



**November-December 2017
Newsletter**

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church
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CALENDAR

November 2017

- November 1 - All Saints' Day
- November 2 - All Souls' Day
- November 3/4 - Diocesan Convention in Kalamazoo
- November 5 - Daylight Saving Time ends
- November 8 - Vestry Meeting (9:30 AM)
- November 11 - Veterans Day
- November 12 - Stewardship Sunday
- November 23 - Thanksgiving

December 2017

- December 3 - First Sunday of Advent
- December 6 - St. Nicholas Dinner
- December 13 - Vestry Meeting (9:30 AM)
- December 21 - First Day of Winter
- December 24 - Christmas Eve Day
4th Sunday of Advent
9:00 AM service
- December 24 - Christmas Eve Service at Bethany Lutheran
- December 25 - Christmas Day Service (to be determined)
- December 31 - New Year's Eve

BIRTHDAYS

- November 7 - Brooke Dixon
- November 17 - Sylvia Linde-Guback
- November 23 - Steven Parker
- November 23 - Margie Beers
- November 24 - Rich Isphording
- November 29 - Ed Ruffley
- December 9 - Sarah Straus
- December 25 - Jim Ham
- December 31 - Ronnie Alff
- December 31 - Rea Kutilek

ANNIVERSARIES

- January 17 - Barbara & Karl Marsh

Stewardship Sunday

November 12 is Stewardship Sunday. We will all soon receive a letter and enclosed pledge card. Please thoughtfully, prayerfully, and gratefully consider your commitment to supporting St. Christopher's ongoing operating expenses and its continuance. St. Christopher's is not a building or a disembodied entity; it is, first and always, its people.

**Prayer for a Birthday
(from the Book of Common Prayer,
Page 830)**

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor we pray, on your servant (_____) as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness in all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**PLEASE NOTE THE UPDATED AND
REVISED INFORMATION
CONTAINED IN THIS ISSUE**

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS
By: Ed Ruffley, on behalf of the Vestry

In addition to our commitment of 'Treasure' to support St. Christopher's on Stewardship Sunday, the vestry is asking everyone to consider a commitment of your time and talents to support St. Christopher's. The number of our volunteers has declined over the years and is particularly acute during the winter months when many parishioners are traveling.

We are seeking a candidate to fill an open position on the vestry in 2018. Currently, we have no candidate and the vestry will be down to five members.

There are many tasks that are performed behind the scenes that make certain that our services proceed without a hitch. During the winter months, fewer people perform more of these tasks out of necessity. We hope everyone can help, even in small ways, to insure that St. Christopher's remains a healthy church.

Please contact Janet Dickerson (231-386-5395) if you are interested in serving on the vestry or if you can help in some other way.

**ST. CHRISTOPHER'S WEBSITE:
WINDOW FOR THE WORLD**

Marilyn Zimmerman continues to work tirelessly to maintain and update St. Christopher's website. Please check out the website for current information, current schedules, and, maybe, an action photo of you at a church event. Please contact Marilyn (mjznorth@gmail.com) if you have items for website consideration. Marilyn has prepared the following summary to help you navigate our website:

"Whether you are here or traveling, it's easy to stay in touch with St. Christopher's by visiting our parish website. The site is easily accessible by smartphone or computer. Here are a few tips

to encourage you to check out the website and keep abreast of what's going on at St. C's.

St. Christopher's website address is:

stchristophersnorthportmi.org

If you google this address and click on the link, the Parish HOME PAGE will appear, along with either a small box that reads MENU or a drop down menu with options you can view. Currently, you can see photos of all our 2017 Summer Supply and Visiting Priests on our Home Page as well as a link to an article about why people attend (or don't attend) Sunday Services. Note: If you move your cursor over the photos of our Summer Celebrants, their names and titles appear!

These are the MENU options you can view:

-- A WORSHIP Page gives our Sunday Service time and location and includes links to some of the sermons given by our celebrants during 2017 Sunday Services. You can click on those links to read these sermons. Directions to St. Christopher's are also on this page.

-- A GET TO KNOW US series of pages gives our parish history and includes photos of our Shared Ministry with Bethany Lutheran Church plus information about our Diocesan Website along with a link to that website.

--A MINISTER WITH US page describes our parish work on behalf of Leelanau Christian Neighbors as well as our other charitable community missions.

