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The Disciple

News & Events at Christ Church Charlotte



I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly.

- JOHN 10:10







LivingGenerosity

Join us October 27 for

Celebration Sunday

and explore how giving is part of a Living Faith.

See page 2 for details.

Upcoming Sundays

10:00 AM, All Saints' Hall

FAITH FORUM

Anthony Ray Hinton



Living Faith on Death Row

Anthony Ray Hinton was wrongly convicted, sentenced to death, and held on Alabama's death row for 28 years. In 2015 the U.S. Supreme Court unanimously overturned his conviction on appeal, and the state dropped all charges against him. After his release, Hinton wrote and published a memoir, The Sun Does Shine: How I Found Life and Freedom on Death Row.



FAITH FORUM

David Zahl



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Living Faith and the Paradox of Religion

The author of Seculosity: How Career, Parenting, Technology, Food, Politics, and Romance Became Our New Religion and What to Do About It explores the possibility that our culture is not becoming less religious, but rather that we are becoming religious about more and more things. He brings a fresh appreci-

ation for the grace of God in all its countercultural wonder.

FAITH FORUM

Hannah and Charlie Lucas



Living Faith and Teen Mental Health

When Hannah Lucas was a high school freshman in Atlanta, she became depressed and suicidal. She came up with the idea of a digital panic button to help people like her. She and her 13-year-old brother Charlie built the NotOkay app that alerts pre-selected friends when the app user is Not Okay, providing the friends the user's GPS



location. Hannah and Charlie join us to tell their story.



Celebration Sunday

Join us for a Rector's Class on Living Generosity.

Members of our clergy will share their personal experiences and perspectives on how generosity and giving are a part of our Living Faith.

We invite you to dedicate your financial commitment to the mission and ministries of Christ Church at the 7:30 AM, 8:45 AM, 11:15 AM, or 5:00 PM worship

Living Generosity

FAITH FORUM

Becca Stevens



Living Faith: Trauma and Restorative Love

Becca Stevens is an author, speaker, Episcopal priest, justice entrepreneur, as well as founder and president of Thistle Farms (Nashville, TN), a community of women survivors of prostitution, trafficking and addiction. Thistle Farms includes a holistic two-year residential program, justice enterprises that

employ survivors, and an education and outreach program that includes a national network of 50 sister communities. The Global Market of Thistle Farms helps employ more than 1,800 women worldwide.



CLERGY CLASS

service.

The Reverend Joan Kilian



How does what we talk about and hear in our headlines compare to a scriptural perspective on justice? How do we incorporate that biblical understanding into our living faith?

Living Faith through Worship and Music



NOV 10

Ben Outen, Nicolas Haigh, and Shea Watts will talk with Joshua Case about how music helps to bring our faith alive through our liturgies. We will hear performances from our music ministry's choral ensembles. A question and answer session will follow.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR FAITH FORUM SERIES, VISIT WWW.CHRISTCHURCHCHARLOTTE.ORG/FAITH-FORUM.

ADULT FORMATION

The Good Book Beginning to End Bible Study Group

Mondays through May 18, 7:30 - 8:30 AM, M205

Read the entire Bible from beginning to end, with a small group or on your own.

Our Monday morning group commits to reading 15-30 minutes a day and meets weekly for discussion, culminating May 18.

If you prefer to read on your own, the GoodNews Shop carries *The Good Book Beginning to End Reading Guide*. To learn more and register for the Monday group, visit www. christchurchcharlotte.org/goodbook.

Christian Essentials

Tuesdays, October 1 – November 5, 11:45 AM – 12:45 PM or 1:00 – 2:30 PM

Online Group:

Thursdays, October 10 - November 7, 7:30 - 9:00 PM

Explore Christian Essentials: Sundays, November 3 – 17, 10:00 – 10:50 AM (No registration needed for Sunday class)

Explore, grow, and deepen your faith and life with God. The Christian Essentials series starts with a six-week session, and then offers two additional five-week optional sessions. Each session covers a topic essential to the Christian Life. Visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/christian-essentials for details.



CHRISTIAN ESSENTIALS Living a Christ-centered life

The History of Freedom

Slavery, Freedom, and the Civil Rights Movement

Wednesdays, October 2 - 23, 6:30 - 8:00 PM, M207

This four-week series led by Kathleen Clark, PhD, explores the ideology of race that developed in the context of slavery, the struggles over what "freedom" would look like after slavery, and the resistance to achieving equality through the ongoing Civil Rights Movement.



No registration is required. For more information, visit www. christchurchcharlotte.org/adult-formation.

The Questions of Our Faith

Sundays, October 13 and 20, 10:00 – 10:50 AM, Green Room

Join the Reverend Matt Holcombe in a discussion on the big questions of a living faith.

Meet the Enneagram

Wednesdays, November 6 & 13, 6:30 - 8:00 PM, M207

The Enneagram is about people – how we are the same, how we are different, what makes us tick, how we get in our own way. Join Jenny Beaumont to learn how the Enneagram can help us develop a more authentic relationship with ourselves and others, and discover a deeper relationship with God.

No registration is required. For more information, visit www. christchurchcharlotte.org/adult-formation.

Adult Confirmation and Inquirers Class

Sundays, February 9 - April 26, 10:00 AM, Green Room (No classes on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday)

This ten-session class is offered for any adult who wishes to be confirmed in the Episcopal Church, or who simply wants to explore what we believe. The class explores the basics of Christianity and how the Episcopal Church lives out our beliefs through worship, Bible study, and service to others. Christ Church clergy teach the classes. Everyone is welcome and questions are encouraged. Visit www. christchurchcharlotte.org/confirmation to learn more and register.

Thursday Morning Worship and Bible Study

Thursdays, 7:00 AM, Chapel/M207

Join us for worship followed by a clergy-led study of the Sunday lessons. Breakfast is available for a minimal charge. No registration needed; all are welcome. For more information, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/adult-formation.

Centering Prayer

Mondays, 4:00 - 5:00 PM, M206

This ancient prayer discipline quiets the mind to cultivate interior silence. We open ourselves to the presence and healing activity of God. Join us any time. For more information, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/adult-formation.

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ADULT FORMATION

The Space Between Us

November 12 – 14

Tuesday - Thursday, 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM - Workshop Thursday, 6:30 - 8:30 PM - Closing Dinner

Communication is essentially the way we share ourselves in this epic conversation called life. It is how we connect with others, self and God. Inspired communication is about awareness, attitude, powerful listening, and a desire to strengthen bonds and extend grace.

You are invited to develop this life-giving skill with this three-day experience that will transform the way you communicate at home, at work, and in the world. Grounded in learning theory and current research, this program gets to the heart, as well as the science, of communication. Lunch is included.

To register or see dates for 2020, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/tsbu.

Reading Between the Lines

Tuesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 AM, Yellow Room

(For Men) Add to your understanding of scripture by reflecting on topics that arise from cultural and literary inspirations, using the Reading Between the Lines curriculum. For more information, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/ adult-formation.

Men's Midweek Bible Study

Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:00 AM, Blue Room

Led by Craig Cmiel, David Dean, Jon Kochmond, and Christ Church Clergy, this Bible study is an opportunity for men to gather weekly and develop a deeper understanding of their faith. We will rotate through God's Word, Jesus' Teachings, and The Holy Spirit on a quarterly basis. The format includes an opening prayer, weekly readings, historical narratives, education, and group discussion. (We will join in with "BIG Breakfasts" on first Wednesdays of the month.) For more information, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/ adult-formation.

Men's Big Breakfast

First Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:00 AM, Blue Room

All men of Christ Church are invited to breakfast with good food, great fellowship, and an inspiring speaker. Come as you are. Donations accepted at the door for breakfast; no RSVP required. We will begin at 7:00 AM and end promptly at 8:00 AM. Invite a friend! To learn more about Men's Ministry at Christ Church, visit www.christchurchcharlotte. org/men.

WORSHIP AND MUSIC



Join the Contemporary Band

Do you play an instrument or sing? Musicians of any skill level are invited to share their gifts in worship with the contemporary band, which rehearses on Wednesdays, 7:00 - 9:00 PM in the Band Room, and helps lead the 8:45 AM Contemporary Eucharist on Sundays. Contact Shea Watts at wattss@christchurchcharlotte.org or 704-714-6967 to get involved.

Choral Evensong

Sundays, October 6 and November 3, 3:30 PM in the Church

Archbishop Cranmer created the second of the Daily Offices, Evening Prayer, as a form for reading scripture and praying daily. Throughout the centuries, much music has been written for this liturgy creating a unique service known as Evensong. It includes choral and organ music. congregational hymns, and moments for meditation and reflection.

New Doors Enhance Security

New security doors have been added around our campus. The installation of the doors provides an extra layer of protection to our weekday school and staff and is part of our ongoing efforts to make our campus a safe environment for all.

On Sundays and when Christ Church Kindergarten is not in session, the doors will be open for easy access around the building. During Christ Church Kindergarten hours, the doors will be closed and only accessible by key fob, so you'll need to stop by the front desk if you would like to visit spaces accessible through the new security doors.

PARISH LIFE / NEWCOMERS





Fall Parish Day

Kicking off the Program Year

Fall is a fabulous time of year and we are always excited to welcome the parish back at the annual Fall Parish Day Celebration. After gathering together for worship, parishioners came together on a warm but beautiful fall day to enjoy lively music, delicious bar-b-que and all the fixins from Chef Mary, fun and exciting games and activities, and a visit by our local fire truck.



Parish Day Co-Chairs Eleanor Fairey and Kara Hunt

We could not have done this without the many volunteers who baked treats, set up, greeted, served food and beverages, assisted with games and activities, and cleaned up.

A very special thank you goes out to two groups: our event chairs, Eleanor Fairey and Kara Hunt, and our wonderful sextons, who always work so hard behind the scenes!



Trunk or Treat

Monday, October 28, 5:30 - 7:00 PM, Christ Church **Parking Lot**

We are very excited to host our annual Trunk or Treat event. We invite all ages to join in the fun. There will be lots of opportunities to participate: from trick-or-treating to

providing the "trunk" of your car, to helping as a volunteer (teens included).

Children will gather in costume at 5:30 PM to decorate bags and play games. The parade and trunk-or-treating will begin at 6:00 PM.

Look for more information to come in News and Notices and at www.christchurchcharlotte. org/trunkortreat. If you have

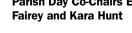
questions, contact Mary Catherine Zito at maryczito@ gmail.com or Jannell Dunaway at jannelldunaway@gmail.



Newcomer Dinners

First Wednesdays Monthly, October through April 5:30 - 7:00 PM in the Green Room

Beginning October 2, we are excited to invite newcomers for dinner and conversation on a monthly basis. In addition to getting to know each other better, each dinner will feature a special guest who will fill us in on what's happening at Christ Church. To register, contact Kathryn Saunders at saundersk@christchurchcharlotte.org or 704-714-6974. Childcare is available upon request.





CHILDREN, YOUTH, & FAMILIES



Children and Youth Leaders Are Invaluable

A synonym for generosity is unselfish giving. As we think about living our faith generously, Children, Youth and Family Ministry celebrates all of our volunteers for the 2019 – 2020 program year.

In August, 130 Children, Youth, and Family volunteers gathered for fellowship, learning, training, and sharing of



their spiritual gifts. The evening included an in-depth security presentation and conversation to ensure the safety of all who are on our campus any given day of the week. This was a record turnout for such an event and our team is grateful.

We have almost 190 leaders who volunteer in roles such as chil-

dren's and youth Sunday School teachers, middle school EYC leaders, high school Life Group leaders, Children's Chapel leaders, and

Nursery Committee volunteers. These men and women unselfishly give their time, energy, and talents to serve the children and youth of Christ Church and our team is thankful daily for their generosity. If you see them in the hallways this year, be sure to give them a high-five and say thanks!



