Parish Notes

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

news

Jubilee Dinner Church Meets this Thursday, November 12

Jubilee Dinner Church will Share a Friendsgiving, this Thursday November 12, in Bishop's Hall at 6:30. If you would like to contribute to dinner for that night, please email Fr Charles+: charles@ccclou.org We look forward to seeing you there!

November Ladies Lunch Bunch

The November Ladies Lunch Bunch will meet on Thursday, November 19 at The Exchange, located at 118 W. Main St. in New Albany. It will begin at 11:30. It is located across the street from Floyd Brewing Co. Come out and enjoy good food and company before the hectic holiday season starts. Please RSVP by replying to this email or contact Lea Ann Garbrough at 502-550-8646.

Save the Date: Intergenerational Advent Wreath Making on Sunday, November 22

Folks of all ages are invited to make Advent wreaths for their homes after worship on Sunday, November 22. The season of Advent marks the four weeks leading up to Christmas, giving us time to prepare our hearts for the coming of the Christ Child. An Advent wreath can help make that spirit of stillness and preparation more present in our homes as we draw closer to God this holiday season.

Supplies will be provided and a sign up sheet is available in front of the parish office. While you do not have to sign up in advance to participate, we are encouraging folks to do so to help us get a sense of the number of participants.

updates

Annual Stewardship Ingathering and Blessing of Pledge Cards Today

Thank you to everyone who has made a pledge in support of our Cathedral's ministry for 2027. Today we will ask God to bless our pledge cards, offering thanks for your gifts and generosity they represent. If you would still like to make a pledge for 2027 you still have time. Pledge cards are available at church, or you can make a pledge online. Just go to ccclou.org and click on "Support". We are so grateful for every giver and every gift!

Save the Date for the Advent Book Group Starting on Nov. 25: Vulnerable God

An Advent Book Study will be held on Wednesday evenings in the Cathedral Parlor starting on Nov. 25 from 5:10 PM to 7:20 PM. Fr. Edgar

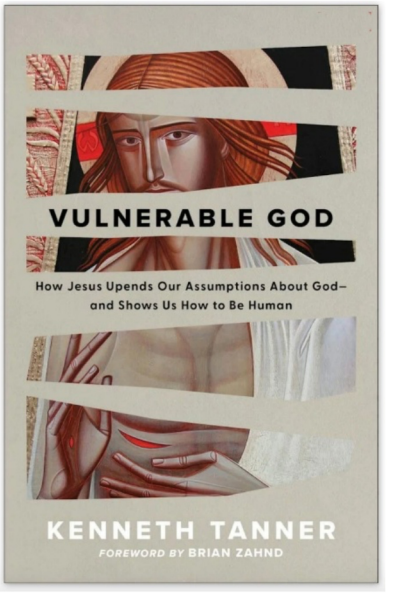
Please use the sign up sheet in the Narthex, or outside of the Parish Office to sign up. Books should be available by Sunday, November 22.

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

Advent Book Group

Vulnerable God: How Jesus Upends Our Assumptions About God and Shows us How to Be Human by Kenneth Tanner

Join us on Wednesday evenings for an Advent discussion of this recently released book about what the Incarnation teaches us about being fully human.



Nov.25, Dec. 2, Dec. 9, Dec. 16, and Dec. 23

5:10 to 6:20 pm in the Cathedral Parlor.

Please sign up in the Narthex or outside the office.

The book is divided into four sections: *A Human God, A Human Life, A Human Death,* and *A Human Future*, each about 7 chapters long, which lends itself to reading a chapter each day for 28 days with four discussion sessions. Of course, participants may read it on whatever schedule works for them.

Note: Nov. 25 is the eve before Thanksgiving. Some may not be available. Feel free to get the book to read along and join us on Dec. 2, or, if enough people wish, we might move the first session to another evening.)

Books will be available on Sunday, November 22.

