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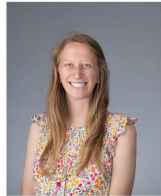
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**For our friends and families:** Liesel, Jeff, Corinne, Paul, Travis, Edward, Irene, Matt, David, Schellie, Peter, Michael, Jim, Joanne, Anderson, Vicki, Nelma, Ashley, Alexander, Bambi, Laurie, Amelia, Dennis, Blake, Brian, Oakley, Bryce, Helen, Carter, Eunice, Mary, Joseph, Mason, Sarah, Nicholas, Janet, Myra, Jimmy, Jim, Denni, Matthew, Chelsea, Niels, Cindy, Lucia, Trinity, Pam, Jason, C.E. (Max), Christopher, PK, Beverly, Krissie, George, William, James, Tom, Bryan, Patti, Ruth, Ron, Patty, Jackie, Jani, Barrie, John, Bill, Joan, Brooke, Norma Jean, Mary, Ann, Ruth Ann, George, Anne, Bruce, Nancy, Lynda, Mike, Connor, and Stephen.

**For our deployed military:** Lt. Christopher Miller, SSgt. Philip Buffa, III.

**For refugee families and those seeking asylum.**

**For those who mourn:** the family and friends of Jim Phillips, Ray Stark, Adrienne Carter (Rees Carter's daughter), Anne Wagner, Rae Cowan, and Glenn Powell (Delle Curry's nephew)

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** St. Paul's, Beaufort

*\*These parishioners live out of the area but have requested to remain on the Christ Church prayer list.*

**THIS WEEK AT CHRIST CHURCH**

**Sunday, Jan. 9**

8:30 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave)  
11 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave/[online](#))  
6 pm: EYC (Online)

**Monday, Jan. 10**

10 am: ECW All Saints Meeting (Parish House)  
11 am: Staff Meeting  
11 am: Contemplative Prayer (via Zoom)  
5:15 pm: Stephen Ministry Meeting (Library)

**Tuesday, Jan. 11**

8:30 am: Eucharist (Indoor Chapel)  
10 am: Women's Book Study (2nd Floor LR)  
10 am: Prayer Shawl Ministry (Bride's Room)  
3 pm: Growing in Grace resumes  
5:30 pm: Outreach Commission Meeting (Library)  
6:30 pm: Small Wonders NA Meeting (Pelletier)

**Wednesday, Jan. 12**

11 am: Rector's Bible Study/Good Book Club (via Zoom)  
3 pm: Growing in Grace  
4:30 pm: Wednesdays at Christ Church  
6 pm: EfM (2nd Floor Living Room)  
6:15 pm: AA Meeting (Harrison Center)

**Thursday, Jan. 13**

10am: Chair Yoga (Harrison Center)  
3 pm: Growing in Grace  
3:30 pm: Growing in Grace Chapel Time

**Saturday, Jan. 15**

Deadline to [submit articles/photos](#) for February's *Crown*  
11 am: Catherine Bender's funeral (Outdoor Chapel)

**Sunday, Jan. 16**

8:30 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave)  
9:45 am: Sunday School  
11 am: Eucharist Rite II (Nave/[online](#))  
3 pm: Mom's Group (Parish House)



**CHRIST CHURCH**  
**AN EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
**IN THE DIOCESE OF EAST CAROLINA**  
**FOUNDED 1715, NEW BERN, NORTH CAROLINA**

Our Vision: To be a church that loves the way God Loves

**THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

January 9, 2022 11:00 AM

*Book of Common (BCP) and Hymnal pages are listed on the right.*

**BCP:** Book of Common Prayer (*black*), **S or H:** Hymnal 1982 (*blue*),  
**WLP:** Wonder, Love, and Praise (*green*), **L:** Lift Every Voice (*red*)

**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**HEARING AND RESPONDING TO HOLY SCRIPTURE**

<b>Voluntary</b>	<b>Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern</b>	<b>Dietrich Buxtehude</b>
<b>Hymn</b>	<b>I want to walk as a child of the light</b>	<b>H 490</b>
<i>Celebrant</i>	Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.	<b>BCP 323</b>
<i>People</i>	<b>And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.</b>	
<i>Celebrant</i>	There is one Body and one Spirit;	
<i>People</i>	<b>There is one hope in God's call to us;</b>	
<i>Celebrant</i>	One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;	
<i>People</i>	<b>One God and Father of all.</b>	
<i>Celebrant</i>	The Lord be with you.	
<i>People</i>	<b>And also with you.</b>	
<i>Celebrant</i>	Let us pray.	

