



# Parish Notes

## Christ Church Cathedral

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May 18, 2025

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### news

#### Service for Joan Humke

A memorial service for Joan Humke will be on Saturday, May 24, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church with the burial of ashes immediately afterwards in The Garden. Visitation hours are 9:30-11:00 a.m. There will be lunch following the burial. St Matthew's Episcopal Church, 330 N. Hubbards Lane, St. Matthews, Ky. 40207. [stmatthewsepiscopallouisville.org](http://stmatthewsepiscopallouisville.org)

#### SAVE THE DATE

Central Louisville Community Ministries will be hosting a Community Meeting on Wednesday, June 11, beginning 5:30pm at Calvary Episcopal Church (821 S 4th St). Have you heard about CLCM but curious to know more? This meeting is for YOU, and bring a friend! Hear updates and learn how you can engage. Refreshments served, and plenty of free parking is available.

### updates

#### 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, May 20th: Alcuin of York  
Chapel Leader: Dorothy Converse  
Celebrant: The Rev. Canon Jason Lewis

### reminders

#### Today Urban Partnership Coffee Hour Will be Held at Our Merciful Savior

This Sunday, May 18th, we will be gathering at Our Merciful Savior to share Coffee Hour with our Urban Partner Churches. Our Merciful Savior, located at 473 S. 11th Street, Louisville, KY 40203, is hosting starting at 12:30 PM. The Urban Partners are Calvary Episcopal Church, Christ Church Cathedral, Our Merciful Saviour, and St. George's with Supporting Partners Church of the Advent, Church of the Resurrection, and St. Thomas Episcopal Church.

This is a wonderful opportunity to share fellowship and network with our neighboring churches.

#### Feast of the Ascension to be celebrated at Calvary on May 29, 6 PM

Christ Church Cathedral will join with Calvary Episcopal Church to celebrate the Feast of the Ascension on Thursday, May 29. The service of Holy Eucharist will take place at Calvary (821 S. 4th St.) at 6 PM and will feature the combined choirs of our two congregations

Articles for *Parish Notes* must be sent to [susan@ccclou.org](mailto:susan@ccclou.org) by COB on TUESDAY

## Looking For Volunteers

We are still in need of a group of 3-4 Volunteers, ideally, who would be willing to staff the Parish Office on Tuesdays from 9:00 am until 12:00-12:30 pm, for one day each month. Volunteers are asked to answer the parish phone if it rings, greet visitors who may come to the window, and answer the doorbell when the back door rings, or someone knocks at the garden door. Most of the time, you will simply be a welcoming presence in the office, a friendly face for guests and parishioners. You are welcome to bring a book with you to read as you bide your time in the office.

Having a pool of volunteers will allow one person to help each week, without tying anyone down every week. Please speak with Susan if you would be willing to help! She will show you everything you need to know. Reach out to her by calling the Parish Office, email her at [susan@ccclou.org](mailto:susan@ccclou.org), or speak with her at Coffee-Hour after the Service.

## Informational Meeting in Dean's Hall June 1st.

Are you looking for a way to become a little more involved in your Cathedral? There are options available! Are you interested in learning about how to be a Chalice Bearer, or what it takes to be an Acolyte, or perhaps a Lector? Do you want to know what it is like to run the camera for the live feed for Sunday services, or other special services that are needed?

If you just like meeting people you can greet them coming in, or learn to be an usher. Perhaps you would like to learn how to ring the steeple bells.

We will be having an informational meeting on June 1st in Dean's Hall after the Service. If you are interested please stop by!

## Author's forum and book discussion of *Bound By an Oath* on Sunday, June 8

Christ Church Cathedral is pleased to welcome local author and Episcopal priest the Rev.

Anne Marie Harris for an author's forum and discussion of her debut novel, *Bound By an Oath*, on Pentecost Sunday, June 8 at 12 noon.

