

# Announcements

## THE BIBLE CHALLENGE

This morning, at 9:45-10:45 a.m., and Wednesday, October 24, 11 a.m.-12 p.m., we will have gatherings in the Wheeler Room to give us an opportunity to reflect and discuss the readings. These gatherings are not required but are offered simply to enhance and support our experience together.

### Readings for week 4, beginning October 22

Day 22 – Exodus 4-6; Psalm 18:21-50; Matthew 19  
Day 23 – Exodus 7-9; Psalm 19; Matthew 20  
Day 24 – Exodus 10-12; Psalm 20; Matthew 21  
Day 25 – Exodus 13-15; Psalm 21; Matthew 22  
Day 26 – Exodus 16-18; Psalm 22; Matthew 23  
Day 27 – Exodus 19-21; Psalm 23; Matthew 24  
Day 28 – Enjoy hearing the Scriptures read aloud in church

**The Next Opportunity for Baptism is November 4, 2012, the Sunday after All Saints' Day:** Baptism will be celebrated at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Liturgies on November 4. If you or your child would like to be baptized, please contact the Reverend Canon Gene Manning, 615.255.7729 or [gmanning@christcathedral.org](mailto:gmanning@christcathedral.org), by **Monday, October 29**. Baptism rehearsal will be Saturday, November 3, at 9 a.m.

**Memorial Gifts for Flowers for the Sunday after All Saints' Day:** If you would like to give a gift of flowers to celebrate the feast of All Saints', in memory of or in thanksgiving for family or friends, please send a check to the Cathedral in an envelope marked All Saints' Flowers, c/o Peggy Tucker. If you have questions, contact Peggy at [ptucker@christcathedral.org](mailto:ptucker@christcathedral.org) or 615.255.7729. **The deadline for inclusion in the All Saints' Order of Worship is noon on Monday, October 22.**

**Memorial Gifts for Music for the Sunday after All Saints' Day:** If you would like to give a gift of music to celebrate the feast of All Saints', in memory of or in thanksgiving for family or friends, please send a check to the Cathedral in an envelope marked All Saints' Music, c/o Michael Velting. If you have questions, contact Michael at [mvelting@christcathedral.org](mailto:mvelting@christcathedral.org) or Jon Johnson at [jjohnson@christcathedral.org](mailto:jjohnson@christcathedral.org) or 615.255.7729. **The deadline for inclusion in the All Saints' Order of Worship is noon on Monday, October 22.**

**Turkey Pilgrimage, March 1-10, 2013:** This coming spring, join fellow parishioners of Christ Church Cathedral on pilgrimage to early Christian sites in Turkey. Home to many of the first Christian communities to whom New Testament epistles were written, Turkey affords a glimpse into the places, centuries, and people that generated some of the most significant and formative developments of the Christian faith. **Application deadline is Wednesday, October 31 (application forms plus \$500 deposit, applicable towards the program fee). The overall program fee is \$4,050, which includes, airfare, housing, meals, etc.** The pilgrimage will be led by the Reverend Joshua M. Caler and Dr. Daniel Shafer, Professor of History at Belmont University and a member of the Cathedral Vestry. Please contact the Reverend Joshua M. Caler at [jcaler@christcathedral.org](mailto:jcaler@christcathedral.org) or Dr. Dan Schafer at [daniel.schafer@belmont.edu](mailto:daniel.schafer@belmont.edu) for more information.

## EVERY MEMBER CANVASS 2013 "BY WORD AND EXAMPLE"



The 2013 canvass has begun! The Stewardship Committee hopes you received your Canvass letter and pledge card in the mail. Please prayerfully consider your pledge to the Cathedral for 2013 and submit your pledge card to the Cathedral office. You may also make your pledge online at [christcathedral.org/give](http://christcathedral.org/give). As of Thursday October 18, 32 households have submitted a 2013 pledge for a total of \$134,370. In 2012, 557 households pledged a total of \$1,786,706.60. We will keep the parish updated as the Canvass continues through December.

## YOUTH CONFIRMATION RETREAT

**October 26-28, 2012**

DuBose Conference Center

Contact Chris Klopp, Youth Pastor, to learn more.  
[cklopp@christcathedral.org](mailto:cklopp@christcathedral.org)

## ORGAN CONCERT SOLEMN CHORAL EVENSONG with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament



**Sunday, November 4, 2012  
3:30 p.m.**

**THOMAS RUSSELL, ORGANIST**

Covenant Presbyterian Church, Nashville Tennessee

and

**THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR**

Directed by Canon Dr. Michael Velting  
Jon Johnson, Associate Organist and Choirmaster, organ

*Admission is free and open to the public.*

## CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL SACRED SPACE FOR THE CITY ARTS SERIES



*presents*

**NATHAN J. LAUBE**

*Concert Organist*

**Friday, November 9, 2012  
7:30 p.m.**

Tickets: \$15 Adult, \$5 Student

For more information, go to our website  
[christcathedral.org/sacredspace/upcomingevents](http://christcathedral.org/sacredspace/upcomingevents).

