

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL ANNOUNCEMENTS April 6, 2025

Questions, links: Contact Amanda Paredes at cccspfld@gmail.com or 413-736-2742

HOLY WEEK AT CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL - Christ Church Cathedral has several services planned for Holy Week 2025 as follows:

Tuesday April 15, 2025 - Diocesan Renewal of Ordination Vows and Blessing of Oils – 11:00AM

Thursday April 17, 2025 – Bilingual Maundy Thursday – 7:00PM

Friday April 18, 2025 – English Service 12:00Noon, Spanish Service 7:00PM

Saturday April 19, 2025 – Easter Vigil at St. Andrews, Longmeadow

Sunday, April 20, 2025 – 6:00AM Sunrise Service, 8:00AM, 10:00AM and 12:15PM en Espanol

DEDICATE EASTER FLOWERS AND MUSIC! - Christ Church Cathedral is once again taking orders for Easter Flowers and Music on Sunday, April 20, 2025. Please contact the Main office if you would like to dedicate flowers to a loved one by Friday, April 11, 2025. There will be dedication forms available in the Brooks Foyer Gallery until then.

LENT MADNESS 2025 -- Are you ready for Lent this year? In addition to omitting Alleluias and possibly changing your menu, check out Lent Madness – a fun and educational online devotional. Be inspired by the bios and witness of 32 saints, and cast your votes in a single-elimination “tournament” that ends with awarding the “Golden Halo” to the winner. Sometimes choosing whom to vote for is hard, but lots of people add comments and that helps. Check out www.lentmadness.org, sign up for emails, follow Lent Madness on social media, and track the bracket at the cathedral.



TELL US YOUR FAITH STORY!! – We will be sharing our Faith Stories during Coffee Hour! Please contact Verger Oswald Howard to sign up to schedule your testimony.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR AN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES SPECIALIST - Christ Church Cathedral needs a dedicated volunteer to assist us with our technological needs! Someone we can call a few times a month to help us update, install and maintain our computers, printers and cameras. If Interested, Please call the main office!

EASTER FASHION SHOW- We are bringing back our Spring Fashion Show at CCC, this time with an emphasis on Easter Fashions! Call the main office, or speak to The Wardens if you would like to participate!

SAVE THE DATE! Christ Church Cathedral is a sponsor of GreenN’Fit Springfield. Join us on Saturday, April 26th to make a difference! #GreenNFit Neighborhood Rebuild: Rebuilding 1 block of homes in 1 neighborhood with the help of over 100 supporters and 1,000 volunteers all in 1 day! The program focuses on making homes energy-efficient, safe and healthy. Volunteers must be age 14 and over. Please wear boots or sneakers that you don't mind getting dirty or wet. Please bring your own work gloves if you have some and if not then gloves will be provided for you. Questions: See Jahn Hart jahnhart@sbcglobal.net or Gary Hart gary_hart@sbcglobal.net



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DONATIONS NEEDED! - Christ Church Cathedral has some exciting events coming soon, which include a special Mother’s Day themed round of Bingo, a Spring Fashion Show, Easter Egg Hunts for the kiddos, a Murder/Mystery Party and many more! To make these events as dynamic as possible, we are asking for donations of Gift cards to stores or restaurants, Easter candy and eggs, maybe even some volunteer work? More information will be available about the events in the coming weeks!

WE ARE COLLECTING MEAL KITS FOR SQUARE ONE! - Christ Church Cathedral has begun to collect Meal Kits to send to Square One! Meal kits are items placed in a bag that will be given to parents. They should be non-perishables or items with an extended shelf life.

FLOWER DEDICATIONS - Donate flowers in memory of a loved one today! Send your dedication, along with your \$45 donation to the Main office, and we will call you to confirm placement! We still need dedications for 07/07/2025 and 11/23/2025

UPDATED CORI CHECKS 2024 - All of those who participate in the following need to have an updated CORI check to be able to engage in any ministries involving children: Sextons, secretaries, choir directors, Sunday school leaders, activity chaperones, nursery, J2A, confirmation mentors, acolyte trainers and adult acolytes, VBS, Christmas programs, ACTS, Drop In Center. Forms may be obtained from Delphine Williams or the office and must be returned with a copy of a valid ID in a sealed envelope. Safe Church also needs to be completed by the same group as above via ZOOM.

Certificates of Completion must be forwarded to the Office when received!

DONATIONS NEEDED AT THE DROP-IN CENTER!

We need individual snacks and bottles of water! Please clean out your closets and bring in WINTER COATS, sneakers and boots, etc.. We are also looking for NEW underwear, in all sizes for both men and women. For more information, contact the CCC Main office at 413-736-2742 or Jeanne Conrad at jeanne@conrad.us.com.



ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES

FOR BEGINNERS, LEVEL 1:

*Sundays at 2:00 in the afternoon until 3:30 (after mass in Spanish)

*Mondays at 5:30 in the afternoon until 7:30

FOR LEVEL 2 AND UP:

*Wednesdays at 5:30 in the afternoon until 7:00 (make an appointment)

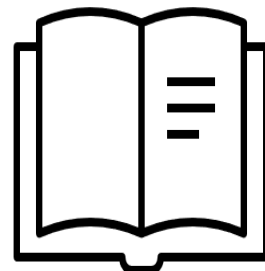
For more information, speak with Sara at 413-454-7172.


FEED YOUR SOUL

BIBLE STUDY Weekly on zoom, Sunday morning 9:00am, Wednesday morning 8:00am, Saturday evening 5:00 pm. Links and more information are available through the office.

CENTERING PRAYER weekly on zoom, Saturday morning at 10:30. Lectio Divino with a guided meditation every week. Links and more information are available through the office.

BOOK CLUB meets via Zoom every 6 weeks or so. Next Meeting: Monday, May 12, 2025, at 7:00 pm, via zoom. The book is "*Remarkably Bright Creatures*" by Shelby van Pelt - For links and more information contact Laura Manship at laura@shouldertoshoulder.com




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PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE
INSTALLATION OF

The Very Reverend

José Reyes

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SATURDAY MAY 11:00 AM

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PLEASE RSVP BY
APRIL 25, 2025
TO THE MAIN OFFICE AT 413-736-2742