MORNING PRAYER RITE II

PRELUDE

The congregation is asked to remain prayerfully silent during the prelude.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN	On This Day The First Of Days	Hymn #47
*OPENING SENTENCES		BCP 77
Confession of Sin		BCP 79/80
*THE INVITATORY AND PSALT	TER	BCP 80
*CHRIST OUR PASSOVER		BCP 83
The Lessons		
PSALM (READ AS DIRECTED)		PSALM 22:24-30
	THE SON, AND TO THE HOLY SPIRIT: AS IT WAS IT	N THE BEGINNING. IS NOW AND
WILL BE FOREVER. AMEN FIRST READING		ACTS 8:26-40
CANTICLE 13		BCP 90, Hymn #S-236
SECOND LESSON		1ST JOHN 4:7-21
CANTICLE 19		BCP 94
GOSPEL READING		JOHN 15:1-8
*HYMN	LIKE THE MURMUR OF THE DOVE'S SONG	HYMN #513
SERMON	pro	esented by Jean Lauten
*THE APOSTLES' CREED		BCP 96
*THE EXCHANGE OF PEACE		
ANNOUNCEMENTS		

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY HYMN #380, VS 3

Leader: All things come of Thee, O Lord People: *And of Thine own have we given Thee*

The Prayers Kneel as you are able.

The Lord's Prayer BCP 97
SUFFRAGE A BCP 97

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

SEE INSERT

THE COLLECTS BCP 98-100

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE-FORM 3

BCP 387

Please pray for: Henry, Sandy H, Jacki V, Carl Jr, Darlene, Sharon, Dawn, Kevin, Grace D, Daranee, Carol, Nicole, Lori B, Sarah Katherine, Kamero, Hannah, Richelle, Susan, Benny, Ron M, George, Peter, Matthew, Doris, Ruth (please pray for these people this week).

THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING
A Prayer of St Chrysostom
BCP 101
BCP 102

*RECESSIONAL HYMN GUIDE ME O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH HYMN #690

Open Door Shelter Meal is today!!

<u>Fr. Daniel is out of town from Saturday, April 27 – Monday, May 6</u>. Fr. Dan Wall is on call for pastoral emergencies while he is away and is celebrating Eucharist on Sunday, May 5. He can be reached at (336) 309-3735.

Upcoming Events:

May 2nd, Knitting Group, 4:00 PM during Daylight Savings time, Parish Hall

May 5th, Holy Eucharist with Father Dan Wall

May 6th, Northwood Com Center delivery of non-perishable food and toiletries May 7th, Men's Night Out, 6: 00 PM, Odey's Mediterranean Kitchen, H.P.

May 9th, Stayin' Alive, 1:00 PM, Parish Hall, Board Games

May 12th, Chefherds for Lambs The requested donation is \$35 per single or \$60 per family. However, no amount is too small or too great. Checks should be made to St. Christophers with Chefherds for Lambs in the memo line and placed in the offering plate or handed to Jean Lauten. Shopping will begin soon!

May 14th, Ladies Who Lunch, 11:45 AM, Applebee's on Eastchester at Penny Rd. H. P. May 15th, Red Cross Blood Drive, Parish Hall, 1:00-5:00 PM

Please us this link for the donor sign up:

https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-

results?zipSponsor=St%20Christophers

You can also reach this link on the home page of our website! st-christopher.org

Handicapped accessible restrooms are located in the Parish House.

(Use the ramped entrance through the Parish Hall.)

^{*}Signifies times to stand, if able.

^{*}DISMISSAL

PASTORAL NEEDS THE OFFICE IS OPEN ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND THURSDAY FROM 9:00-12:00 PM. FATHER DANIEL IS USUALLY IN THE OFFICE ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. IT IS HELPFUL FOR OUR FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS IF YOU CALL THE OFFICE (336-869-5311) AHEAD OF YOUR VISIT AND LET THEM KNOW YOU ARE COMING. IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES, FATHER'S CELL PHONE NUMBER IS 512-410-9413 AND HIS EMAIL IS Vicar@st-christopher.org

THOSE ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

ACOLYTE: RAY NORMAN

LECTORS: SUSAN PABON AND ALEX BURT

MUSICIANS: ORGANIST: MARK HILL KEYBOARD: JIM AUGSBURGER PIANO: JOAN RAUCH

ALTAR GUILD: CYNTHIA WATTS, ESTHER CAMM, JOAN RAUCH

COFFEE HOUR: GENE AND PAM CRIBBS



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Fifth Sunday of Easter April 28, 2024



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