

# Meet Christ Be Christ

**St. Christopher's Episcopal Church  
Annual Report 2010**

January 23, 2011

**I**n this new year, may your blessings overflow and be unceasing. Each day filled with robust health to make life and work a joy. & faith abundant to pass on to others. Wealth enough to support your needs and those in need. & determination to make each day better than the day before. Boundless happiness to share with others. Strength and spirit unbridled to overcome all obstacles. & unremitting optimism to vanish all doubts. Grace to overcome and forgive any transgressions. Patience to remain calm while the untamed world races by. Love enough to conquer all. & a caring outstretched hand, especially to young people. To know that in the central place of every heart must be Respect for the earth, and peace for the people, and Delight in the good, forgiveness for past wrongs, and Passion for new beginnings. And above all, abiding thanks each day for all our gains, miracle after miracle. To know that our final victories come from hope and faith and love. & the greatest of these is love . . . because it is the wellspring for all else. So that you unleash the power within you and touch the lives of others in endless and wondrous ways. Make every day of this new year a hallowed day of overbrimming thanks and joy and caring.

# St. Christopher's Episcopal Church Statistics

(As of December 31, 2010)

Baptisms	5	Confirmations	5
Marriages	1	Young People	3
Funerals	14	Adults	2
		Received	0

## Members in Good Standing as of January 1, 2010

579

### Added to the Parish

By Confirmation	5
Received	0
By Letter of Transfer	3
New Members	23
Restored from Inactive	0

### **Active Families in the Parish:**

Total December 31, 2010 139

### Dropped from Parish

By Death	12
By Letter of Transfer	4
Moved to Inactive Status	144

### **Active Individuals in the Parish:**

Total December 31, 2010 94

### **Active Households in the Parish:**

December 31, 2010 233

## Total Members in Good Standing as of December 31, 2010

450

Total of Members in Good Standing who are under age 16: 77

## Standing Notices

**Communion:** Any guest who desires to receive Holy Communion may do so.

**Baptism:** The Sacrament of Baptism is normally only administered to infants, children, and adults who themselves (or whose parents) intend to become active participants in this local congregation. Times for Baptism are: Easter Eve, Pentecost, St. Christopher's Feast, All Saints, and the first Sunday of Epiphany.

**Burial:** The liturgical service of the "burial of the dead" is available to members of any Christian denomination.

**Marriage:** The Sacrament of Christian Marriage must be arranged at least 60 days prior to the date, and requires at least three counseling sessions.

**Membership:** Those desiring to become communicant members of St. Christopher's should consult with the rector. An Inquirer's class is held as needed.

**Sick:** If you are going into the hospital or wish one of the clergy to visit, please call the church office at 651.633.4589. In case of after-hours pastoral emergencies, please call 651.633.4598.

## The 2010 Vestry of St. Christopher's

Chris Mayr, Senior Warden	(Retiring)	Term Expires January 2011
Bruce Warkentien	(Retiring)	Term Expires January 2011
Barbara Herrmann	(Retiring)	Term Expires January 2011
Larry Jones	(Retiring)	Term Expires January 2011
Jon Rexeisen	(Retiring)	Term Expires January 2011
Jeff Jensen	(Retiring)	Term Expires January 2011
Amy Anderson		Term Expires January 2012
Julie Bayer		Term Expires January 2012
Carol Duff		Term Expires January 2012
Jim Richards		Term Expires January 2012
Jim Erickson		Term Expires January 2013
Tom Maier		Term Expires January 2013
Julie Remington		Term Expires January 2013
Jennifer Wright		Term Expires January 2013
Ann Olson, Clerk* (Retiring)		
Earl Olson, Treasurer*		
<i>*Non-voting officers</i>		

## Diocesan Convention Delegates

Elected in January, 2010 to serve through 2012

Harold Danley, Judith Goff, Jean Hoover, Stephanie Mann, Earl Olson, Don Shiek, John Swesey. Alternates: Sue Triebenbach, Kathy Ackerman

## Columbarium Committee

<b>Through 2011</b>	<b>Through 2012</b>	<b>For election through 2012</b>
Pam Hove	Suzanne Hitchcock	Don Harkcom ( <i>has agreed</i> )

## Endowments Board

*Appointed by the Vestry; the Rector and Sr. Warden are Ex-Officio voting members.*

<b>Through 2011</b>	<b>Through 2012</b>	<b>Through 2013</b>
Harold Danley	Bill Hanna	
Tom Linder	Ruth Mayr	
Bobbe Cooper	Karen Hartman	

## St. Christopher's Staff

The Rev. Timothy Hodapp, Interim Rector	Ruth Thillen, Parish Administrator
The Rev. Wanda Copeland, Assistant Priest	Karla Cole, Director of Music Ministries
The Rev. Janet MacNally, Deacon	Tom Hove, Sexton
Marion Hunner, Director of Children's Ministries	

# 2010 Annual Meeting

## Sunday, January 23, 2011

### AGENDA

Lunch following the 10:30 AM Eucharist

12 Noon: Opening Prayers	Rev. Timothy Hodapp
Vincent Anderson Awards	Chris Mayr/Clergy
St. Christopher's Awards	Wardens/Clergy
Acknowledgement of Vestry and Staff	Rev. Timothy Hodapp
Election of a Clerk	Chris Mayr
Approve Minutes of 2009 Meeting	Chris Mayr
Elections	Chris Mayr
Wardens	
Vestry	
Columbarium Committee member	
Endowment Board members	
2010 Financial Report	Mike Powers
2011 Budget	Mike Powers/Finance Comm.
Warden's Ramblings	Chris Mayr/Bruce Warkentien
Old Business	Bruce Warkentien
Renovation Report	Cindy Lee, Scott Crow, Rev. Timothy Hodapp
New Business	Bruce Warkentien
Senior Warden's Remarks	
Other Business	Bruce Warkentien
Adjourn	Bruce Warkentien
Prayer for the Parish	Parish

*Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless, and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

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## Prayer for the Annual Parish Meeting

Almighty God, you called Isaiah to your altar and sent him forth to speak the truth to his people. You called shepherds to a manger in Bethlehem and sent them forth to tell the world a savior was born. You called women to the empty tomb and made them the first witnesses of the resurrection of your Son and our Savior Jesus Christ. You called Paul to go to Jerusalem to heal divisions in your church. Call us, we pray, to this holy place where we may meet you and welcome you into our hearts. Then send us forth to speak the truth in love, to proclaim hope to a troubled world, to announce the victory of life over death and to heal the pain and brokenness around us. Grant that we may always be about your business as was your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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# Minutes of the 2009 Annual Meeting

## Sunday, January 24, 2010

The Annual Meeting was called to order at 11:45am. Rev. Wanda Copeland lead the meeting in the Prayer for the Annual Parish Meeting printed in the Annual Report. She thanked the people involved in preparing the lunch: Don and Julie Shiek, Peggy Barker and members of the Community Life Committee.

The number of people attending the meeting was approximately 110.

Before the meeting started, it was announced that child care was available in the Nursery. Information on the Lenten Suppers was distributed. Wanda introduced John Rettger, our supply priest. Note: Financial pages are not numbered.

Additions to the printed Agenda:  
Jr. Warden remarks.

The outgoing vestry members were recognized by Darlene Cross: Robert Allen, Allison Jensen and Don Shiek. The other members of the vestry were recognized: Barbara Herrmann, Larry Jones, Jon Rexeisen, Roberta Roth, Amy Anderson, Julie Bayer, Carol Duff, Jim Richards; the Treasurer, Earl Olson; and chair of the Finance Committee, Bruce Warkentien. All of the staff were recognized and thanked.

Before the business meeting, Wanda and Darlene presented the awards. The "Vincent Anderson" award was given to Dave Ingram. The Vincent Anderson awards are given for outstanding ministry in a single year. The "St Christopher's" were awarded to Fr. Michael Hanley (he received the award in December before he left the parish), and to Walt Rommel in the summer. The St. Christopher's Awards are given for a lifetime of service to the parish.

After the awards, the business meeting was opened. It was moved and seconded that Ann Olson would be the clerk. It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of the 2008 Annual Meeting, held on January 18, 2009. Motion passed.

**Elections:**

The Vestry election followed:

Sr. Warden Chris Mayr elected by acclamation.

Jr. Warden Bruce Warkentien elected by acclamation.

The slate of Vestry nominations: Jim Erickson, John Hanna, Tom Maier, Jennifer Wright.

There were no nominations from the floor. Vestry slate was elected by acclamations.

**Convention Delegates:**

Nominations: Earl Olson, Don Shiek, John Swesey, Judith Goff, Steph Mann, Harold Danley, Jean Hoover, Sue Triebenbach and Kathy Ackerman.

**Columbarium Committee:**

Suzanne Hitchcock was elected through 2012.

**Endowment Board:**

Tom Linder, chair explained that the investment grew \$50,000. In 2010 the Endowment Board will offer a \$2,500 grant to committees for new ideas and/or programs. More information about the grant will be available in early 2010. Two new people were appointed to the board; Karen Hartman and Ruth Mayr. Bill Hanna is returning to the Board. All three will serve through 2012.

**Clergy Remarks:**

Rev. Wanda Copeland thanked the parish for the prayers for her and her husband, Tom.

**Warden's Remarks**

Both wardens thanked the vestry, staff and the parish. Darlene and Wanda gave the outgoing vestry gifts of books for their service. Chris Mayr talked about the general state of the economy and how it was reflected in all donations. All churches are reporting pledges down. What should we do... should we do a 13<sup>th</sup> month pledge? Or should we ask for extra collection? These are some of the questions this year's vestry will be dealing with. Chris introduced Mike Powers, new chair of the Finance Committee.

**2009 Financial Report:** Darlene Cross\*

- Income came 100%. We will have \$8,000 surplus. These funds will go to the ACG and programs. Vestry will decide on amounts in 2010.

- 2009 pledges were \$9,000 less than budget.
- Building use remains steady.
- Expenses were discussed by item line.

