



Christ Church Cathedral

FEBRUARY 18, 2023

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 msuttman@cccath.org.

2024 ANNUAL MEETING AND ONLINE VOTING

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Sunday, February 25th

Scan the QR code to see the list of 2024 nominees and learn more about the meeting. Online voting is now open for those eligible to vote.



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We will have one combined community service at 10 am. We ask all those who call Christ Church Cathedral their parish to worship together at 10 am and then attend the Annual Meeting which will start immediately following worship.

There will be no 8 am or Noon Service next Sunday.

CHORAL EVENSONG & SEATING OF OUR 10TH BISHOP, KRISTIN UFFELMAN WHITE



Tonight

Choral Evensong and Seating of the Bishop, 5 - 6 pm
Reception, 6 - 7 pm

Join us tonight for the Welcoming and Seating of Bishop White at Christ Church Cathedral followed by a festive service of Choral Evensong at 5:00 pm. The seating of a Bishop is a joyous rite in which the Bishop is received into her cathedral and takes her place in the cathedral's "Bishop's chair," the sign of her diocesan authority. Reception following. The service will also be streamed live <https://cincinnati.cathedral.com/livestream/>.

RETURN OF WEEKLY YOUTH GROUP MINISTRY

Sundays at 11 am in the Chapel Lower Level Starting Today

Regular youth group programming is back! We will meet every* Sunday at 11 am in the Chapel Lower Level. We're hoping to create a space for youth ages 12-17 to make connections, have fun, and ask big questions about life, faith, and the church.

*There will be no youth group on February 25 due to annual meeting



SUNDAY FLOWERS

Sunday flowers in the cathedral are given to the glory of God for special thanksgivings, celebrations, memorials, the birth of a child, weddings, etc.

Monetary gifts in any amount are always appreciated. **Please contact Shirley Wang at wangshirleymail@gmail.com with flower donation information and any questions.**

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

February 18: ****No Sunday Brunch**

Choral Evensong and the Seating of the Bishop, 5 - 6 pm

Reception for Seating of the Bishop, 6 - 7 pm

February 19: **Cathedral Closed** in Observation of President's Day

February 21: Adult Formation Lent series, 6 - 8 pm

February 24: Absalom Jones/Richard Allen Festal Eucharist, 1 - 2:30 pm

February 25: ****No 8 am or Noon Services**

Holy Eucharist, 10 - 11:15 am

2024 Annual Meeting, 11:15 am - 1 pm

Viola D'Amore & Harpsichord Concert, 5 - 6 pm

February 28: LGBTQIA+ Affinity Group Happy Hour, 5 - 6:30 pm

Adult Formation Lent series, 6 - 8 pm

March 2: Terra Divina Contemplative Prayer Gathering, 10 - 11:30 am

March 3: Choral Evensong, 5 - 6 pm

March 5: Senior Stars* Monthly Meeting, 1 - 2:30 pm

March 9: Bach's Mass in B Minor, 7:30 - 9:30 pm

March 10: Bach's Mass in B Minor, 3 - 5 pm

March 13: Taft Lecture Series: Dr. Robert Bullard, 7 - 8 pm

March 16: Hearts & Hands Ministry, 9:30 am - 12 pm

Terra Divina Contemplative Prayer Gathering, 10 - 11:30 am

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



DIOCESAN-WIDE PLANNING FOR PRIDE

Anyone interested in being a part of an Episcopal Church presence at a Pride festival in your community is encouraged to attend.



Tuesday, February 27th | 6:30 pm

Scan the QR Code to Register for the Zoom Meeting

Diocesan-wide planning for Pride will begin with a kick-off meeting on Tuesday, February 27 at 6:30 p.m. We will use this time to learn general information about Pride festivals around the diocese and organize and break into local cohorts to continue planning on the local level.

Register in advance for this meeting. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. Contact Julie Murray, canon for communications and community engagement, at jmurray@diosohio.org for questions or more information.



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

Terra Divina: Saturdays Bi-Weekly

Bible Study: Sundays at 9 am

Peaceable Kingdom: 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.catholic.org

HOURS

Weekdays: 8 am - 4 pm

Saturday: 8 am - 12 pm

Sunday: 8 am - 1 pm



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"A SPRING IN THE DESERT," REDISCOVERING THE WATER OF LIFE IN LENT



Starting on Ash Wednesday we will have free copies of *A Spring in the Desert* available in the Narthex. Use this book and time to grow closer to your faith and strive to be a beacon of love and kindness. **We have a very limited number of copies so they will be available "first-come-first-serve."**

BLACK HISTORY MONTH WEEK 3 FEATURED NOTABLE FIGURE: BOOKER T. WASHINGTON

"The happiest people are those who do the most for others. The most miserable are those who do the least."
— Booker T. Washington



Booker T. Washington (April 5, 1856 – November 14, 1915) was an American educator, author, and orator. Between 1890 and 1915, Washington was the primary leader in the African-American community. He was born in a slave hut but, after emancipation, moved with his family to Malden, West Virginia. Dire poverty ruled out regular schooling; at age nine he began working, first in a salt furnace and later in a coal mine. Determined to get an education, he enrolled at the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute (now Hampton University) in Virginia (1872), working as a janitor to help pay expenses. He graduated in 1875 and returned to Malden, where for two years he taught children in a day school and adults at night. Following studies at Wayland Seminary, Washington, D.C. (1878–79), he joined the staff of Hampton.

