



Sunday, May 18 , 2025

TODAY AT CHRIST CHURCH

WORSHIP

7:30 am, Rite I (Spoken Word)

9:00 am, Rite II (Contemporary)

11:00 am, Rite II (Traditional)

Our Nursery is available from 8:30 - 12:30

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**ADULT FORMATION**

**Sunday Adult Bible Study**

Begins at 10:10 am in Meeting Room 1

**CHILDREN'S FORMATION**

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (*3-6 years*)

Sunday School classes (*Elementary thru High School*)

*\*Please Note: This is the last Sunday for Children's Formation until the Fall.*

**FELLOWSHIP HOUR**

**10:00-11:00 am in the Parish Hall**

Today our Fellowship Hour is hosted by **St. Anne's Guild.**

# This Week at Christ Church

| Week of May 19-25   |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|---------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday              | 5/19 | <b>Quilter's Group:</b> 9 am to Noon in Meeting Room 1<br><b>St. Benedict's Circle:</b> 1:30 pm in Meeting Room 1                                                                                                 |
| Tuesday             | 5/20 | <b>Widow's Group:</b> Will <i>not</i> meet this month.<br><b>Walking the Mourner's Path:</b> 2:30 pm in the Parlor                                                                                                |
| Wednesday           | 5/21 | <b>Fellowship Night:</b> <i>We will not be having Fellowship Night this week.</i><br><b>Awana &amp; Youth Groups:</b> 6 to 7:30 pm. <i>*This is the last evening for Awana &amp; Youth Groups until the Fall.</i> |
| Thursday            | 5/22 | <b>Thursday Morning Men's Bible Study:</b> 7 am in Meeting Room 1. Come for coffee, conversation, and study.                                                                                                      |
| Friday              | 5/23 | <b>The Way of Christian Contemplation:</b> 10:00 am in the Parlor.                                                                                                                                                |
| Sunday              | 5/25 | <b>Holy Eucharist Services:</b> 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Please Note:</b> |      | -Church offices will be closed on Memorial Day, May 26, 2025.<br>-Friday Summer Office Hours (9am - Noon) begin on May 23rd.                                                                                      |

## **JUNE 8TH - PENTECOST SUNDAY**

**ONE SERVICE at 10:00 am - Wear **Red!****

### **Pentecost Sunday Lunch**

following the 10:00 am service  
Main dishes and beverages will be provided.



**Please sign up to bring sides and desserts.**

**A Sign Up Sheet is in the Narthex.**

## Events and Announcements

### May Food Pantry Wish List!

We have several items for May we can use.

1 lb. spaghetti

15 oz. can tomato sauce

15 oz. can diced tomatoes



*Remember...no glass, please!*



*Join us this summer and volunteer at our  
Christ Church Thrift Shop*

*The Thrift Shop is open Monday - Saturday 10am -2pm*

*Contact Norm & Kathy Hinton if you are interested.*

*941-746-4906 (Thrift Shop)*

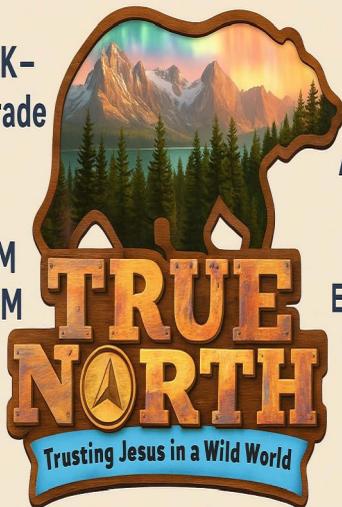
## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

PreK-  
5th Grade

July  
28-  
August 1

9:00 AM  
-12:00 PM

Christ  
Episcopal  
Church



REGISTRATION IS OPEN



## Women in the Bible

Kathy Young will be teaching Women in the Bible on **Wednesdays** during the month of **June**. We will meet from **10:30 am to Noon in Meeting Room 1**. We will be learning about various Biblical women, as we strive in our lives to become women of the Bible.

- If your group/class will not be meeting for the Summer months, please email Pam Landers at [planders@cecb.church](mailto:planders@cecb.church).

**Join us in making a difference!**

**We are seeking volunteers**

**Hair Stylists, Barbers, Dentists, Hygienists, Doctors, Nurses, and Photographers – to help serve children in need from Manatee Co. school system.**



**@Christ Episcopal Church  
July 26, 2025**

**Volunteer Roles Needed**

- **Hair Stylists & Barbers:** Provide back-to-school haircuts.
- **Dental Team:** Conduct screenings and offer dental health guidance.
- **Medical Team:** Perform physicals and general health assessments.
- **Photographers:** provide individual and family portraits.

**Event Overview:**

**We will help disadvantaged students start their school year off right! Services provided will include:**

- **Medical exams**
  - **Dental checkups**
  - **Haircuts**
  - **Family & individual photos**
  - **Gift cards for clothes and shoes**
  - **Backpacks with school supplies**
  - **Personal hygiene item**
- And a lot more. . .**

**WAYS YOU CAN HELP:**

- Be a service provider at our event on July 26, 2025**
- Donate Supplies and Services**
- Sponsor a child for \$100**

**Join us in bringing Hope and Relief to Families and Children!!**

**For more details and to sign up as a volunteer or sponsor, please contact William Parady: [wparady@cecb.church](mailto:wparady@cecb.church)**