--A NEWS series of pages includes our Parish Calendar, an article about St. Christopher's from *The Leelanau Enterprise*, and links to the following: our most recent Parish Newsletters, current Service Duty Schedules, and Vestry Minutes. There's also a page of parish Photos you can view.

--And last, a CONTACT page lists names of our Vestry and our Staff, gives directions to St. Christopher's, and provides links to the sites for several places and organizations in the Leelanau Peninsula."

PRAYER LIST PROCEDURE

Please keep in mind, and prayer, the following parishioners: Ethel; Ed; Sylvia; Jerry; Joanne; June; Moonyeen; Roger, ; and also the following friends and family: Sandy; Don; Les; Christy; Jeff; David; Wayne; Lt. Mark Folchi; John and Family; Harold; Steve; Bob; Doug; Robert R.; Rich B.; Georgia; Glen; Wesley.

The prayer needs of the parishioners, family, and friends constantly change. In order to better address these circumstances, beginning in January 2018 (for both weekly Sunday services and the Newsletter) those on the Prayer List will be listed for three months. If inclusion on the Prayer List is requested for an additional three months, then please contact JOY HAM; phone 231-386-7531; email: hamjoy@gmail.com to request a continuation on the list. And, of course, Joy should always be advised of any other changes at any time. The intent is not to reduce prayers, but, rather, to make certain that the Prayer List is current to fulfill its best purposes of focus, clarity, and concentration.

Many prayers are included in the Book of Common Prayer: pages 208; 823; 828-831; 814-841. Personal prayers are always special; prayerful reading to all.

SUMMARY OF SEPTEMBER 13, 2017 VESTRY MEETING By Ed Ruffley

The treasurer forwarded a written report stating that the parish is in a sound financial position as of August 31, 2017.

The vestry discussed the status of the rector search and reviewed the results of a meeting with William Spaid, Canon to the Ordinary for the Western Diocese of the Episcopal Church of Michigan. New language for St. Christopher's rector position ad on the Diocesan website was submitted to Canon Spaid.

Janet Dickerson discussed possible a donation to the Episcopal Relief and Development Fund Hurricane Relief. The motion passed.

The vestry discussed preliminary plans for Christmas Eve service(s).

The vestry discussed possible candidates to replace Janet Dickerson on the vestry.

Marilyn Zimmerman discussed updates to the Parish Directory.

SUMMARY OF OCTOBER 11, 2017 VESTRY MEETING By Ed Ruffley

The treasurer reported by email to the vestry that the parish continues to be in sound financial position as of September 30, 2017.

The vestry discussed the need for additional communications with both the Diocese and with Bethany Lutheran Church leaders regarding the rector search. No candidates for the rector position are currently being reviewed.

The vestry discussed the lack of volunteers from the parish to keep the church functioning during the winter months. Travel and other issues will drastically reduce the number of people available to perform the needed tasks. The vestry also discussed the possibility of changing the annual meeting and the fiscal year end to the summer in order to match the attendance numbers. No decisions were made. Any change would have to be accomplished per approved By-Laws.

Janet Dickerson discussed stewardship matters. The vestry established November 12 as Stewardship Sunday. Pledge cards and an accompanying letter to parishioners are being prepared.

Janet Dickerson stated that a Christmas Eve Day service (9:00 AM on December 24) would be held. Parishioners desiring to attend a Christmas

Eve evening service will be advised to go to Bethany Lutheran Church.

The vestry discussed the fact that no volunteers from the parish have come forward to stand as a 2018 candidate for the vestry.

The vestry discussed the upcoming Diocesan Convention on November 3 and 4. A volunteer is being sought to represent St. Christopher's at the convention.

Marilyn Zimmerman presented an information summary on the use of the parish website. This summary will be published in the Newsletter and will be inserted in a future Sunday bulletin.

Margie Beers reported that she is working to arrange a St. Nicholas Dinner for the parish. The tentative date and other details will be published as they are known.

**REPORT OF RECTOR SEARCH
COMMITTEE, October, 2017
By Ed Ruffley**

The rector search is ongoing. We have been in touch with our counterparts at Bethany. We have also met with Canon to the Ordinary Bill Spaid, who is in charge of transition for the Diocese.

We provided Canon Spaid with revised language for our rector position posting on the Diocese website after we determined that the Diocese's existing language was inaccurate and not acceptable. We are currently waiting for the new language to be posted.

Canon Spaid stated that he will be presenting St. Christopher's rector position at an upcoming transition meeting among his counterparts in the Church.

