

Announcements for October 11, 2015

Welcome to your church! Communion uses a common cup for wine and wheat wafers. You can take the wafer only if you prefer, or “intinct” the wafer into the wine. Non-gluten wafers? Check with clergy at the rail. Thanks to service participants! (the schedule is on the back table)

Budget Committee meets on October 18th at 11:30 a.m. in the Library

Church School – We are currently looking for engaged and committed folks to help out for the next curriculum cycle starting mid-October. **Nicole Nichols churchschoolpomfret@gmail.com**

Grounds Clean up and Clean out at Christ Church: Saturday, October 17th, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. This will be the last fall spruce up for the season and coincides with Pomfret Bulky Waste weekend!

Guatemala: Thanks to all who have registered for the trip. Looks very exciting. The trip will leave Logan on Jan. 10th, 2016 and return on the 17th. PID will be arranging flights shortly. Thanks.

Nutsale... Time to get those orders in. Forms on back table. All the money goes to outreach. The Deadline for the forms with full payment is October 18th!

Pastoral Notes: Jean Sheldon, terminal cancer; Elaine (cancer)

Safe Church- Another nearby site for training: St. Mark’s, Mystic on Oct. 31th. Required for Employees, Eucharistic Visitors and Teen Leaders; Recommended for Vestry and Church School.

Special Mission - the Rev. Oscar Brockmeyer’s programs on Spirituality have begun. More in the Reminder.

Teen Program: Rite-13 (grades 6-7), J2A (8-9) and YAC (10 grade+). Thanks for everyone’s support at the Teen Program Celebration; **Leaders:** Rite-13: Kim Bergandahl, Greg Nichols with Christine Carter; new J2A: Amy Nunes, Adam Squire, Ginger Lusa, Brian Smith, Cyndi Sturni with Steve Adams; YAC: Jen Ritzau, Peter Mann with Donna Bessette; deeedespa@charter.net; 860-963-1245.

Vine and Branches Mural: Send us your family selfies via email for posting on our mural? The Rite-13 Class is working on this as well as Jim Goodwin!

Visions & Ventures/Stewardship for 2016: the Committee meets between the services this morning in the Rector’s office at about 9:15 to start planning for our November in-gathering of pledges and commitment for 2016.

Women’s Spiritual Growth Workshop continues. Our next evening is penciled in for 7-8:30 pm on Tuesday, October 20th in the Christ Church library for spiritual and faith exploration, story-sharing, and celebrating our Sisterhood! No experience necessary, just bring yourself. We’re doing a poll to see if this night is better than the 4th Tuesday. (Plenty of laughter and snacks included!) Questions? Contact Jane Hale at jclhale@charter.net.

Worship Upcoming: No 9:15 today and a low-key celebration of St. Francis; Prayer Book service on Oct. 18th; Contemporary Service & Church First on October 25th. Jane Hale visits the Church School on Nov. 1st.

House-keeping:

Courier Deadline for November: October 19th; *We will mail out first class to those who request it.* Our **Thursday Reminder** is a key email update (which includes the Courier). **Do we have your email or snail-mail address?** Update or renew, see the form on the music stand **or email** (address below).

Directories... there are *usually* directories of the parish in the basket to the left just inside the office!

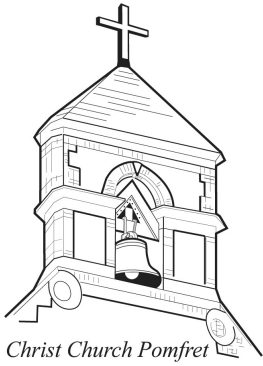
CSO – Community Kitchen on October 26th. Cooking a meal at CCPomfret and taking it to the Hill Church (1st Cong.) in Woodstock. See Pauline Phillips, Supervisor. **We collect durable foods here weekly for ACCESS.**

Flowers: the memorial/thanksgiving form is on the stand in back. Master Flower Sign-up outside the office.

Pastoral Call Emergencies should be directed to office (860-315-7780) or Fr. Dave’s cell phone: 860-608-7632. Or if you need to call in prayer concerns to the **Prayer Chain** call the office: 860-315-7780.

Prayer Shawls – Blessed shawls on the back table of the church (please write in who is receiving the gift in the shawl journal). More in the hallway closet by the offices: Rebecca Patenaude: patenaude.rebecca@gmail.com.

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Teen Coordinator: Dee Dee Markes (deeedespa@charter.net) Sexton: Jerry O’Brien



Christ Church



Annual Nut Sale

Short of going to the orchard to pick them ourselves, these are the freshest nuts available in NE CT, roasted just in time for delivery to Christ Church. **All profits support local aid agencies.**

Please return all orders with payment by **Sunday October 18th 2015** to Caroline Sloat or Catherine Bastow. (Order forms may be left at the Christ Church Office). Checks should be made payable to "**Christ Church**". Thank you.

**** Delivery will be before Thanksgiving. ****

Variety	Price	Quantity	Total
Large Chocolate Chips	Gift pkgd @ \$3.75/lb		
Salted Fancy Mixed Nuts	Gift pkgd @ \$8.00/lb		
Salted Fancy Cashews	Gift pkgd @ \$8.00/lb		
Holiday Yogurt Pretzels	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Chocolate Raisins	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Chocolate Peanuts	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Chocolate Cranberries	Gift pkgd @ \$6.50/lb		
Lovers Mix *	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Bourbon Street Mix **	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Nature's Healthy Mix ***	Gift pkgd @ \$6.00/lb		
California Aloha Mix ****	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Oriental Party Mix *****	Gift pkgd @ \$5.00/lb		
Banana Chips	Gift pkgd @ \$3.50/lb		
Supreme Shelled Almonds	Gift pkgd @ \$9.00/lb		
Fancy Mammoth Pecan Halves	Gift pkgd @ \$9.50/lb		
Small Walnut Pieces	Gift pkgd @ \$8.00/lb		
Jumbo Salted Peanuts	Gift pkgd @ \$3.50/lb		
	TOTAL:		

* **Lovers Mix:** Raisins, Chocolate Peanuts, Chocolate Raisins, Chocolate Nonpareils, Roasted Peanuts, Roasted Cashews, Sugar Toasted Peanuts, Mijou Peanuts, Roasted Almonds, Chocolate Buttons

** **Bourbon Street Mix:** Sugar Toasted Peanuts, Cajun Peanuts, Toffee Peanuts, Cajun Corn Sticks, Sesame Sticks, Jalapeno and other Hot Spices

*** **Nature's Healthy Mix:** Raisins, Cranberries, Almonds, Cashews, Walnuts, Filberts

**** **California Aloha Mix:** Raisins, Pineapple, Papaya, Banana Chips, Apricots, Cashews, Walnuts, Dates, Coconut

***** **Oriental Party Mix:** Sesame Sticks, Chile Bites, Oriental Rice Crackers, Walnuts, Almonds, Roasted Cashews, Filberts, Roasted Green Peas

Name: _____

Telephone No.: _____

Cash/Check No.: _____