

All are welcome to receive the sacrament of Holy Eucharist at The Church of the Holy Spirit. If you wish to receive a blessing in lieu of the bread and wine, please come forward during the distribution; cross your arms over your chest to signal your intention to our servers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

November 17, 2024

The parishioners listed in the items below have contact information available in our parish directory. You may also reach them via a message through our church office (office@chsortableans.org).

SUNDAY FORUM: Be with us after church over coffee or tea **TODAY, November 17** for a presentation with Jenn Gale on **Food 4 Kids Year in Review**. We'll also hear from Family Table Collaborative Co-founder Jeni Wheeler about FTC's mission to serve our hungry neighbors on the Cape.

THURSDAY HOLY EUCHARIST with prayers for healing - **Thursdays at 11 am in the church (East Transept).**

GALLEY WEST ART GALLERY: WINTER SHOW open through **December 21**. Visit us and enjoy the art by 33 artists from the Lower and Outer Cape. Wonderful one-of-a-kind items, perfect holiday gifts for family, friends or treat yourself. Gallery hours **Wednesday – Saturday 10 to 2, until 6 on Thursdays and after service on Sundays until 12:30.**

COME AND PLAY: Do you like to play board games, card games or socialize with members of your church family? The Pastoral Care Team is sponsoring **Tuesdays at Two in the Fireplace Room**. Games like Scrabble, Skip-Bo, Sorry, Cribbage, and Hearts will be available, and the kettle will be on! We are planning to meet on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 2 pm in the Fireplace Room. **Our next date is Tuesday, November 19.** All are invited. Bring a friend! Questions? **Please call Nancy Boccia or Brenda Ridgeway.**

THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICE: Holy Eucharist, Thursday, November 28 at 9:00 am.

ANTIQUES SHOW: The Church of the Holy Spirit will be holding its **46th Annual Antiques Show and Sale** on Friday, **November 29 from 10 am – 4 pm** and on **Saturday, November 30 from 10 am – 3 pm in the Parish Hall.**

Admission is \$6 per person or \$5 with a discount ticket or ad. There will be 25 quality dealers from the New England area. Begin your holiday shopping or find a special treat for yourself at this wonderful show. We sincerely appreciate your patronage! **Debbie Meguerdichian**

FRESH HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENT

SALE: It won't be long before the Fresh Holiday Arrangements Sale (formerly First Fruits) will be creating its' very popular, fresh greens centerpiece arrangements, swags, and mantel boughs for the holiday season. This is a great way to decorate your house and to help local charities. Invite your friends and mark your calendars – **December 12, 13 and 14.** If you have small decorations for centerpieces or vessels for arrangements, please drop them off that week in the Parish Hall, Monday through Friday. Please save any green pruning until that time. We need greens (not holly). Thank you!

HOLIDAY BAZAAR UPDATE: Thank you for the most successful holiday bazaar to date. We had a wonderful day; the sun was shining and the warmth and goodwill in the Parish Hall overflowed as we opened the door to the 2024 bazaar. We are so grateful to this entire community for your generous contributions of time, delicious food, over 2200 cookies (wow!), baskets and so much more. A few fun facts: over 400 people attended and shopped, 60 people toured the art with our volunteer docents (5 came to church the next day), social media posts and reels had over 3000 views, and we had over 60 volunteers throughout the days. We are so grateful to you all for making this happen.

SUNDAY'S GLIMPSE OF THE GOSPEL:

The Gospel speaks to us today personally and as a community. Join us **Sundays at 8:45 am** to delve into the Gospel and pray for one another. We meet in the Fireplace Room and via Zoom. Interested? **Please contact Tom Dewing.**

CHS ARTIST: The featured artist for the month of November is Brooke Eaton-Skea. Brooke's exhibit is reflective of her work with faith communities on the Cape which opened her eyes to the difficulty and complexity of immigrating to the United States. Her prints and collages cast a light on this very important issue. Proceeds from the sale of her work will go to the Refugee Support Team of the Nauset Interfaith Association.

TUESDAY MORNING LECTIO DIVINA AND PRAYERS: 10:00 am via Zoom.

Lectio Divina is a monastic mode of prayer, contemplation, and Bible study and all are welcome to experience this with us. A Zoom Meeting invitation email is sent on Monday mornings. It includes links to the Zoom service and Service Bulletin and Readings.

FREE SHOP: Happily receiving your **winter** clothing donations! **Please, no men's suits, worn boots & shoes.** Brown paper shopping bags with handles are always needed! Drop off your donations in the bins located on the first floor of the Parish Hall by the elevator any time the Parish Hall is open. The shop is open every **Monday & Wednesday – 10 to 1. Suzy Gray & Sharyn Laughton & – Co Directors**

PASTORAL FARE: For folks in need, sick or just not up to cooking, we have **FREE**, nutritious, single serve, frozen meals in our Parish Hall Kitchen freezer. Meals are provided by the Family Table Collaborative, whose mission is to provide healthy, prepared meals.

WHEN THE CHS PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED, please feel free to drop off any items or Pledges in the black mailbox outside of the office door in the courtyard. **The office is open Monday - Thursday 10 am - 2 pm.**

CHS WEB SITE: To live stream or watch recorded services later, please go to our website **holyspiritoforleans.org** and click on **“VIEW ONLINE”**. To download the Sunday Service Bulletin, click on the “Sunday Service Bulletin” highlighted link.

If you are interested in using the CHS Wi-Fi when you are on campus, the network is: Church_Guest and the password is: CHSOrleans.

This is a case sensitive password.

CHS Schedule

November 17 ~ November 24

Sunday: November 17

8:45 Glimpse of the Gospel – Fireplace Room/Zoom
9:30 Church School and Child Care
10:00 Holy Eucharist – Church/YouTube, followed by Coffee Hour
11:30 F4K Forum – Parish Hall
11:45 Sacred Ground – Fireplace Room

Monday: November 18

10:00 Kimball House Hammerers
10:00 Free Shop – Gathering Room
1:00 Sacred Ground – Fireplace Room

Tuesday: November 19

10:00 Lectio Divina Service – Zoom
2:00 Tuesdays at Two – Fireplace Room

Wednesday: November 20

10:00 Free Shop – Gathering Room
7:00 Choir Rehearsal – Church

Thursday: November 21

11:00 Holy Eucharist and Prayers for Healing – Church
3:00 Centering Prayer – Reception Room/Memorial Garden
6:00 Vestry Meeting – Fireplace Room/Zoom

Friday: November 22

8:00 Red Cross Blood Drive – Parish Hall
9:30 Belladonnas Rehearsal – Church

Sunday: November 24

8:45 Glimpse of the Gospel – Fireplace Room/Zoom
9:30 Church School and Child Care
10:00 Holy Eucharist – Church/YouTube, followed by Coffee Hour