



CHRIST
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HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

• May 5, 2024 • 11:15 a.m. • Church •

Youth Sunday 2024

Today is Youth and Graduation Sunday. Through their participation in worship today, and the celebration of our graduating seniors, we hope you have an opportunity to see how God is moving and working through our young people here and now, and in the future. We are blessed with a thriving youth program that seeks to give our youth a space to grow closer with God, each other, and learn more about what it means to be followers of Jesus that have a meaningful impact on our community and the world. In big and small ways, our youth point us to the living God through their wonder and energizing presence.

We also celebrate the Class of 2024 Graduates. Our prayer for them is that they head into the next chapter of their lives with the knowledge that they are loved by God and cherished by this faith community. We look forward to watching them continue to learn and grow as they embark on a new adventure at college and beyond!



Special congratulations to the students receiving the Rector's Award: Charlotte Peverley and Garrett Davidsen. These two excellent students have been an integral part of the church through their work in the community. Garrett has served on the Outreach Committee and has taken on leadership roles on several initiatives there. Charlotte has helped create and manage the Bakery Book Exchange, a ministry which seeks to provide books and other literacy materials to people around Jacksonville in underserved communities. We are so proud of them and their commitment to sharing God's love with their gifts and talents. If you see them around campus, be sure to congratulate them!

It takes a village to walk alongside a community of young people as they learn and grow. We are so thankful for our clergy, youth volunteers, and other amazing adults who walk alongside them in their faith journey!

*Welcome to Christ Church, Ponte Vedra Beach! We are delighted to have you worship with us.
In order to prepare for this service, we ask that you silence your phone. Thank you!*

THE WORD OF GOD

Prelude

Organ Medley

Please stand.

Processional Hymn 400

All Creatures of Our God and King

Vs. 1, 2, 5 -7

All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voices, let us sing: Alleluia, alleluia!
Bright burning sun with golden beams,
Pale silver moon that gently gleams,

Refrain O praise him, O praise him,
 Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Great rushing winds and breezes soft,
You clouds that ride the heavens aloft, O praise him, Alleluia!
Fair rising morn, with praise rejoice,
Stars nightly shining, find a voice: *Refrain*

All you with mercy in your heart,
Forgiving others, take your part, O sing now: Alleluia!
All you that pain and sorrow bear,
Praise God, and cast on him your care: *Refrain*

Let all things their creator bless,
And worship him in humbleness, O praise him, Alleluia!
Praise God, the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One: *Refrain*

Welcome Words

Opening Sentences Page 355, *The Book of Common Prayer*

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

The Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Glory

S 236, *The Hymnal*

Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers;
You are worthy of praise; glory to you.
Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name;
We will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Glory to you in the splendor of your temple;
On the throne of your majesty, glory to you.
Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim;
We will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Glory to you, beholding the depths;
In the high vault of heaven, glory to you.
Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;
We will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

The Collect

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

First Reading

Lector A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

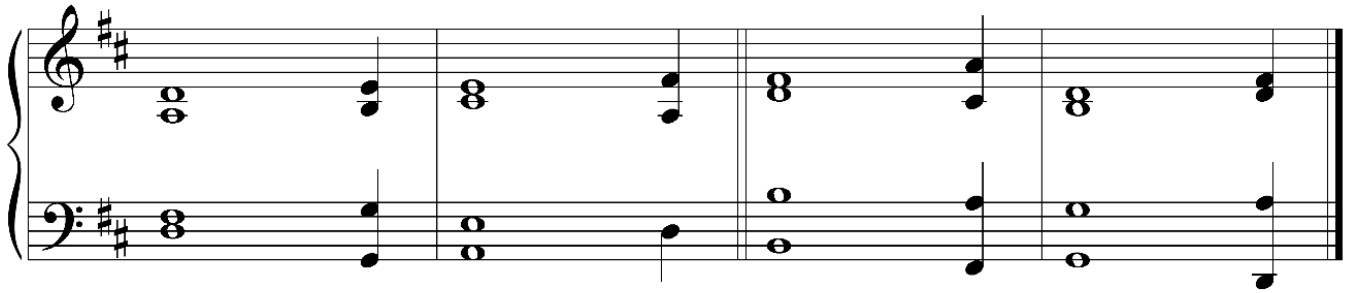
The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please remain seated.

Please join the Choir in singing the Psalm. Note that each measure of music goes with each line of text. The bolded words are where the chords change.

Psalm 98



¹Sing to the Lord a new song,

for he has done marvelous **things**.

²With his right hand and his holy arm

has he won for himself the **victory**.

³The Lord has made known his victory;

his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the **nations**.

⁴He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel,

and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our **God**.

⁵Shout with joy to the Lord, all you lands;

lift up your voice, rejoice, and **sing**.

⁶Sing to the Lord with the harp,

with the harp and the voice of **song**.

⁷With trumpets and the sound of the horn

shout with joy before the King, the **Lord**.

⁸Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it,

the lands and those who dwell **therein**.

⁹Let the rivers clap their **hands**,

and let the hills ring out with joy before the Lord,

when he comes to judge the **earth**.

¹⁰In righteousness shall he judge the **world**

and the peoples with **equity**.

Second Reading

Lector A reading from the First Letter of John

5:1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Please stand.

Gospel Song

This Is My Father's World

Vs. 1 & 2

This is my Father's world, and, to my listening ears,
All nature sings, and 'round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees,
Of skies and seas-His hand, the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds, their carols raise,
The morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's world, He shines in all that's fair;
In the rustling grass, I hear Him pass, He speaks to me everywhere.

The Gospel

Gospeler

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

15:9-17

People

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Gospel Response

This Is My Father's World

V. 3

This is my Father's world, O, let me ne'er forget
That, though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father's world, the battle is not done;
Jesus, who died, shall be satisfied, and earth and heaven be one.

Please be seated.

The Sermon

The Reverend Michael Ellis

Please stand.

The Nicene Creed

Page 358, *The Book of Common Prayer*

You may kneel.

The Prayers of the People, Form VI Page 392, *The Book of Common Prayer*

Please stand.

The Peace

Page 360, *The Book of Common Prayer*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Please be seated.

Welcome and Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

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Thank you for your support.*

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Offertory Anthem

O Love Divine

Heather Sorenson

Chancel Choir, Taylor Despars, *Soloist*

Refrain: There's a love that will not let me go.
There's a peace I never thought I'd know.
There are hands I cannot see, holding my eternity.
So I'll rest in peace and know that You are mine, O love divine.

There's a river wider than the sky,
calling me from shores where angels fly,
Where broken hearts and wounds can heal,
Where chains fall off and truth will be revealed.
So I'll rest in peace and know that this is mine, O love divine. This love is mine.

If I rise up to the heavens, if I sink into the sea,
I cannot escape Your presence, O God, You guide me faithfully.
And should my heart condemn me, and tell me I'm alone,
I will ride the wings of morn, and worship at Your throne.

There's a promise written on my soul, promise of a life that's been made whole.
Ev'ry life will be made whole.
This journey through a deep abyss, oh, now redeemed by heaven's kiss.
So I'll rest in peace and know that You are mine, O love divine.
It's deeper, it's wider, it's higher, O love divine.
This love is mine. O, this love is mine. *Refrain*

Please stand for the Presentation.

The Presentation

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B Page 367, *The Book of Common Prayer*

Sanctus S 129, *The Hymnal*

You may kneel or sit. The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

The Lord's Prayer Page 364, *The Book of Common Prayer*

The Breaking of the Bread Page 364, *The Book of Common Prayer*

Please be seated.

Distribution of Communion

Please join us at God's table.

All people, including children, are invited to receive Communion. Gluten-free wafers are also available. If you would prefer not to take Communion but would like a blessing, please fold your arms across your chest. Ushers will guide you to the altar rail for Communion.

Communion Music

Ubi Caritas
Chancel Choir

Ola Gjeilo

Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.
(Where charity and love are, God is there.)
Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor.
(The love of Christ has gathered us together.)
Christi amor. (The love of Christ.)

Exsulemus et in ipso jucundemur.
(Let us rejoice and be glad in it.)
Timeamus et amemus, Deum vivum.
(Let us revere and love the living God.)

