurchlouky.org will become name@ccclou.org. The old addresses will continue to work for the time being, but please update your address books, as they may eventually be phased out.

Summer Camp Returns to All Saints

The Diocese of Kentucky is excited to offer a week of camp for rising 7th - 12th graders hosted at All Saints Center June 15-20. The Rev. Dr. David Carletta, rector of Trinity Church in Owensboro, will serve as camp director. Full registration and more details will be shared soon.

Please complete this interest form to assist in our planning: <https://tinyurl.com/yc2yhchn>



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>

Here's An Easy Way To Be Part of The Justice Ministry

The 2025 Nehemiah Action Assembly will be held at Memorial Auditorium on Tuesday, April 7 at 6:30pm. Doors open at 5:30. Mayor Greenberg has confirmed his attendance and will respond to questions regarding the future of the DOJ Consent Decree designed to reform LMPD practices.

Along with powerful testimonies, updates from the issue committees, and reflections from CLOUT clergy, we are very excited to share that former Metro Council Member Bill Hollander will be present to give a reflection on the importance of CLOUT's work and the importance of the Nehemiah Action!

Also committed to attend so far are:

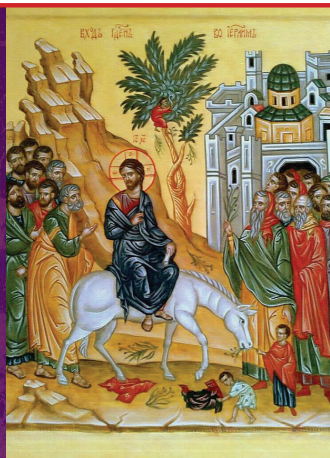
- Dr. Pollio, JCPS Superintendent
- Shameka Parish Wright, Metro Council Dist. 3
- Markus Winkler, Metro Council Dist. 17
- Tammy Hawkins, Metro Council Dist. 1
- Betsy Ruhe, Metro Council Dist. 21
- Andrew Owen, Metro Council Dist. 9
- Taylor Everett, Board of Education Dist. 7
- Trevin Bass, Board of Education Dist. 4

Be a part of the 1000+ citizen advocates showing our elected officials that we take issues including poor reading proficiency and police-community relations among others very seriously. CCC's Justice Network Members are inviting our fellow congregants, family, friends, and neighbors to reserve the date. Represent the Cathedral at the Action! See Page Curry or Terry Laun for more information.

HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday

Christ Church Cathedral
April 13, 10:30 AM
421 South Second Street



Maundy Thursday

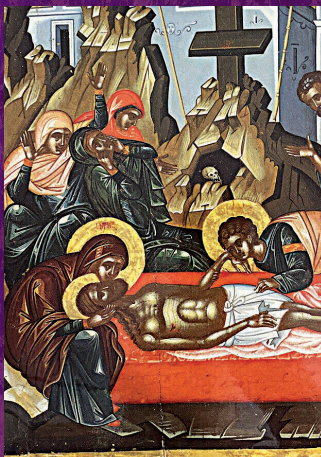
Calvary Episcopal Church
April 17: 6 PM Agape meal
7 PM Worship
821 South 4th Street



Good Friday

**Our Merciful Saviour
Episcopal Church**
April 18
473 South 11th Street

- 10:30 AM: Gather at Calvary Church (821 South 4th Street) for procession of the Blessed Sacrament with Stations of the Cross to Church of Our Merciful Saviour.
- 12 noon: Proper Liturgy for Good Friday



Holy Saturday

**Saint George's
Episcopal Church**
April 19, Noon
1201 South 26th Street

Easter Vigil

Christ Church Cathedral
April 19, 9 PM
with Alleluia Party to follow
421 South Second Street



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@christchurchlouisville.org. We will include those names here so that the community may join you in prayer..

. . . in the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, for the Nippon Sei Ko Kai (The Anglican Communion in Japan)

. . . in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, for St. George's Church, Louisville

. . . **for Cathedral members in need of healing**

Judy Donahue, Kitten Lawless, Terry Laun & Art Embrey, George Hubbard,
Robert Huffman, Nancy Otto, Teagan Sage, Len Sjogren

. . . **for Cathedral members in our abiding prayers**

Jim & Dean, Carol Brown, Dorothy Converse, Charles Cooksey, Michael L. Foster,
Maurice Gordon, John Kiesel, Ashley Pasteka, Donna Pottinger, Hollis Real,
Ginger Shackleton, Joy Stultz,

. . . **for family and friends of Cathedral members**

requested by

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

. . . **for those celebrating birthdays**

Rich Curry, Carol Syvertsen, Sarah Grace Vellom

**Additions or deletions to the Prayer
Lists must be sent to Tom Thill**
thillt49@yahoo.com



Flower and Music Donations

We are now accepting donations for Easter flowers and support for instrumental music for Easter.

So that we may list names in the Easter bulletin appropriately, please complete the following information and place it in the offering plate or mail it to the Cathedral office by Sunday, April 6.

Thank you so much for your donations to make our worship meaningful this Easter. Any excess funds will provide general worship materials.

Make checks payable to: Christ Church Cathedral. Write Easter flowers or Easter music in the memo line.

today's date _____

your name _____

address _____

city _____ *zip* _____

state _____

email _____

I would like to donate \$ _____ toward Easter flowers

I would like to donate \$ _____ toward Easter music

in memory of _____

in honor of _____



Please use this form
for all donations,
otherwise you may not be
properly acknowledged.

If using an offering envelope,
please also complete and
include this form.

All donations and forms
must be received by April 6
to ensure being listed in the
Easter bulletins.

If making donations to both
flowers and music, you may
write one check as long as
you designate how much
you desire to go to each fund.
Otherwise, the donation will
be split equally.