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 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II & Sermon
 

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Prelude

Processional Hymn: *691 My faith looks up to thee***THE WORD OF THE LORD**

Opening Acclamation BCP p. 355

Collect for Purity BCP p. 355

Gloria in Excelsis S 280

The Collect of the Day (Bulletin insert)

First Reading: Genesis 15:1-6

Psalm 33:12-15, 18-22

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-16

Sequence Hymn: *436 Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates*

The Holy Gospel: Luke 12:32-40

Sermon: The Rev. Dr. Paul J. Kane

The Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

The Prayers of the People III BCP p. 387

Confession and Absolution BCP p. 360

The Peace BCP p. 360

Announcements

**THE HOLY COMMUNION**

Offertory

Presentation of Gifts and Tithes: *380 vs. 3*

The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer A BCP p. 361

Sanctus S 129

Memorial Acclamation S 132

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP p. 364

Fraction Anthem *S 152*Communion Hymns: *311, 339, 315*

Post Communion Prayer BCP p. 365

The Blessing

Closing Hymn *558 Faith of our fathers! living still*Dismissal: *Thanks be to God*

Postlude

**SERVING TODAY****Lector:** Charlie Merritt **Chalicer/Epistoler:** Don Williams**Chalicer:** Becky Kersey**Acolyte:** Grace T. Sudduth Macon Clement**Usher:** John Beckett**Altar Guild:** Mrs. Louisa Sowers Mrs. Annette Osborne  
Mrs. Becky Beckett**Mrs. John Worley and Mrs. Carolyn Malmquist** give the **Altar Flowers** in memory of their mother, **Louise Wetzel**.**In sure and certain hope of the resurrection**, we commend to Almighty God, our sister, **Norma Wimmer Belcher**, sister of **William Wimmer**. We pray that God will grant his peace to all who mourn.**We welcome all visitors** to Christ Church in the Name of the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ! You are invited to join us for Coffee Hour hosted by **Mary Catherine Williams**. Please worship with us again!**CYCLE OF PRAYER 2007: Diocesan** - We pray for all Aspirants, Postulants and Candidates in the Diocese of WV.**Companion Diocese** – We pray for church and congregation of Rathbarron Parish– Ireland.**COMMUNION:** All baptized Christians are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. After the choir has received communion, the congregation will come forward to the altar rail. Those at the altar rail *should wait* until everyone has received bread and wine before returning to their pew.**PRAYER LIST: Members:** Ralph McCue, Alan Goodykoontz, Dorene Dimes, Kitty Graham, John Kersey, and Rick Wilkinson.  
**Family and Friends of Members:** Sgt. Andrew Nelson, U.S.M.C., Iraq, Tech Sgt. Steven Taylor, Iraq, Corporal Adam Williams, USMC, Iraq, Jim Williams, David Harris, Lisa Leah Dimet, Adina Tal, Leverret Trump, Cheri Stevens, and Nancy Baker.

# CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

## CHURCH CALENDAR

**TUESDAY:** Interfaith meeting at 7 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY:** Dottie's Lunch Bunch, 11:30 a.m., at David's at the Club

**FRIDAY:** Office Closed

**ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY:** 29

## FUTURE EVENTS

**Bluefield Garden Tour** on Sunday – August 19<sup>th</sup> from 1-5 p.m.

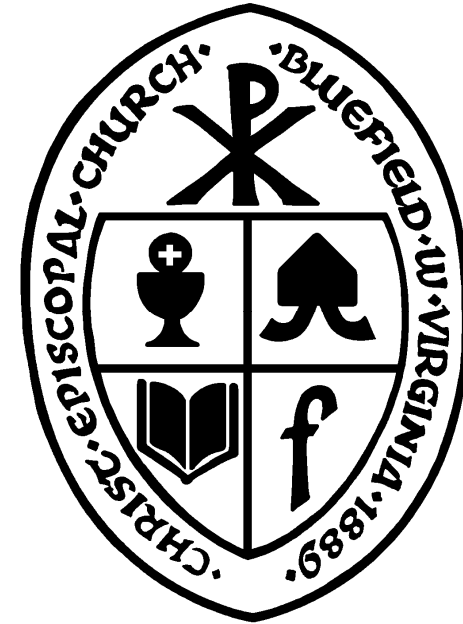
**September 1 - Giant Yard Sale at Christ Episcopal Church!** Start saving your treasures for this event sponsored by the ECW. Your donated items may be dropped off at the church and placed in Rowley Hall.

**Upcoming Concert: Sunday, September 9, 3:00 p.m.** with Lynne Mackey – Piano and Melissa Sumner – Soprano.

**GENOA PARK DEDICATION:** The dedication has been rescheduled for **Sunday, September 16, at 3:00 p.m.** Bishop Klusmeyer plans to represent the Diocese at the dedication. Parking is available on Genoa St., near Richardson Funeral Home. Everyone is welcome to attend the event that Christ Church helped sponsor for the City.

**\*\*SPECIAL NOTE:** The Library Floor is under repair and will be replaced. Coffee Hour and other meetings will be moved to other areas. Coffee Hour location this Sunday will be in hallway outside of Library.

*A warm welcome and a special  
thank you to our guest celebrant,  
The Rev. Dr. Paul J. Kane*



## MISSION STATEMENT

To know the Risen Lord and make Him known to others by ministering through worship, prayer, study, fellowship, and service. We obey the Gospel call by being the "Light on the Hill" to all people.

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