WALKING THE WALK

The annual C.R.O.P. Walk took place on Sunday afternoon, October 15, amid cool temperatures and squalling rain. Undeterred, Mike Fleishman, Mary Fleishman, Chuck Dickerson, Jill Foerster, and Charles Benison joined others in Omena for the 4.1 mile distance and to support the cause. Jill Foerster noted that funds raised by the walkers, along with other monetary contributions, will support C.R.O.P. programs both here and worldwide.

**A STUFFED AND GRATEFUL
CONGREGATION**

Carol and Richard Isphording pulled out all of the stops on Sunday, September 17, when they hosted a brunch at their home following the morning service. Calling it a "brunch" does not do it justice: it was an array of wonderful food, fantastic hosting, and convivial parishioners who had time to sit, eat, talk, eat, laugh, eat, visit, eat, and just generally have a fabulous time. Carol and Rich, you have the profound thanks of a very grateful parish.

SPECIAL CALL FOR FLOWERS

There is always a need for flowers for the altar. Please check the sign-up sheets on the parish hall bulletin board. If you are new to the procedure of supplying flowers, it is easily accomplished with a little planning: 1. On the Sunday BEFORE you are scheduled to provide flowers, take two urn liners from the vesting room as you leave the church. 2. On the Sunday you are scheduled to provide flowers, come early and arrange your flowers in the urn liners, place the urn liners in the brass urns (box in the

vesting room), and place the brass urns on the stands behind the altar. The flowers remain at the church until Monday, and can be picked up on Monday afternoons (1:00-3:00) when the Piece Makers are at the church, or via your arrangement with someone who has a key, or by your very early (following) Sunday morning removal, in order to make way for the new flowers on that Sunday. At that time, please return the urn liners to the shelf in the vesting room, and place the brass urns back in the box in the vesting room. If you wish to name those who are specifically honored or remembered by your flowers, please call the church office (386-7780) by the Monday BEFORE your Sunday flowers and provide that information.

Flowers, including delivery, are available through Forget-Me-Not Florists in Suttons Bay, if you wish to use their services.

BUT WAIT! IT CAN BE VERY SIMPLE! If you wish, you can bring your own flowers or plant(s), in your own containers, which you should label. All you then do is: 1. Sign up for your Sunday on the sheet on the bulletin board; 2. Come early enough to place your flowers; 3. Remove per the directions given earlier in this paragraph.

Margie Beers, Janet Dickerson, or Dorothy Schobel should be contacted if you wish to note or mark a special occasion or memorialization regarding your flower donation.

BULLETIN BOARD – HOUSEKEEPING

We are St. Gertrude's tenant: Altar Guild: Please remember to return the wood candle stands to the end of the altar, and place the candleholders on them. Everyone: Those using the church for any activities must check to see that all is restored and all items returned to original places. Thank you!. General information: Please check the Bulletin Board for the monthly schedule and other information. Flowers for the altar: ALWAYS needed! Please sign up on the Bulletin Board schedule.

COFFEE (HALF!) HOUR

(This item is updated: don't skip it!) Coffee hosting is helpful and fun, and available to all. Hosts may prepare the coffee however they wish; but remember that you can always K.I.S.S. (Keep It So Simple). Coffee is always already made; napkins, paper plates, cups are all provided on the premises. All you need to do is bring the edibles; suggestions include your choice of cookies, pastry, fruit, or cheese and crackers. Store-bought is just fine. If the church kitchen is unfamiliar, just ask, and several folks will help in an instant. What is most important is the opportunity to gather socially each week, if only for a brief time. And whomever wields the coffee pot wields the power of hello.

GRATITUDE FOR THE ALTAR GUILD--- AND HELP IS ALWAYS NEEDED

The work of the Altar Guild is central to the order and solemnity of our Sunday service. The parishioners of St. Christopher's appreciate the dedication of each member of the Altar Guild: Janie Neuharth (Altar Guild Head), Margie Beers, Janet Dickerson, Moonyeen Fitch, Jill Foerster, Joy Ham, Ellen McLean, and Marilyn Zimmerman. Although this dedicated band is small but mighty, the Altar Guild can always use assistance, and welcomes new members to share in its important tasks. Please contact Janie Neuharth if you would like to help. Janie and the Altar Guild welcomed Kate Mason as a new member to the Altar Guild this summer.