In 1881 Washington was selected to head a newly established normal school for African Americans at Tuskegee, an institution with two small converted buildings, no equipment, and very little money. Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute became a monument to his life's work. Washington believed that the best interests of Black people in the post-Reconstruction era could be realized through education in the crafts and industrial skills and the cultivation of the virtues of patience, enterprise, and thrift. He urged his fellow Blacks, most of whom were impoverished and illiterate farm labourers, to temporarily abandon their efforts to win full civil rights and political power and instead to cultivate their industrial and farming skills so as to attain economic security.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PEACEABLE KINGDOM

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A MESSAGE FROM FACILITIES DIRECTOR, MATT HORNSBY

In early December a cathedral staff member reported seeing a slight shifting of 2 windows in their 4th floor office. I immediately contacted Schaefer Engineering to conduct a structural inspection of the 4th-floor north wall of the parish house. Schaefer's inspection revealed a deteriorating pier behind the brick facade. The engineer assured us that there was no immediate danger, however it needed to be repaired as soon as possible. **Work began on February 5th and is expected to take five weeks.**

Unfortunately, several areas of the cathedral need to be closed during construction. Closed areas include the 5th-floor gymnasium, 4th-floor NE office, 3rd-floor forum room, and the Library. **Please note that during this time Sunday Coffee Hours will be moved to the Undercroft.** If you have an event or meeting scheduled in the library or 3rd-floor forum room during this time, Michelle Hornsby will be reaching out if you have not already been contacted. She will provide you with the new space where these meetings or events will be relocating to.

ADULT FORMATION LENT SERIES: DESERT MOTHERS AND FATHERS

Wednesday Evening: February 21st and 28th | 6 - 8 pm



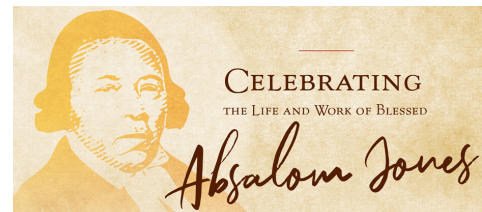
Dinner is at 6 pm, formation begins at 6:30 pm each night. Journey through Lent with the wisdom of the Desert Monastics. 4th-century women and men sought the edges of God in desolate places through quiet lives of prayer and simplicity following the institution of Christianity as the religion of the empire. Contact msuttman@cccath.org to register or register for each session on our events page.

ABSALOM JONES/RICHARD ALLEN FESTAL EUCHARIST

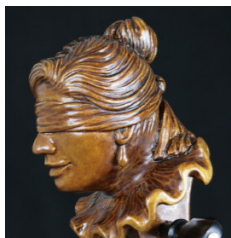
Saturday, February 24th | 1 - 2:30 pm

Reception following in the Undercroft

On Saturday, February 24, 2024, we will celebrate the official feast day of the Rev. Absalom Jones, the first black Episcopal priest. Sponsors: St. Simon, St. Andrew's, St. Margaret's, St. Philip, DSO, UBE, Faith and Life, and Christ Church Cathedral.



VIOLA D'AMORE & HARPSICHORD CONCERT



Sunday, February 25th | 5 - 6 pm

Elena Kraineva (viola d'amore) and Michael Delfín (harpsichord) present a program that includes works by Heinrich Ignaz Franz Biber, Christoph Graupner, and Domenico Scarlatti. The highlights of the program are suites for viola d'amore from the manuscript found in the Benedictine Abbey of Göttweig in Lower Austria, some of which are examples of the earliest compositions for string instruments. No admission charge.

CREATION CARE AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE AUTHOR BOOK TALK

Thursday, February 29th | 7 - 8 pm (Zoom)

McTeer Toney brings her background in politics, community advocacy, and leadership in environmental justice to this revolutionary exploration of why and how Black Americans are uniquely qualified to lead national and global conversations around systems of racial disparity and solutions to the climate crisis.



THE TAFT LECTURE SERIES PRESENTS: DR. ROBERT BULLARD



Wednesday, March 13th | 7 - 8:30 pm

Professor Bullard is often called the "father of environmental justice." He is also co-founder of the HBCU-CBO Gulf Coast Equity Consortium and HBCU Climate Change Consortium and co-chair of the National Black Environmental Justice Network. He is the author of eighteen books that address environmental racism, urban land use, housing, transportation, sustainability, smart growth, climate justice, and community resilience.



LGBTQIA+ AFFINITY GROUP MONTHLY HAPPY HOUR

Wednesday, February 28th | 5:00 - 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).

THE 2024 CCC PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY

The directory will include photos, names, addresses, and contact information of all parishioners who OPT-IN! Stop by the table in the Undercroft during our monthly brunch and fill out the form or sign up via our website. Only members who OPT-IN will be listed in the directory. If you have any questions, please email Samantha Stanford, Director of Marketing and Communications, at sstanford@cccath.org. Your photo for the directory includes the following options:

- Get your photo taken during monthly brunch: We will have a photo area for you to have your picture taken at brunch each month for the next few months. We will have a table set up towards the back of the Undercroft with sign-up sheets and a backdrop to have your photo taken in front of.
- Provide your own: Please email your photo, .jpg or .png file, to hello@cccath.org. Please include the names of each person(s) in the body of the email.



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