**2010 Budget: Chris Mayr\***

- Income short \$18,000 from budget.
- Building Use: 3% increase for Chinese Daycare; and Sensory Testing use will be up.
- Fund raising-for 2009 was budgeted at \$15,000 we made \$14,442. Note: leadership is needed for all three events.
- Salary budget for clergy will remain the same, with supply and interim priests.
- Music: no paid singers. Last year they were paid from dedicated funds.
- ACG is down from \$89,856 to \$ 57,874.
- Programs remain at the 2009 numbers.

\*Bruce Warkentien and Jon Rexeisen helped with both budget discussions, complete with graphs.

There was a detailed discussion over the 2009-2010 budget years. Jon Rexeisen stated that the Finance Committee will revisit the 2010 budget in June. Bruce thanked Ruth Thillen for her work with the Finances and the Finance Committee.

**Convention Delegates Results:**

Earl Olson, Don Shiek, John Swesey, Judith Goff, Steph Mann, Harold Danley, and Jean Hoover were elected as three-year term delegates. Alternates; Sue Triebenbach and Kathy Ackerman. Scott Crow made a motion to accept these delegates, Allison Jensen seconded. Motion passed.

**Senior Warder's Remarks- Darlene Cross:**

Darlene thanked the vestry, staff and Chris for all their help during the year. This has been a year of changes. A year with a very lean budget. There has been support for the programs with reduced budgets. Fund raising has been done and needs to be discussed in the future. Renovation: Jim Richards has made a model of the planned church. Ellen Stubbs has taken pictures. The renovations process: plans presented to the Standing Committee, then the plans are passed by the Bishop and the process continues. The Parish

has to vote to continue the process. This should happen sometime this spring.

Peace Garden: It looks great. Darlene thanked Sally Brown, the Youth and the Gardening Committee.

Search Process: Fr. Michael is gone and we will have an Interim in the next few months. The search process will be done within 2 years. The parish will be kept informed about where we are in the search process.

**Junior Warder's Remarks- Chris Mayr**

Chris thanked all the staff and the people who served the lunch. He thanked Darlene for all her work the past two years. Chris asked people who had been in the parish for over 25 years to stand. Then, over 15 years; on down to newcomers. He talked about the 25+ people being the foundation and the newcomers the future. Chris discussed the importance of being involved in the community. On how everyone has to do something, no matter their age or length of membership. This makes the parish strong. He talked about "Be a Bearer," the slogan on the t-shirts many folks have been wearing. Chris closed the very powerful and inspiring talk with prayer.

**Old Business:**

None

**New Business:**

- Wanda asked everyone to give Ruth their e-mail addresses.
- Peggy Barker talked about Funeral Hospitality Ministry.
- Don Shiek asked for help with the clean-up.
- Jon Rexeisen talked about our online communication; Vestry minutes on the web, etc.

Ella Snyder made a motion to adjourn, Dave Norling seconded. Motion passed. Meeting ended at 1:15 pm. with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted

Ann Olson

Clerk of the Annual Meeting

## Interim Rector's Report

My Dear Friends in Christ,

From Matthew's gospel this morning: "As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers... casting a net... He said to them, 'Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.'" [Mt 4: 12-23]

And this is how Jesus began his church... calling Peter, Andrew, James and John — none learned, influential, wealthy or of social standing — all fishermen.

Scholars are quick to establish that those who are good at fishing possess qualities that make them equally good at catching people.

As members of St. Christopher's, we're called to be disciples, people who can fish. So how do these qualities shape us?

As Christ's disciples we must have patience — wait for the fish — the work of preaching, teaching and evangelizing is thwarted by restlessness and needing immediate results.

- **We must have perseverance** — so the worm's gone... grab another — don't be discouraged; try again.
- **We must have courage** — respect the water and wear your lifejacket — because telling the truth in love is risky; but if we speak God's truth, that's got all the power needed to create change.
- **We must be primed for the right moment** — tell the fish the line is yours — there's a time to speak and a time to be still.
- **We must build bridges that connect** — put what the fish like on the hook — every child of God is different; each requires and deserves a personal invitation.
- **We must keep ourselves out of sight** — be still or you'll get in the way — our message is

God's but if we're preaching ourselves we're not evangelizing.

Then, in Matthew's gospel, Jesus says, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of people."

How perfect a message for this Sunday when we, as a parish, take stock of who we are as the Episcopal Church in Roseville, MN.

Jesus says, "Follow me" and Jesus says, "I will make you fishers of people."

Last spring your Vestry and Staff embarked on the beginning of our transition work by finding a way to frame who we are as a parish. We did this through an intensive workshop, one-on-one interviews and small-group conversations.

The result was a positioning statement that benchmarks where we are and whom we aspire, as a parish, to be.

As Christ Bearers, we determined that anyone who moves into the presence of this parish — across our beautiful campus, walks through our halls, calls on the phone, chats with us over a grocery cart at Cub — wherever they meet us and whomever they meet from St. Christopher's, they should recognize that we are, at our core, a Christ Bearer.

**Meet Christ** — as Jesus says, "Follow me." And, **Be Christ**, as Jesus says, "I will make you fishers of people."

This positioning — or brand promise, as marketers claim and over which your Vestry, Staff and others labored — details who we are and what you can count on when it comes to St. Christopher's and its people.

**Meet Christ. Be Christ.** In a nutshell, this is a place where you will meet Christ and have the opportunity to be Christ; to be a part of something

bigger, by being part of the Episcopal Church in Roseville.

**Let's imagine, if you can, a church where the people are lifelong learners; where traditional and non-traditional families worship together; where the Word is faithfully proclaimed and the sacraments joyfully celebrated; and where faith is manifested through service.**

Before I arrived, you told me that this is who you are. It's against this checklist that I'm delivering my report to you; taking stock of how this collection of fishermen, women and children are doing, baiting our hooks and listening to the voice of God that sometimes hovers and sometimes shouts over the waters.

**Lifelong learning** — from Sunday School, with 25 children enrolled, to youth learning and activities to bible study to days of retreat to adult forums — with even more activities being imagined and strategically planned for the next program year.

**Traditional and non-traditional families worship together** — we're working on evangelism, two young families registered just before Christmas and are among the 23 new registered members this year — and our diversity extends to people of different faith backgrounds, ethnicities, genders, cultures, orientations.

Admittedly, we do an excellent job waiting for the bobber to dip; and we're working harder, together, figuring out how to bait the hooks and draw more fish in.

**The Word faithfully proclaimed; the sacraments joyfully celebrated** — your clergy arduously study the scriptures to hear what the Spirit hopes to teach us each week; Gospel Based Discipleship is an ever-increasing practice among different groups within St. Christopher's; we've celebrated five baptisms, one marriage, five confirmations and 14 funerals — sometimes enhanced with rich

music and pageantry, and at other times appropriately accompanied by contemplative calm, even silence.

In all of these, a coterie of ministers faithfully step forward to lead in service: to prepare the altar and sanctuary, to carry the Eucharist to the needy, to sing and to play musical instruments, to envision new and more wonderful ways to encompass our expression of faith, to encounter Christ through sacred celebration and to carry that message out of our church doors to transform the world.

**Faith is manifested through service** — you bet, from the giving of funds, food, and sweat equity to a number of organizations, for example: Keystone Food Shelf, Loaves & Fishes, First Nations Kitchen, Habitat, Green Team, Feed My Starving Children; and the list goes on.

We may also add the service of parish governance, buildings and grounds, parish support, pastoral care, visiting the sick, assisting those who are in mourning, praying with the anxious, calling on the homebound, bringing the gift of the Eucharist to hospitals and homes, making a point of visiting with those who've lost a spouse, child or friend — manifesting service, indeed. And, over the past year, we've continued to define a system that both recognizes and cares for the pastoral needs of our parishioners.

**And food!** What can we say about food, except that heaven is so often described as a feast and here, at St. Christopher's, we're graced to mirror that feast every time we're seated next to one another at a meal — from Mother's Day Brunches and Barn Dance Feasts to Program Year Picnics and Lessons & Carols Soirees to Marching Society Breakfasts and staff lunches to Quilter's teas and SWAT soirees to German and Over 55s dinners to evenings of bridge.

Ah food. At St. Christopher's, our Lord has many tables where He's welcome to pull up a seat and celebrate.

And despite the fact that there's been a large overturn of staff, you — oh people of God — have come together, banded together, delightfully independent yet always swift to stand, shoulder to shoulder, and say "What's next will be defined by what's best..." Acknowledging, of course, the essential character of discipleship — docility (which shares the same root as disciple) — which means, we're teachable.

And you are that.

So, I humbly submit the Interim Rector's report for the annual meeting, concluding with a checklist where you invited me to imagine and through which I've experienced, in spades:

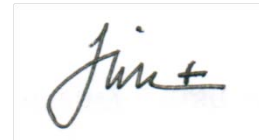
- Family & Fellowship? Check.
- Word & Sacrament? Check.
- Lifelong Learning? Check.
- Outreach & Care? Check.

In 2011, as our transitions continue, conclude and as new beginnings commences, *be the disciples Jesus calls you to be* on this Third Sunday of Epiphany:

- **Be patient** — wait for the fish
- **Persevere** — so the worm's gone... grab another
- **Be courageous** — respect the water and wear your life jacket
- **Wait for the right moment** — decide when the line is yours
- **Build bridges that connect** — give the fish what they like
- **Keep yourself out of sight** — be still or you'll get in the way

After all, Jesus has chosen you. And you're part of a happy band of fellow travelers — at St. Christopher's, the Episcopal Church in Roseville, where anyone whom we touch is invited to Meet Christ, Be Christ.

Respectfully submitted,



The Rev. Timothy L. Hodapp  
Interim Rector

## Assistant Priest's Report

Grace hath no equal like the love shown a grieving soul.

If there is one sentiment to summarize this past year for me, it is your gracious compassion toward me as Tom finished his journey to heaven. I have been the recipient of so much love, consideration and gentle prayers. I can never repay your generosity. But I pray I can 'pay it forward.'