## EUCCHARISTIC VISITOR MINISTRY

*We who are many are One Body, because  
we share one bread, one cup.*

From time to time fellow parishioners are unable to attend the Sunday celebration of the Holy Eucharist due to illness, hospitalization or infirmity. Eucharistic Visitors are licensed and authorized by the Bishop to take the Consecrated Elements to such persons. In October we will begin sending Eucharistic Visitors from the Sunday liturgies to those who wish to receive the sacrament. Please contact The Reverend Canon Gene Manning, 615.255.7729 or gmanning@christcathedral.org, if you, your family member or a fellow parishioner desires such a visit. A visit by a Eucharistic Minister does not take the place of a pastoral call by one of the clergy.

## FOYER GROUPS

### New Groups Are Now Forming

Foyer Groups are made up of 8 to 10 members of the Cathedral who would like to get to know their fellow parishioners better. Groups meet informally once a month. The format and location of the gatherings are determined by the group. Information is available [christcathedral.org/inourchurch/foyergroups](http://christcathedral.org/inourchurch/foyergroups) or contact Rees Mitchell, [rees.mitchell@comcast.net](mailto:rees.mitchell@comcast.net).

## Room In The Inn

### Volunteers and Clothing Needed

Room In The Inn at the Cathedral is seeking six men willing to serve as innkeepers from November 1 through March 31. New volunteers will be paired with experienced innkeepers and will stay overnight with guests about once a month. Duties include helping with the set-up of dinner, distributing clothes, doing laundry, providing transportation back to the Campus for Human Development, and general fellowship. If you are interested in ministering to homeless men this winter, please contact David Morton at [dmorton60@gmail.com](mailto:dmorton60@gmail.com). Warm clothing is also needed for distribution to Room In The Inn guests. If you would like to donate gently worn jeans, long-sleeved shirts, hooded sweatshirts, warm coats, or shoes and boots, preferably in large and extra-large sizes, as well as new socks and underwear, please contact David Morton at [dmorton60@gmail.com](mailto:dmorton60@gmail.com) or Marie Masterson at [mariemasterson@att.net](mailto:mariemasterson@att.net).

## VISITORS MINISTRY

While we have many visitors each Sunday, we have very little structure in place to greet, orient, and draw in the guests who come through our (sometimes imposing) doors. Central to our charge to be "friends who welcome the stranger," Christ Church is reinvigorating and improving our effort to welcome visitors to the Cathedral. Beginning today, you will start noticing fellow parishioners before and after the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. liturgies stationed outside the Church and the Nave to help in this effort. Take a moment to speak with them, thank them for their service, and introduce yourself to them. Likewise, if this is a ministry in which you feel called to participate, please contact the Reverend Joshua Caler, [jcaler@christcathedral.org](mailto:jcaler@christcathedral.org), for details.

## SAVE THE DATE!

Tenth Annual Christ Church Cathedral Women's Retreat  
January 25-27, 2013. Details to follow.

## ST. LUKE'S ADOPT-A-FAMILY/SENIOR AND TOY STORE

### Adopt Your Family/Senior Beginning October 10:

Anyone interested in adopting a family or senior should contact the St. Luke's Volunteer Manager.

### Adopt-A-Family/Senior and Toy Store Registration:

Volunteers are needed to register families for Adopt-A-Family and Toy Store. Registration for families will take place Monday, now through Friday, October 28. Shifts will be 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2-4:30 p.m. Volunteers should commit to a minimum of two hours a day, once a week, during the month of October.

To volunteer or adopt a family or senior, please contact the Volunteer Manager, Christie Bearden, at 615.324.8375 or [Christie.Bearden@stlukescommunityhouse.org](mailto:Christie.Bearden@stlukescommunityhouse.org).

*For more information, please contact Marian Ott at  
[marian.ott@comcast.net](mailto:marian.ott@comcast.net).*

## Sacred Space for the City FALL SYMPOSIUM

### The Role of the Laity: From New Testament Times to the Episcopal Church Today

Featuring

### THE REVEREND DR. BENJAMIN J. KING



What is the role of the laity in our churches? In the Catholic Church of the Victorian era, one English Monsignor notoriously answered: "To hunt, to shoot, to entertain. These matters they understand, but to meddle with ecclesiastical matters they have no right at all." In a study prepared for the recent General Convention, a different answer was given: "The Episcopal Church has historically embraced and legitimized laity, bishops and clergy equally to take their place in the governance of the church." Dr. Benjamin J. King's lectures will examine the various roles of the laity since New Testament times so that we might better understand what the role of the laity could be today.

#### Friday, November 16, 2012

Reception: 5:15 p.m.; Dinner: 5:45 p.m.; and  
Lecture: 7:00-8:30 p.m.

#### Saturday, November 17, 2012

Lecture: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Dinner, Friday and Saturday Lectures, \$25

Dinner and Friday Lecture ONLY \$15

Friday Lecture ONLY \$10

Saturday Lecture ONLY \$10

Students: Friday and Saturday Lectures  
ONLY, no dinner \$5

**Reservations are required by November 12.**

**Childcare available upon request  
by November 12.**

*The Reverend Dr. Benjamin King will be  
our guest preacher on*

#### Sunday, November 18, 2012

7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., and 11:00 a.m. Liturgies  
Sunday Forum at 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Go to our website [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org) for more information.  
Please contact Becky Rochford, [brochford@christcathedral.org](mailto:brochford@christcathedral.org)  
if you have any questions.