Timeamus et amemus Deum vivum, Deum vivum.
(Let us revere and love the living God, the living God.)
Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero,
(And from a sincere heart, let us love one another.)

PSB 120 *My Lord, What Love Is This (Amazing Love)*

My Lord, what love is this that pays so dearly;
that I, the guilty one, may go free?

Refrain: Amazing love, oh what sacrifice,
 The Son of God giv'n for me;
 My debt He pays and my death He dies,
 That I might live, that I might live.

And so they watched Him die, despised, rejected;
But, oh the blood He shed flowed for me. *Refrain*

And now this love of Christ shall flow like rivers;
Come wash your guilt away, live again. *Refrain*

Sending the Eucharistic Visitors

When present, Eucharistic Visitors are commissioned to carry the Consecrated Gifts of Holy Communion to those who are unable, due to illness or impairment, to join us for Sunday services.

Celebrant In the name of Christ Church, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

People **We who are many, are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.**

You may kneel.

Postcommunion Prayer Page 365, *The Book of Common Prayer*

The Blessing

Please stand.

Recessional Hymn 657 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heaven, to earth come down,
Fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art;
Visit us with thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver, let us all thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave.
Thee we would be alway blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above,
Pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee:
Changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.

Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Postlude *Organ Voluntary*



Sunday. Every Day.

Christ Church serves the parish and our community throughout the week in addition to our Sunday services. These are a few of the upcoming and ongoing events you are invited and encouraged to check out, come and see what's happening on our Ponte Vedra campus and throughout the world.

Sunday Service Schedule and bulletins are available at ccpvb.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS TODAY

Youth and Graduation Sunday

9:00 a.m. Traditional
and 11:15 Jordan Services

We will celebrate all of our youth and class of 2024 graduates in church this Sunday. Youth readers, greeters, and ushers will participate in the service to help us celebrate our youth.

Sunday Breakfast

In the Dining Room

8:15 a.m. until 10:45 a.m.

Enjoy a freshly prepared breakfast, with something for everyone. \$7 per person, \$28 family max.

Nursery Care

Nursery care is available from 8:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., for children ages four months to five years old. Details at ccpvb.org. Please contact Jennifer De Rycker at JDeRycker@ccpvb.org with any questions.

Children's Formation

10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

2nd floor Formation + Arts Building

Sunday School classes for children age 3 - 5th grade.

Please complete the one-time family registration form for formation and nursery care on our website if you are new to family programs. Check-in on the second-floor lobby of the Formation + Arts Building. Formation leaders are needed - email Amy Schmitt at aschmitt@ccpvb.org if you'd like to learn more about serving. May 12 will be the last day of Children's Formation before summer hiatus.

The Youth Forum

10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Youth House

6-12th grade students are invited to join youth staff and volunteers for a conversation on the day's scripture readings. Donuts are provided! All are welcome.

Sunday Dinner and Fellowship

First Sundays, 6:00 p.m.

Parish Center Dining Room

On the first Sunday of each month, join us for dinner and fellowship after the 5:00 p.m. service.

Food Bag Sunday

Our monthly food drive helps stock the shelves of BEAM and St Mary's food pantries. This Sunday Drop off food donations in the Blue Collection Bins near Room M25 in Westbury Hall.



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Newcomer/Inquirers Class

10:15a.m. - 11:00a.m. May 5, 12 & 19
Hospitality Room, Formation & Arts bldg.

If you're new or newish to Christ Church, please plan to join us for this class series to explore who we are and what we believe. It's a great time to explore, get to know new friends and to ask questions! The series culminates in the Newcomer Sunday Celebration on June 2 when we receive those who wish to make Christ Church their church home. For more information or to register, contact Deacon Leila at Leila@ccpvb.org.

Bakery Book Exchange – Stop the Summer Slide

8:45-11:15 a.m.

The Courtyard

The Bakery Book Exchange is bringing back the "Stop the Summer Slide" program to supply summer enrichment workbooks to elementary and middle school aged children served by Blessings in a Backpack within PV and Nocatee. To purchase a workbook, search for the "Bakery Book Exchange" in the Gift List section of Amazon. Stop by our table outside Westbury Hall today from 8:45-11:15am to receive a treat in appreciation for your order of a workbook. We will also be collecting used books as usual!

