



## THE *CHRISTOGRAM*

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### Christian Education

**Today: Children's Chapel – NO Sunday School TODAY**

Children will meet in the small chapel at 10:25. Here we will sing, pray, and explore today's Gospel reading. We will join our families in the liturgy at the Peace. All children age 3 and up are invited, and parents are always welcome.

**Next Sunday, November 11:** We continue our series of stories that take place in the desert, with the story of The Ten Best Ways. We will then explore the Ark of the Covenant, and begin to make our own Ark.

### Youth Formation

**Sunday Mornings at 9:30 AM!** This is a time to check-in and talk about some of the major themes that await us in the Sunday liturgy.

**Youth Group:** November 7, 5:30-8:30PM

Our time together will also involve a meal, a game or two, and assembling final exam care packages for our friends currently in college. Bring a friend!

### Cards for College Students

The youth will be sending care packages to our college students who were active in youth ministry activities. We would like to invite the parish to be part of the surprise! On November 11, come down for coffee hour and write a card/short note to one or more of our college kids, which will be included as part of the care package. You can also write them at home and put it in Chad's mailbox by November 15.

### Sunday Forum

**Today: Election Choices and Christian Values: A Panel Discussion.** Includes a video from the national church: Reclaiming Jesus: A Confession of Faith in Time of Crisis.

**Next Sunday, November 11: Christian Basics: Resurrection,** with Mike Sirany and Deacon Janet MacNally.

### The WolfGang Returns!

The WolfGang returns to St. Christopher's on Saturday, November 10th at 7:30 p.m. with their program "Overwhelmingly Haydn." \$15 suggested donation.

### WWJD?

It has been rumored that the next Brewery Outing is going to be at Sociable Cider -- well, some other time. They've asked us not to come because they're doing an event that brought in a hundred people and if we come, it will be too crowded. Okay, so we'll go back to **Black Stack Brewery in St. Paul (755 Prior Ave N) Sunday, November 11th from 4-7 pm.** They have just about everything we need, plus a big screen TV, if you're worried about missing the game. And Henry on the Halfshell - the guy with the oysters and crab cakes. Y'all come!!

### 5th Sunday Teller Wanted

We need someone to help count the plate offering on the fifth Sunday of the month. This is an easy way to support the church a few times a year. There are instructions available and you will always be working with another member. If interested please email Wendy Brilowski at [wendyb1@me.com](mailto:wendyb1@me.com) or call 612-387-8881 (after 3:30 please).

### Climbing UP?

We are looking for a ladder—the TALLEST aluminum ladder, that is usually stored in the Kitchen stairwell. Don Shiek needs the ladder to change some lightbulbs. If you borrowed the ladder, please bring it back. Thanks!

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## Smile



**Make your back-to-school shopping count!** #StartWithaSmile and Amazon donates. Did you know? We receive a small portion (0.5%) of each sale, when you start with a SMILE! These proceeds go directly to our General Fund. Just type:

**smile.amazon.com/ch/41-6009110**

into your browser.

Currently, 38 persons are shopping at Amazon and are connected to St. Christopher's. Thank you!

## Postcards!

*Wish You Were Here!* Traveling? How about sending us a postcard for our Postcard Bulletin Board across from the parish hall? Your card can join those sent by parishioners as they travel the world, the state and even the city. Little ziploc baggies pinned to the board have address labels (for International travelers) or address labels AND a postcard stamp (for the U.S. and U.K.). Now get out there and join in the fun! And write and tell us about it!

## Birthdays—November 4-10

- 4 Carrie Hunner  
Barbara Kent
- 8 Bill Hanna
- 10 Susan Hanson



## Anniversaries—November 4-10

*None this week!*



**AED On Site:** St. Christopher's has an Automated External Defibrillator (AED). It is located on the upper level, near the elevator. We are thankful that it hasn't been needed, but it is good that we have one on our premises. A few minutes can make a huge difference in a person's recovery from a cardiac arrest.

## Our Sunday Schedule

8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
9:00 AM	Fellowship
9:30 AM	Children's Education-107 (NO 1st Sunday)
9:30 AM	Youth Education-Youth Room
9:30 AM	Adult Education-Parish Hall
10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist
10:30 AM	Children's Chapel—Chapel (1st Sunday ONLY)
11:30 AM	Fellowship

**Christmas Card Contest!** It is almost the holiday season, and the annual Christmas card contest is here! This year we are inviting ALL STUDENTS (PK-12<sup>th</sup> grade) to *reflect on the meaning of Advent and Christmas*, and then draw a picture for the season. You can find entry forms in the Youth and Sunday School rooms or in the Family Space in the sanctuary. The selected drawing will be used as the 2018 Christmas card for the parish. **Entries must be received by Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup> to be considered for the parish Christmas Card.**