**Collect of the Day**

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

*Please sit for the reading of the scriptures.*

**The First Lesson**

**Isaiah 43:1-7**

Thus says the LORD,  
he who created you, O Jacob,  
he who formed you, O Israel:  
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name, you are mine.  
When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;  
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;  
when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,  
and the flame shall not consume you.  
For I am the LORD your God,  
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.

I give Egypt as your ransom,  
Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.

Because you are precious in my sight,  
and honored, and I love you,

I give people in return for you,  
nations in exchange for your life.

Do not fear, for I am with you;  
I will bring your offspring from the east,  
and from the west I will gather you;

I will say to the north, "Give them up,"  
and to the south, "Do not withhold;

bring my sons from far away  
and my daughters from the end of the earth--

everyone who is called by my name,  
whom I created for my glory,  
whom I formed and made."

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.  
*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 29** (*read in unison*) *Afferte Domino* **BCP 620**

**Second Lesson** **Acts 8:14-17**

When the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.  
*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**The Holy Gospel** *Standing* **Luke 3:15-17, 21-22**

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke  
*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**Children's Homily** **The Rev. H. Paul Canady**  
**Sermon** **The Rev. H. Paul Canady**

**The Baptism of Amy Ann Cuellar Lugo, Tayla Rose O'Briant, and  
Torrance Jade O'Briant** **BCP 301**

**The Peace** *All stand.*

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
*People* **And also with you.**

**Welcome & Offertory Sentence**

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## THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE Holy Communion

**Eucharist Prayer A** **BCP 361**

**Sanctus**

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Fraction Anthem**

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
*People* **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

**Invitation to Communion**

*We welcome to communion all who have been baptized in any Christian tradition. Gluten-free wafers are available.  
Please tell the Clergy if you wish to have one.*

**Sending Forth Eucharistic Visitor**

*Celebrant* We who are many are one body because we share one bread, one cup.  
*People* **Take these holy gifts of our Lord's Body and Blood and go forth**

**in the name of Christ Church. May those to whom you go  
experience with us the majesty and mystery of His presence  
through the sharing of the bread and wine.**

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

**Post Communion Prayer** **BCP 366**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

**Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of  
the most precious Body and Blood of your son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for  
assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your  
Son and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the  
work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ  
our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for  
ever. Amen.**

**The Blessing**

May Almighty God, who led the Wise Men by the shining of a star to find the Christ, the Light from Light, lead you also, in your pilgrimage, to find the Lord. **Amen.**

May God, who sent the Holy Spirit to rest upon the Only-begotten at his baptism in the Jordan River, pour out that Spirit on you who have come to the waters of new birth. **Amen.**

May God, by the power that turned water into wine at the wedding feast at Cana, transform your lives and make glad your hearts. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

**Recessional Hymn** **Songs of thankfulness and praise** **H 135**

**The Dismissal**

*Celebrant* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Voluntary** **Praeludium in C Major** **Dietrich Buxtehude**

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### SERVING US TODAY

**Video Coordinator:** Noah Landen

**Verger:** Hal Stirling **Altar Guild:** Carolyn McCulley, Anne Hiller,  
Nell Hudson, Margo Skaggs, Betsy Primavera

**Lector:** Delle Curry **Eucharistic Ministers:** Jane Merritt, Terry Brubaker

**Greeters:** Gretchen and Bill Lankenau **Ushers:** Sam Curry, Ed Campbell

**Acolyte:** Ollie Canady, Thomas Tayloe, Ava McGuire

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** St. Paul's, Beaufort

### CHRIST CHURCH VESTRY

**Term through 2022:** Carl Huddle (*Junior Warden*), Rick Miller,  
David Spence, Keith Thompson (*Senior Warden*)

**Term through 2023:** Howard Furnas, John King, Elizabeth Livingston, Sims Wayt

**Term through 2024:** Tony Embrey, Phyllis Fox, Rebecca Buchanan Leahy,  
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### MISSION

The mission of Christ Episcopal Church is to welcome and inspire all people to faith, hope and spiritual growth through worship, Christian fellowship, and service to one another and to the community beyond.