You have journeyed a great distance as a parish—moving from the leadership of Fr. Michael to Fr. Tim (with a few skips in between). As an assistant, it has been my good pleasure to support your ministry in this time. You have been very willing to explore new directions and intentions of where God is calling. It is clear that God is not yet done with you, and multiple new possibilities are ahead. As this parish stands on the cusp of calling a new rector, my prayer for you is that you continue to be open to new directions and new leadership. The communal spirit has changed substantially. I pray you will hold that in your heart.

Mary Rowe has continued to be a tremendous support in providing pastoral care to this congregation. Thank you, Mary. And thank you to all LEVs and all who care so much for our shut-ins, hospitalized, and institutionalized.

## Deacon's Report

Last year I began my remarks by indicating that last year had been a year of change for St. Christopher's. And to be honest the same thing could be said for this past year as well. We are moving, changing and exploring as well discover who we are in 2011 and what we would like our next rector help us to become. It is an exciting time in our parish full of anticipation and the joy that comes from traveling down new and exciting paths.

February saw the a wonderful Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper with a Native American twist as the Social Justice Committee raised money to

support their ongoing involvement with First Nations Kitchen in South Minneapolis. This has become a parish wide activity with members from all generations, and very often whole families, taking part in helping serve and clean up the Sunday afternoon hot meal offered to the community of and surrounding All Saints Episcopal Indian Mission. The event was successful in terms of attendance, monies raised and most importantly delicious food served. The Junction aided in the kitchen prep.

The newly revised two year confirmation program saw the first students complete their studies. Taylor Fortmeyer, Tyler Spiro, Henry Bagstad and Ryan Slechta were confirmed in May by Bishop Prior. The class continues with four second-year students set for confirmation either this May or, if the Bishop's schedule allows, this coming fall (at this writing we are still trying to determine the Bishop's visitation schedule!), and four first-years. Please hold these young people in your prayers as they continue to discern what it means to be a baptized Christian in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.

We have merged the efforts of our Outreach and Social Justice Committees into one newly named venture. The Outreach and Justice Committee continues on with the work that both groups were doing and combines their efforts as St. Christopher's searches for new ways to bring the message and love of Christ out beyond the doors our parish. As always they are looking for ideas and members and well just folks to join in. Outreach and Justice is the responsibility of all of us. The committee has partnered with Children's Ministries and has taught the kids about sharing through KIVA loans, Feed My Starving Children and several ECS gatherings.

Speaking of ECS: The Adopt-a-Family for ECS was a HUGE success this year! We needed to go back and ask for more families! Many thanks to Marion Hunner and the Sunday School children, and all of the parish who so generously reached out to give Christmas to our ECS families. In addition, we helped ECS top their goal to provide the children of their families with a backpack filled with new school supplies this fall, and also helped kids keep

warm with new winter hats and mittens and gloves. As a parish family, we have made a significant contribution to the good work done by Episcopal Community Services this year. We continue to also collect clothing for both the Women's and Men's Ready for Success Programs.

Change has come to me as well. Last March I began work on a Master's Degree in Christian Liturgy through Sarum College in Salisbury, England. I am studying both early and modern church liturgy. I am, at this writing, through the halfway mark. Look for bit of knowledge gained to appear at the Adult Forum from time to time! Many thanks for the stipend to continue my education, that makes this possible.

We are on a course of change, a journey filled with new and exciting possibilities as we discover what it means to be a community of faith in the years to come. And while journeys can seem daunting at their beginning, it is comforting to remember that company along the way makes all the difference in the world. We are on this journey together and together we will discover all that God has in store for us. I give thanks for this community and the good work that you all do in Christ's name. As always, I hold in you my prayers.

In Christ's Love,

Deacon Janet

## Music Ministries

Many significant changes have taken place in the Music Ministry of St. Christopher's this year! Jacob Manier resigned before Easter, and Ben Henry-Moreland directed the choir for the balance of the spring. A series of supply organists supported our congregational singing and struggled with the idiosyncrasies of our organ through June. I began as Acting Director of Music in July, and spent the balance of the summer visiting with members and began getting a sense of what an inclusive and comprehensive music ministry might look like going forward.

In the fall, regular Parish Choir rehearsals began again. The choir had lost several staff and volunteer members in the spring, and lost a few more this quarter, who were frustrated with the size of the ensemble and the requisite change in the scope of the repertoire. Those who remained were boosted by staff singers AJ Lund and Michael Devine, and are committed to the rebuilding of the choir and the taking up of new challenges as the parish grows and changes. Though we can't manage six and eight part choral music at the moment, there are plenty of other options as we broaden our scope and bring in music from other cultures and musical styles. We are actively seeking new members!

The Archangels Children's Choir was formed in the fall as well. Extra time was allowed between the services to provide rehearsal time for these bright, energetic young members of our parish. Karin Brown directs, and I sit at the keyboard as we learn our anthems for worship. The Archangels sang several times this fall, most notably as part of the Festival of Lessons and Carols and at the Family Service on Christmas Eve. They sing with assurance, pleasant vocalism and clear diction; and they are a fabulous new addition to our music ministry. Any Sunday School child is welcome to join us at 9:00 on Sunday mornings.

The Handbell Choir gathers each Wednesday evening up in the gallery to prepare music for worship. They played a few times this fall to great acclaim, and are eager to build their skills and tackle more challenging music going forward. At present, we have seven ringers and will happily welcome more, as we have many more bells than seven ringers can handle. You, too, can ring handbells!

2010 culminated successfully with our choir's St. Cecilia Evensong in November, our intergenerational Festival of Lessons and Carols in December, and the Christmas liturgies, which were energetic and joy-filled. The many dedicated musicians here at St. Christopher's offer their very best to worship and praise our God. They practice

and perform in a spirit of loving community and I am so blessed to be a part of that community.

Respectfully submitted,

Karla Cole  
Director of Music

## Children's Ministries Report

Like every area at St. Christopher's, Children's Ministries underwent many changes in 2010. One of the biggest changes occurred with the hiring of a new Children's Ministries Director. After 10 years of dedicated service, Sandy Wittmann stepped down from this role in October. We had a very smooth transition as Marion Hunner took on this position. Sandy had done a marvelous job laying the groundwork for a successful program year and generously facilitated the transition.

With the help of our Music Director, Karla Cole, and volunteer Karin Brown, we have introduced the Archangels Choir. These singers are age PK – 6<sup>th</sup> grade, and they practice before Sunday School. They sang three times in 2010, and they are scheduled to sing three more times throughout the program year. There are 15 children in the Archangels choir.

We adopted a new Sunday School Curriculum titled *Weaving God's Promises*. This is a liturgical based curriculum designed for the Episcopal Church. The goal is to teach children the way of Christ, not only in the church but also in the world. This curriculum covers grades PK-6. For detailed information about the curriculum, visit the Children's Ministries section of the St. Christopher's website.

In addition to our new curriculum, we have condensed our Sunday School program into two classroom settings. The primary classroom serves preschool – Grade 2, and the upper classroom serves grades 3-6. We have 25 children enrolled in Sunday School.

In conjunction with ECS, we offered our entire congregation special multi-generational lessons as well as the opportunity to participate in three collection drives in 2010: Winter Warm Up, Thanksgiving Baskets, and Adopt-A-Family. All three were very successful.

This year our children were actively participated in the annual service of Lessons and Carols. They took on the roles of readers and singers as well as joining the grand procession. 15 children participated.

In addition to all of these new initiatives, we enjoyed many other events, including: Epiphany pageant, bowling blast, Youth and Children's Service, Lenten program: The Gospel According to Dr. Seuss, Easter Egg Hunt, Mother's Day Brunch, Vacation Bible School: Baobab Blast, Advent wreath making, Feed My Starving Children, and three fundraising efforts ( Linders, Honey Baked Ham and Dinners-to-Go).

We offer thanks to the Goedeke Memorial Fund for generously helping us renovate the Children's Library. With that financial support we were able to make the library space more user - friendly and inviting. In addition, we are grateful for a generous donation from Jean Watson's memorial that will be used over the next five years to enhance our programming.

The Children's Ministries Committee recently re-defined their vision with a dual focus: Christian Education and Family involvement. We are looking for people to help us carry out that vision. We meet monthly to evaluate our current programs and plan programming. If you are interested, please contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Marion Hunner - Children's Ministries Director

## Youth Ministries Report

In 2010, we continued to have a committed core of youth and youth parents. Over the weeks and months, youth met on Sunday morning between

services and Wednesday nights at 6:30 for education and fellowship.

Graduates this year included JJ Bayer, Megan Crow, Maggie Jones, and Laurel Krueger.

Perhaps the greatest disappointment was the cancellation of the mission trip to Chicago due to Rev. Wanda's personal situation. It has been re-scheduled for this summer in conjunction with St. Stephen's, Edina July 10-17.

However, the youth have been exploring a variety of different subjects this fall. We have been learning more about our Jewish and Muslim brothers and sisters. Youth have participated in serving First Nations meals, packing at Feed My Starving Children, and gathering presents for the Adopt-a-Family members. Youth have also taught several sessions of Sunday School, and been a part of the Youth/Children's service, and the Lessons and Carols.

This fall, we joined youth from across the metro in sleeping out at the State Fairgrounds for homelessness awareness in the 2010 Cardboard City. It was an awareness-raisingly cold night! Also this fall, our youth have been holding video interviews with St. Christopher's veterans. To date, they have interviewed over 15 veterans. It seems both veterans and youth have benefitted from this experience. In the next few weeks, the youth will edit these to put excerpts on our website. A full copy of the interviews will be available in the parish library.

We continued to seek ways to integrate with youth from other churches. This summer the Episcopal Youth Event (EYE), a tri-annual church-wide event will be coming to Bethel University June 22-26. While youth are housed and fed at Bethel, we hope to have some involvement with them. You can find more information on the Youth Board.

Please keep our youth in your prayers. Thank you for your support.

## The Wardens' Report

C: Hey Bruce, where did the year go?

B: I didn't know it was my turn to watch it!

