



Christ Church Cathedral

JULY 21, 2024

WELCOME

We welcome you to Christ Church Cathedral as we gather in the spirit of faith, hope, & love. We hope you experience the love of God in our services. If you have any questions, please ask one of our friendly ushers or greeters or head to the info table.

SUNDAYS

Sundays: 8 am, 10 am* & 12 pm*
Fridays: 12:10 pm
Saturdays: 5:00 pm

*Hypoallergenic incense may be used during the services marked with an asterisk.

CHILDREN

During the 10 am service on Sundays, we have the Children's Room, which is our Sunday morning children's formation from birth through age 10. This is a mixed-age classroom where the formation is centered on experiential and creative work, movement, and song. If you would like to volunteer to help on Sundays, please contact vgracen@cccath.org.

2024 CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL CONNECTIONS PHOTO DIRECTORY

The preview digital version of the photo directory was released and we have been working on updates or corrections that have been requested. Thank you to everyone who has already responded or reached out with your feedback!

We have extended the deadline for parishioners to allow time for any photos or updates to be made before we print the directories that will be mailed out. Please contact Kristin **before end-of-day Tuesday, July 22, with any new corrections or photos you wish to be added.**

If you did sign up and did not receive the initial email on July 12, please contact our Communications Manager, Kristin Hinz:

Email: khinz@cccath.org
Cell: (216) 533- 4102

All parishioners who have opted in for the 2024 Directory will receive a final email on July 23 that includes a link and password for the final PDF version that has any photos added or updates made since July 12.

Thank you all for your patience and understanding as we have been reviving the photo directory since it was last published in 2017. We had a great response for this 2024 release, and it will be very helpful as we continue to maintain and make small updates and additions going into 2025!



Christ Church Cathedral Connections
2024 Parish Photo Directory

THE 2024 KINDNESS CAMPAIGN AT CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL



Starting August 1, let's demonstrate 30 acts of love and kindness throughout our communities throughout the month. The challenge is to complete at least one act of kindness each day. Before the campaign begins we will send a list of ideas – some that might cost you a few dollars, and others that will just take a few minutes of your time.

Encourage others to join in the challenge by sharing on your social media – **tag Christ Church Cathedral** and use hashtag **#loveyourneighbor**. Use the suggested ideas, or come up with your own!

We also have Kindness Campaign "Love is Kind" magnets and stickers available. They are placed around the Cathedral so don't forget to pick some up for yourself and grab some to share with friends and family!

FLOWERS FOR JULY 21

The flowers in the cathedral are given to the glory of God in memory of our daughter, Greta Sokol, from Roger and Berta Lerch.

The Flower Guild at Christ Church Cathedral warmly invites you to dedicate the Sunday flowers to the Glory of God as an expression of thanksgiving, celebration, memorial, or other special intentions. Please scan the QR code to fill out the form or email Shirley Wang at wangshirleymail@gmail.com.



WELCOME

If you are our guest today or recently started attending Christ Church Cathedral, we would love to connect with you. Please fill out a visitor card located near your seats and entrances or scan the QR code to the right and let us know how we can serve and support you.



UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

- July 21: Bible Study: 9 am, 11:30 am
Monthly Brunch & Packing School Supplies, 9 am - 12:30 pm
- July 26: Concert: Vivaldi's Gloria, 7:30 - 8:45 pm
- July 28: Bible Study: 9 am, 11:30 am
- July 31: LGBTQIA+ Infinity Group Happy Hour, 5 - 6:30 pm
- August 4: Blessing of Backpacks, all services
- August 5 - 9: Interfaith Harmony Camp, 9 am - 5 pm
- August 18: Christ Church Singers Performance, 10 am service



Please scan the QR code to learn more about upcoming Cathedral events, or go to cincinnati.cathedral.com/events.

SUMMERSING 2024

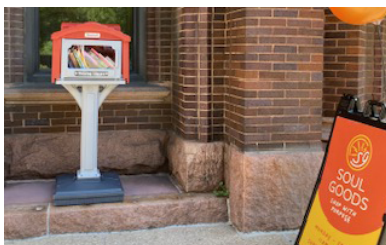
Monday, July 22 – Friday, July 26



Do you love to sing choral music? Then you won't want to miss SummerSing! This one-week choral festival culminates in a performance of Vivaldi's beloved Gloria with the musicians of Collegium Cincinnati and you as a member of the choir. The concert will be conducted by Collegium artistic director Matthew Phelps. For more information and to register, visit collegiumcincinnati.org/events/.

CATHEDRAL LITTLE FREE LIBRARY

We are in need of book donations for our Little Free Library located in an alcove between Soul Goods and the double red doors on 4th Street. If you have any gently used books that you'd like to donate, we would greatly appreciate it.



Your contributions will help spread the joy of reading in our community. If the library is full, please leave them in the donation box by the front desk. Thank you!

WEEKLY EVENTS

- Yoga: Mondays at 11:30 am
- Music Live at Lunch: Tuesdays at 12:10 pm
- 5000 Club: Tuesdays at 4:30 pm
- Men's Bible Study: Thursdays at 9 am
- Noon Day Eucharist: Fridays at 12:10 pm
- Blessing Bags: Saturdays at 10 am
- Saturday Night Eucharist: 5 pm
- Sunday Bible Studies: 9 am and 11:30 am
- Children's Room: Sundays at 10 am

PRAYER

The Prayers of the People are now available online in the Live Stream section of our website and on our app. If you would like to have a name added to the Prayers of the People, please email Kathy Noe at knoe@cccath.org.