Youth Ministry Cookout

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Youth House

All youth and families are invited to join us for a cookout at the Youth House to celebrate Youth and Graduation Sunday. Seniors are especially encouraged to attend so they can decorate their picture frames for the Senior Wall. We would love to see you there!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Formation + Arts Building

10:15 - 11:00 a.m.

The Clergy Forum

Room F106 or on Zoom

Join our clergy in person or online in a lively discussion on the readings for the day and much more. [ZOOM LINK at ccpvb.org](https://ccpvb.org/zoom-link).

COMMUNITY CIRCLES

These small groups provide space for connection and growing in faith. If you are interested in leading or facilitating a circle, or for more information contact the Rev. Laura Mann Magevney at Lmagevney@ccpvb.org

Parents Circle

Room F209

Parents are invited to enjoy a time of mutual fellowship and encouragement in Christian parenting while the children are in their Formation class.



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Bible Study Circle

Room F204

Join leader Gabe Bove as we explore the Bible, how it relates to our everyday life and enjoy rich discussion and fellowship. New members are welcome.

New Testament Circle

Room F124

Join leader Scott Burch for this deep dive into the New Testament. New participants are always welcome!

Sunday Dinner and Fellowship

First Sunday, 6:00 p.m.,

Parish Center Dining Room

On the first Sunday of each month, join us for dinner and fellowship after the 5:00 p.m. service.

THIS WEEK

Cursillo Men Fourth Day

Mondays 5 p.m., Room F 202

This group is open to all men who attended a Cursillo Weekend. For those interested in attending or grouping at other days and times advise us at cursilloccpvb@gmail.com

Painting Group

Mondays 6-8 p.m.

Hospitality Lobby

All painters and/or portable crafters (i.e., hand sewing, knitting, jewelry makers, etc.) are welcome. Please join us.

If you have any questions, please email

barnettml615@gmail.com. Hope to see a lot of new faces!

Tai Chi + Moving Mindfulness

Tuesdays, 10 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Room F 106

Practice Tai Chi with master teacher Daniel Jones. This practice leads to increased resilience, stamina, quiet mindfulness and balance. Suitable for all ages and abilities. \$12 per session.

Please register online (not required, just helpful to know who is coming) and payments (cash or Venmo) will be received at the beginning of each class. For more information, contact Leila at Leila@ccpvb.org.

Confirmation

May 7, 6:30 p.m.

Christ Church Main Sanctuary

Bishop Chip Stokes will be on hand for the Rite of Confirmation. A reception will follow in the courtyard. All are welcome and encouraged to be on hand to celebrate with our confirmands.

Discipleship in the Gospel of Mark

Westbury Hall Dining Room

Wednesdays, 10 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Mother Amy Slater and Father Eric Kahl lead a study focusing on the Gospel of Mark, and discipleship. All are welcome!



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Contemplative Community Circle

Wednesdays through May 15

3:00-4:30 p.m., Room F 224

We will discuss "How to Know a Person" by author David Brooks. Our time together always includes a period of silence followed by thoughtful discussions. Dr. Trey Wilson and Bridgett Vadeboncoeur will assist in facilitating. Order your book on Amazon. All are welcome! To register email Mary Anne Young at mayoung32082@gmail.com.

Homework and Hangs

Wednesdays, 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Youth House

6-12th grade students are invited to the Youth House for unstructured social time. Students are welcome to bring their homework, enjoy a snack, and play games with friends before Low Tide begins.

Low Tide

Wednesdays, 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Youth House

Middle school students are invited to the Youth House for games, fellowship, and fun!

Holy Eucharist Rite Two

Wednesdays 5:30 p.m.

The Cooper Chapel

A quiet and reflective Eucharistic service with candle lighting.

Wednesday Night Community Dinner

5:45-7:00 p.m.

Westbury Hall Dining Room

On the Menu: ASIAN

Price: \$8 per person, \$32 family max. Whether you are here for church activities or just want to gather with friends for a meal, you are welcome! Volunteers are needed - please contact Mel Johnson at Melissa.Kurz.Johnson@gmail.com

Christ Church Annual Meeting

Wednesday, May 8

6:30 p.m.

