



THE *CHRISTOGRAM*

**News & Announcements for the Week of
August 25, 2019**

Children's Faith Formation

Mark your calendars! Sunday School begins on Sunday, September 15th for age 4 through 5th grade.

First Nations' Kitchen

It's time to volunteer for our next date with First Nations' Kitchen, on **September 8**. We need volunteers for food prep and setting up dining room from 1:30 to 4:00 pm; and then from 5:00 to 7:30 pm for serving plates in the kitchen, serving in the dining room, busing tables, dish washing and cleaning dining room after meal. I would like to have 4 or 5 people for the 1:30 shift and about 7 or 8 people for the 5:00 pm shift. We partner with St. James Episcopal Church, so they will also be providing additional volunteers. If you have never done this I would encourage you to give it a try. If you want to volunteer for the September date, contact Mary Pendergrass, 651-336-2622, or by email at marypendergrass41@gmail.com .

Mid-Year Giving Statements

Giving Statements through June 30th are available to pick up in the Narthex. Please **PICK UP YOUR STATEMENT**, review, and be sure you agree with them.

Prayer List

Please check the prayer list to see if your friends or loved ones are well and ready to come off our list. Thank you!

PARISH PICNIC Sept. 8!

Calling all grillers and summer cooks! On September 8, we will be having a parish picnic after the 9:30 service. We are looking for gas grills to borrow. Please call or email Karen Hartman at 651-503-1775 or kjskhart@gmail.com if you can help out.

Sign-up sheets are available NOW to bring a dish to pass (if you are able). ALL are welcome!

We will also have table space available for any group or committee who would like to show the parish what you have been up to, and/or what you have planned. Please call or email the office to let us know you'd like a space.

There will also be something FUN and EXCITING for children. Keep your eyes open!

Do you play Bridge?

You are invited to play Bridge on the 2nd Friday of each Month, beginning September 13 @ 1:00 p.m. We are on the church calendar as "Couples Bridge." We play Friday afternoon, once a month at St. Christopher's in the parish hall, always on the second Friday of the Month. Please call Jean Hammer @ 651-330-3879. Looking forward to hearing from you !!

Silent Auction and Fall Dinner— Save the Date!

Plans are underway for our annual Silent Auction and festive Fall Dinner, to be held on Saturday, November 9th, and Sunday, November 10th. Please start thinking creatively about your potential auction donations for social events, gift baskets, homemade crafts, and personal services. Further details coming soon. Thanks!

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Knitting into the Mystery

Knitting resumes Thursday, September 12th, meeting in the Library from 1 to 2.30 pm. Hope to see YOU there. Questions: Pamela, 651-633-5749.

Episcopal Church Women

All are invited to the 2019 Meeting of Episcopal Church Women (ECW) at the ECMN Convention at the Doubletree Hotel in Bloomington, MN, on Friday, **September 13** at **4 PM**. Lindsay Hardin Freeman is our guest speaker. No need to register if the ECW Meeting is all you plan to attend. Just go to Registration to ask for the meeting location in the hotel. Questions? 612-978-4613.

Birthdays—August 25-31

27 Karen Lacher
28 Erica Norton
31 Mike Sirany



Anniversaries—August 25-31

None this week!



The Weekly *Christ-o-Gram* deadline:

Tuesday Morning



The *e-Traveler*

Last Monday of each month.



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Our **SUMMER** Sunday Schedule through Sept. 8th!

9:30 AM

Holy Eucharist

10:30 AM

Fellowship