



The Word

A MEMBER OF THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

January
2016

*The CCW of Christ's Church cordially invites
you, your family, and your friends to a*

Christmas Dinner

*in the Crystal Room at Lakeview
6153 Route 30, Greensburg, PA*

Saturday, January 7, 2017

5:00 p.m. - Arrive for Fellowship

5:30 p.m. - Dinner Served



...A free-will offering will be taken...

**You will enjoy a delicious dinner
and be thoroughly entertained!
Don't forget to call or e-mail Marsha
at the church office.**

***Last day for reservations OR cancellations is
Tuesday, January 3, 2017.***

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*The mission of
Christ's Church
is to worship
God and to
make known
the love and
salvation of
Christ.*

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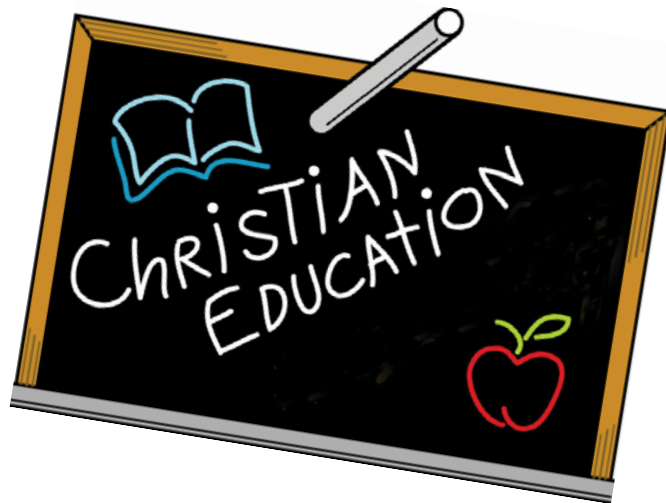
The Rev. Jeff Wylie - Rector
The Rev. Gretchen Peske - Deacon
The Rev. Ruth Manson - Deacon Emeritus
Marsha Tallant - Parish Administrator
Dennis Hyland - Christian Education Dir.
Larry Olbeter - Custodian
Sara Frye - Organist/Choir Director

VESTRY

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& Communication
Gene DiPrimio – Junior Warden/Property
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Barbara Baldwin – Fellowship
Alan Fleissner - Assistant Treasurer
& Christian Education
Amy MacMannis - Mission/Outreach
Marsha Tallant – Worship

NEWSLETTER

Sandy Carlson - Editor



Who & When

Adult/Youth: 9:15-10:00am
Nursery: Birth- 3yrs: 10:15am
Pre-K/Kindergarten: 10:15am
Grades 1&2, 3-5: 10:15am
Confirmation: 9:15-10:00am

**Sunday
Schedule**

8:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist
(without music)

9:15 a.m.

Jr. & Sr. High Sunday School

9:00 a.m.

Adult Education

10:15 a.m.

Sunday School for
3 yrs to 5th grade

10:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist
(with music)

11:15 a.m.

Children Join Parents

Lunch, Soup & Bake Sale



"THANK YOU" to ALL the wonderful people (cooks, bakers, and helpers!!) who supported this event on December 2. You really should stand up and take a bow for all you did to make this date on the calendar so outstanding. Read on!

We served 157 guests, and our net income was \$1,696.84. Homemade soups were the most popular (\$364.50); some people came exclusively for them. Also, we sold \$146.75 in baked goods. Donations were also at an all-time high (\$127.00).

This was the biggest fundraiser EVER and will go to the Building Fund of Christ's Church when the checks are written in June. However, our salad bars are so much more than the money. At this salad bar, five people sought Fr. Jeff for prayers and concerns, another important ministry that is happening.



CCW NEWS

Mission Statement
"To glorify God in relationships and activities, and to encourage a servant's heart toward God, the church family, and our community."

Christmas Dinner

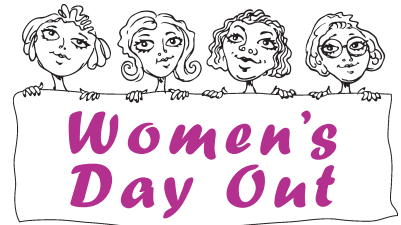


Our Christmas Dinner on **Saturday, January 7, 2017**, at Lakeview will be spectacular! You will enjoy a delicious dinner and be thoroughly entertained. Don't forget to write your name on the sign-up sheet in the undercroft OR you can call or e-mail Marsha at the church office.