C: Very funny! That's what I have to say; it has been a fun year with our parish. I'm grateful for your humor and hard work in serving our parish. And the parish rallied with that same hard work and passionate spirit and yes, fun, in helping move our parish forward in 2010.

C: Did we meet our goals?

B: We didn't set any!

C: Then I guess we met them.

B: It was a wonderful year. We started with a deficit budget and then were tested with additional financial obligations throughout the year. I am so proud of the finance committee and the Vestry that we successfully addressed these challenges, making the ethically correct decisions. Compensating Reverend Wanda for her more than full time work while waiting for an interim; paying off, in full, our delinquent 2008 AGC pledge; providing health benefits to Rev. Wanda when she needed it most.

C: Even with all of these extra expenses we ended up with a positive financial balance.

B: And to top that off, we had a few unanticipated expenses (like we always do) that we were able to address with from the wonderful philanthropic help of a few parishioners such as Elaine and the late Joub Erickson providing support to replace windows outside the library and classroom. And those anonymous benefactors (you know who you are) who helped us fix the office and chapel air conditioner, help replace the phone system and provided support for operational and programmatic expenses. Talk about a real Godsend.

C: Can I bring up the staff?

B: Absolutely! We sure had our share of staff matters. Weren't we on the staff at one time?

C: No, though some folks thought we were. Along with Fr. Michael heading west to be the bishop of Oregon; we said so long to Jacob Manier, our long time music director. Thankfully he helped us get through Lent and into Pentecost! And then Sandy Wittmann hit the ice (that is not meant to be a joke with the weather) after a long memorable tenure with Children's Ministries. And our Ruth Thillen kept it all together with all these comings and goings. Plus we were fortunate that another one of our own, Marion Hunner, stepped up to take the torch from Sandy.

B: Fortunately, we had Rev. Wanda as our clergy and Janet our deacon, (the Thelma and Louise of our parish), here to be our spiritual and faith formation anchors until Fr. Tim Hodapp came on the scene. As Fr. Michael moved on, I remember hearing some folks say that transition years are the toughest on a parish. While we had our challenges, I have to say our parish, each woman, man, youth and child stepped up in their own way to be our lay leaders in our efforts to truly thrive. I think RJ Duff's "Someone Else" obituary that ran in the Christ-o-Gram was a nice reminder that we all need to pitch in.

C: You said it brother. I think it started when Mary Rowe led our Vestry Retreat last February. That gathering helped set a tone for the vestry to go above and beyond in their duties, too. For example, when Vestry members Jennifer Wright and Jeff Jensen recruited the help of Carla Smith. They then organized and led a successful search for our wonderful Music Director, Karla Cole. And what a blessing she has been to our parish! From the archangel choir to the parish and handbell choirs, traditional and contemporary, Karla Cole's leadership has filled our parish with magical, marvelous, masterful, momentous music!

B: Mmmm, pretty good alliteration, and oh so right, caped crusader! Speaking of dynamic duos, our treasurer and clerk, otherwise known as the Olsons, helped Reverend Wanda orchestrate that wonderful Lenten Brew series last winter, attracting great crowds. Of course, that is just a sample of the many things they helped orchestrate this past year, like the new picture board. They

helped decorate the parish hall with the Big Bopper and Peggy Sue (Don and Julie Shiek). And the Shieks came through again, assisting our new German dinner chairs Mike and Carol Ammermann in another successful event.

C: That German dinner, along with the Treasure Sale led by Cheryl Warkentien and Jean Crow, the bake sale led by Joan McCanna and Karen Hanna, and the Silent Auction led by Carol Duff, Sally Brown and Karen Rajcic again provided us with funds to augment the weekly stewardship support throughout the year. And Jean Watson's spirit lives on through the estate gift she designated to support Children's Ministries. What a miracle it was during one of the most difficult economic times our country has seen since the great depression.

B: RJ Duff and the stewardship committee, along with key volunteers, did their part sharing ministry minutes, weekly stewardship quotes, and a great PowerPoint presentation, topped off by Fr. Tim's poignant stewardship sermon, led to a great first week response of the appeal. The handwritten thank you notes were a terrific touch pleasing many parishioners, something many of the veterans couldn't recall ever happened before.

C: Right on! We're grateful to all those who pledged to support the parish in the New Year. ...this year.

Yet with all that, our parish is far from easily cruising into the New Year financially. With what we have seen with the Roman Catholic parishes shutting down and some consolidating, and other Christian faiths facing declining membership, we aren't immune from declining membership as a faith and parish. We know that has an impact on the financial operations of the parish going forward. With the results of this year's stewardship appeal, we may seriously have to look at being a one-clergy-led parish in 2012, and rely more and more on laity. Reducing from three services to two every Sunday made perfect sense from all perspectives with our smaller membership. I think with what we experienced this year in terms of our fellow parishioners stepping up in leadership opportunities, we will be

able to address these challenges with enthusiasm and excitement.

B: That enthusiasm and excitement was best demonstrated by the merging of the Outreach and Social Justice committees. Remember that fabulous Shrove Tuesday dinner for First Nations Kitchen? And the great help the Junction provided, helping cook and serve. Parishioners young and old packed the parish hall. And that was just one of many activities throughout the year, capped off by the Feed My Starving Children at the beginning of December. Even if you melted a few bags, you have to say that was a fun experience led by Ebie Richards and Allison Jensen.

C: Okay, I held the sealer down too long. I think I was distracted by your bad jokes. Anyway, reflecting on our year, I'm sorry that I didn't get to out to visit all of our parish organizations like Quilters. Yet I know they do wonderful things, as evidenced by the beautiful quilts they produced and presented to young people, graduating seniors and newly baptized of our parish family.

Parish family! You know, we really are a family and one example of many that stood out to me was when I saw the last people in the parish hall after Dave Norling's funeral and reception. Those lovely ladies (and I know some guys too) were in the kitchen getting everything right and ready for all those who came to honor Dave and his family. And when most of the guests left, those who remained were Elaine and her family and our parish family. That's what I love about this parish. We are family!

B: You aren't going to sing that song from the 70's are you? We are family, I got sisters and me! .....

You are so right my friend! And we added a brother in a father.... Get that. Sometimes I crack myself up! ....Yes, Father Tim joined us in May and quickly became an inspiration and institution, teaching each one of us about ourselves and how to build upon our past to lead into the future. It came out in so many ways through his pastoral care, delivering sermons that touched our hearts and souls, and his genuine love for each one of us.

B: We of course welcomed Tim on his first Sunday with the renovation vote. I will let that issue stand on its own. Tim did build upon Vestry member Amy Anderson and her committee's strategic roadmap to create a brand platform for the parish which has been beneficial to the Transition Discovery Committee. "Meet Christ! Be Christ!"

C: Speaking of transition, we are grateful to the Discovery Committee for their efforts to prepare us to search for our new rector. With wild and great anticipation, we are looking forward to the work of the Search Committee in 2011. ... Hey, remember our efforts to better communicate the work of vestry with pulse of the parish? Well we at least let the parish know that the vestry still had a pulse. Did I tell you your humor is rubbing off on me?

B: I just can't come to the end of this (as I see the end coming!) without recognizing the work of our fellow parishioners in keeping the buildings and grounds in good repair, especially those in lead roles: Harold Danley, Jim Richards, Dave Ingram, Tom Hove and RJ Duff, and our midnight watchman, Don Hogenson.

C: And let us not forget all the folks who help the clergy and parish on Sundays such as the Greeters, Acolytes, Crucifers, Altar Guild (did I tell you that I experienced that this year?), Ushers, LEMs, Ushers, Readers, LEVs, Coffee Servers and Tellers. Who did I miss? There are so many of you that I am afraid I would forget someone, so I thank you all for serving our parish with great love and spirit.

B: Finally, we had a special visitor in December, and it wasn't Santa Claus. We were honored to host our new Bishop, the Right Reverend Brian Prior for our services and town hall meetings. He left us with a tremendous feeling of hope for the Episcopal faith in Minnesota. Always remember our mission statement for the Episcopal Church in Minnesota, "Engaging God's Mission."

C: Thank you all for a super, unforgettable year!

B: Amen!

# Committee Reports

## Altar Guild

Realizing the privilege of serving as "God's Housekeepers," we dedicate our work as an offering to God, to whom nothing but the best can be given. Perfect cleanliness and punctuality are absolutely essential in God's House, and are the external manifestation of the spirit of loyalty and devotion. We are doing our best, remembering how very important it is for the work of preparation in the chancel to be inconspicuous.

Our membership includes: Kathy Ackerman, Lynn Baxter, Linda Bergum, Barb Danley, Jean Hammer, Susan Hanson, Karen Hartman, Barb Herrmann, Pam Hove, Steph Mann, Ruth Mayr, Ann Olson, Mary Richards, and Julie Shiek.

This year a new blue Chasuble (the last vestment put on by the priest who is to celebrate the Holy Eucharist, and never worn at any other service) was designed and sewn by Linda Bergum. This vestment completes the Advent set that was given a few years ago in memory of Rachel Kimbrell, by Ann and Earl Olson.

Jean Hammer, Directress

## Coffee Fellowship

Coffee and a treat after the service is part of our tradition. It's where we share our lives and get some church business done. It's where newcomers can meet others and get involved in a ministry. Who makes the "COFFEE" has been a problem for many years. Before the times of the services changed, we had three separate systems—a small group of people getting together after the 7:45 in the Gathering Room; the large coffee and treats after the 9:00 service. Many of the people making coffee after 9:00 were also

waiting for their children to finish Sunday School. And the leftover coffee and treats from the 9:00 service were taken to the Gathering room for fellowship after the 11:00.

We have been struggling to find a schedule that will work for coffee/treats after both services. At this date we still do not have a schedule full of happy "coffee" makers. Please look at your schedule and then sign up! If everyone made coffee once a quarter, we would have an abundance of help. What a problem to have. So please sign up as soon as possible. There are sheets on the tables with the instructions and tasks for each time slot.

We want to thank everyone who has kept the coffee going during the fall. If you have questions or ideas please contact Ann Olson.

