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CHRIST CHURCH RUMMAGE CELEBRATING 80 Years

rummage sale tent party

friday, september 24th
6:30pm dinner & drinks,
dances & bids

\$30 per person. rsvp *today!*



Flyover...

Saturday, September 25th,
8 am – 3 pm;
Sunday, September 26th,
11 am to ?

What's flyover? The process of moving boxes from storage in the West Building to the departments set up in Tents, Parish House and Woman's Club. Many hands make light work!

Contact Bill Cross (441-7508) or Jim Schroeder (256-2021) with questions.

Note: Pizza on Saturday, McDonald's on Sunday.

christian formation

life in christ
Parish Forum



sundays
10:10 a.m.
(mC Clain
Room)

“Living in Community”

“They continued steadfastly in the apostles’ teaching and fellowship in the breaking of bread and prayers.” (Acts 2:42)

Such is the experience of the early church: a community formed in the light of the resurrection and based in its relationship with Jesus Christ. Today, we 21st century Christians continue in that tradition as we gather for worship and fellowship, to grow in our relationship with Christ and one another.

At baptism, we are initiated into the Church, the Christian community, and as members of that body, we become “Christians.” We are launched on our life-long journey of faith. We are nurtured spiritually in the community of faith, the Church, but we are called to incarnate our faith within the several communities of which we are part—our families, neighborhoods, schools, workplaces and others. How do we as Christians embody our faith in the larger communities to which we belong? How does our Sunday morning worship inform the ways *we are* in those various communities? What distinguishes us as Christians, and what is our unique contribution in the community?

Please join us on Sunday mornings from 10:10-11 a.m. for the Parish Forum as we explore this topic from a variety of angles. Together, we will *be* a community of faith and, with the help of outside speakers as well as our own clergy and fellow parishioners, come to understand more fully the importance of community in our formation and development as Christians.

September 19 & 26: Rector’s Forum, *The Christian Community Through Time and Space: Reflections on a Sabbatical*

October 3: *The Outreaching Community: 80 Years of Rummage and Still Going Strong*

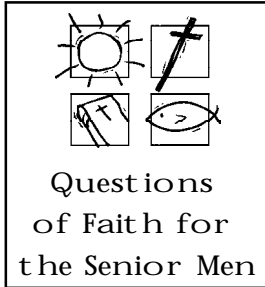
October 10 & 17: *Living With Money* The Rev’d Davis Fisher

...and more!

BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism will be offered at Christ Church on **November 7, 2004; January 9, March 26** (at the Easter Vigil) and **May 15, 2005**; and on **two summer Sundays** at the Maple Street Park beach service.

If you are considering baptism for yourself or a family member at Christ Church, please plan to attend the Saturday instructional session scheduled for **October 30, 2004** from 9:30 a.m.-11 a.m. in the Lea Room of Church House. Register by calling Patti Snickenberger at 847-446-2850, ext. 24 or by e-mail at revpatti@christchurchwinnetka.org. Please indicate whether you will require child care during the class and the ages of the children needing care.



Questions of Faith for the Senior Men is a new discussion group at Christ Church for men of the parish and their friends who are 65 or older. The group met for the first time on September 8 and will continue meeting twice a month on **Wednesdays** in the Guild Room at **10:30 a.m.** The format for the meetings has two parts – a short video, usually 30 minutes or less, highlighting a particular religious topic; and discussion, finishing by noon. Those interested in lunch then head to Meiers Tavern.

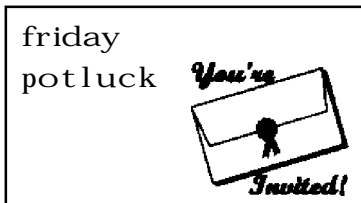
The schedule for meeting dates and topics is as follows:

September 22	What gives you faith?	Lea Room – Church House*
October 6	What happens after death?	Lea Room – Church House*
October 20	What's God got to do with evil?	Guild Room – Parish House

* Rummage at the Parish House

Share and hear what your peers think about these and other issues of faith. Please call George Smith (446-2850, ext. 27) if you have any questions.

