



Parish Notes

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Sunday 9:00 Bible Study • Sunday 10:30 Eucharist
Sunday 5:30 Contemplative Prayer
Tuesday noon Eucharist

news

Dean's Sabbatical

Though it is difficult for me to imagine, I am now in my seventh year as the Dean of Christ Church Cathedral. That makes this the year in which I will take a sabbatical beginning June 15 and concluding September 8. I will be blending elements of continuing education around organizational leadership, spiritual renewal, and personal recreation into my sabbatical.

This sabbatical time would not be possible without the generous support of the Cathedral staff, Chapter, and other leaders, both lay and ordained, who are stepping in and taking greater responsibilities and work load while I am away. Should you need assistance during my sabbatical in a matter for which you would normally contact me, please see below for a list of those taking responsibility for various aspects of my typical ministries:

Administrative items: Susan Shockey

Worship or priestly ministry: Fr. Charles Myers

Business matters: John Kiesel

Pastoral Care: Deacon Eva Markham

Please thank folks who are taking on expanded roles and be patient and understanding if there are occasional hitches due to my absence. That said, the sabbatical planning committee has put in a tremendous amount of time and effort to ensure that our ministry continues uninterrupted over the next three months.

Finally, I ask you for your prayers during this sabbatical period. Please pray for me, my

family, and our Cathedral community. Join me in asking God for this to be a time of growth for all of us. And know that I will be thinking of you and praying for you until I return.

Yours in Christ,
Matt+

Next Urban Partnership Coffee Hour on June 28

Please mark your calendars for the next Urban Partnership Coffee Hour: Sunday June 28 at 12:15 PM at St George Episcopal Church.

updates

Summer Songwriter Series

Mark your calendars for Sunday, June 21 at 1pm to join the Summer Songwriter Series featuring the Cathedral's own Nicholas Teal, in his third Presentation of the Summer Songwriter Series. There is no cover for the Summer Series, but donations are welcomed, as each performance is a benefit concert. June 7 donations went to The Monarch Music Arts Community. Donations from the June 21 Performance will benefit CLOUT. Be sure to check the Summer Songwriter Series Flyer for Featured Guests and join us for an afternoon of great music!

Articles for *Parish Notes* must be sent to susan@ccclou.org by COB on TUESDAY

Ladies Lunch Bunch

Don't forget The Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet at Buck's this coming Thursday, June 18th at 11:30am. Buck's is located at 425 W. Ormsby Street. Come and enjoy a good meal and conversation. Hope to see everyone there! You can call or text Lea Ann Garbrough at 502-550-8646 or email her at lgarbrough@att.net.

Don't forget that we have another Taco Tuesday on Tuesday, June 23, at El Nopal

Midweek Noon Eucharist at the Cathedral

Join us for noon (12:00–12:30) services of Holy Eucharist each week at Christ Church Cathedral.

✦ Tuesday, June 16: Joseph Butler, Bishop and Theologian

Chapel Leader: Michael Allemang

Celebrant: The Rev. Charles Myers

reminders

T-Shirts!

T-Shirts were ordered this week! We will let you know when they have arrived! If you still need to pay for your T-Shirts, **please submit a check** made out to Christ Church Cathedral for \$15.00 per shirt. On your check, please put "T-Shirts" in the memo line.

You can also pay by cash by placing money in a sealed envelope with "T-Shirts," your name, dollar amount, and the date. As long as they are marked with your information, payments can be brought to the office or placed in the Collection plate, or paid when you pick your T-Shirt(s) up.

Chapter Notes May 2026 Meetings

CHAPTER RETREAT, MAY 16

The annual Chapter retreat was held on Saturday, May 16, at Christ Church Cathedral. Beginning the session, Dean Matt Bradley provided an overview of his study objectives and personal approaches for this time of self-examination through consultations and evidence-based didactic instruction.

Of the two general Chapter-specific topics discussed, the central focus was preparation for the three months of Dean Bradley's sabbatical leave and vacation from Monday, June 1, until Tuesday, September 8, 2026. The Chapter reviewed the extensive planning document prepared by the Sabbatical Committee. Also, Chapter members toured the multiple buildings' mechanical rooms noting the location and important power switches for HVAC, water, electrical equipment, smoke alarms, telephone wiring, Wi-Fi, and other items.

The second topic considered was potential areas of Chapter development—both short-term through this three-month period and long-term—through the Chapter's remaining term. Elements of these considerations will be announced soon.

CHAPTER MEETING, MAY 21

Treasurer's Report

In Treasurer Kay Shields Wilkinson's absence, John Kiesel, chair of the Finance Committee, provided the financial report. Regarding revenues, the pledging givers are slightly above the budgeted amount, and the non-pledging givers were significantly above budget. Expenses were generally as projected with LG&E costs being significantly greater than budget. Notably, the projected deficit at the end of April was <\$9,741>, and the actual deficit was <\$35.52>.

Regarding the Capital Campaign Money Market account, the bank failed to credit the earned interest since the inception of the fund which now is being funded retroactively.