Submitted by Ann Olson

## Columbarium Committee

There were two interments this year. Again, we are indebted to Karen Machlica and Russ Blankenfeld for their generous gifts of delivering and picking up the shutters for engraving at Anderson Memorials in Rochester, MN.

We have some niches available at the cost of \$1000, if you are interested in purchasing one. Please contact the office if you have questions.

We have set aside one niche for Community need, persons with no Church or without financial means. Suzanne Hitchcock will be contacting area Churches to let them know of this space.

Pam Hove

# Endowment Board

*Submitted by Tom Linder*

The Endowment Fund Board met several times in 2010, continuing to oversee the custodianship of the fund.

The American Fund and Mairs and Power continue to be the chosen investment vehicles for the Endowment Fund monies. After a rough 2008, the endowment recovered most of the previous losses in 2009 and made clear gains in 2010.

Date	Fund Total	Grant
June 2006 fund begins	\$279,680	
Dec 2006	\$302,665	
Dec 2007	\$320,037	\$1000
Dec 2008	\$244,332	\$850
Dec 2009	\$296,044	\$500
Dec 2010 (investment increase only)	\$344,000	\$2500
Dec 2010 (including Murray gift)	\$544,000	\$9000 (proposed 2011)

It is important to remember that the Endowment Fund remains separate from the operating budget and only a portion of that amount will be liquid and available for annual distribution. The remainder will be reinvested to maintain the “seed” and provide the return on the fund mandated in the Investment Guidelines. The Endowment Board approved \$2500 for distribution to eligible individuals or groups for 2010. These went to many projects, detailed below. The Board met in early January 2011 to determine an award for 2011. We will recommend to the vestry a \$9000 distribution for 2011, reflecting the history we now have for the fund.

If you are interested in applying for a grant in 2011, the requests (forms available from Ruth or at Annual Meeting) may be for any of the following purposes:

- 1) Capital needs of the Parish
- 2) Outreach ministries and grants
- 3) Seed money for new ministries and special one-time projects
- 4) Other purposes as specifically designated by donors to the Endowment Fund.

Last year many people sought and were granted funds. Apply for one this year if you see a need.

Grant title	grant requested	total cost	details	requester	Committee recommendation
<b>Outreach</b>	\$2,500	\$6,000	Habitat for Humanity work week	Ebie Richards	\$700
<b>Signs (rummage, etc)</b>	\$200	\$200	better advertise sales and events at the church	Jean Crow	\$200
<b>Coat rack near parish hall</b>	\$250	\$250	parish groups and outside meetings	Peggy Barker	\$0

youth mission trip	\$2,000	\$12,000	Make trip more affordable. Other fundraisers planned	Julie Bayer	\$300
continuing education for youth ministries director	\$1,300	\$2,600	Sandy takes classes to improve her effectiveness	Julie Bayer for Sandy Wittmann	\$650
VBS workbooks and support	\$150	\$1,000	\$110 for workbooks plus aid for tuition reduction	Marion Hunner	\$150
VBS advertising	\$280	\$280	ads in local Lillie Papers to make VBS available to more children	Marion Hunner	\$280
Fellowship 50's event	\$500	?	Party invites folks in the area including and beyond St. Chris	Don Shiek	\$220
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$7,180</b>	<b>\$22,330</b>			<b>\$2,500</b>

## Fellowship Committee

This committee still has the same format; we still assist others where needed; we do cakes for special events, most recently celebrating the visit of Bishop Prior. Over the years, we've served snacks for Christmas Pageant participants, meals for Pledge Sunday and Shrove Tuesday, arranged outings to Saints ball games and plays, we've supported the annual Barbershop shows. Last April, we put together a Parish Party "**Back to the 50's**" which had a multi-generational attendance and raised over \$160.00 for Outreach and more than 50 lbs. of food for Keystone Food Shelf. Today, the luncheon being served was put together by this committee. I would like to thank the members for all their dedication and hard work. They are: Peg Barker, Russ Blankenfeld,

Karen Machlica, Pam and Tom Hove, Ann and Earl Olson, Ebie Richards, Julie Shiek, and Barb Wilkinson.

We are always open to new members, so if you are interested please contact any one of us; we'd love to have you.

Don Shiek, Chair

## Funeral Hospitality:

The funeral hospitality committee wants to thank all the people who helped make the funeral hospitality ministry happen in 2010. We want to thank everyone who set the tables, served coffee, washed dishes, made bars, cooked the food, folded napkins, shopped, washed the table cloths,

planned, and all the other tasks. We want to specially thank Tom Hove and RJ Duff for all their work setting up the tables and chairs and general cleaning.

There were 15 funerals in 2010. Each funeral takes 12-20 people plus the folks who make the bars. Each person is asked to give a few hours and in doing so they gain new friends and the satisfaction of giving to their Christian community. It is an immense gift of time and talent!

We are the Church. This is your opportunity to help with a very important ministry that reaches out to all members. Please consider volunteering, if everyone would give a few hours this important ministry will continue to help people in grief.

If you have question contact Peg Barker @ 663-6826 or Steph Mann @484-5428.

To volunteer please call Ann Olson @484-8805.

Submitted by Ann Olson

## Memorial Book

Five red binders in the library contain all the parish memorial and bequest records. Not surprisingly, these are a bit sketchy for some of the earlier years. New information is added two or three times per year. Corrections and additions are easy to make, provided this information is given to the church office or to the record compiler.

—Ella Snyder

## Outreach & Justice

*Serving Together: Outreach & Justice*

“The religious voice will remind you that how you deal with the small stuff does not affect you alone—your actions may have consequences beyond your wildest imagining.”

Presiding Bishop Katharine Schori

Feeding the poor, housing the poor, and protecting the earth are major emphases for the merged Outreach and Social Justice groups, as decided Oct. 25. Going forward, the activities and programs that will receive the most energy and

publicity are: Keystone Food Shelf, Loaves & Fishes, First Nations Kitchen, Habitat for Humanity, Green Team (new), Feed My Starving Children, Meals on Wheels, and kiva microloans.

### **New mission statement:**

We enlighten our community to serve all of God's Creation with love, justice, dignity, and generosity.

### **In 2010, we gave time, talent, and treasure to the following:**

**Keystone Food Shelf**—Our donations of food (988 pounds) and cash (\$210) this year were enough to feed one person for an entire year. It's as though we adopted an individual! Good job by all!

**Loaves & Fishes**—Our involvement with the Loaves & Fishes outreach ministry has successfully completed its 16<sup>th</sup> year at Faith Lutheran Church in St. Paul. In cooperation with St. Philip/St. Thomas Episcopal Church, we serve on the second Monday of odd months. In 2010, our average number of guests was 140, and the two churches each provide about 10 volunteers who prepare the food, serve, and clean up. Thank you to all who work and all who donate to defray the cost of the food.

**First Nations Kitchen**—On 10 Sundays from November 2009 to December 2010, 34 parishioners have helped serve at least 700 meals to people from the neighborhood of First Nations Kitchen in Minneapolis. First Nations, which serves indigenous foods to model healthy eating for the needy, is a ministry of All Saints' Episcopal Mission church. First Nations Kitchen manager Martha Allen, All Saints' vicar Rev. Robert Two Bulls, his family, a drum group, and other guests from All Saints joined us this spring for a Shrove Tuesday dinner that raised \$938 for First Nations Kitchen. Jim and Jan DuRose of Countryside Restaurant donated their services to cook for the crowd.

**Habitat for Humanity**—Nine people from St. Christopher's handled hammers and a dozen people provided food during our one-week work session in collaboration with St. Timothy's Lutheran this summer; plus \$2,100 benevolence.

**Green Team**—A new group, launched Dec. 1, 2010, will start by focusing on our church's energy consumption. All people of all ages are welcome to join.

**Feed My Starving Children**—In conjunction with Children's Ministries, we packed food twice in 2010, during Lent and Advent; the Quilters also packed food for children in Haiti, Nicaragua, and other developing countries. On Dec. 4, 2010, for example, 30 parish members, family and friends pitched in, and with other groups, packed enough food to feed 79 children for a year. Watch for new dates in 2011 and join in—it's fun and, if you want, you can keep the hairnet!

**Meals on Wheels**—Enables seniors to live independently by delivering nutritious meals on a regular or short-term basis to those 60 and older and as well as disabled adults. The program is cooperatively funded from clients, donations, Roseville Area Schools, North Suburban Senior Council, Ramsey County, and the Metropolitan Agency on Aging, Inc. The cost of a meal, including administrative costs, is \$7.60; most clients in our area donate \$4.30, based on a sliding scale. In 2010, the program served 25,292 meals.

St. Christopher's volunteers drive every third Tuesday, donating gas and about one and a half hours of their time. We deliver to nine routes, with eight to ten clients on each route. We thank our dedicated volunteers: Peggy Barker, Lynn and Jerry Baxter, Bill and Jean Brown, Sally Brown, Pam and Loren Case, Harold and Barbara Danley, Ray and Karen Gerst, Sue Hanson, David and Joan Ingram, Fran Manderson, Jill and Ernie Miel, Barbara Noble, Jim and Ebie Richards, John and Jean Swesey, and Barbara Wilkinson.

**Kiva microloans**—Kiva microloans, funded by donations and proceeds from our first Abundant Dinner in 2007, provide money to entrepreneurs in the developing world through an online service. Among our total 100 borrowers, for example, is Ngenda Rwangano of Uganda, who is married with seven children. She asked for a loan to buy onions and garlic to sell. "She hopes to grow her savings account, well-school her children, and build a house for her family." St. Christopher's 100

loans add up to \$6,075. Of that, 58 loans totaling \$4,576 have been re-paid so far, allowing us to lend again. In lending, we use the Millennium Development Goals to guide us; 84 percent of recipients so far have been women, often supporting children.