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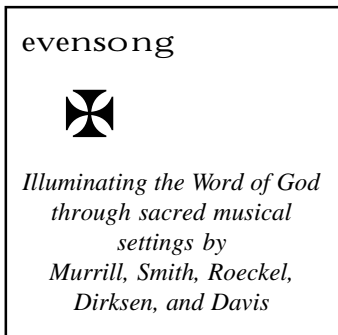
This Friday: potluck dinner

September 17, 7 p.m.

Mary & Gary Walther's, 269 Locust, Winnetka

Come for cocktails, potluck dinner & conversation

Call Mary at 441-5619 to let her know what you will bring.



A service of Evensong,
a distinctively Anglican form of
the ancient Office of Vespers, will be
sung by the
Christ Church Choir
on

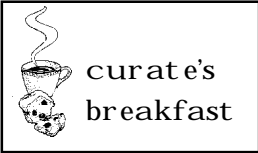
Sunday, September 19, 5 p.m.

Church on the Hill

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memorial
service

A memorial service for Charlene Seabury will be held at the Church on the Hill on Saturday, September 25 at 10 a.m. A reception will follow in the McClain Room.



Once a month, usually on a Thursday, our Curate, George Smith, organizes a drop-in breakfast for parishioners. Give George a call or email him (446-2850, ext. 27; george@christchurchwinnetka.org) to tell him you will be at the first gathering this fall, Caffe Buon Giorno, The Laundry Mall, Winnetka, 7 a.m. on **Thursday, September 23.**



Prospective and experienced volunteers are invited to a series of training sessions during the afternoon of **Sunday, September 26** at the Church on the Hill. Here's an opportunity to brush up on the basics and ask questions. Refreshments will be served as well. Come to one or all of the sessions:

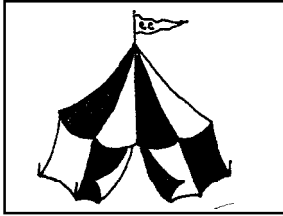
- Ushers** 2 p.m.
- Chalice Bearers** 3 p.m.
- Lectors / Intercissors** 4 p.m.
- Acolytes** 5 p.m. & pizza party

Questions and to RSVP, call George Smith at 446-2850, ext. 27. Altar Guild training will be planned for October.

donate
toiletries
for eagle
scout project

Please help! For his Eagle Scout Prject, Robert Reed is seeking donations of items to be included in hygiene kits for Cathedral Shelter of Chicago, an Episcopal charity supported by Christ Church. The hygiene kits will include a wash cloth, hand towel, bar of soap, toothbrush, 6 oz. tube of toothpaste, comb, Chapstick or lip balm, disposable razor and a small bottle of hand lotion. If you can donate any of these items, please bring them to the collection box in the Parish House foyer or at Church House during the month of September. If you have questions or need a pickup, please call Robert Reed at 847-501-5840.

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It's not too late (quite). But we could REALLY use a few more special items for our Tent Party Auction. Think about donating . . .

- √ a weekend at your summer cottage
- √ airline miles
- √ tickets to see one of our great Chicago sports teams play
- √ a golf outing at your club, etc.

The party's on September 24, so if you can help out with any donations, please call Claudia Montgomery a.s.a.p. We're jazzed...



rena kowalski

The Parish Office at Christ Church sports fresh carpeting, some updated desks and chairs, a more workable layout and a bright new face behind the reception desk. Rena Kowalski and her family moved to Glenview from Birmingham, Michigan just eight weeks ago when her husband, Tom, took the position of CEO at Bolter & Yates, an environmental company in the area. Rena will be on the job as Office Assistant and Receptionist from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. five days a week.

A fast learner, Rena has already stepped up to the myriad tasks and projects thrown her way. She has an extensive background in computers, electronic fundraising and database work but was particularly attracted to the Christ Church position by the friendly environment—and she says, “I love being there.”

Parents of three sons, Joseph (a junior at Loyola U.), John (a sophomore at Marquette U.) and James (a junior at St. Viator High School), Rena and Tom have spent many hours in the bleachers watching lacrosse, hockey and football games. They are also avid followers of pro sports, even continuing to hold onto season tickets to Tom's hometown team, the Buffalo Bills. As new Chicago fans, Rena is hoping to snag some sports tickets at the Tent Party auction.

Besides putting their new home in order, Rena spends time on her favorite hobby, cooking. A new commercial-style kitchen was the first project undertaken in their new townhouse when they moved here, and she has already put it to good use.

