

Christ Church Episcopal

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

Alexander Crummell

· Wednesday, September 10, 2025 · Chapel · 5:30 p.m. ·

Prelude

Opening Hymn

Opening Sentences Page 355, The Book of Common Prayer

Glory Page 356, The Book of Common Prayer

The Collect

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, we thank you for your servant Alexander Crummell, whom you called to preach the gospel to those who were far off and to those who were near: Raise up, in this and every land, evangelists and heralds of your kingdom, that your church may proclaim the unsearchable riches of our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

The Gospel

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark 4:21-25

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

He said to them, 'Is a lamp brought in to be put under the bushel basket, or under the bed, and not on the lampstand? ²² For there is nothing hidden, except to be disclosed; nor is anything secret, except to come to light. ²³ Let anyone with ears to hear listen!' ²⁴ And he said to them, 'Pay attention to what you hear; the measure you give will be the measure you get, and still more will be given you. ²⁵ For to those who have, more will be given; and from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away.'

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

Reflection The Reverend Laura Magevney

You may kneel or sit.

The Prayers of the People Form III, Page 387, The Book of Common Prayer

Confession Page 360, The Book of Common Prayer

Candle Lighting

We continue our prayers through the lighting of votive candles as a symbol of our love and concern for others. You are welcome to light a single candle as a symbol of your prayers.

Please stand.

The Peace Page 360, The Book of Common Prayer

Please be seated.

Announcements

To make an offering online visit ccpvb.org/give or scan this code.
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THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory

Please stand.

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.

Communion Music

You may kneel or sit.

Postcommunion Prayer Page 365, The Book of Common Prayer

The Blessing

Please stand.

Final Hymn

Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

UPCOMING EVENTS

TONIGHT – Wednesday Night Dinners resume! Contact Mel at melissa.kurz.johnson@gmail.com to help volunteer.

September 11 – 11:00 am Grandparents Fellowship and Ministry Opportunity

Are you a grandparent interested in fellowship and sharing ideas with others? Join us to discuss how we can love and support each other in every phase of life.

September 18-21 Do you Want to Build a Snowman?

Frozen JR. takes the stage here at Christ Church! Tickets are available for purchase now!



HAPPENING THIS WEEK



**For our regular, recurring weekly activities and groups, please see our event calendar.

FALL PREVIEW

Get excited for the fall! Unless otherwise noted, these groups will begin Sunday, September 7. Check back weekly for updates and new items.

Positive Parenting (200): Guided conversations around Christian parenting.

Led by Dr. Amy Hardman and child therapist Vivian Bowlus, this class will focus on simple strategies to build a lifetime of adaptability and emotional resilience from <u>Raising a Kid Who Can</u> by Catherine McCarthy, MD, Heather Tedesco, PhD, and Jennifer Weaver, LCSW. Meeting dates: September 14 – October 27. Contact: Amy Schmitt at aschmitt@ccpvb.org

Scott Burch Bible Study (200): Excavating the Bible: How Archaeology & Historical Texts Can Help Us Interpret the Bible

This year we will explore what ancient historical records and archaeological finds can tell us about ancient Israel, the people who lived there, and their understanding of God. By combining our understanding of archaeology, history, and the similarities & differences in the various versions of the Biblical stories, we will be better equipped to understand and interpret our ancient and sacred scripture. Begins Oct 5th.

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