

Announcements for September 27, 2015

Welcome to your church! Contemporary Worship and Baptisms of Adam & Alexandra Lee at 10:15 today; Traditional hymns at 8 a.m.; **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); **Church School Committee meets in the Library this morning at 11:30**

Church School – We are currently looking for engaged and committed folks to help out for the next curriculum cycle starting mid-October. We are collecting household essentials for **IRIS** which works with political refugees given asylum by the US government. The Director, Chris George, will be with us next **Sunday, October 4th**. Items can be placed in the box in front of the Church School Bulletin Board. **Nicole Nichols**
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CSO Dinner: Thanks for all your support last night at the Dinner.

Guatemala: Our 8 day trip leaves on Jan. 10th of 2016. Deposits were due at the PID website this week. We have several commitments. PID will be arranging flights shortly. Thanks.

Nutsale... We’ve begun. Time to get those orders in. Forms on back table. All the money goes to outreach.

Pastoral Notes: Jean Sheldon, terminal cancer; Paul Humphreys, bike accident.

Safe Church- training at CCPomfret next **Saturday, October 3rd**, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. 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 Spiritual programs starting in October. 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; deedeespa@charter.net; 860-963-1245. If you have a care for teens we need one more leader in Rite-13.

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!

Adventure in faith formation for women: 7-8:30 pm this Tuesday, September 29th in the Christ Church library for our first monthly gathering of the **Women’s Spiritual Growth Group:** a time of spiritual and faith exploration, story-sharing, and celebrating our Sisterhood! No experience necessary, just bring yourselves. (Plenty of laughter and snacks included!) Interested? Questions? Contact Jane Hale at jclhale@charter.net.

Worship Upcoming: Lee Baptisms and Contemporary Service at 10:15 today; Thursday Healing Eucharist: Wed., Sept. 30th, this week! Extended Coffee Hour next week to get a little while for adults to meet with Chris George of IRIS.

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 September 28th. 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.

IRIS Donations Request for Refugees



R&P HOME SUPPLY LIST

When completing this form list the specific quantities provided, as checkmarks or "enough" are *not* acceptable responses.

PA Name:		Case #:	List Completed by:	
Case Size:	DOA:	# of Occupants:	Date Completed:	
Address:			Temporary (T) or Permanent (P) Housing:	
Furniture		Quantity	Kitchen Items	Quantity
Mattress and box spring (only married couples or small children of same gender may be expected to share beds)			One place setting of tableware (fork, knife, spoon) per person	
Bed frame			One place setting of dishes (plate, bowl and cup) per person	
One set of drawers, shelves or other unit (per 2 appropriate for storage of clothing per family people)			Pots and pans: at least one sauce pan, frying pan, and baking dish (2 pots, 1 large + 1 med per 2 people)	
One couch or equivalent seating per family (in addition to kitchen chairs)			Mixing/serving bowls (3 per 4 people)	
One lamp per room, unless installed lighting is present and adequate, and light bulbs as needed			One set of kitchen utensils (such as a spatula, wooden spoon, knife, serving utensils, etc.)	
Kitchen table (per case) and chair (per person)			Can opener	
Linens and Other Household Supplies			Toiletries (new)	
One bath towel per person			Toilet paper (list number of rolls) (4 pk per 4 people)	
One set of sheets for each bed			Shampoo 1 large bottle per 2 adults	
Blanket(s) for each bed as seasonally appropriate			Soap 1 per person, 2 if single	
One pillow and pillowcase for each person			One toothbrush per person	
Alarm clock			Toothpaste	
Paper, pens and/or pencils (one set per case recommended)			Personal hygiene items as appropriate (such as deodorant, feminine hygiene products, and razors)	
Cleaning Supplies				
Dish soap			Two waste baskets	
Bathroom/kitchen cleanser			Trash bags (list number of boxes)	
Laundry detergent			Mop 3 broom	
Sponges or cleaning rags and/or paper towels				
Other Items and Food			Description	
Appropriate seasonal clothing for work, school and everyday use: Clean clothing, in good condition, for all members of the family (including proper footwear)				
Baby items as needed: such as baby food, clothing, diapers, infant and children car seats, and cribs				
Food available on arrival: Culturally appropriate, ready-to-eat food, plus one day's worth of additional food supplies and staples (including baby food as needed)				
Food within one day of arrival: Food or food allowance at least equivalent to the food stamp allocation for that family unit and continued food assistance until receipt of food stamps or until individual/ family is able to provide food for himself, herself or themselves				
PA Name:		Signature:		Date:
Case Manager Name:		Signature:		Date:
Interpreter Name:		Signature:		Date: