

PARISH CALENDAR

The Second Sunday in Lent, March 17

- Holy Eucharist: Rite One, 8:00 a.m.
- Holy Eucharist: Rite Two
with Children's Homily, 9:00 a.m.
- Youth Education, 10:00 a.m., Parish Hall
- Adult Forum, 10:00 a.m., Keith Hall
- Holy Eucharist: Rite One, 11:15 a.m.
(followed by Coffee Hour in Keith Hall)
- Soup Kitchen Meal Prep, 4:30 p.m.,
Parish Hall Kitchen
- Holy Eucharist: Rite Two, 5:00 p.m., Chapel
- Choral Evensong, 5:00 p.m.
(followed by a reception in Keith Hall)
- Grate Patrol, 6:30 p.m.

Monday, March 18

- Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m., Chapel
- Noontday Prayer, 12:00 noon, Chapel
- Soup Kitchen Meal Prep, 4:30 p.m.,
Parish Hall Kitchen
- Evening Prayer, 5:30 p.m., Chapel
- Grate Patrol, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 19

- Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m., Chapel
- Art Class, 10:00 a.m., Parish Hall Auditorium
- Noontday Prayer, 12:00 noon, Chapel
- Evening Prayer, 5:30 p.m., Chapel
- Youth Choir Dinner and Rehearsal, 6:00 p.m.,
Keith Hall

Wednesday, March 20

- Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.
(followed by breakfast in Keith Hall)
- Art Class, 10:00 a.m., Parish Hall Auditorium
- Thrift Shop, 10:00 a.m. – 1:45 p.m.,
Parish Hall lower level

- Noontday Prayer, 12:00 noon, Chapel
- Evening Prayer, 5:30 p.m., Chapel

Thursday, March 21

- Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m., Chapel
- Noontday Prayer, 12:00 noon, Chapel
- Evening Prayer, 5:30 p.m., Chapel

Friday, March 22

- Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m., Chapel
- Noontday Prayer, 12:00 noon, Chapel
- Evening Prayer, 5:30 p.m., Chapel

Saturday, March 23

The Third Sunday in Lent, March 24

- Holy Eucharist: Rite One, 8:00 a.m.
- Holy Eucharist: Rite Two
with Children's Homily, 9:00 a.m.
- Youth Education, 10:00 a.m., Parish Hall
- Adult Forum, 10:00 a.m., Keith Hall
- Morning Prayer: Rite One, 11:15 a.m.
(followed by Coffee Hour in Keith Hall)
- Holy Eucharist: Rite Two, 5:00 p.m., Chapel
(followed by a reception in Keith Hall)

*Nursery care for children three years of age and younger
is available at the Parish Hall on
Sundays from 8:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.*

*For more information about or to sign-up for
any of the events or programs listed above,
please contact the Parish Office.*

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THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

March 17, 2019
The Holy Eucharist
5:00 p.m.

WELCOME to Christ Church, Georgetown. We are grateful for your presence this evening. If you would like to learn more about Christ Church or become more closely associated with this community, we encourage you to complete a pew card, which may be placed in the offering plate, given to an usher or member of the clergy, or mailed to the Parish Office. We hope you will return to Christ Church and worship with us again soon. For detailed information about the mission, ministry, work, and witness of the parish, including the complete schedule of Sunday and weekday services, visit our website: www.christchurchgeorgetown.org. Please remember to silence all mobile phones and other electronic devices. At the conclusion of the liturgy, all here present are invited to a reception in Keith Hall.

THE WORD OF GOD

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

The Book of Common Prayer, p. 355

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People His mercy endures for ever.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

p. 355

KYRIE ELEISON

p. 356

Celebrant Lord, have mercy.
People Christ, have mercy.
Celebrant Lord, have mercy.

THE SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy: Be gracious to all who have gone astray from your ways, and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of your Word, Jesus Christ your Son; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE LESSON: Philippians 3:17 – 4:1

BROTHERS and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. He will transform the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 27 *Dominus illuminatio*

All say the psalm responsively by whole verse.

- 1 The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear? *
the LORD is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?
- 2 When evildoers came upon me to eat up my flesh, *
it was they, my foes and my adversaries, who stumbled and fell.
- 3 Though an army should encamp against me, *
yet my heart shall not be afraid;
- 4 And though war should rise up against me, *
yet will I put my trust in him.
- 5 One thing have I asked of the LORD; one thing I seek; *
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life;
- 6 To behold the fair beauty of the LORD *
and to seek him in his temple.

Matis, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Church History at Virginia Theological Seminary, a specialist in early medieval history and biblical interpretation, and the history of Christianity. A simple supper of soup, salad, and bread will be served.

March 12: Early Christianity and Late Antiquity

A look at the women martyrs and saints who spread the new faith throughout the Roman Empire.

March 26: The Middle Ages

A look at some of the most well-known women religious leaders of the Middle Ages. How did they express their faith and religious experience? What roles did they play in their communities? What kind of opposition did they face?