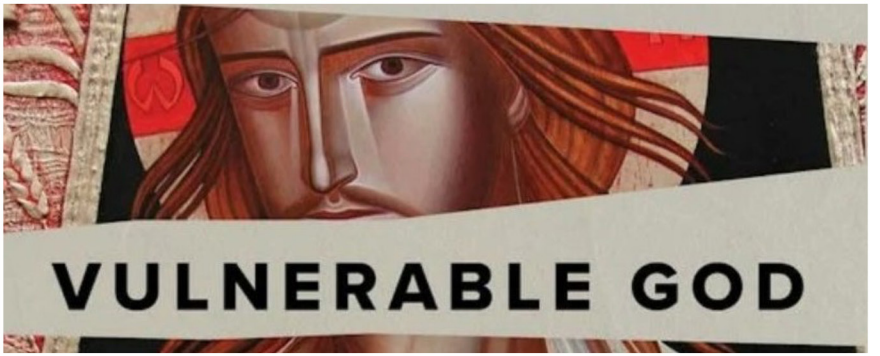
What the Incarnation Teaches Us About Being Fully Human

The mystery of God made flesh isn't just doctrine. It's an invitation to reimagine both God and ourselves.

In *Vulnerable God*, pastor and theologian Kenneth Tanner offers a rich meditation on the incarnation. Tracing the events of Jesus's life as told in the Bible and the rhythms of the church year, Tanner invites us to recapture our wonder that God has become human—to discover what Christ's vulnerability reveals about the heart of God and how the full humanity of Jesus transforms our lives.

"In this beautiful, radical, original book, you will be taken closer and closer to the heart of God. And Tanner will take you there in the only way possible: in and through the vulnerable heart and healing wounds of Jesus Christ. Accessible, mercifully free of jargon, and profoundly moving."

—**MALCOLM GUITE**, poet, priest, and life fellow of Girton College, Cambridge



Kenneth Tanner is pastor of Church of the Holy Redeemer in Rochester Hills, Michigan, where he has served since 2005. His writing has appeared in many outlets, including *HuffPost*, *Sojourners*, *Mockingbird*, *National Review*, *Christianity Today*, *Clarion Journal*, and more. He and his wife, Debbie, have seven children and four grandchildren.



Fr. Tom's Retirement Party is Next Sunday

A Celebration of Retirement for The Rev. Tom Miller Price, Priest-in-Charge of Our Merciful Savior, has been scheduled for November 15, 2026, from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM at Louisville Central Community Center. The Community Center is located at 1300 West Muhhamad Ali Boulevard, Louisville, KY 40203.

Please RSVP to: Lorrie Calhoun (502-594-3058), or Patti Cosby (502-609-0380). We hope you will join us!

CLCM Trivia Night at Noble Funk on November 21

Mark your calendar now for our next give-back event at Noble Funk! We'll have Trivia Night on Saturday, Nov 21 - come with a team or come solo and join a community table. This event benefits CLCM and admission to play is $10 - the winning team each gets their $10 returned. Doors open at 6pm, and trivia starts at 6:30 - 10% of all food and drink sold during the evening gets donated to CLCM by our fantastic Noble Funk partners! Noble Funk has plenty of free parking, and great food and brews.

Missioner on the Move

Itinerary:

- Friday-Saturday November 6-7: Leading a Retreat Day for Daughters of the King Diocese of Southeast FL
- Sunday: November 8: Celebrating and Preaching at Resurrection Episcopal Church
- Thursday: November 12: Friendsgiving Jubilee Dinner Church 630pm
- Friday-Saturday November 13-14: Diocesian Convention
- Sunday November 15: Fr. Tom Miller-Price retirement service and luncheon
- Thursday November 19: Leaders of Faith Listening Session Thurs, Nov 19, 10:30 to 11:30 at Mandal House (see details below).
- Thursday November 19: Urban Partnership 12pm-1pm. Christ Church Cathedral

Midweek Noon Eucharist at the Cathedral

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

✚ Monday, Nov. 10: Leo of Rome, Bishop, 461
Celebrant: Canon Jason Lewis
Chapel Leader: Page Curry

reminders

Second Annual "Harvest Home Hymn Sing" at St Matthew's Episcopal Church

November 14 at 3:30 pm is the Second Annual "Harvest Home Hymn Sing" at St Matthew's Episcopal Church, Louisville. Come and warm up your pipes and your heart. REMEMBER: music is memory's best friend. Cider and cookies provided. Any donations will benefit the Kentucky Alzheimer's Association.