It is 462 AD, and the monk, Fra Paulos, is reminiscing on his long life. And what a life!

Sent many years earlier to find the Pope's brother, who had stayed in the land of the Britons after the last Romans had left, Paulos braves the sea journey only to find that the legacy left by the Romans is beginning to wane in the face of resurfacing druid beliefs. However, there are some Christians doing good work, and Paulos needs to stand firm against the hatred leveled towards all Romans.

Then he meets Aethelreda, Queen of the Cantii, and for Paulos, life is about to change forever.

Copies of *Bound By an Oath* can be found at Barnes and Noble, Books-A-Million, or Amazon. For more about Anne Marie and her work, visit her website <https://www.annemarieharris.com/>

## Christ Church Christ to hold Sacred Ground Circle this summer

This summer Christ Church Cathedral will hold a weekly Sacred Ground Circle beginning Wednesday, June 18 at 6:00 PM in Deans Hall. Sessions will last two hours and will include a light supper.

Sacred Ground is a film- and readings-based dialogue series on race, grounded in faith. Participants in the Circle will walk through chapters of America's history of race and racism, while weaving in threads of family story, economic class, and political and regional identity.

The 11-part series is built around a powerful online curriculum of documentary films and readings that focus on Indigenous, Black, Latino, and Asian/Pacific American histories as they intersect with European American histories.

Sacred Ground is part of Becoming Beloved Community, The Episcopal Church's long-term commitment to racial healing, reconciliation, and justice in our personal lives, our ministries, and our society. This series is open to all, and especially designed to help white people talk with other white people. Participants are invited to peel away the layers that have contributed to the challenges and divides of the present day – all while grounded in our call to faith, hope and love.

If you are interested in joining the Circle, or if you have any questions, please email Susan in the parish office at [susan@ccclou.org](mailto:susan@ccclou.org)

## Weekly Sunday Bible Study

Our weekly Bible study is held every Sunday morning at 9:00 AM in the Chapter Room on the second floor of Diocesan House. If you wish to attend online, you can also join via Zoom. Just click on the following link: <https://bit.ly/3RSozgS>

## CLOUT: Investing in A City of Justice

This month our Justice Ministry begins the final portion of our program year, the Investment Drive. The Cathedral's investment goal for this year is \$9500, about the same as last year. Compared to other much larger member congregations, CCC investors are very generous. Our successes this year include a public commitment from Mayor Greenberg to implement the reforms mandated in the LMPD Consent Decree even if it is not approved by the federal court.

The expertise and hard work of our two full-time professional community organizers guide our nearly 400 unpaid volunteers in achieving results like this. Our financial investments support them, pay for the Nehemiah Action venue, office expenses, and provide leadership training for the Team Leaders in each of our 24 member congregations.

Be a part of ensuring that Louisville's systems treat everyone fairly. Please prayerfully consider making a meaningful investment in your Justice Ministry's work. It's very easy to make a tax-deductible investment on the [WWW.CLOUTKY.ORG](http://WWW.CLOUTKY.ORG) website. And, of course, you can mail your check to: CLOUT, P.O. Box 2771, Louisville, KY 40201-2771. Please see Page Curry or Terry Laun with any questions.

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## Tickets are still available for Racing Louisville's Pride Game on June 6

Pride-themed game on June 6th, tickets may still be available. Last year 125-150 people from various congregations came together to show their support, celebrate Pride, and demonstrate that there are many churches in our city that fully welcome and affirm LGBTQIA+ individuals. This year they have reserved a block of 200 seats for use by the participating LGBTQIA+-affirming churches. Tickets can be purchased online by following the link below:

<https://tinyurl.com/yf7ampws>

Tickets are \$18.38, which includes the \$3.34 service fee to SeatGeek. For more information, please contact Susan Shockey in the parish office. Information on purchasing Additionally, T-Shirts for the event are available. The Cost is \$13.10, which can be paid to Susan at the Parish Office by cash, or check payable to CCC. Orders must be made and paid by COB on Monday, May 5th. Susan will need your T-Shirt size, as well, and will submit the order on Wednesday, May 7th, which is the cut-off date.