Property Issues

John Werst reported on the recurring basement water issues due to variable rainfall, noting that a plumber will soon view CCC's water drainage



TACOS TUESDAY

ALL DAY!
• June 9th
• June 23rd

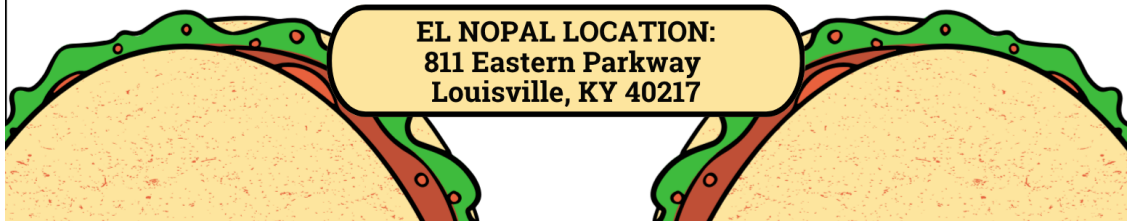


**FUNDRAISER HOSTED IN
PARTNERSHIP WITH EL NOPAL:**

Enjoy a meal with friends or order carry out—
20% of your purchase will be donated to help make
camp possible for this season.

Just mention “Friends of All Saints” when you check out!

**EL NOPAL LOCATION:
811 Eastern Parkway
Louisville, KY 40217**



system with a camera looking for areas of obstruction. An aggressive solution to this issue is under exploration.

Capital Campaign

Dean Bradley noted the received pledges to date totaled \$760,859, and the cash receipts are \$251,835, representing one-third of the pledged amount.

Ben Wilson, member of the Capital Campaign Committee, informed the Chapter that the committee has begun grant investigations and applications to local foundations and a state agency for additional funding.

Speaker System Upgrade

Dean Bradley announced that since its installation, the new speaker system has received rave reviews following the problematic first Sunday's service with positive comments about its clarity.

The Chapter approved the purchase of an additional wireless microphone for Associate Dean Charles Myers' use.

Christian Formation (Children's Sunday School)

Dean Bradley announced the preparation for the start-up of the Sunday School is underway with planning, purchasing supplies, and safeguarding training. The start-up date is Sunday, September 27.

Woodcock Foundation Educational Grants

The four individuals selected by the Chapter as equal recipients for these post-secondary grants were Hunter Lambatis, Chase Winemiller (Tara Durnil's daughter), and Cate and Henry Murmaw (Tom Cooper's grandchildren).

Stewardship

The Chapter is recruiting an individual to chair (or co-chair) the 2026 Stewardship Campaign. CCC is experiencing growth and renewed parish vigor this year, and the recruitment of individual(s) to lead the stewardship efforts for 2027 will greatly support and enhance CCC's ministries and missions. Please inform a Chapter member if you are willing to become a part of this important project. Chapter members may also approach individuals regarding filling this position. The Chapter wants to identify a chair (or co-chairs) and all committee members by the middle of August. The Stewardship campaign begins in September.

Christ Church Cathedral By-Laws Revision

Graham Whatley distributed to the Chapter members copies of his revisions to the by-laws incorporating some additions and general revisions. He added an entire section regarding "Conflict of Interest." Chapter members will review these revised by-laws and submit their comments to Graham for the final draft. The Chapter will review the final draft, submit it to Bishop Terry White for his review and action, and perform two readings at two successive Chapter meetings upon Dean Bradley's return for formal acceptance.

— John L. Kiesel, Senior Warden

MISSION STATEMENT for CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

Our mission is to embody Christ by serving our neighbors so that we share together in the power of God's unconditional love.

HELP US

Reach Our Goal!

\$20,000 GOAL TO FULLY OPERATE FAMILY CAMP

\$1,500 RAISED SO FAR!

Thank you! Your support has helped us place our deposit on camp.



Sponsorship Opportunities



CAMP COMMUNITY SPONSOR

Helps sustain the full camp experience by supporting shared meals, staffing, safety & medical care supplies, and stewardship of the All Saints property.

Suggested gift: \$1,000+



FORMATION SPONSOR

Provides spiritual programming such as family workshops, music, and learning.

Suggested gift: \$500+



FAMILY SUPPORT SPONSOR

Helps offset camp costs for a family who may not otherwise be able to attend.

Suggested gift: \$250+



ACTIVITY SPONSOR

Supports supplies for children's games, crafts, and creative programming.

Suggested gift: \$100+

Whether through sponsorship, partnership, or a gift of any size, your support helps.



GIVE TODAY

<https://bit.ly/allsaintscamp2026>

For partnerships and/or questions, please email:
info@friendsofallSaints.org

Cathedral joins with fellow Episcopalians for Kentuckiana Pride

Christ Church Cathedral will be joining with other Episcopal Churches in our Diocese to take part in the Kentuckiana Pride Parade and Festival on Saturday, June 20. You are invited to march in the Pride Parade, staff a booth for the Episcopal Church at the Festival, or both.