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drivers needed



Drivers are needed for Meals at Home. Christ Church helps every Tuesday and the first and last Fridays of the month. Call Elise Covey (446-4333) for information or to volunteer. Some volunteers serve once a month; others twice. Substitutes are also welcome!

come &
sing



If you enjoy singing but don't have time to make a regular commitment to our choir, the Christ Church Chorale could be the group for you! We'd love to have you join us!

The Chorale will begin rehearsing on Thursday evening, September 23, preparing music of Mozart and Caldara for a church service on Sunday, October 31. Please contact Organist and Choirmaster Richard Clemmitt for more information (847-446-2850, ext 22, or rclemmitt@christchurchwinnetka.org)

i n t h e c o m m u n i t y

50th
anniversary
gathering:

st.
Leonard's

St. Leonard's Ministries is celebrating its 50th Anniversary during 2004. The highlight of this year will be a Gathering at the famous Pump Room in downtown Chicago on Sunday afternoon, October 3, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Please come to this event and support this very worthy work of assisting ex-offenders as they rebuild their lives.

For further information and to make reservations, call Marsha at St. Leonard's Ministries: 312-738-1414, ext. 10.

help stock
New Trier
Township
Pantry



Donations are needed all year 'round for the New Trier Township Pantry. At holiday times, groups gear up to help stock local pantries, but during the summer months donations tend to drop.

The New Trier Township Pantry provides food to nearly 50 families, saving them significant dollars monthly on their grocery bills. Items such as toilet paper, cereal, paper towels, soups, canned goods and pastas may be delivered to the pantry in the township office at 739 Elm Street, Winnetka. Monetary contributions may also be made by calling 847-446-8201.

administrative matters

excerpts from
minutes of the
vestry meeting of
june 22, 2004

- **Treasurer's Report.** The Treasurer presented a mid-year budget recast. Revenue is expected to come in close to budget. Expenses are running slightly above expected due to increased costs in Facilities Maintenance and on the Ministry side. The Treasurer sent pledge reminders to several parishioners who have yet to pledge and to 10 newcomers. Response was positive.
- **Funds Disbursement.** The Committee recommended that four projects be funded: Chapel renovation, Phase I of the Guild Room renovation, Church House kitchen funds be earmarked, and a new railroad tie barrier for the AC and electricity box at the Church be installed, pending an investigation into the longevity of railroad ties. The motion was passed.
- **Election of Lay Delegates to the Diocesan Convention.** Lawson Whitesides, Rick Potter and Robin Anstaett will serve as delegates to the convention on November 12-13. Alternates are Annette Peck, Ken Gould, Sr. and Bob Wilcox.
- **Committee Reports.** Stewardship: Rick Jones reported that Julie Flood will Co-Chair the Annual Canvass, with 20 callers having already been lined up. Grounds: Rick Potter reported that the Chapel entrance project will be started in the Fall.
- **Priest-in-Charge Report.** The Associate Rector reported that the Acolytes and Choir were recognized and feted on recent Sundays. The Parish Picnic was well attended, particularly by new members. The Friday Potluck on June 11th at the Carton's was also a success. Patti and George have had a full pastoral care schedule, including premarital counseling for several couples. Administrative responsibilities and program planning for next year as well as work on Diocesan Convention and the Commission on Ministry have been ongoing.
- **West Building Report.** Bob Bradner, Chair of the West Building Committee, led a discussion regarding the status and possible future use of the West Building property. A special meeting of the Vestry to continue discussion on the matter was scheduled for later in June.

—Melanie Cody, Clerk of the Vestry

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DiPaolo

Worship

Sundays: 7:45 Eucharist; 9 Eucharist with choir,
Children’s Atria; 11:15 am Eucharist with choir
[Morning Prayer & Holy Communion on 2nd & 4th
Sundays at 11:15; All services with healing on 3rd
Sunday], (All Sunday services at the Church)
Wednesdays: 9:30 am Eucharist (Chapel);
Fridays: 7:30 am Eucharist (Chapel)

Vestry

Robin Anstaett, *Senior Warden*
Robert Wilcox, *Junior Warden*
Steven Anderson Molly Bayley
Esther Berry Kenneth Gould
Richard Jones James McGee
Stuart Miller Annette Peck
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