**Quilters and Knitters**—In 2010, our quilters delivered 54 quilts to Women's Advocates, Women of Nations, and Tubman Family Alliance. They made 5 quilts for the newly baptized, 4 for our high school graduates, and 4 to auction for the Silent Auction and the Spring Quilters' luncheon. Knitters also created and gave away many prayer shawls, lap robes, scarves, baby caps, baby blankets, and baptism stoles.

**Ready for Success**—During 2010, we have collected and delivered six carloads of gently used clothing to both Ready for Success sites. Clothing for men as well as women is needed to enable people to transition back to the work force. In the spring, we have a special drive for personal care items.

—Outreach & Justice as a group, or in conjunction with Children's Ministries, or with the parish, also supports: United Thank Offering (UTO), Refugee Resettlement, Daffodils for Cancer, and, through Episcopal Community Services: Adopt-A-Family and Ready for Success.

—We help the following financially, dividing \$1,500 among them: Episcopal Church Home, Episcopal Migration Ministries, Episcopal Public Policy Network, Integrity, Joint Religious Legislative Coalition, Meals on Wheels, St. Paul Area Council of Churches, University Episcopal Center, Youth Crisis/First Call for Help.

—Community outreach includes hosting the Bloodmobile, serving as an election site, and cleaning up Hamline Avenue through Adopt-A-Highway.

Want to know more, do more, pray for more? Join us on the fourth Monday of the month, 7 p.m., in the Parish Hall, or add your name to the group e-mail list; see Allison Jensen or send a note to [aajensen1@hotmail.com](mailto:aajensen1@hotmail.com).

**Thank you** to all who take part, who donate, and who pray for the needy and for justice.

--Ebie Richards and Allison Jensen, for the Outreach & Justice group

Resources online:

- **Minnesota Interfaith Power & Light (formerly Congregations Caring for Creation)**  
[www.mnipl.org](http://www.mnipl.org)
- **Episcopal Community Services** [www.ecsmn.org](http://www.ecsmn.org)
- **Episcopalians for Global Reconciliation**  
[www.e4gr.org](http://www.e4gr.org)
- **Feed My Starving Children** [www.fmssc.org](http://www.fmssc.org)
- **Habitat for Humanity (Twin Cities)**  
[www.tchabitat.org](http://www.tchabitat.org)
- **Integrity**—working for the inclusion of all the baptized in all the sacraments  
[www.integrityusa.org](http://www.integrityusa.org)
- **Kiva microloans** [www.kiva.org](http://www.kiva.org)
- **Peace Coffee** [www.peacecoffee.com](http://www.peacecoffee.com)

## Parish Support

*What is it?*

Parish Support Group is a group of people who take turns monthly to remember those in need, in ill health, and shut-ins. (Best part of it is that there are NO meetings! ... and no expense to members other than their time.)

*What does it do?*

Each member of the group, during their monthly turn...

- 1) Makes one phone call to the office each week to see if there are any members of the parish in need,
- 2) Sends cards, if needed, to shut ins, those ill at home or in the hospital (cards and postage provided).
- 3) Calls others in the parish who have offered to help with meals or transportation (names are listed in a notebook).
- 4) Keeps track of the PSG notebook of what is done during their month.

*What can you do?*

-Let the clergy know if you or your family has a need.

-If you are able to provide a meal or part of a meal (occasionally)

*or*

If you are able to provide transportation, such as rides to a Dr. appointment (occasionally)

*or*

If you would like to be a member of the group and take a turn for a month, or share a month with another person...

Call Barb Wilkinson at 651.638.1947, or the church office, 661.633.4589.

Or a current member:

Mary Armitage	Betty Davies
Joyce Goedeke	Marcia Rockwood
Karen Gerst	Julie Shiek
Barbara Herrmann	Sally Brown
Ann Olson	Ramona Luikart
Maxine Kuehnel	Barbara Wilkinson

## Picture Board Update:

The wardens decided in the spring that our Picture Board needed to be updated very badly. The design stayed the same, but we needed to remove pictures of people who were no longer members of the community, add newcomers, and get new pictures for the rest of us. You could tell how long it had been since the picture had been taken when you see how much the children have grown. Our special thanks to Ellen Stubbs who has been “shooting” people all fall. The picture Board will be checked every two months, and Ellen will be taking photos several times a year. Please update your picture if you have not done so, and use the picture board when looking for someone in the parish. You all know what it's like to have coffee with someone for the first time and then forget their name... Smile!

Submitted by Ann Olson

## Silent Auction / Treasure Sale / German Dinner:

These three events take a lot of time, give us an opportunity to recycle and give to the community, share our gifts and talents, make us needed money and give us fellowship and laughter. They are not just three events, they are very much who we are as a parish.

We would like to thank everyone who participated, specially the leadership:

Silent Auction—Sally Brown, Carol Duff, & Karen Rajcic.

Treasure Sale—Jean Crow, Cheryl Warkentien, Ann Jones & Karen Hartman.

German Dinner—Mike and Carol Ammermann, Don and Julie Shiek, and Peggy Barker.

Line item #412 on the income page of the 2010 budget has a budget amount of \$15,000. This is what we made: Silent Auction \$9,755, Treasure Sale \$3,073 and the German Dinner \$1,351 (and a few last-year's event increases) for a total of \$14,607! Good, but we need more. Change can make "things" grow and we hope that you are challenged and encouraged to participate in one or all of these events in 2011. We need new leadership in the Silent Auction and perhaps the Treasure Sale.

—Submitted by Ann Olson

## Worship Committee

Liturgically we have made significant changes during this year with the advent of our new music director, Karla; and the change from three to two Sunday services. This has allowed us to explore various liturgical elements together in differing combinations, providing new worship experiences for each 'congregation'.

During the year, we have again celebrated standard services such as a full Holy Week schedule, Lessons and Carols, and Ash Wednesday. We have also offered the Blessing of Animals, a Youth/Children's Service, and other special occasions.

One of the 2009 decisions was to more aggressively make use of our banners. We have quite a selection of seasonal banners, helpfully catalogued by Jean and Madisen Crow.

The Worship Committee meets at least quarterly to review success of past offerings, and deliberate about upcoming services, seasonal changes, and a consistent approach to our worship style. Thanks to Jean Brown, Jean Crow, Jean Hammer, John

and Lyn Lawyer, Laurie Toensing, and staff members for their participation in this group.

## Parish Administrator's Note

I want to express my sincere thanks to the many people who volunteer in the office—

### Office Angels:

Susie van Zandt  
Stephanie Mann  
Suzanne Hitchcock  
Betty Davies  
Judy Welch

### Proofreaders:

Jill Miel  
Laurie Toensing

### Traveler Crew and Folders:

Susie van Zandt  
Betty Davies  
Georgia Howie  
Judy Welch  
Barb & Harold Danley  
Joann Halvorson  
Barbara Georgi  
Jim & Ebie Richards  
Barbara Wilkinson

(I hope I haven't forgotten anyone!)

And, last, but VERY certainly not least, Darlene Cross, for organizing the office filing system and all of the archives.

Thank you all for helping make our office run smoothly and our communications timely!

--Ruth Thillen

# Vestry Candidate Biographies

## SENIOR WARDEN



**Bruce Warkentien**

Hey! It's me again. Just like a bad dream, I never seem to go away. Most of you know my wife, Cheryl, and our two grown children, Karen & Kevin, but now we have a new family member, our 9 month old granddaughter, Kaitlin Ann. Don't ask me why I volunteered for Senior Warden again – I am really not sure other than to say I enjoy being around YOU, the parishioners of St. Christopher's. There is definitely some excitement in my decision to serve as Senior Warden: One is sharing MY spiritual life with YOU; another is being part of the Vestry that welcomes our new Rector; and yet another joy will be serving with Allison Jensen as the other half of our wardens team. I knew Allison had a passion for Outreach & Social Justice, but I have since learned how open and interested she is to all aspects of St. Christopher's and how she genuinely cares about everyone. We will all be blessed to have Allison's love for our church influencing our Vestry decisions.

## JUNIOR WARDEN



**Allison Jensen**

A writer and editor by profession, I am committed to open and respectful communications. I would be honored to serve as junior warden during this exciting time of transition for our parish. I was welcomed into St. Christopher's community about six years ago. Since then, I helped set up a social justice group of the Outreach Committee, served on the Vestry, and currently am a member of the Discovery Committee. My previous parish was St. Paul's on the Hill, where I was baptized in 1999 and served on the Vestry and the Stewardship Committee.

## VESTRY MEMBERS



**Jeff Jensen**

I am employed as a Project Manager at Fairview Health Services. Since March of 2010, I have been on the vestry fulfilling the term of a member who resigned. I also participated in the committee that selected Karla Cole as Interim Music Director. I have been the vestry liaison to the Discovery Committee and have learned a great deal about St. Christopher's in the process. I would be glad to continue to serve St. Christopher's, to assist in completing the work being done during this transition period. I have been active in the choir at St. Christopher's since 2008. I have regularly attended St. Christopher's since July 2006 and was confirmed as a member in November 2009. Prior to my time at St. Christopher's, I had been a lifelong member of Epworth United Methodist Church in St. Paul. At Epworth, I served on many committees over my years of membership.



### **Ann Olson**

Earl and I joined St. Christopher's in 1985. Since that time, I have served the parish in many capacities. Some of those are: teaching Sunday School, Befriender and Befriender coordinator, LEM, Lector, Facility Manager, Chair of Stewardship Committee and chair of the Silent Auction, Facilitator at DOCC three times, Newcomers committee, and Evangelism committee. I served on the vestry for three years, and was the Jr. and Sr. warden in 1996-97, during our last interim. I am a Cursillista and completed the four-year EFM course from Swanee Seminary.

My current ministries include: Altar Guild, Teller, member of the Fellowship Committee, Clerk of the Vestry, Caller for the Funeral committee, member of the Stewardship Committee and the Evangelism Committee. I am the coordinator of the Picture Board. I write bible stories for VBS. I'm a Quilter, on the Parish Support Committee, in charge of the Dining Club, and play bridge, both Couples and Women's. I manage the UTO ministry for the parish, and I'm coordinator of Sunday morning Coffee Fellowship. I have done the PR for the Silent Auction, Treasure Sale, and German Dinner for over 7 years. With Earl, I'm the Treasurer of these events.

