

Thirty parishioners attended a Christian Education meeting on March 4, led by Stefani Carroll. Several suggestions for adult and children's education programs prompted this survey. As we all know, our church is entering a period of multiple transitions of leadership and facilities. This provides us with challenges but also opportunities. Whether you attend Sunday School or not, please complete this survey and return it before the Vestry meeting on April 15.

### Christian Education Questionnaire

In the baptismal covenant, we each promise *to proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ*. With that promise in mind, please complete the following questionnaire.

How many children do you bring to church? \_\_\_\_\_ What are their ages? \_\_\_\_\_  
What is your age?  18 - 25  26 - 35  36 - 50  51 - 65  66+

#### Adult Christian Education - Sunday morning 10:45 - 11:15 a.m.

At the March 4 meeting, suggestions included providing an array of Christian Education options for adults between 10:45 and 11:15. Our Sunday School children can rejoin their parents after the classes.

1. What would you like to see in the way of adult Christian Education programs?

**Adults: Please check all that interest you.**

- Bible study (current choices are Tuesday p.m., Wednesday p.m., Thursday a.m., and Sunday a.m. classes)
- Prayer and Meditation
- Couples - Parenting class
- Personality and Prayer Style
- Christianity and Social Media
- Barbara Brown Taylor's book *Speaking of Sin*
- Literature and Christianity (reviews of specific titles of authors such as Flannery O'Connor)
- Art and religion
- \_\_\_\_\_ (your suggestion)
- \_\_\_\_\_ (your suggestion)

Is there a class you would like to teach? \_\_\_\_\_

#### Sunday School Christian Education - Sunday morning 10:35 - 11:20 a.m.

In an effort to include more people teaching Sunday School in teams so that teachers do not have to be there every Sunday, we will provide teaching materials and training.

2. Would you be willing to be
  - Part of a Sunday School teaching team? Check if yes.
  - Sunday School substitute?
  - Provide Sunday School snacks?

What would you or your child like to see at church \_\_\_\_\_

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**EYC Christian Education - Wednesday nights 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

Another suggestion made at the March 4 meeting was to include a monthly service project for 3rd through 12th graders for Wednesday evening EYC (Episcopal Youth Community). During every quarter, younger children will be included in the quarterly event, like the Christmas party and sleepover.

2. Would you be willing to help at Special Events? Check if yes.
- By planning?                       Chaperoning?  
 Providing snacks?                       Working with youth at a service project?
3. On Wednesday evenings (7-8p.m.) would you be
- Interested in being on an EYC teaching team  
If yes, for what age?     high school     middle school     younger children

What other suggestions do you have for youth education programs?

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**Vacation Bible School - Sunday through Wednesday nights 5:30 - 8:30 p.m., June 3 - 6**

Vacation Bible School this year will be a joint venture with First Christian Church and First Presbyterian Church. It will be held at First Christian in the early evenings of June 3 - 6.

4. Would you be willing to
- Teach?                       Provide music?  
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Comments:

Your name (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Contact phone number \_\_\_\_\_

We come to church to be fed and nourished in a community of God. Let us also serve others with our time and talent at Christ Episcopal Church where there is a rich tradition of serving God and teaching our children how to serve God in our neighbors.