NOTE: Please keep us informed of any cancellations to avoid paying for "no-shows."



The next salad bar will be **Friday, February 3, 2017**, and it will have a Steelers' theme, win or lose the Super Bowl! It will be fun!



Tuesday January 10 – April 11

"Walking with God in the Desert" by Ray Vander Laan. Are you going through a difficult time of life? The loss of a loved one? Unemployment? A crisis of faith?

During these desert times, it's easy to think God has disappeared. Instead, discover that it's only when we are totally dependent on him that we find we're closer than ever and can experience God's amazing grace and provision.

Join us for 7 lessons, some of which are: "When your heart cries out", "They were not wandering", and "Ears to hear." The lessons delve into the scriptures and into the background information that bring the scriptures alive. (We are going to take 2 weeks for each lesson and then see if that works or not. I will let you know if we change to 1 lesson a week.)

Wednesday January 11 -
February 1

"If" by Mark Batterson. The single two letter word is the hinge on the door of possibilities. Are you stuck in an "if only", trudging through a life marked with regret? Are you living as if God's promises are real? Do you have a "what if" attitude that looks forward to the future with confidence? Is your life marked by a "no if, ands, or buts" courage?

With joy and enthusiasm Mark Batterson unpacks Romans 8, helping you overcome feelings of guilt, fear, and doubt, so you can transform your "if only" regrets into "what if" possibilities.

Favorite Recipes
from the
SALAD BAR

Turkey Chili

- 1 lb. ground turkey
- ½ cup onion, chopped
- 1 T. olive oil

- 1 pkg. taco seasoning

- 1 large can red kidney beans
- 1 can white beans
- 1 jar salsa
- 1 can (15 oz.) tomato sauce
- 1 can (15 oz.) crushed tomatoes

Brown turkey and onions in olive oil.

Dissolve ½ package taco seasoning in ¼ cup water; add to meat mixture, and simmer.

Add beans, salsa, tomato sauce, crushed tomatoes, and remainder of taco seasoning.

Simmer for 30 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Jackie Alcorn

Transitions



DIED

Henrietta Rutledge
December 14, 2016

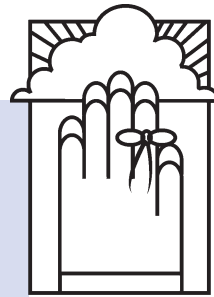


Altar Guild thanks everyone who assisted at the Christmas work-day and at the services throughout Christmas.

Your help was much appreciated!



**NO MINUTES FROM
DECEMBER 2016**



**PLEASE REMEMBER
THESE FRIENDS IN
PRAYER**

- Cole Aitken
- Becky Ament
- Judi Atchison
- Chase Balay
- Olivia Bayko
- John Beavers
- Marcia Boyle
- Angie Brasco
- Bill Burch
- Tom Clark
- Charles Dickson
- Nancy DiPrimio
- the Douds Family
- Dr Scott Drab
- James Erny
- Vi Exline
- Walt Exline
- Jean Exton
- Bettyann Finney
- Ellen Fleissner
- Allison Grace Frick
- Sara Frye
- Rachael Galbreath
- Don Graham
- Vicky Herrmann
- Marilynn Holtscheider
- Jay Humm
- Nancy Jamison
- Barb Johnson
- John Kay
- Sara Kay
- June Laudenslager
- Stephanie, MariBeth & Aaron Long
- Amy MacMannis
- Ruth Manson

- Debbie McDermott
- The Montgomery Family
- George & Gwen Moreland
- Richard McKelvey
- Rick Nedley
- Wendy Poole
- Janet Schmitt
- Paul Schultz
- Kaitlyn Silinski
- Jim Smith
- Tim Smith
- Ryan Spacht
- Rich Stauffer
- Roger Stern
- Jeff Stull
- Mollie Jo & Abby Jo Stull
- Gene Tarabek
- Steve Temoshenka
- Al Tuscano
- Will Tuscano
- Alyssa Wagner
- Chip Welling
- Ann Yutz
- Denny
- Jim
- Rose Marie
- Peggy
- Rich
- Tim
- William B
- Unspoken Requests

OTHERS:

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*Please get your articles for the
February Newsletter to the Editor
by Monday, January 23rd.*

January 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist w/ Baptism	2 12:00 noon – Partners for Prayer	3 6:00 p.m. – Youth Group	4 6:00 p.m. – Youth Group	5 7:30 p.m. – Choir Practice	6 st	7
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