



Christ Church Cathedral

APRIL 14, 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 Peaceable Kingdom, which is our Sunday morning children's formation from birth through age 10. This is a Waldorf-style, 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.

EASTER DONATIONS



Financial Aid & Scholarship Fund
Empowering Students to Thrive in a Diverse World

Thank you for your generous Easter Donations!

The total donation amount was \$3,600 and will be matched by Dean Owen for a total of \$7,200 that will be donated to support financial aid and scholarships at Bethany School!

ORGAN RECITAL

Today | 3 - 4:15 pm

Acclaimed organist Amanda Mole performs on the Cathedral's Richards, Fowkes & Co. Opus 24 organ. To learn about the performer, visit <https://www.amandamole.com/>. Suggested donation: \$15.



SUNDAY MORNING LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDIES

Thank you for your feedback! We're excited to announce this journey of faith and formation through our new offerings from the Disciple's Way. **Every week there will now be 3 Sunday Lectionary Bible Studies available: 9:00 am, 11:30 am, and 1:30 pm.** All Bible Studies will take place in the Vestry Room.

After each of the Sunday morning services, we will study the passages assigned for the day. CK Wang has faithfully hosted the study after the 8:00 am service for many years. He will continue to do so. We will add the parish clergy to take the offering after the 10:00 am and Noon services. Grab a snack and come study the scripture assigned for the day!

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COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS FOR CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL YOUTH

The Camping and Youth Opportunities Committee of Christ Church Cathedral is accepting college scholarship applications from Christ Church Cathedral youth who have been confirmed and who actively participate in our parish life.

Scholarship applications will be available **April 1-May 4 (at Noon EST)**. Please scan the QR code or visit cincinnati.cathedral.com/youth-and-camping-scholarship/ to complete and submit the application. Please contact Kim Montgomery with any questions: kimmonty3@aol.com.



FLOWERS FOR APRIL 14TH

The flowers in the cathedral are given to the glory of God by Shirley and CK Wang in thanksgiving for family and in loving memory of Nancy Woodburn's heavenly birthday from her son, daughters, and many grandchildren. You are so missed!

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

- April 14: Bible Study: 9 am, 11:30 am, 1:30 pm
Dean's Forum, 11:15 am - 12 pm
Organ Recital, 3 - 4:15 pm
- April 17: Quest Class, 6 - 8 pm
- April 18: Community Issues Forum, 12 - 1 pm
- April 20: Hearts and Hands Ministry, 9:30 am - 12 pm
Songs of Appalachia, 7 - 8:15 pm
- April 21: Bible Study: 9 am, 11:30 am, 1:30 pm
Monthly Brunch, 9 am - 2 pm
- April 24: LGBTQIA+ Affinity Group Happy Hour, 5 - 6:30 pm
Quest Class, 6 - 8 pm
Dean's Dinner, 6:30 - 9 pm
Music in the Museum Center, 7:30 - 9:30 pm
- May 5: Choral Evensong, 5 - 6 pm
- May 9: Ascension Day Holy Eucharist, 7 - 8 pm
- May 12: Organ Recital, 3 - 4:15 pm

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



HIGH SCHOOL CHORAL SCHOLAR PROGRAM 2024-25



Scan the QR Code
to Download
the Application

Application deadline | June 1

Christ Church Cathedral's High School Choral Scholar Program provides Cincinnati area high school students an opportunity to join the Cathedral Choir as apprentices. Successful applicants will receive intensive training in the art of fine choral singing so that they may begin the process of learning to perform at a professional level. They study a wide range of repertoire, such as works by Tallis, Brahms and Howells, as well as spirituals and music of other cultures. For their efforts, they receive a monthly scholarship throughout the academic year.

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.



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
- Terra Divina: Saturdays Bi-Weekly
- Saturday Night Eucharist: 5 pm
- Sunday Bible Studies:
9 am, 11:30 am, and 1:30 pm
- Peaceable Kingdom: Sundays at 10 am
- Youth Group: Sundays at 11 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.catholic.org

HOURS

Weekdays: 8 am - 4 pm
Saturday: 8 am - 12 pm
Sunday: 8 am - 1 pm



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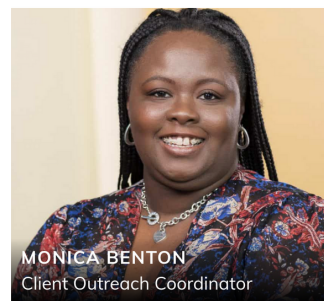


DEAN'S FORUM: FEATURING MONICA BENTON FROM CITYLINK CENTER

Today | 11:15 am - 12 pm

Join us after the 10 am service as Dean Owen and Rev. Brian Blayer welcome Monica Benton, Client Outreach Coordinator, from CityLink Center. Learn more about how each volunteer role makes a difference, and if you see something that aligns with your interests and schedule, check out how to become a volunteer.

CityLink is a gathering place for individuals who want to make a positive life change. When we surround Cincinnati's unemployed and working poor with holistic care, we provide a path to lasting growth and hope. Their mission is to show God's love to those in need by providing an integrated path to holistic life change. Learn more about the great work CityLink does for the Cincinnati community at www.citylinkcenter.org.



QUEST CLASS: PREPARING FOR SACRAMENTS



Christian Formation
at Christ Church Cathedral

Wednesday evenings: April 17, 24, and May 1, 8, and 16.