JAN AND BOB HUNT LIBRARY UPDATE

Please take a moment after the service to: a) check out the library's offerings; and, perhaps, b) check out some materials. As always, librarian Ronnie Alff continuously updates the library. Check-out cards are located on the bookshelf next to the wall which adjoins the sanctuary. Copies of the current issues of The

Living Church magazine are also available. Happy hunting, and fascinating reading, to everyone.

PIECEMAKERS

The Piecemakers meet on Monday from 1:00-3:30 P.M. at St. Christopher's Fellowship Hall. However, due to various events or schedules, a regular session can be cancelled. Please contact Joy, Janet D., Rea, Ronnie, or Mary to confirm any Monday session. The group breaks for tea at 2:00 PM, so please feel free to come in any time and say hello. The Piecemakers will continue to make quilts as their ongoing centerpiece project, but they are expanding their work to make items (lap robes, pillow cases, baby quilts, etc.) for veterans, homeless shelters, and similar groups. Please join us!

ABRACADABRA: LCN FUNDRAISER

Almost 150 people gathered on October 8 for the Leelanau Christian Neighbors fundraiser, "Celebrate the Magic of Caring", held at the Old Art Building in Leland. Attendees had the opportunity to bid on silent auction items, to circulate, to enjoy the food and spirits, and to participate in a live auction. Magician Ben Whiting masterfully conducted the live auction, then presented his own special magic with cards, books, metal rings, and a sense of humor that captivated the crowd. LCN raised more than \$25,000 from the event. Ben Whiting made many new fans. Attendees provided lots of wild applause when Ben ended his presentation, not with a rabbit, but with a bowling ball.

The evening was lively and fun, but we are all reminded that the needs continue. Monetary donations to LCN are always welcome, keeping in mind that: \$10 buys one bag of groceries; \$25 buys a box of infant diapers; \$50 buys a box of size 4 diapers; \$100 feeds one child each week-

end throughout the school year; \$500 fills a tank of propane to keep a family warm throughout the winter.

ST. NICHOLAS DINNER

Margie Beers is working hard to organize a St. Nicholas Dinner for the parish. As of this date, the dinner is planned for the evening of December 6 at the Leland Lodge. Please keep that date open. Arrangements have not yet been finalized so please be on the alert for further information.

THE STORY BEHIND THE HYMN (#25)

The words to "Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven" (page 410, The Hymnal, 1982) were written by British clergyman Henry Francis Lyte and published in a collection of hymns inspired by the Psalms, even though these lyrics were not specific translations. This hymn was intended as a reflection of Psalm 103. The hymn was sung at the 1947 wedding of Queen Elizabeth II. [The Complete Book of Hymns, page 43; William J Petersen & Ardythe Petersen, Tyndale House Publishers, Inc. 2006]

THE STORY BEHIND THE HYMN (#26)

First as a missionary to Syria, and after returning to the United States churches in Rhode Island, Illinois, Massachusetts, and Ohio, Samuel Wolcott worked with the poor and needy. Inspired by a banner he saw at a YMCA convention, Wolcott wrote the words to "Christ For the World We Sing" (page 537, The Hymnal, 1982), eventually writing words to 200 hymns after he turned 56 years old. [The Complete Book of Hymns, page 659, William J.

NEWSLETTER AND MONTHLY SCHEDULE INFORMATION

For any comments, suggestions, corrections, etc.
as to the Newsletter: please contact Mary
Ruffley (cell 248-202-5363; e-mail
mjr3ms@gmail.com)

For information as to the Monthly Schedule:
Please contact Jill Foerster (phone 213-271-
3023; e-mail: foerjill@gmail.com). PLEASE
NOTE that any changes or substitutions as to the
Monthly Schedule must be made directly by the
listed parties, who are responsible for making
those changes or finding substitutes if a problem
arises.....and then noting those changes on the
Monthly Schedule posted on the bulletin board
in the church fellowship hall. Thank you.

CONTENT AUTHORSHIP/SUBMISSION ON DEADLINE

Unless otherwise noted, all Newsletter content is
written by Editor Mary Ruffley. Jill Foerster
prepared the November/December schedule,
which is attached. Thank you Jill!

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE
UPCOMING JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2018
NEWSLETTER IS DECEMBER 10, 2017.

PARISH DIRECTORY UPDATES

Marilyn Zimmerman is gathering Directory
information to be included in an upcoming
Directory update. If you have changes to the
Directory, please contact Marilyn. Additional
information on the Directory will be
forthcoming.