Westbury Hall dining room

Please join us after dinner for a brief yet informative meeting. We will share in moments of gratitude for the blessings of the past year, provide feedback from the Town Halls held earlier this year, inform you of actions already underway based on your feedback, and envision the path forward in unity. Your presence and participation are important as we discuss important matters and approve the new leaders for Vestry who will shepherd us with wisdom and compassion.

Join A Choir

Rehearsals in Choir Room

Formation + Arts Building

If you are interested or have questions contact Dr. Rachel Root, rroot@ccpvb.org

Women's Ensemble (high school students + adults), rehearse Wed 6:30 - 7 p.m, sings monthly at 9 & 11:15 a.m.



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Men's Ensemble (high school students and adults), rehearse Wed 6:30 pm-7 pm, *Large Rehearsal Room*, sings monthly at 7:30, 9 & 11:15 am

Chancel Choir (high school students and adults), rehearse Wed 7 pm - 8 pm, sings weekly at 11:15 a.m.

Handbell Choir (high school students and adults)- *Thursdays* 6-7 pm, plays monthly at either 9 or 11:15

Children's Choir (age 4 - 5th grade) rehearse Wed- 5:15- 6:00 p.m. Room 124. For more information contact wendy.waller@comcast.net or sbennie@ccpvb.org

High Tide

Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Youth House

High school students are invited to the Youth House for games, fellowship, and fun!

Christ Church Book Club

Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Room F 204 or on Zoom

Contact group leader Mark Barrett, mbarrett@vrlinkcorp.com for more information on the book club.

Women in the Word Bible Study

Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.

Westbury Hall 2nd floor conference room

The Gospel of John: Savoring the Peace of Jesus in a Chaotic World written by Melissa Spoelstra. Please contact Mary Ann Reynolds (mahrey51@aol.com), Kay Verble (ksvpvb@gmail.com) or Jane Wallace

(wilsonssidekick@gmail.com) for a study guide with video access to the teaching sessions.

Blessings in a Backpack

Thursdays 8:30 a.m.

Dining Room

Join the team packaging food items to be distributed to local children at the end of the school week. Contact Sharon Kehoe for information at biggieinga@aol.com.

Total Health Works: Brain + Body

Thursdays

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Room F 106, Formation + Arts Building

Facilitator: Pam Smith. This class focuses on functional exercise with an emphasis on brain work - challenging individuals cognitively as well as physically. Participants work on memory, multitasking, and sequencing, as well as strengthening, cardio, core, and balance. Suitable for people of all ability levels. \$10 per session. Contact Leila@ccpvb.org for more information. Register online (not required, just helpful), payments (cash or Venmo) will be received at the beginning of class.

Men's Bible Study & Breakfast

Fridays, 7:00 a.m.

Westbury Hall Dining Room

Lively discussion and great breakfast, fellowship. Come as you are, leave transformed. All men are welcome!



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MOMs Community Circle

Fridays, 9-10:00 a.m.

Room F 224

The MOMs Community Circle gathers for inspiring discussions, guest speakers, community service opportunities, and supportive connections. All moms are welcome! Contact Amy Schmitt at aschmitt@ccpvb.org for more information. May 17 is the last meetup before this group goes on hiatus for the summer.

Praise and Play Pals

Fridays, 10:00-10:45 a.m.

Room F 224

Experience the joy of our baby/toddler playgroup! Engage in delightful stories, songs, and activities centered around spiritual themes. For further details, please reach out to Amy Schmitt at aschmitt@ccpvb.org. May 17 is the last meetup before this group goes on hiatus for the summer.

UPCOMING EVENTS

2024 Senior High Dinner

May 13, 6-8 p.m. Off-Campus

Class of 2024 seniors and their parents are invited to the home of our Youth Ministry Director for a dinner and fellowship to celebrate our graduating seniors and their accomplishments.

Book Club for Kids

May 15, 6:15 p.m., Room 106

Join Amy for stories, crafts, and conversation. All ages welcome!