Tenth Grade Pilgrimage

June 11 – 19, 2020

We are excited to announce our 2020 Youth Pilgrimage to Spain. The opportunity that awaits the pilgrims to explore, grow, and deepen their faith will be transformational. During our time together we will contemplate the wonders of God's creation and have opportunities to see the face of God in new places and spaces with other pilgrims from around the world.

We will be walking the Camino de Santiago from Sarria to Santiago (averaging 12 miles per day). Also known as "The Way of St. James," The Camino is a large network of ancient pilgrim routes stretching across Europe and coming together at the tomb of St. James (Santiago in Spanish) in Santiago de Compostela in northwest Spain. It is the third oldest pilgrimage route in Christianity after Jerusalem and Rome.

Registration and a \$500 deposit are due by September 29 at www.christchurchcharlotte.org/highschool. Contact Betsy Parkhurst at parkhurstb@christhchurchcharlotte.org with questions.





MISSION & OUTREACH

A Night of Hope

Thursday, October 17, 6:30 - 8:30 PM, All Saints' Hall

A desire for wellness, a safe home, and a good education unites us all. Join us for dinner and a special evening to celebrate the *Living Impact* of our partnerships. Leaders of Charlotte Bilingual Preschool, HopeWay, and the newly merged Men's Shelter of Charlotte and Urban Ministry Center will join The Reverend Joan Kilian for an in-depth conversation about how they live faith in the work they do to transform lives in the Charlotte community. For more information or to register visit www.christchurchcharlotte. org/night-of-hope.



Alvson Kuroski-Mazzei

HopeWay



Liz Clasen-Kelly Men's Shelter of Charlotte / Urban

Ministry Center

Serve-A-Bration: Seven Days of Service

November 3 - 9

Charlotte Bilingual

Are you interested in outreach work but don't know where to start? At Christ Church, we believe that outreach is a way of living our faith in the Charlotte community. Our various partnerships represent the four pillars of outreach which we support with both funding and volunteers: Children and Education, Housing and Homelessness, Poverty Prevention, and Reconciliation and Social Justice. Serve-A-Bration offers a great way to get involved, with a week of outreach opportunities for parishioners of all ages and experience levels, on

different days and times.

Our week begins with a special commissioning offered by the clergy at our Sunday services. Each outreach event is an opportunity to live your faith. For more information and to sign up, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/serve. Questions? Contact Laura Konitzer at konitzerl@ christchurchcharlotte.org.





On The Table CLT

Wednesday, October 23, 5:30 - 6:30 PM, Green Room

Christ Church will be a dinner host for this civic conversation centering on the theme "Finding Home: Where Do I Belong?" Seating is limited to 32; three table hosts are needed. This is a great opportunity to build diverse relationships by inviting someone with a different background from your own. Contact Laura Konitzer at konitzerl@christchurchcharlotte.org or 704-714-6959 for details.

A New Mission in Costa Rica February 1 – 8, 2020

For many years, the Diocese of North Carolina has enjoyed a vibrant relationship with the Diocese of Costa Rica. Christ Church has been a crucial partner in this relationship for over a decade. In that time, our missioners have helped build churches and repair and build two schools serving impoverished families. Most importantly, our parishioners have built lifelong friendships with our Costa Rican sisters and brothers.

In February we will embark on a new type of mission trip to Costa Rica. In Limón we will work on the Diocesan House where future missioners will stay when visiting. Additionally we will engage in workshops with members of Episcopal churches from that region in an attempt to explore Christian formation and spirituality and work towards a relationship of mutuality with the people of Limón.

Consider joining us for this powerful spiritual journey. For more information, contact Laura Konitzer, konitzerl@christchurchcharlotte.org.

Rama Road Turkey Drive

Wednesday, November 27

Christ Church members come together each year to provide 50 Rama Road families with turkey dinners for Thanksgiving, Dee Perez. our Rama Road Communities in



Schools coordinator, works with administrators, teachers, and families to determine who might otherwise go without. If you are available to cook and/or deliver a meal to a family, we need you!