CHILDREN'S READ AND LEARN BASKET

Margie Beers and Marilyn Zimmerman have
launched the Children's Read and Learn Basket,
now located in the Fellowship Hall.
Parishioners are asked to add to the Basket, and
donate related items (children's table and chairs,
appropriate books and materials) if possible.
Perhaps a Children's Corner will result!

SENIOR WARDEN'S REPORT

Senior Warden Janet Dickerson reports as
follows:

A. A Reminder to all committee chairs, Altar
Guild, choir, Piecemakers, Treasurer, and others
to prepare and deliver their written annual
reports to Janet by December 3, 2017. The
reports are required for the January 2018 Annual
Meeting.

B. Everyone should be alert to possible changes
in the Christmas service schedules, and the
possible scheduling of Lessons and Carols,
depending on the availability of supply clergy.

C. The in-depth report of Rev. Canon Meredith
Hunt regarding the Zimbabwe Mission and the
request for financial assistance is posted on the
bulletin board. Some funds have already been
given, and the needs are ongoing. Contact
information is contained in the posted article.

D. Winter weather will soon be arriving, so
parishioners should be on the alert for Phone
Tree Instructions regarding possible church
service cancellations.

LOOKING AHEAD RE: NEWSLETTER

Winter travels mean that scheduler Jill Foerster, secretary Dorothy Schobel, and editor Mary Ruffley will be away for varying periods during the months of December 2017 through April 2018. Never fear! The Newsletter will still be published during the winter months. As always, the powers of communication and email will be at work.

HERE, THERE, AND EVERYWHERE

A. Ashes to Ashes. The September 10, 2017 issue of The Living Church (pages 28-31) contains an informative article on funerals, cremation, and burials. Episcopal clergy discuss theological issues, including the timing of cremation in the context of funerals, the disapproval for the separation/division of ashes, and the necessity for procedures which promote respect for the remains of the deceased. Statistics that reflect the changes in burial practice in the United States are also presented. This article is not macabre, but rather is grounded in the need for understanding, grieving, and eventual acceptance in the face of the loss of loved ones.

B. Questions Continue. Book reviewer A.N. Wilson (Wall Street Journal, September 9-10, 2017) notes that, according to author Stephen Greenblatt in his well-received new book The Rise and Fall of Adam and Eve (Norton, 2017), Charles Darwin's favorite reading during his voyage on the Beagle was John Milton's magnificent work, Paradise Lost. According to reviewer Wilson, Greenblatt reports that a young Darwin believed in "the literal truth" of Milton's work; however, when Darwin lost that literal belief, Darwin "thought he had lost belief in Christianity". In this new book, Greenblatt opines that this may have resulted in continuing issues in distinguishing (not just for Darwin but for many) "what Christianity does and does not claim about creation".

C. The Men in the Windows. Per an article in the October 2017 The Episcopal Journal, page 15), the stained glass panels of Generals Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson that decorate the Lee-Jackson bay in the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C. will be "deconsecrated, removed, conserved, and stored" until further decisions are made. Earlier, in August 2016, smaller window panels showing the Confederate flag had been removed, after the 2015 fatal shootings of parishioners attending Bible study in a Charleston, South Carolina church. These windows honoring Lee and Jackson were installed in the National Cathedral in 1953 with the aid and support of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

D. Ecclesia. For ancient Greeks, "ekklesia" described a general assembly of Athenians, from "ekkalein" (to call out). In the Christian church, it means an assembly of the faithful. The Latin word "Ecce" ("Behold", as used in "Ecce Homo": Behold the Man, John 19:5) has the same root. Page 131 of the Dictionary of Word Origins by Joseph T. Shipley, Philosophical Library, 1945).

E. Pagan Protest. A current British pagan group of Odinists, who worship the Norse god and claim a heritage to ancient Angles, Saxons, and Jutes, want restitution and an apology from the Church of England for purported wrongs against the Odinists one thousand years ago. The Odinists also claim property rights to current church sites. Historians weigh in on the unsubstantiated claims, responding that if land/site theft occurred, it was done by the Odinists first, since the Church sites were established in England approximately 300 A.D. by Christians, and later stolen by the Odinists. So far, there has been no response from the Church of England. (The Living Church, September 24, 2017, page 11).

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ULRICH STRAUS

The Straus family has announced that the interment of Ulrich Straus will take place at 10:00 A. M. on Saturday, November 11, 2017, at East Leland cemetery. A memorial luncheon at the Bluebird Restaurant in Leland will follow at 11:00 A. M.. The family extends an invitation to all who knew Ulrich Straus.

