

CALENDAR

Dec. 2 through Dec. 9

Sunday – Dec. 2	8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 – Holy Eucharist 10:30 – Advent Wreath Making 4:00 – Education for Ministry 5:00 – Episcopal College Ministry 6:00 PM – Vespers 8:00 PM – Holy Eucharist
Mon. – Dec. 3	5:30 PM – Vestry Meeting 8:00 PM – Café Grace – Louttit Hall
Tues. – Dec. 4	7:30 PM – Valencia Bible Study – Eloise Smith's
Wed. – Dec. 5	6:00 PM – Holy Eucharist
Thurs. – Dec. 6	7:00 AM – Holy Eucharist
Sunday – Dec. 9	8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 – Holy Eucharist 4:00 – Education for Ministry 5:00 – Episcopal College Ministry 6:00 PM – Vespers 8:00 PM – Holy Eucharist

Birthdays this week: Today: Diane Halim, Loyce Turner; **Tuesday:** Julie Savoie; **Wednesday:** Harry Cotterly, Katie Schutt; **Saturday:** Thomason Gilchrist, Dylan Whiddon

Baptismal Anniversaries: Friday: Georgianna Manning

Wedding Anniversaries: Friday: Harry & Nina Cotterly

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December 2: 10:30 Advent Wreath Making

December 24: 5:30 Children's Service

December 24: 10:30 Midnight Service

December 25: 10:00 Christmas Day Service

Serving Today

Lay Eucharistic Ministers: David Sandbach, Mike Tanner,
Stefani Carroll

Lectors: Cecilia Carroll, Stefani Carroll, David Sandbach

Acolytes: Grace Tanner, Hudson Tanner, Mike Tanner

Ushers: Eric Nielsen, Len Carter, Monty Miller

SPECIAL NOTES FOR TODAY

Visitors, welcome to our worship. We invite you to fill out the card in the pew rack in front of you and return via the offering plate. Join us after the service in the Parish Hall for refreshments; we would like to meet you.

Advent Wreath Making: Today we will have an intergenerational Sunday School event in the parish hall on Sunday, December 2, 2012 immediately following the worship service. Please come join your church family as we start off the new Liturgical Year.

Please prayerfully consider your 2013 pledge, and return cards to the church as soon as possible.

Everyone is welcome: H.E.P. (Happy Episcopal People) Party – Sunday, December 23, 2012 at 7PM at David and Elise Sandbach's – **2607 Pebblewood Dr.** Please mark your calendar and plan to come and enjoy an evening of Christmas Cheer – bring a hors d'oeuvre.

Christmas Flower donations are now being accepted. Please be sure to designate your donation for Christmas Flowers on the memo line.

New members of the Vestry. The five new members are: Larry Wisenbaker, Will Hanson, Karen Gunter, Nancy Lutsko and Frances Guice. The five rotating off this year's Vestry are: Julia Ariail, Susan Elliott, Will Hanson (serving out the term of the late Dr. Philip Gunter), Aaron Parten, and Joe Tomberlin. We congratulate those who have been elected, and thank those who were willing to serve. We also thank our outgoing Vestry for their time, dedication and years of service.

If you would like to help **Adopt-a-Family** from the Haven for Christmas, gifts of clothing, toys, and household items would be much appreciated. The wish list is on the bulletin board. For further information, see Deacon Patricia.

Youth craft project needs: cardboard tubes from toilet paper or paper towel rolls. Place these in the box under the table in the tower.

Christ Church is looking for members who are interested in being a **Lay Eucharistic Minister, or a Lector.** Please contact Rev. Joye, Rev. Tar, or the church office if you are interested in helping to serve the church in this manner. Note: Bishop Benhase has stated that Lectors have the option of not vesting and can sit in the congregation during service.

Remember in your prayers: Dave Armstrong, Pat Armstrong, Joan Bailey, Mimi Bajalia, Paul Bourgos, Cheryl Critchfield, Grace & Brody Force, Travis Grove, Velma Hobgood, Ramona Hoffman, Joe McCartney, Marilyn Miller, Bill Nunn, Jayne Nyhammer, Bernice Roberts, Eloise Smith, Mark Whatley