Volunteers are asked to provide a meal for 8 - 10 adults, including a turkey, two side dishes, rolls, and a pie or dessert. For more information, visit www.christchurchcharlotte. org/rama, or contact Sara Roche at 704-516-3888.

MISSION & OUTREACH

Jubilee Store is Back!

December 7 – 8, 3:00 – 5:00 PM, St. John's Baptist Church (300 Hawthorne Lane)

The Jubilee Store is Christ Church's holiday outreach partnership with Charlotte Family Housing (CFH) and other Myers Park churches. This is a unique opportunity to take part in CFH's mission to help families achieve self-sufficiency and housing stability, while getting to know their incredible families.

In November, partner churches will purchase gifts which will be used to create a reduced-cost holiday store for CFH families. These families who formerly experienced homelessness work together with their case managers and our parishioners to



plan their purchases according to their financial goals. The Jubilee Store will include entertainment for children of CFH families, dinner, and gift wrapping. All in all, it is a great way to be a part of ending family homelessness and forming new, boundary-breaking friendships.

How You Can Help

Gift tags will be hanging in the narthex and in All Saints' Hall beginning Sunday, November 3. Each tag will have a gift that you and your family can purchase and return by November 24. We invite you to include your family in the gift-buying process and to reflect together on what it means to celebrate Christ's Advent by drawing closer to those who have been marginalized. No time to shop? Purchase from our Amazon wishlist or donate funds to the Church marked "Jubilee Store."

Volunteer Opportunities

There are also ways to serve during the Jubilee Store on December 7 and 8. Volunteer shift times will vary by job, which include:

- Set up and clean up
- Shopping assistant to parents
- Serving dinner
- · Eating dinner with a family
- Gift wrapping
- Picture taking
- · Inventory assistance
- Parking assistance

A volunteer sign-up link will be posted November 4 at www. christchurchcharlotte.org/jubilee-store. Questions? Contact Laura Konitzer at konitzerl@christchurchcharlotte.org.

Outreach & Mission Partner Profile



Episcopal Relief and Development is an international agency responding to human suffering on behalf of the Episcopal Church. Its mission is to seek and serve Christ in all persons and respect the dignity of every human being. For over 75 years, Episcopal Relief and Development has been inspired by the faith and compassion of its supporters and partners to continue healing a hurting world.

Episcopal Relief and Development reaches over 3 million people annually, through long-term programs and disaster response efforts with local partners in approximately 40 countries. Working directly with the Anglican Communion and other partners, they carry out their mission of empowering people to find lasting solutions to poverty, hunger and disease. The US Disaster Program equips leaders in The Episcopal Church to prepare for and respond to disasters in their communities, particularly focusing on helping vulnerable groups of people to withstand the impact of disaster and to return to a state of normalcy afterward.

Program Priorities

Women: Focuses on promoting the rights of women toward the vision that everyone deserves a life free from violence in a society where they are treated with dignity and respect. Only then can communities heal and thrive.

Children: Supports and protects children under six so they reach appropriate health and developmental milestones. Focus on early development is foundational and critical to helping children achieve their full potential.

Climate: Focuses on how families and communities can work together to adapt to the effects of rapidly changing weather patterns. This work includes preparing for and recovering from climate-caused traumas such as floods and hurricanes.

What You Can Do

- Connect @ episcopalrelief.org or 1-855-312-HEAL (4325).
 Whether you would like to pray for their work and partner communities or make a donation, you can have a positive, tangible impact on the world.
- Gifts for Life Catalog Give an entire community the opportunity to not only survive, but thrive with Gifts for Life. Make a lasting impact with symbolic gifts ranging from medicine for children in need to goats that supply families with food and income. Honor loved ones for Christmas, birthdays and other special occasions. Catalogs are available in the Rotunda display rack. Online orders can be placed at www.episcopalrelief.org/gifts.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Welcome Mollee Reitz, Our New Wellness Director

Please join us in welcoming Mollee Reitz to our staff as Wellness Director, a new position at Christ Church designed to help parishioners of all ages embrace and encourage the call to wellness, and to cultivate a healthy and hopeful life.

