

Christ Church Cathedral notices for the week of January 13, 2019

Pledge envelopes for your 2019 pledges are available as of today. Please pick up your box in the lobby.

Today, Sunday, January 13

8 & 10 a.m. EPIPHANY 1, Father Jerry True will preach.

11:30 a.m. FORUM: A PRESENTATION OF THE 2019 BUDGET with Treasurer Susan Forrest.

Tuesday, January 15

6:00 p.m. COMING TO BELIEVE, a Holy Eucharist service that is held once a month on Tuesdays for those in recovery and all wishing to engage in the practice of living a life of letting go and letting God.

Sunday, January 20

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

8 a.m. MORNING SERVICE.

11 a.m. PRINCIPAL SERVICE, followed by a potluck meal in the Undercroft.

Sign up for the Annual Meeting potluck (January 20) today.

Sunday, January 20-Monday January 21

RETREAT FOR YOUTH ON MLK WEEKEND. Every year on the third Monday of January, we observe a day in remembrance of the life and work of Martin Luther King, Jr. This year, diocesan youth in grades 6-12, and the adults who work with them, are invited to Christ Church Cathedral for an overnight. During this lock-in, we will dream about what it means to carry on Dr. King's legacy in our own communities, and explore what that looks like in Springfield today. We'll also engage in service work in the Springfield community. Bonus: everyone will get to sleep inside the Cathedral over night! **Registrations are due by January 13, 2019.**

Wednesday, January 23

Book Reading by Author Ed Farrell: Ed Farrell will talk about writing and will read from his new novel, *White Angel*, and other work at Christ Church Cathedral on January 23rd at 6:30 p.m. Ed is a Cathedral member who has served the church in a variety of positions over a thirty year career but he has long been a writer and retirement is giving him more time to pursue his avocation. About *White Angel* he says, "It's a murder mystery so it's not supposed to be profound but the protagonist is a man who is wrestling with both his past and his faith, situations which may be familiar to many of us."

For mystery fans who would like to read the book beforehand, it's available from Dark Ink Press on Amazon in both print (\$13.99) and Kindle (\$4.99) versions – just search 'White Angel Edward Farrell.'

Sunday, January 27

Undie Sunday - Check out those sales for NEW men and women's underwear & socks. Remember NO bikinis nor polka dots nor cartoon characters - plain only! This fun event has been a tradition at the Cathedral for over twenty years. We hope everyone will both attend and contribute (and enjoy!) The Springfield Rescue Mission will appreciate your efforts and contributions!

OPPORTUNITIES TO SHARE:

HELP KEEP THE CITY'S HOMELESS PEOPLE WARM THIS WINTER. The homeless in the Springfield area are facing very cold temperatures and they have little to keep them warm. When our group travels around on Tuesday nights we are asked mostly for heavy coats, sleeping bags, tents, and blankets. We have nearly run out of heavy men's coats and only have one sleeping bag and one tent left. Thank you to all of you who have given us your coats and blankets. If you have not yet gone through your closets, please keep us in mind. Thank you.
FOOD DRIVE -- Each Sunday we take up a collection of non-perishable foods to be given out at Loaves and Fishes and for those who drop by during the week. Please support this ministry as you are able. Donations may be dropped off in the baskets in the Narthex (foyer) of the church.

WEEKLY SPIRITUAL GROWTH:

Holy Eucharist at St. Peter’s Church, 45 Buckingham Street, Springfield, Monday and Friday at Noon with healing, Thursday 5:30 p.m.

Holy Eucharist at Christ Church Cathedral, Wednesday at Noon, in the All Saints Chapel;

Centering Prayer Group at Christ Church Cathedral, Saturdays 10:30- 11:30 a.m. in the Common Room, Diocesan offices, 2nd floor. All are invited to the practice of silent prayer. Laurel Stewart (lagstewart2@aol.com);

Bible Study in the Kendrick Room, Wednesdays, 8-9 a.m., Diocesan offices, 2nd floor, Sunday 9 a.m.

During the week, please pray for those whom Christ’s healing power has been requested:

Louise Amerman; Karen, Matthew & Rich Authier; Edwin and Yolanda Berberena; Fran Brunell; Euridice Brunt; Aleyah & Anthony Campbell; Hector Cano; Regis Decker, Donald Decker & Margaret Decker; Paul, Kathy, and Karl Donfried; Emma Drane; Irene Elley; Matthew Finucane; Javier Flores; Valeria Fernandez-Gaviria; Janet Glancy; Linda Goehlert Jim Goodwin; David Graham; Mark Hambley; Jean Hamm; Elizabeth Hodge; Rob Humbertson; Joe Jeffery; Francheska Martinez; Agnes Johnson; David Johnston; Kaitlyn LaRiviere; Deborah McCurdy; Marguerite McLain; Ben Manzi; Kate Moriarity; Mary McKenna; Carmen Ocasio; Dillon Parker; Lee Peters; Joan Robinson; Ernie Rud; Robin Schmeck;; Thomas; Felicia Waldon & Mary Waldon; Marion Walersyzak; Jim Wingard; Lavae Wolfe; Mary Wood; Nikki; Thomas; Alexandria.

Please prayerfully remember those serving in the military:

Katie Albright, Josh Benoit; Illyana Caputo, Alyssa Chapman; Andrew Clough, Michael Fidalgo; Luis Guevara; Joseph R. Holstead; Mark Johnston; William Mangan; William Navarro; Jose Orengo; Wayne Wilson Jr., and Steven Jones. We pray for our friends in recovery and their loved ones.

Would you like to add to or remove a name from the Prayers of the People?

To add or remove a name from the list, contact the office at 413.736.2742 or cccspfld@gmail.com. You may also speak with The Very Rev. Tom Callard or one of the ushers. Unless we are notified sooner, names will be kept on the list until the next scheduled update on February 1, 2019. Please contact the office.

The Daughters of the King maintain a confidential prayer list.

Contact Phyllis Larson, 413.786.9292 or phyl98617@aol.com. Please do not add a name without that person’s permission. Thanksgivings are always welcome on the Prayer List.

This week’s announcements are included as an insert in today’s bulletin. You may write names of those for whom prayers is desired on the Intercessor’s copy of this morning’s prayers, located on the stand by the doors leading to Brooks Foyer.

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