CONTACT

Call 513.621.1817 or email hello@cccath.org
cincinnati.cathedral.com

SUMMER HOURS

- M - Th: 9 am - 4 pm
- Friday: 9 am - 3 pm
- Sunday: 8 am - 1 pm



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PACKING SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE BACKPACKS TODAY IN UNDERCROFT



Thank you to everyone who donated school supplies and money. We would like to extend a special thank you to the 2 separate donors who each adopted a classroom for \$500!

While we are packing the backpacks and school supplies today, **we will still accept monetary donations through August 4th** if you still want to contribute. We will give the donations directly to the organization or educators along with the bags and school supplies to purchase any other supplies they need.

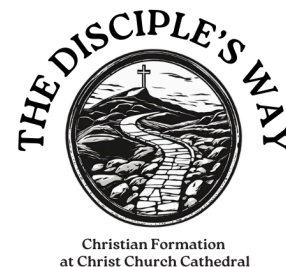
- **Adopt a Child:** Covers backpack and supplies, \$20
- **Adopt a Teacher:** Covers school supplies, \$15
- **Adopt a Class:** \$500 for all backpacks and supplies

To donate online go to cincinnatiacathedral.com/give/, select "school supply drive" from the dropdown menu, and enter the amount you want to give. Cash or checks will go in an envelope with "Attention Judy Hering" and "School Supply Drive" in the memo. **We will be doing Blessing of Backpacks for these, cathedral youth, and educational professionals during each service on Sunday, August 4,** so make sure you join us and bring your backpacks or work bags with you in 2 weeks!

SUNDAY MORNING LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDIES

Thank you for your feedback! We are so excited about the response and attendance to this journey of faith and formation through our new offerings from the Disciple's Way. **Every Sunday we have 2 Sunday Lectionary Bible Studies available: 9:00 am and 11:30 am.**

Both Bible Studies take place in the Vestry Room. Grab a snack and come study the scripture assigned for the day! We're excited to announce this journey of faith and formation through our new offerings from the Disciple's Way.



CHRIST CHURCH SINGERS



RSVP by Sunday, August 11

Do you love to sing but have a schedule that precludes participating in the Cathedral Choir? Then join the Christ Church Singers for a one-time commitment!

We'll rehearse 7:00-8:30 pm on Wednesday, August 14, and sing during 10:00 am worship on Sunday, August 18, with a 9:00 am pre-service rehearsal. RSVP by August 11 to Music Administrator Doug Bruestle (dbruestle@cccath.org) with your name, contact information, and voice part.

THE WAY - CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL'S NEW QUARTERLY MAGAZINE

Our church is more than just a building; it is a living, breathing community filled with individuals whose lives are intertwined through shared belief and mutual support. Here, we find solace, strength, and inspiration in each other and in our shared faith and common life. This magazine aims to reflect that sense of belonging and unity, offering a space where the voices of God's people who are living in and out their faith in the midst of their daily lives with God's help!

This magazine is also a tool for connection. We encourage you to share your stories, and feedback with us. Your contributions will help shape the future of this publication, ensuring it remains a true reflection of our community's identity, spirit, and values.

Every Sunday we will have some printed copies of *The Way* available in the Narthex. A digital version will always be available to download from the Cathedral's app or website on the Media Library page.



SOUL GOODS 2024 THIRD QUARTER PARTNER

Our partner is Parkway Place, part of Episcopal Retirement Services, episcopalretirement.com/communities/affordable-living/central-parkway-place.

Between now and September 30, 10% of each purchase will go towards our holiday donation funding that provides Christmas care bags that we pack and provide to retired residents of Parkway Place.



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Episcopal Retirement Services

“At ERS, we believe that older adults should live with dignity and comfort in a safe, nurturing, and stimulating environment no matter their financial situation. Episcopal Retirement Services is proud to offer rent-subsidized, affordable senior living communities that provide a variety of options and services not often found in communities for seniors with limited incomes.”

VOLUNTEER AT CINCINNATI SCHOLAR HOUSE

Childcare

The Cincinnati Scholar House provides workshops to equip our scholars for personal, educational, and career success. Providing excellent childcare during those workshops ensures our Scholars are able to focus on the content, while their children are taken care of. Volunteers must be pre-screened before working with children.



Tutoring

The Young Scholars Program is a program of the Cincinnati Scholar House. With the help of volunteer tutors, we provide our young scholars with homework help and tutoring twice a week after school, during the academic year. We support, not only our Scholar House parents, but also our Young Scholars on their academic journeys!

Our pre-screening process includes Background Check/Fingerprinting and Drug-Screening. If you are interested, or have any questions, please reach out to Briana at bstottmann@hercincinnati.org.

FRIENDS FOR GOOD INTERFAITH HARMONY CAMP

August 5 - 9 | 9 am - 5 pm | 6th-12th Grade Students

Learn more & register at bit.ly/interfaithharmony2024

Play fun games • Make new friends • Eat amazing food • Practice deep listening
Learn new leadership skills • Seek to understand others and build empathy
Most importantly, be part of a welcoming community



It takes a village:

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with the Heart of a Parish**