Mollee will lead us in establishing and growing a wellness ministry at Christ Church. As the Wellness Director, Mollee will serve as an advocate, educator, and navigator for wellness. As advocate, Mollee will promote and increase conversations, awareness, and interest in holistic health, wellness, and preventative practices. As educator, she will teach and provide information about wellness for parishioners of all ages. As navigator, she will help connect parishioners to a network of psychological, psychiatric and counseling professionals, agencies and service providers. She can also offer short-term counseling to parishioners by appointment.

About Mollee

Born and raised in Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas, Mollee graduated from Texas A&M University with degrees in English



and Psychology and was a member of the Fighting Texas Aggie taekwondo team. After graduation, Mollee taught English in Japan before returning to Wake Forest University for a master's degree in Counseling.

Mollee completed her practicum at Wake Forest Baptist Hospital's Memory Assessment Clinic Counseling Center, where she pro-

vided individual and family counseling to patients with Alzheimer's and dementia, their spouses, and their adult caregivers. She completed her internship at Wake Forest Baptist's Children's Cancer Support Program, where she provided individual and family counseling to children and adolescents with cancer, and their families.

Since then, Mollee has worked as an outpatient therapist, a school-based therapist, an elementary school counselor, and in a private practice setting. Mollee is a Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) and a Nationally Certified Counselor (NCC). She is passionate and enthusiastic about addressing total wellness across the lifespan. She also enjoys rock climbing, running, reading, and time with her dog.

Integrating Faith and Wellness in Everyday Life:

WellDoing

Saturday, November 9, 8:15 AM – 4:00 PM, North Corner Haven

Enjoy a day doing something to enhance and encourage the many facets that contribute to your overall wellness.

North Corner Haven is a tranquil setting of field, forest and farm. Our day will include a wellness assessment, Bible study, information about resilience, stress reduction, healthy building blocks, and personal growth.

A delicious lunch is included. Cost is \$35 per person. To register, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/wellness or contact Jennifer Hamm at hammj@christchurchcharlotte.org.



Yoga for the Spirit

Practice yoga every Sunday afternoon at 4:00 PM in beautiful M213 for relaxation, meditative movement and community in our spiritual home. All are welcome to relax, renew and restore. \$10 fee goes to support outreach at Christ Church. Questions? Contact instructor Joyce Cmiel (RYT) at joycecmiel@aol.com or 703-625-7751.



Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, October 6, 4:00 PM, Christ Church Front Circle

Bring your creatures, great and small, as we celebrate the Feast of St. Francis and the Blessing of the Animals. For their own safety, please make sure all animals are on leashes or in carriers.

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CONGREGATIONAL CARE



Dementia is random and relentless. When someone you love has dementia it is heartbreaking and frustrating.

Dementia is the loss of cognitive functioning – thinking, remembering and reasoning – and the loss of behavioral abilities to the extent it interferes with a person's daily life and activities. Alzheimer's is a form of dementia. It is estimated that one out of every six women and one out of every ten men living past age 55 will develop dementia. Yikes.

When someone cannot remember well, it is unhelpful and even cruel to point out their poor memory or to criticize when they forget or ask the same question repeatedly. When someone cannot reason well, it is unhelpful and even cruel to expect your loved one to solve problems or understand why something can or cannot be done.

Geropsychologist Dr. Natali Edmonds recommends three things never to do with someone who has dementia:

- Don't argue with them
- · Don't try to correct them
- Don't try to reason with them

When family and friends follow these recommendations, there is less tension with those living with dementia. It means coming to terms with the fact that your loved one cannot be talked out of, reminded out of, reasoned out of, argued out of, or shamed out of their dementia. Kindness, practicality, and even bold-faced lies work better to keep a loved one safe and content.

If you have a loved one with dementia, you might find it helpful to attend the Dementia Caregivers Gathering on the second Wednesday of each month, 10:00 - 11:00 AM, in St. Francis C.