And I make POSTERS! The reason I do what I do, is I feel called to service in this community. I have the time to give, and I have Fun! Thank you for the opportunity to serve you on the vestry.



### **Mary Pendergrass**

I was born in Carlsbad, New Mexico and grew up, mostly, in that state. I was raised in the Presbyterian Church, but when I was in college I was confirmed into the Episcopal Church. At about that same time, my parents and two of my three brothers also decided to become members of the Episcopal Church.

I have a BA degree in History from Lindenwood College (now Lindenwood University) in St. Charles, Missouri, and a second BA in Zoology from the University of Kansas. I married William Pendergrass and lived in the Midwest, on the West Coast, and in the Southwest before finally settling in Alexandria, Virginia, where I lived for 30 years. I have two daughters, Katherine Norlander and Kirstie Pendergrass. I was a stay-at-home mother until my youngest daughter was in second grade. At that point I went to work as a legal secretary, and I worked in that field for about 25 years. When I retired in April 2008, I moved to New Brighton, Minnesota to be near Kate, her husband and daughter.

While I lived in Virginia I joined St. Christopher's Episcopal Church in Springfield, Virginia, where I was a member for a little over 25 years. As a member of St. Christopher's in Springfield, I was active on the Outreach Committee for a number of years and was also a lay reader. Here, at St. Christopher's, I am a lector and I am also on the Discovery Committee as part of the search process for our new rector.

I think what first attracted me to the Episcopal Church was the beauty of the liturgy. I believe I continue to grow in my faith. I am especially enjoying being a part of the Adult Forum this year where I am gaining a better understanding of the Church and am being reminded of things I'd forgotten since confirmation classes.



### **Robert Williams**

I was raised Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod). My former church was not inclusive. Several years after my Confirmation, I felt that it was no longer my "Church." In August 1992, I moved to Minnesota from Iowa. Late in 1992, I was "church shopping." Mid-1993, I became a member of St. Christopher's. When I first arrived at St. Christopher's, it was - and still is - a welcoming and friendly congregation.

My partner, (Reverend) Christopher Haack, joined St. Christopher's about one year later. Currently, Christopher is the Deacon at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Apostles, on Saint Paul's East Side, a mostly Hmong Church. About once a month, I try to attend

Church of the Holy Apostles.

There are several reasons why I agreed to be a Candidate for the Vestry. For a little over 17 years, St. Christopher's has been my (home) Church. I agreed to become a Candidate for the Vestry because I could no longer "sit on the side-lines." About 10 years ago, I started to become more active in St. Christopher's ministries and I still volunteer my time to several of them. Presently, I am the Volunteer Coordinator for The First Nations Kitchen (at St. Christopher's). As a Vestry Member, I will try to keep St. Christopher's from turning inward and forgetting its rich history helping the "Community."

Recently, I have experienced and enjoyed different styles of worship or liturgy. Each church service came into being by the parish's history (and location). For that reason, it makes them unique, yet there still a common thread throughout them all. Since I do volunteer for several Ministries and regularly attend dual churches, I hope that I can add a different perspective on things while keeping St. Christopher's best interest in mind.

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	2010 BUDGET Jan. 2010	2010 ACTUAL	2011 Budget
<b>Income:</b>			
<b>Offerings</b>			
401 - Prior Year Pledges	4,450	317	600
421 - Contributing Members	12,000	17,791	21,944
400 - Pledges Made--Current Year	341,000	324,654	331,703
417 - Pledges - Prepaid	0	14,464	
405 - Plate Offerings	4,000	6,606	6,180
406 - Special Offerings	6,000	2,643	6,180
XXX 2010 Surplus (previously bequests)	5,500	0	8,332
Total Offerings	372,950	366,475	374,939
<b>Building Use</b>			
442 Bldg Use--AGGS	75	0	75
430 Bldg Use--MN Chinese Day Care	20,520	20,920	21,136
431 Bldg Use--Flute Lessons	400	785	750
432 Bldg Use--Sat. a.m.	800	880	960
433 Bldg Use--Sensory Testing	800	1,000	800
434 Bldg Use--Tuesday OA	360	360	360
435 Bldg Use--Debtors Anonymous	180	120	180
437 Bldg Use--Bonsai	360	360	360
438 Bldg Use--SatSang/Meditation	400	466	400
439 Bldg Use--Wed AA	600	700	600
451 Bldg Use--Occasional	500	300	200
440 Bldg Use--Clutterers Anonymous	180	185	180
443 Bldg Use--Scottish Dancers	216	207	216
Total Building Use	25,391	26,283	26,217
<b>Other Income</b>			
412 Fundraising Events	15,000	14,607	15,000
415 Prime Vest - Prime Sweep	0	17	5
414 Int CD	612	610	1,200
416 Int Checking	0	10	9
Total Other Income	15,612	15,244	16,214
<b>Total Income</b>	413,953	408,002	417,370

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		2010 BUDGET	2010 ACTUAL	2011
		Jan. 2010		Budget
44	<b>Expenses:</b>			
45	<b>Salaries &amp; Benefits</b>			
46	500 Rector	61,555	49,163	0
47	XXX Interim			7,009
48	XXX Future rector			41,475
49	501 Sr. Associate / PT Associates	31,175	41,567	0
50	501.1			44,151
51	611 Parish Administrator	36,050	36,050	37,132
52	592 Children's Nursery Aide	1,200	843	1,200
53	612 Sexton & Substitute (\$200)	15,151	15,409	15,080
54	596 Youth Director	0	0	0
55	623 Music Director	37,202	30,426	32,500
56	630 Children's Ministries Director	17,047	18,032	17,056
57	604 Music Organist Substitute		0	800
58	610 Administrative Assistant		0	0
59	Seminarian Support		0	1,000
60	Supply Priest		0	1,400
61	507 Auto Use	5,440	2,840	5,440
62	508 Continuing Education	4,050	4,000	4,375
63	509 Medical Insurance - Clergy	2,872	8,024	15,600
64	510 Life Insurance Clergy	324	210	420
65	511 Life Insurance Staff	648	455	840
66	512 Pension - Rector	11,080	9,141	8,727
67	513 Pension - Staff	8,127	5,220	6,267
68	514 FICA Taxes - Non Clergy	10,528	9,342	9,030
69	520 Professional Expense - Clergy	850	1,321	1,000
70	594 Medical - Staff	25,800	18,809	17,520
71	602 Pension - Associate	5,612	7,482	7,947
72	Total Salary & Benefits	274,711	258,334	275,968
73				
74	<b>Christian Education</b>			
75	519 Children's Ministries	1,200	1,200	2,775
76	528 Youth Programs & Activities	600	600	1,082
77	515 Adult Education	350	710	550
79	Total Christian Educ.	2,150	2,511	4,407
80				
81	<b>Pastoral Care</b>			
82	518 Hospitality/Reception/Fellowship	250	422	350
83	536 Library	400	535	400
84	529 Newcomers	260	3	260
86	542 Parish Support Group	800	450	800
87	Total Pastoral Care	1,710	1,411	1,810

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		2010 BUDGET	2010 ACTUAL	2011
		Jan. 2010		Budget
88				
89	<b>Facilities</b>			
90	564 Bldg. Services & Supplies	5,500	5,071	5,500
91	565 Snow Removal & Lawn Care	4,600	5,225	5,000
92	563 Building Maintenance	5,000	4,332	5,000
93	570 Property Tax Dellwood	1,796	1,808	1,523
94	569 Heating	13,000	9,367	11,500
95	690 Electric	11,000	11,071	11,500
96	691 Outside Lighting	700	638	700
97	692 Water and Sewer	2,000	2,068	2,000
98	Total Facilities	43,596	39,581	42,723
99				
100	<b>Insurance</b>			
101	567 Comp. Prop & General Liability	11,724	9,810	9,917
104	681 Workers' Comp Ins.	2,000	1,205	1,249
105	Total Insurance	13,724	11,015	11,166
106				
107	<b>Music</b>			
108	533 Music Operations	1,800	1,800	2,290
109	XXX Staff Singers	0	0	0
110	605 Instrument Maintenance	510	675	880
112	Total Music	2,310	2,475	3,170
113				
114	<b>Outreach/Advocacy</b>			
115	571 Apportionment for Common Good	57,874	62,366	57,104
117	534 Evangelism	300	204	300
118	538 Outreach & Justice	900	900	3,896
119	537 Social Justice	200	183	0
120	Total Outreach/Advocacy	59,274	63,653	61,300
121				
122	<b>Administration</b>			
123	549 Bank Chgs--Safe Deposit Box	840	828	800
124	527 Finance Committee	250	200	250
125	974 Stock Gift Costs & Gains	500	430	500
126	Copier	(3,000)	-3,530	-3,000
127	552 Equipment Maintenance & Agreements	1,650	1,733	1,150
128	553 Equipment	1,000	1,233	1,250
129	554 Office Supplies	5,000	5,228	5,000
130	555 Postage	3,000	3,063	3,200
131	559 Telephone	1,884	1,667	1,750
132	560 Copies/Printing	900	693	900
133	561 Traveler	700	334	500
134	587 Computer Software Support	500	696	800
135	598 Computer - Web Site	500	479	500
136	Total Administration	13,724	13,055	13,600