IF YOU ARE A LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER OR AN ALTAR GUILD MEMBER, PLEASE READ THIS by Marilyn Zimmerman

The Covenant between Bethany Lutheran and St. Christopher's contains a provision for dividing the financial responsibility for the salary and benefits of any minister both churches share. Per the Covenant, each January, the percentages are recalculated based on attendance at each church during the previous calendar year. Children are not to be included in the calculation (for the reason that they are not pledging units of their respective parishes). Although our two churches do not share a minister, when we fill the vacant position, we would need to provide this information to our Treasurer so the proper calculation can be made.

When LEMs (and sometimes Altar Guild members) record attendance for services at St. Christopher's in The Register of Church Services (the red book in the sacristy), they currently just record total numbers of those attending (including children). In order that we know the number of children in our totals, it is necessary that beneath the day's total attendance number you also record the number of children at the service, with an asterisk beside that number. Your attention to this detail will insure that our parish doesn't pay more than our fair share of the financial costs for a minister.

Note: The Registry also includes a reminder of this housekeeping requirement at the top of the page. Thanks to all who take care of this task

for St. Christopher's. Should you have any questions about this, please contact Marilyn Zimmerman.

ALONG COMES A SPIDER

November seems a month for Less: fewer leaves on trees; faded color; limited daylight; silenced ponds; and lower numbers on the thermometer. But November is also a month for More: busy animals preparing for winter; anticipation and preparation for the holidays; increasing space on our roads and trails. There is something about bare branches above that can heighten general awareness. This includes recent observations of a new house guest, i.e. the daily appearance of a spider, a daddy-longlegs, at our garage door. This particular spider is also called a "harvestman".

Harvestman visits us regularly. When we come into the garage from outdoors, he is either waiting on the doorstep to come in with us, or he is just inside the doorway, ready to go outside. On first sight of harvestman, there is that acknowledgement of the good service he performs. But always there is that brief pause, on seeing that seed-pod body sitting atop those high-arched legs. We see elegance...and menace. Just as with our comings and goings, he has purpose. That purpose is hunting, and the goal is survival. In humans, that survival instinct might be our basic form of hope. This spider must have his own form of hope as he works on his November survival.

Harvestman cannot participate in the autumn celebration which conjures his name. But we can. We look forward to perhaps the only American holiday that embraces every person in this country: every race; every gender; every ethnic origin; every economic level. As harvestman slips out the door once again, we slip into somber, and yet serenely joyous, November. Happy Thanksgiving to everyone.

by Mary Ruffley

Service Schedule for November - December 2017

Date	Day	Lector	LEM 1	Clergy	Altar Set Up	Altar Clear	Greeter	Coffee	
Nov. 5	Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost	D. Nelson	J. Dickerson	J. McLean	M. Beers	M. Zimmerman	M. Zimmerman	I. Nelson	
Nov. 12	Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost	M. Fleishman	C. Isphording	J. McLean	J. Foerster	Joy Ham	P. Deal		
Nov. 19	Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost	M. Ruffley	Joy Ham	J. McLean	J. Neuharth	M. Beers	C. Dickerson	M. Ruffley	
Nov. 26	Last Sunday after Pentecost	Jim Ham	J. Dickerson	J. McLean	Joy Ham	J. Foerster	P. Deal	J. Foerster	
Dec. 3	First Sunday in Advent	J. Foerster	Joy Ham	R. Anderson	J. Foerster	J. Neuharth	J. Foerster	B. Marsh	
Dec. 10	Second Sunday in Advent	M. Ruffley	J. Dickerson	R. Anderson	M. Beers	Joy Ham	P. Deal	J. Crane	
Dec. 17	Third Sunday in Advent	R. Bombaugh	Joy Ham	R. Anderson	J. Neuharth	J. Foerster	J. Foerster	M. Fleishman	
Dec. 24	Fourth Sunday in Advent	J. Foerster	J. Dickerson	T. Guback	J. Foerster	J. Neuharth	J. Ham	TBA	
Dec. 24	Christmas Eve			T. Guback					
Dec. 31	First Sunday after Christmas	M. Fleishman	J. Ham	T. Guback	Joy Ham	J. Foerster	C. Dickerson	TBA	

If you are unable to serve when scheduled, please arrange a trade and note it on the parish bulletin board