Episcopal Church Women (ECW)

Mark Your Calendars!

Christmas Greenery

Christmas greenery sales will begin online Tuesday, October 15 at www.christchurchcharlotte.org/ecw-holidays. We encourage everyone to place their orders online, but for those who prefer paper, order forms are included in this issue of *The Disciple*. Net proceeds from your order will directly benefit women and children in need.

Meet the Founder: Our Little Roses Tuesday, October 22, 6:00 PM, M207

Our Little Roses Foreign Mission Society is one of the organizations funded by ECW. Meet founder Dr. Diana Frade and learn more about their work.

ECW Convocation

Friday, November 1, 6:00 PM

"Serving into the Way of Love" is the theme for this fall gathering. Watch for an email with more information.

Advent Luncheon

Tuesday, December 3, 11:15 AM – 1:00 PM, All Saints' Hall

This annual event features great fellowship and an inspiring talk and to prepare our hearts for Christmas.

Feast and Flora Pop-Up Shop

Saturday, December 7, 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Get a head start on your Christmas shopping at our largest fundraiser of the year, with fresh holiday greenery and delicious prepared foods.

For more information about any of the above events, visit www.christchurchcharlotte.org/women.

GOODNEWS SHOP

GoodNews is excited that we now carry award-winning jams and butters from Adams Apple Mercantile. Located in Lexington, South Carolina, this company began over 20 years ago with a family recipe for apple butter. Thousands of homemade jars later, Adams Apple offers a variety of seasonal, delicious products that satisfy customers all around the country who say it "tastes like memories."

We are open Sunday, 9:45 AM - 1:00 PM; and Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM.







New Members

Sally Dudley

Amanda Golmont

Linda and Phil Hammond

Liz and Andrew Houston and Family

Jeanne Kontje

Amanda and Ian Piekutowski and Family

Emily and Thomas Poe

Kate Ryan

Births

Jean Everett Kelly, daughter of Wendelyn and Stafford Kelly
John (Jack) William Lucius Anderson, grandson of Tere and Doug Ey
Lilly Blankenship House, granddaughter of Anne and Bert House
George Hallet Reichard, grandson of Kim and Ed Cherry

Baptisms

Tucker Sinclair Bailey, son of Grace and Trent Bailey
John Thomas Leary, son of Kate and Josh Leary
Elizabeth Boren Mills, daughter of Merrill and William Mills
Margaret Graydon Ninemire, daughter of Annie and Wade Ninemire
Thompson Lewis Russell, son of Brooke and George Russell
James Tyler Tomlinson, son of Blair and Buch Tomlinson
James Archibald Stuart Bonner III, son of Martha and Stuart Bonner
Ann Stafford Doerre, daughter of Carr and Matt Doerre
Smith Burgess Gilbert, son of Lauren and Grant Gilbert
Caroline Morgan Groner, daughter of Christine and TJ Groner
Mary Georgia Hayes, daughter of Sarah and Pearce Hayes
Harvey Hughes Thomas, son of Ginna and Blake Thomas

Marriages

Mary Stanton Coltrane and Matthew Peduzzi Mills

Anna Pritchard and Hatcher Williams

Deaths

M. Dale Poe, father of Nancy Poe Georgia Crawford Orr, mother of Mary Orr

Dwain Carlson Andrews

Frank Troutman, Jr., grandfather of Clem McDavid Janice Simone Ladley, mother of Mark Ladley

Mary Anne Hood Pearce, sister of Jack Hood Shirley Hunt Fleetwood

James William Corbett

Ann Stennett Gallagher

Dwight Lyle Andrews

Madeline Habit Griffin, mother of Carol Isenhower
Roy Gerald Richardson, father of Beth Brady
Donald Luther Moss, Sr., father of Don Moss
Faye Brannon Ketchie, mother of Beth Burris
Madison Landers, newphew of Mark Landers

Harrold Lee Vaughn
William Byrd Warlick, father of Will Warlick
Charles Miller Carson

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