## Christ Church Cathedral continues a Search for Associate Dean

Thanks to the generous support of a grant from the Forward Fund of the Diocese of Kentucky, the Cathedral continues to 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](https://ccclou.org/about)

## 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>



## The Kohler Family Scholarship

The Kohler Family Scholarship Committee meets bi-annually to review applications for students requesting financial assistance to attend college, university or vocational programs. Applicants must be baptized and be a member of a church in the Episcopal Diocese of Kentucky. The applicant must show financial need, academic promise, be baptized, and be willing to provide additional supporting information as stipulated on the Application. Scholarships are available once a semester. Applications are accepted up to June 15th for fall semesters, and up to November 1st for spring semesters. For more information, please see the website here: <https://tinyurl.com/2h2d3f9a>



## Diocese of Kentucky Retreat Spiritual Practice at All Saints

***Friday/Saturday, June 27-28, 2025***

Come join us for retreat and fellowship as we explore tools for contemplation and spiritual practice at All Saints Camp and Conference Center in Litchfield, KY. At this retreat we will keep a relaxed pace and engage spiritual practice together using these tools at the center:



- ❖ **The Chartres Replica Labyrinth with Leigh Pittenger**
- ❖ **The stars, moon, and planets in their courses in the dark sky**
- ❖ **The Stations of the Cross and Creation with Rev. Jerry Cappel**
- ❖ **God all around us: Celtic Spirituality with Rev. Candyce Loescher**
- ❖ **Music and Worship with Rev. Harvey Roberts**

### **Cost (room and board per person\*):**

*Individual Room:* Room \$80, Meals \$45 = \$125

*Two Person Shared Room:* Room \$40, Meals \$45 = \$85

*Meals only (no room) \$45*



**Registration:** <https://episcopalky.wufoo.com/forms/me7md0q0u9iy1h/>

\*If you are sharing a room, each person needs to register individually

### **Loosely Proposed Schedule**

*Friday, June 27<sup>th</sup>* (adjusting for weather):

- 4 pm - Arrival, Check in, Reception, Dinner
- 6 pm - God all around us: Celtic Spirituality with Rev. Candyce Loescher
- 8:30 pm - Dark sky contemplation, followed by Compline and fellowship by the fire.

*Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup>* (Adjusting for number of retreatants):

- 8:30 am - Breakfast, morning prayer
- 9:30 am - Labyrinth Walk with Leigh Pittenger/Stations of the Cross with the Rev. Jerry Cappel
- Noon - Lunch, reflections, sharing
- 1:00 pm - Stations of the Cross with the Rev. Jerry Cappel/Labyrinth Walk with Leigh Pittenger
- Afternoon - Free time, conversation, hiking, or other choices
- 4:00 pm - Retreat officially ends



# 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](mailto: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 Church of Nigeria

. . . in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, for Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD)

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

John Archer, Judy Donahue, Kitten Lawless, Terry Laun & Art Embrey, George Hubbard, Robert Huffman, Sissy Lanier, Nancy Otto, Ginger Shackleton, Len Sjogren, Joy Stultz

## . . . **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, Marcia Wilmet

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

## **requested by**

Clara Eskridge	Matt Bradley
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, Larry, Marilyn	Jim & Becky Collings
Aidon, 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 Sprinkle, 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
Jim	Susan Shockey
Michael, James, Joey	Tom Thill
Mike Reisdorf, Khem Tice	Tim Tice
Rita, Jerry, Corbin Harris	Carolyn Van Zant
Jared Stivers	Kay Shields Wilkinson
Tom & Karen Doyle	Mike Wright

## . . . **for those celebrating birthdays**

Lee Cochran

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