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		2010 BUDGET Jan. 2010	2010 ACTUAL	2011 Budget
137				
138	<b>Parish Wide</b>			
139	522 Diocese Convention Delegates	600	403	1,000
140	541 Parish Directory	120	57	160
142	544 Personnel Committee	0	58	0
143	523 Memorial Book	50	44	65
144	524 Unpaid Pledges	7,161	0	6,966
145	Total Parish Wide	7,931	562	8,191
146				
147	<b>Stewardship</b>			
148	526 Stewardship	400	195	400
149	535 Pledge Envelopes	300	396	300
150	551 Pledge Reports	150	0	150
151	Total Stewardship	850	591	850
152				
153	<b>Vestry</b>			
154	558 Annual Report	100	66	75
155	547 Vestry Meetings	150	207	200
156	543 Vestry Workshops	150	105	150
157	628 Vestry Annual Meeting	100	0	50
158	621 Volunteer Recognition	150	0	150
159	590 Unanticipated Expenditures	0	2,960	0
160	Total Vestry	650	3,337	625
161				
162	<b>Worship</b>			
163	530 Acolytes	100	0	100
164	531 Altar Guild	1,000	1,034	1,285
165	572 Bulletins	1,950	2,022	1,950
166	545 Worship Committee	200	87	200
168	Total Worship	3,250	3,143	3,535
169				
170	<b>Endowments</b>			
171	550 Endowment/Planned Giving	50	2	25
172	<b>Total Expense</b>	423,930	399,669	427,370
173				
174	<b>Income - Expense</b>	-9,977	8,332	-10,000

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<b>General Fund</b>						
<b>Designated Asset</b>						
1200 Reserve for Repair and Repl	0.00	5,500.00	0.00	5,500.00	0.00	5,500.00
<b>Designated Asset</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>5,500.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>5,500.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>5,500.00</b>
<b>Donor Restricted</b>						
915 Childrens Chapel	1,639.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,639.51
914 Bell Choir	317.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	317.14
923 Golf League	85.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	85.00
902 Building Renovation Fund	32,886.68	20.00	0.00	1,265.00	1,700.00	32,451.68
916 Fellowship Fund	1,183.14	0.00	0.00	971.00	1,265.73	888.41
917 Garden Fund	229.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	76.11	153.64
924 Couples Bridge	141.42	7.50	0.00	157.50	0.00	298.92
920 Music Enrichment	3,575.71	10,790.00	2,311.74	13,932.50	6,854.57	10,653.64
913 Dishwasher	3,020.00	200.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	3,220.00
919 Fund Raising Events	1,000.00	562.00	854.76	1,643.00	1,643.00	1,000.00
922 Altar Guild	2,588.49	1,340.00	1,350.00	2,842.50	4,127.50	1,303.49
901 Quilters	2,002.80	85.00	0.00	3,205.58	2,897.11	2,311.27
941 Children's Ministries	4,282.92	293.00	495.59	6,688.66	6,885.58	4,086.00
942 Peace Coffee Fund	196.74	698.00	495.31	1,987.00	1,786.45	397.29
943 Outreach Advoc/Benevolence	1,651.47	265.00	1,350.00	4,484.49	5,131.09	1,004.87
912 Funeral Fund	2,338.44	962.50	575.32	2,857.73	1,594.20	3,601.97
925 Kitchen Fund	1,159.57	860.00	90.87	2,070.00	430.65	2,798.92
975 Adopt-A-Family	1,039.98	170.00	107.71	370.00	107.71	1,302.27
977 Baptismal Font--Women of St	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.00
1041 Rector Discretionary	0.00	500.00	696.21	2,135.57	2,135.57	0.00
993 UTO	0.00	19.98	866.98	1,496.98	1,496.98	0.00
669 Youth Ministries--Donor Res	11,624.38	979.25	104.00	2,649.25	702.00	13,571.63
1003 Library--Donor Restricted	15.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.07
998 Donor Restricted--Pass Thru	400.00	0.00	33,251.00	221,953.00	215,530.00	6,823.00
1064 Bishop's Discretionary	0.00	392.00	0.00	392.00	0.00	392.00
1066 Sound System	305.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	305.00
1067 Organ Fund	7,001.00	170.00	0.00	1,960.00	0.00	8,961.00
1005 Donor Res.--Marching Socie	<u>2,358.51</u>	<u>42.00</u>	<u>500.00</u>	<u>296.40</u>	<u>500.00</u>	<u>2,154.91</u>
<b>Donor Restricted</b>	<b>81,072.72</b>	<b>18,356.23</b>	<b>43,049.49</b>	<b>273,558.16</b>	<b>254,864.25</b>	<b>99,766.63</b>
<b>Memorials</b>						
982 Memorial - Novotny, Frank	420.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	420.00
959 Memorial - Thiers, Robert O	0.00	125.00	0.00	125.00	0.00	125.00
966 Memorial - Hall, Genevieve	1,940.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,940.00
969 Memorial - Thompson, John I	0.00	525.00	0.00	525.00	0.00	525.00
1053 Memorial - Hanna, Rose	3,580.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,580.00
961 Memorial - Kimbrell, Rachel	286.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	286.04
973 Memorial - Menard, Laura	1,135.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,135.00
931 Memorial - Millard Kent	1,845.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,845.00
933 Memorial - Ruddick, Janis	830.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	830.00
934 Memorial - Erickson, Joub	1,410.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	2,410.00	0.00
935 Memorial - Jedinak, Irene	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
936 Memorial - Mabel Buechler	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
937 Memorial - Hesli, Genevieve	495.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	495.00
938 Memorial - Moore, Nancy	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00
939 Memorial - Boomer, Harvey	2,805.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,805.00
940 Memorial - Libby, Peg	2,410.00	0.00	2,360.00	100.00	2,510.00	0.00
945 Memorial- Watson, Jeanne	1,880.00	0.00	0.00	10,000.00	0.00	11,880.00
946 Memorial - Foster, K Scott	795.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	795.00
948 Memorial - Rommel, Walt	1,045.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,045.00
949 Memorial - Ruddick, Donald	0.00	0.00	0.00	845.00	0.00	845.00
950 Memorial - Schommer, Ray	710.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	710.00	0.00
951 Memorial - Browne, Patricia	0.00	5,000.00	6,915.00	6,915.00	6,915.00	0.00
952 Memorial - Schommer, Dorot	395.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	89.00	306.70

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953 Memorial - Ritzinger	281.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	281.19
954 Memorial - Ives, Lillian	6,478.69	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00	4,478.69
955 Memorial - Barnes, L Fred	0.00	0.00	0.00	195.00	0.00	195.00
956 Memorial - Hanson, Gordon	0.00	50.00	0.00	3,690.00	0.00	3,690.00
958 Memorial - Carter, Roy	0.00	0.00	0.00	290.00	0.00	290.00
979 Memorial - Kuehn, Andy	1,010.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,010.00
980 Memorial - Parsons, Marlon	0.00	0.00	0.00	160.00	0.00	160.00
981 Memorial - Kuehn, Gloria	730.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	730.00
984 Memorial - Irwin, John (Gene)	190.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	190.00
985 Memorial - Vrhel, Millie	110.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	110.00
986 Memorial - Aws, Ken	1,030.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,030.00
987 Memorial - Aldridge, James	640.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	640.00
988 Memorial - Aws, Maria	385.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	385.00
992 Memorial - Purrington, Don	805.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	805.00
994 Memorial--Halvorson, Howar	640.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	640.00
995 Memorial--Murray, Gladys	735.00	0.00	735.00	0.00	735.00	0.00
996 Memorial--Anderson, Fran J	530.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	530.00
997 Memorial--Carr, Scott	0.00	0.00	0.00	335.00	0.00	335.00
1000 Memorial--Goedeke, John F.	1,551.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	674.91	877.07
1008 Memorial--Hall, Harvey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1025 Memorial - Bergum, Lloyd	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00
1036 Memorial - Parsons, J.	65.00	0.00	65.00	0.00	65.00	0.00
1037 Memorial-Norling, David	0.00	1,950.00	0.00	2,035.00	0.00	2,035.00
1038 Memorial - Webster, Dale	0.00	165.00	0.00	165.00	0.00	165.00
1039 Memorial - Sawyer, Marje	740.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	740.00
1045 Memorial - Hove, Parnell	340.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	340.00
1047 Memorial - Brown, Jim	3,786.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,786.00
1050 Memorial - Miller, Esther M	240.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	240.00
1051 Memorial - General	<u>2,439.09</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>510.00</u>	<u>2,638.27</u>	<u>310.82</u>
<b>Memorials</b>	45,008.69	7,815.00	12,075.00	26,890.00	18,747.18	53,151.51
<i>General Fund</i>	126,081.41	31,671.23	55,124.49	305,948.16	273,611.43	158,418.14
<i>Columbarium</i>						
<b>Donor Restricted</b>						
1015 Columbarium	<u>2,216.77</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>70.00</u>	<u>2,146.77</u>
<b>Donor Restricted</b>	2,216.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	70.00	2,146.77
<i>Columbarium</i>	2,216.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	70.00	2,146.77
<i>Endowments</i>						
<b>Endowments</b>						
2018 Endowment Fund	<u>305,016.32</u>	<u>67,572.08</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>248,557.76</u>	<u>2,500.00</u>	<u>551,074.08</u>
<b>Endowments</b>	305,016.32	67,572.08	0.00	248,557.76	2,500.00	551,074.08
<i>Endowments</i>	305,016.32	67,572.08	0.00	248,557.76	2,500.00	551,074.08
<i>Savings/Checking</i>						
<b>Donor Restricted</b>						
906 Rector's Professional Fund	3,112.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,112.66	0.00
907 Over 55 Club	537.19	230.37	0.00	181.80	25.25	693.74
918 Marching Society	534.17	386.40	0.00	279.40	128.80	684.77
911 Women's Bridge Club	88.64	10.01	0.00	30.04	0.00	118.68
904 Altar Guild Checking	3,172.31	(527.53)	0.00	276.40	0.00	3,448.71
905 Rector's Discretionary Fund	2,635.41	(815.46)	0.00	(81.08)	1,053.29	1,501.04
908 St. Anne's Guild	<u>4,513.07</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(24.78)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>4,488.29</u>
<b>Donor Restricted</b>	14,593.45	(716.21)	0.00	661.78	4,320.00	10,935.23
<i>Savings/Checking</i>	14,593.45	(716.21)	0.00	661.78	4,320.00	10,935.23
<b>Total for selected ded. accounts</b>	<u>447,907.95</u>	<u>98,527.10</u>	<u>55,124.49</u>	<u>555,167.70</u>	<u>280,501.43</u>	<u>722,574.22</u>