Each night will start with dinner at 6 pm followed by formation from 6:30 - 8 pm. This is available for youth and adults interested in Confirmation, anyone interested in renewal of their faith, or those who would like a refresher of the Faith.

For the first three weeks of our six-week course, we will cover theological topics of Christianity: Why did Jesus Die? Who is the Holy Spirit? Do we really need to be baptized?

In the second three weeks of our six-week course, we will cover Episcopal topics: What is the History of the Episcopal Church? How is the Episcopal Church governed and structured compared to other denominations? And how am I to discern the next phase of my life?

These and related topics are covered in our six weeks. The course concludes on Pentecost Sunday when those who wish will be Confirmed or will Reaffirm their faith. We will use the book "*Walk in Love*" from Forward Movement, and a copy will be supplied to all participants. This is a pre-requisite for youth and adults who would like to be confirmed during our upcoming Confirmation service on Sunday, May 19. Please go to the Cathedral app or website events page, open each event and the register for the night(s) you plan to attend.

NEWS FOR CATHEDRAL KIDS! (AND THEIR GROWN-UPS)



Have you ever broken something? A Chinese legend tells us about a wise old man who dropped a piece of glass he was carrying for the king. The glass broke into 7 shapes, and he used those shapes to create pictures as he told the king all about his journey. According to the legend, this is how the tradition of telling stories with tangram shapes began. In the Peaceable Kingdom Children's Room this month, we'll be creating tangrams to tell the story of Jesus. Come by to make your own or take a kit home!



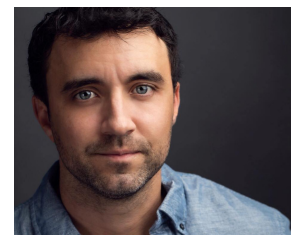
A reminder for grown-ups: The Peaceable Kingdom Children's Room is open and staffed during the 10:00 AM Service and Noon Service. Children are welcome to stay in the Children's Room for the entire service or to come just for circle time. (Our circle time of stories and songs occurs during the homily/reflection.) If you have questions or are interested in helping with our children's program, email Virginia at vgracen@cccath.org.

SONGS OF APPALACHIA

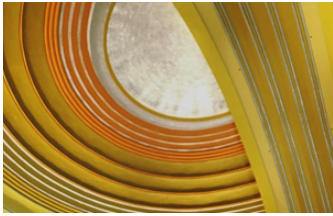


Saturday, April 20th | 7 - 8:15 pm

Nashville-based musician Kory Caudill is joined by his father for a program of Appalachian music. Listen or join in singing as you wish! Please scan the QR code to purchase tickets for this event.



MUSIC IN THE MUSEUM CENTER



Wednesday, April 24th | 7:30 - 9:30 pm

The Christ Church Cathedral Choir joins the Choir of St. Peter in Chains Cathedral and organist Ken Cowan for a concert in the Cincinnati Museum Center rotunda! Music will include choral favorites such as Parry's "I Was Glad" and Dove's "Seek Him that Maketh the Seven Stars." Ticket Information: <https://supportcmc.org/musicinthemuseum/>

PROCTER CENTER YOUTH, FAMILY, AND SPECIALTY CAMPS

Procter's FREE Open House April 20th

Procter Center will host its annual Open House on April 20, 3 pm-5 pm. This free event is open to all - new and old friends alike! We would love to see you. Learn more and register at www.proctercenter.org/camp/.



HEARTS AND HANDS PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY



Upcoming Saturday meetings: April 20, May 18, and June 15.

Our Hearts and Hands Prayer Shawl Ministry is a collective of individuals who regularly **meet on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 9:30 am** and crochet in fellowship for 2.5 hours in the library. They create prayer shawls, scarves and hats, small toys, and other special gifts for members and friends of our community in need. To join the group and for more information, contact Berta Lerch at bklgrammy@gmail.com. Please see our events page for all of Hearts and Hand's 2024 meeting dates.

LGBTQIA+ AFFINITY GROUP MONTHLY HAPPY HOUR

Wednesday, April 24th | 5 - 6:30 pm

The last Wednesday of each month, every month (except December and March), we meet at Queen City Exchange – 32 W Court St, Cincinnati, OH. All are welcome to attend this Happy Hour and planning meeting for our LGBTQ+ Network events!

Join us for light appetizers and beverages (alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks available).



SLATE OF 4 BISHOPS ANNOUNCED FOR 28TH PRESIDING BISHOP OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Episcopal Church's next presiding bishop will be chosen this June from a slate of four nominees, whose names were released April 2: Nebraska Bishop J. Scott Barker, Pennsylvania Bishop Daniel G.P. Gutiérrez, Northwestern Pennsylvania Bishop Sean Rowe, and Atlanta Bishop Robert Wright.

Those four bishops – and any additional candidates nominated by petition – will be presented for election at the 81st General Convention, which convenes June 23-28 in Louisville, Kentucky. The nominees' names will be formally submitted June 25 during a joint session of the House of Bishops and House of Deputies. On June 26, the bishops will elect, and deputies will be asked to confirm, the church's 28th presiding bishop, who will succeed Presiding Bishop Michael Curry beginning Nov. 1. Learn more about the upcoming election and candidates at www.episcopalnewsservice.org.



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with the Heart of a Parish**