Special Friends Spring Gathering

Thu, May 16,

10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Dining Room

A spring gathering for our more mature friends - please join us for lunch, fellowship and fun! Please RSVP to the office 904-285-6127.

Lighthouse Family Dinner

Thu, May 16,

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Lighthouse youth, family, and friends are invited to join us for dinner. Please reply no later than May 12th to Catherine Montgomery at thelighthouseflorida@gmail.com. The Lighthouse is open to LGBTQIA+ middle and high school students in Jacksonville and the Beaches area, including people of all faiths and no faith.

60+ Fun: Trip to Ft. George Island

Saturday, May 18

9:45 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Join the 60+ Fun group on a spring outing to Fort George Island. Learn about the historic Episcopal Church, its history and the history of this beautiful island. We'll have a picnic lunch and great fellowship along the way. The fee for the bus ride and boxed lunch is \$20.00 to be paid that morning. You MUST RSVP by May 15 with the receptionist at the church office so we have an accurate count for lunch and the bus. We'll depart at 9:45 am sharp. Come make new friends and see new things!



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Pentecost Sunday

May 19

Pentecost is a moveable feast in which we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit on the disciples of Jesus after his Ascension. All are encouraged to wear bright colors of reds, oranges, or yellows, symbolizing the flame of the Holy Spirit. We have some special events planned for the day - including a cake contest! Details to follow.

Centering Prayer

Wednesdays, starting May 22

11:15a.m. - 12:00 noon

The Center for Spirituality will offer weekly centering prayer, beginning Wednesday, May 22 at 11:15 a.m. This is a meditative type of prayer which makes space for us to listen. Each session will include a bit of Father Keating's teaching, a period of silence and closing comments. For more info contact Deacon Leila at leila@ccpvb.org.

Love First

Vacation Bible School

July 8-12, 2024

At Love First VBS, Bible stories, games, crafts, and music, help curious kids learn more about faith and connect with one another. This fun and inspiring week is made possible by the service of youth and adult volunteers. Registration is now open at ccpvb.org. For more information or to volunteer, contact Amy Schmitt at aschmitt@ccpvb.org

Nourishing Eats Culinary Camp

For children ages 8-17

Session I: June 17-20, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Session II: July 15-18, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

This summer we will travel through France and other parts of the world, bringing farm fresh ingredients to our tables. Classes include a recipe book, apron, kitchen safety techniques, regional culinary history, hands-on cooking experience, and a chance to bring your creations home to share with your family! \$260 per person. Contact jderycker@ccpvb.org for more information



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Worship Services

7:30 a.m.	Church Sanctuary	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
9:00 a.m.	Church Sanctuary	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
9:00 a.m.	Cooper Chapel	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
9:00 a.m.	Cobblestone Atrium	Jordan Service
9:00 a.m.	NSIA Community Center	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
11:15 a.m.	Church Sanctuary	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
11:15 a.m.	Parish Center, 2nd floor	Jordan Service
12:45 p.m.	Parish Center, 2nd floor	Spanish-language Service
5:00 p.m.	Church Sanctuary	Contemplative Service
5:30 p.m. (Wed)	Cooper Chapel	Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Vestry

Jack Parker, Sr. Warden	Janet Burnside, Treasurer	Brian Mickley, Jr. Warden
Martha Baker	Mark Barrett	Jim Evanger
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		Jacqueline Williams

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The Rev. Thomas P. Reeder, Rector

The Rev. Andreis Diaz, Sr. Associate Rector	The Rev. Amy Slater, Sr. Associate Rector
The Rev. Laura Magevney, Associate Rector	The Rev. Wendy Billingslea, Chaplain
The Rev. Sandy Tull, Vicar for Christ Church Among the Oaks	

Deacons

The Rev. Leila Quinlan	The Rev. Priscilla Wodehouse
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The Rev. Dr. Jim Cooper, Rector Emeritus	
The Rev. Joan Bryan	The Rev. Bob Morris
The Rev. Burt Shepherd	The Rev. Rich Roos
The Rev. Canon Michael Ellis	The Rev. Eric Kahl
The Rev. Deacon Jo Hoskins, Deacon Emeritus	



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