Godly Play

If you have young grandchildren, or friends with grandchildren, suggest that they visit our new Children's Ministry program here at the Cathedral in Deans Hall at 10:15. Based on Godly Play, this internationally renowned Christian Formation program uses storytelling, props, and play to inspire children to grow in their wonder of God's presence. Each week, after a storytelling "lesson," students create art, to make a personal, tactile reply to the week's lesson. Finally, all share a modest "feast" of snacks, as they celebrate together as a community of peers. Afterwards, all return to the main service.

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.
We hope you will join us!

Songs of Farewell

Louisville Chamber Choir



Repertoire to include Parry "Songs of Farewell," and other works commemorating Remembrance Day.

Sunday, November 8 at 3 p.m.
Christ Church Cathedral

Tickets and more information are available by scanning the QR code or by visiting louisvillechamberchoir.org.

JUBILEE DINNER CHURCH

Join Us !

FOOD • FELLOWSHIP • WORSHIP





November 12 • 6:30 pm

Christ Church Episcopal Cathedral
BISHOPS' HALL
421 South Second Street
Louisville KY 40202

if you want to contribute to the potluck dinner: email charles@ccclou.org

PARKING AVAILABLE
Louisville Surgery Center, 444 South First Street

Carols for a Cause

Central Louisville Community Ministries Benefit Concert

Featuring

River Cities Concert Band

#givingtuesday

CENTRAL LOUISVILLE
Community Ministries





DECEMBER 2nd, 7-8:15 PM

Admission:$20 Donation per Person*

*(optional:more if you can, less if you can't)

First Unitarian Church

809 South 4th St., Louisville, KY

Parking available in the parking lots at the church, the library and on the street.

Light refreshments will be available.

Contact CLCM at (502) 587-1999

www.centrallouisvillecm.org

www.rivercitiesconcertband.org

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 in Wales

. . . in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, The Urban Partnership

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

Hannah Bradley, Murphey Coy, Rich Curry, Judy Donahue, Rob Guillen, Kitten Lawless, George Hubbard, Rick O'Daniel-Munger, Ginger Shackleton, Jim Watkins, Dean Weller, Colleen Wilson, Ruth Wukasch

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

Carol Brown, Dorothy Converse, Charles Cooksey, Michael L.Foster, Maurice Gordon, 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***
Andrea, Angela, Avery	Alice
Larry Maxwell, Cindi Mills	Michael Allemang
Clara Eskridge, Bill Smith	Matt Bradley
Marge Brown	Carol Brown
David Davies, Debbie Pottinger	Jerry Brown
Debbie, Ellis, Jessica, Jody, Larry, Marilyn, Packy	Jim & Becky Collings
Aidon, Kelly Brown, Marsha Camenisch, Tom Everhart, Matthew	Dorothy Converse
Nelson, Anne Steele, Gail & Alex Ocana	
Tom & Andy Rochester	Page Curry
Jay Biedenharn	Michael Ellis
Katrina West	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
Art, Nick & Sally, Judi, Gregg & Mary, Whitney, Elvin, Charles Raith	Terry Laun
Paula Hamilton, Peggy Kalinowski Leisa, Kailey Caroline Potter,	Kitten Lawless
Kevin, Shay, Molly, Sammy, Noah, Sarah & Eric Zoerb	
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	BlossomMarshall
Alice, Amelia, Mary Dade, Penny	Randy Peters
Stephen Peters	Tom Peters
Mahalia Smith	Brenda Runner
Ally, Jim	Susan Shockey
Sarah Robinson	Bill Smith
Paul Tapp	Charlie Tapp
Michael, James, Joey	Tom Thill
Amy M., Khem Tice	Tim Tice
Keith & Lisa, Brendan May, 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

Michael Durnil, Mike Foster, Charles Myers, Kirt Jacobs, Patsy Melton

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