April 2: The Reformation

A look at the many women of the late medieval period who participated in religious life while deliberately staying outside the walls of a monastery. What happened to the religious life of women during the Reformation? How did “Catholic” and “Protestant” identities come to be defined?

April 9: Women in the Anglican Tradition

A look at some of the most widely-known women of the Anglican tradition. What are the very particular roles women have played — from the early modern world to the present day?

Choral Evensong: The next service of Choral Evensong will take place on Sunday, March 31, at 5:00 p.m. The liturgy will feature works by William Byrd and Stephen Caracciolo, as well as plainsong. Choral Evensong will continue on first, third, and fifth Sundays of the month through May. A reception follows each service. Christ Church is one of a very few parishes in the U.S. to offer this beautiful, quintessentially Anglican liturgy with such frequency. Please plan to join us.

GMC Winter Shelter at Christ Church: Georgetown Ministry Center’s Winter Shelter, which rotates between twelve Georgetown congregations from November through April, will once again be housed at Christ Church Sunday, March 31 – Sunday, April 14. Teams of volunteers will gather each night to prepare and serve a hot, nutritious meal, and to help foster a sense of community among staff, volunteers, and shelter residents. Many hands are needed. No experience is necessary. All are welcome! We extend a special invitation to families, although the minimum age for youth participants is 10. For more information or to volunteer, contact parishioners Liza Ballantine: lizaballantine@gmail.com or Rick Shewell: rick_shewell@msn.com.

symbols of hope. Please bring your own supplies. Prayer Shawl patterns are available online. For more information, contact the Reverend Elizabeth Gardner.

Youth Choir: All children and youth of the parish are invited to the next of this season's opportunities for young people to participate in the music ministry of Christ Church. On Tuesday, March 19, at 6:00 p.m., families will gather in Keith Hall for a casual dinner of pizza and salad. Contributions of nut-free desserts are welcome. At 6:30 p.m., children and youth will move to the Choir Room to rehearse a choral anthem for the 9:00 a.m. Eucharist on Sunday, March 24. Parents will remain in Keith Hall for fellowship. Questions? Contact Organist and Choirmaster Tom Smith. NOTE: In order to participate, children must read at a first grade level.

Lenten Homily Series for Children: This year, the parish clergy are offering a homily series entitled *Packing our suitcases: What we put away during Lent and why*. As part of our collective Lenten discipline, children will join the clergy in "packing away" one element of daily or liturgical life on Sundays, March 10, 17, 24, and 31, and April 7, at 9:00 a.m. NOTE: This Lent, the Children's Homily will take place in the Chapel of Saint Jude. Parents and other adults will remain in the Nave for a traditional homily.

Adult Forum: The 2018-2019 Adult Forum series, entitled *Scripture and Christian Ethics: How the Bible informs our decisions*, will continue on Sunday, March 24, at 10:00 a.m., in Keith Hall, with a presentation by the Reverend Dr. James Farwell: *How does the Church make ethical decisions? Case study: An investment screen for Palestine*.

Easter Flower Memorials: If you would like to make a contribution to help offset the cost of the flowers that will adorn the Church this Eastertide, contact Tonika Hilliard in the Parish Office. Contributions may be made in memory of loved ones. In order for your memorial to be included in service leaflets on Easter Eve and Day, it must reach the Parish Office by Friday, April 14, at 5:00 p.m.

A Gathering for Chalice Bearers: All who currently serve as Chalice Bearers and those who are interested in learning more about this important liturgical ministry are invited to an evening of fellowship and discussion on Monday, March 25, at 6:00 p.m. A simple celebration of the Holy Eucharist will be followed by a training session and reception. For more information, contact the Rector.

Tuesday Evening Lenten Program:

A History of Christianity: The Role Women Played

Join us on Tuesdays, March 12 and 26, April 2 and 9, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m., in Keith Hall, for four evenings of adult fellowship and learning, led by Hannah W.

- 7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; *
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling
and set me high upon a rock.
 - 8 Even now he lifts up my head *
above my enemies round about me.
 - 9 Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation
with sounds of great gladness; *
I will sing and make music to the LORD.
 - 10 Hearken to my voice, O LORD, when I call; *
have mercy on me and answer me.
 - 11 You speak in my heart and say, "Seek my face." *
Your face, LORD, will I seek.
 - 12 Hide not your face from me, *
nor turn away your servant in displeasure.
 - 13 You have been my helper; cast me not away; *
do not forsake me, O God of my salvation.
 - 14 Though my father and my mother forsake me, *
the LORD will sustain me.
 - 15 Show me your way, O LORD; *
lead me on a level path, because of my enemies.
 - 16 Deliver me not into the hand of my adversaries, *
for false witnesses have risen up against me,
and also those who speak malice.
 - 17 What if I had not believed that I should see the goodness of the LORD *
in the land of the living!
 - 18 O tarry and await the LORD's pleasure;
be strong, and he shall comfort your heart; *
wait patiently for the LORD.
- Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 13:31-35

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Saint Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

SOME Pharisees came and said to Jesus, "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." He said to them, "Go and tell that fox for me, 'Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to