For those interested in marching in the Pride Parade, our group will gather in front of Guacamole restaurant (900 E Market Street, Louisville) at 10 AM. Streets will be closed off for the event, so please make sure you leave extra time to park and walk to the meet up point. You can find more details about the parade here: <https://kypride.com/parade> If you have any questions about the Parade, please contact Taylor Howell at office@calvaryepiscopal.org

You can also sign up to be a booth volunteer. While working at the booth you will have the opportunity to meet folks who are attending the festival, let them know about the Episcopal branch of the Jesus movement and how they can get connected with a local congregation or event. We will provide admission tickets to any booth volunteers who need them. You can sign up for a booth volunteer shift by scanning the QR code or visiting <https://tinyurl.com/57m55v33>

If you have any questions about working the booth, please contact Fr. Charles Myers at charles@cclou.org

Come out and help spread the word that God's love is for everyone, no exceptions!



Contemplative Evening Prayer

Please join us once again at 5:30 this evening for Contemplative Evening Prayer in the Cathedral Chapel. Our service is quiet, simple, and contemplative, offering those who worship a space to connect with God while letting go of the rush and noise. Light refreshments will be served in the narthex following worship.

Weekly Bible Study

Our weekly Bible Study is held every Sunday (except the first Sunday of the month) at 9 A.M. in the Chapter Room on the second floor of the Diocesan House. If you want to attend online you can also join via Zoom. Just click on the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/69vbtu8m>



Presenting the 3rd
annual

Summer Songwriter Series



June 7
in support of



featuring

Cait Justice
Matthew Black
Teddy Joe

June 21
in support of



featuring

Leigh Ann Yost
Miles Bickers
Gavin Caster

1 PM, Christ Church Cathedral (421 S 2nd St)

No cover, donations welcome!

(parking available at 444 S 1st St)

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, the Church of Pakistan (United)

. . . in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, Trinity Church, Russellville

. . . for Cathedral members in need of healing

Murphey Coy, Judy Donahue, Kitten Lawless, George Hubbard, Carlos LaGantta, Ginger Shackleton, Joseph Trigg, Jim Watkins, Dean Weller, Ruth Wukasch

. . . for Cathedral members in our abiding prayers

Carol Brown, Dorothy Converse, Charles Cooksey, Michael L. Foster, Maurice Gordon, Sissy Lanier, Terry Laun & Art Embrey, Ashley Pasteka, Hollis Real, Len Sjogren, Joy Stultz, Tim Tice, Betty Lynn Williams

. . . for family and friends of Cathedral members

requested by

Larry Maxwell, Cindi Mills	Michael Allemang
Clara Eskridge, Bill Smith	Matt Bradley
Marge Brown	Carol Brown
David Davies, Pam Williams	Jerry Brown
Debbie, Ellis, Jessica, Jody, Larry, Marilyn, Packy	Jim & Becky Collings
Aidon, Kelly Brown, Tom Everhart, Matthew Nelson, Anne Steele, Ed Swan, Gail & Alex Ocana	Dorothy Converse
Tom & Andy Rochester	Page Curry
Jay Biedenharn	Michael Ellis
Molly Muennich	Cynthia Fanning
John Clark, Elizabeth Foster, Michael Foster	Mike Foster
Ron Adams, Kathy Bischoff, Diane Flechler, Beth Fritton, Charlie Grubbs, Judy Horton	Bobbie Fritton
Phillip Koloff, Mike Livesay, Byron & Leilani Sprankle, Lindsay Tompkins, Neisja Yenawin	
Forrest Cook, Mike Freund, Paul Fussenegger, Sr., David Hammer, Herb Hay, Julie Jones	Vance Fritton
Melissa Masterson, Jenny, Lee & Walter Morris. Gibbs Reese, Alex Rohleder	
Justin Gallahar	Lea Ann Garbrough
Rorie Guillen	Rob Guillen
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, Leisa, Kailey	Kitten Lawless
Caroline Potter, Kevin, Shay, Molly, Sammy, Noah	
Foster care children in the Commonwealth of Kentucky	
Philip Mitchell	Hunter Lumbatis
Touran, Elham, Ali	Jan Margerum
David Ellis, Yihong Liu	Jerry Marsh
Ellie Barrowman	Blossom Marshall
Alice, Amelia, Mary Dade	Randy Peters
Stephen Peters	Tom Peters
Mahalia Smith	Brenda Runner
Ally, Jim	Susan Shockey
Michael, James, Joey	Tom Thill
Debbie H, Khem Tice, Emily Tout	Tim Tice
Keith & Lisa, Corbin Harris	Carolyn Van Zant
Marshall Bowen, Heather Rubsamen	Ann Vellom
Carolyn White	Terry White
Jared Stivers	Kay Shields Wilkinson
Tom & Karen Doyle	Mike Wright

. . . for those celebrating birthdays

Bethany Curry, Randall Wells, Jerry Brown Ruthn Wukasch

. . . for those celebrating anniversaries

John & Linda Kiesel, Bill Buppuss & Edgar Wallace, Mike DaRif & Becky Norris, Vance & Bobbie Fritton, Nicole Swann & Mark Adams Gary & Theresa Pope

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

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