

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This year we will not be holding a service on Thanksgiving day, but please join us for regular services on the Sunday following.

Drop-in Prayer this morning between services! Are you in need of prayer? Drop in for time with our prayer ministers. **Location:** prayer room in the church office. Questions? Contact Laura Mitchell at lpmitch05@gmail.com.

Turkey Drive

Sunday, Nov 24 | 8:00 and 10:30 am | Sanctuary

Would you like to help a family in need with Thanksgiving dinner? On Sunday, November 24 we will be collecting frozen turkeys – just drop them off on your way into church. They will be distributed by the Society of St Vincent de Paul along with a message of God's love and Christ's gift of salvation to the world. We are also accepting financial donations by any of the methods listed in the bulletin under DONATION OPTIONS. **Financial donations must be received in the church office by close of business on Thursday, November 21.** Put "turkey" in the memo line. Any amount helps. Thank you!

Pledge Season Update

On Sunday, we wrapped up our pledge drive and giving sermon series. I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of you who submitted your pledge cards. If you were unable to turn in a pledge card, do not fear, we will still gratefully accept any pledge cards that did not yet make it to the office. It is our plan to share an update on December 15 about our pledge drive and our budget forecast for 2025. So, it is important that we receive any outstanding pledges in the near future so that we are able to present an accurate 2025 budget forecast. Additional pledge cards and envelopes can be found by the bulletins at the back of the church in the Narthex this Sunday, or you may contact the office directly .

Thank you, again, for your attention and support of the mission of Christ Church Anglican.

Worship Volunteers Needed

Our 8am service is healthy with a consistent number of attendees each Sunday. Praise God! We do find, however, that we are in need of additional volunteers to maintain some key positions at this service. If you would be available to occasionally help with ushering, sound, or welcoming please reach out to the ministry leads listed here:

Kevin Jones (Usher) kjones.phx@gmail.com

Chris Hott (Sound) cdhott@gmail.com

Debbie Moudy (Welcomers) dmoudy1@gmail.com

2025 Vestry Nominating Process:

Do you know a dedicated CCA member who has a spiritual gift or skill that he/she would want to use for the good of the church and the Kingdom of God as a member of the CCA Vestry? The Vestry has appointed a nominating committee to identify a slate of Vestry candidates who will stand for election at the Annual Meeting in January. The two current Vestry members with terms expiring at the end of this year — Jen Hinsberger and Jonathan Olson — have been joined by two former Vestry members — Julie Bennett and Mark Kaech — to form the nominating committee. The committee is inviting members of CCA to pray about possible Vestry candidates and to pass along any suggestions, recommendations, or questions about Vestry requirements to the committee chair, Jonathan Olson, at jonathan.olson@gmail.com.

November is National Adoption month and our ministry partner Christian Family Care is working hard to find loving Christian homes for the 1,500 children in our state waiting to be adopted. At the end of the service, please look for cards being handed out that have a specific child on it that your family could pray for this month. Join us in praying that God would have just the right family for them, and that they would come to know Jesus and feel His presence when they feel alone.

Antioch Network | Sunday, December 1 at 9:15 am | Parish Hall

Join Ryan & Noleen Thurman and George & Hanna Miley as they share about how God is at work around the world through Antioch Network (AN), one of CCA's partner ministries. AN is engaged in locations such as India, Iran, Turkey, Europe, North Cyprus, Central Asia & the Caucasus.

Family Advent Party

Join Children's Ministry after the 10:30 service on Sunday December 1 on the Lawn as we welcome the Advent Season with a Family Party. Breakfast, activities, and crafts will be provided.



Attention Families!

Sign up to read an Advent prayer and light the candles. Children will also process Nativity pieces during the Offertory.

ACTF Lecture and Reception at CCA

Friday, December 6 | Evening | Parish Hall & Sanctuary

The Very Rev. Canon Dr. Ashley Null, internationally respected scholar on the grace and gratitude theology of the English Reformation will give a lecture entitled "Transformed Desire: Scripture and the Affections in the Anglican Formularies." Our very own Fr. Chuck Collins, who served on staff at Christ Church Anglican, will moderate the question-and-answer session following the lecture.

In addition, the Arizona Anglican Deanery's Next Steps Fellowship Dinner will be held in Parish Hall at 5:30 p.m. This is an opportunity for guests and members of our Anglican churches to meet and visit with others within our Deanery and the Diocese of Western Anglicans.

If you intend to attend any of these events, please register here.

Dr. Null will also provide a seminar on Saturday for ACTF students, area clergy, and guests at Living Faith Anglican Church in Tempe. Registration and information for both events can be found in the link above.



Lessons and Carols | Sunday, December 8 | 5 pm

We invite you to our cherished Festival of Lessons and Carols, a beautiful tradition that brings the story of God's love to life. Through nine Scripture readings, each illuminated by hymns, carols, and images, we journey through the story of Christ's birth and the mystery of the Word becoming flesh.

Be inspired by the Christ Church Anglican Choir, joined by a chamber orchestra and soloists, as they perform sacred choral gems. This is a time to reflect, sing, and celebrate the wonder of the season in fellowship, and we look forward to sharing this holy and joyful occasion with you.

Advent Party | Sunday, December 8 | Following Lessons & Carols

A beloved tradition of Lessons & Carols will be followed by a celebratory meal for all in the Parish Hall. CCA will provide the main dish, and we ask you to bring a side or dessert to share. Contact Amy Fondry with any questions afondry@christchurchphoenix.org

Children's Pageant Registration!

The children of the church are invited to participate in the nativity pageant at the Christmas Eve service at 5pm. There will be one 90-minute rehearsal on Saturday, December 21, from 9-10:30AM. All costumes will be provided at the rehearsal. Please register by December 15th with Amy at afondry@christchurchphoenix.org. If your child or grandchild would like to participate and cannot attend the rehearsal, please contact Amy for options.

Toddler Storytime

Toddler Storytime meets every Friday at 10:00AM in Room 8! Children 4 and under and their guardians are invited to join us for stories, songs, crafts, and snacks!

Children's Sunday School room assignments are as follows:

PreK-1st Grade | Room 8

2nd – 3rd Grades | Room 13

4th – 5th Grades | Room 11

Morning Adult Formation, 9:15-10:15 AM

Membership Class | Room 7 | September 22 – December 15

Membership and confirmation is a two-semester journey through the Christian worldview, the Apostles' Creed, the Lord's Prayer, the Ten Commandments, and Anglican worship. It culminates in the participant's confirmation or reception as a member of CCA and the Anglican Church in North America.

Estate Planning for Young Families

Sunday Mornings | November 10 & 17 | Parish Hall

Do you need a will or estate plan for your family? Join Rick Lundin for a practical step-by-step guide to estate planning. Rick has practiced law for 30 years and will give you the guidance and documents you can use to set up your estate plan for your family and heirs.

Courageous Men of Friday Mornings

Fridays | 6:15 AM | Parish Hall

Every week, we will explore twelve facets of Christian spirituality and delve into what it means to have a genuine relationship with God. We will take a comprehensive approach to deepening our faith by His grace. Each morning will start with Morning Prayer, followed by a teaching session and formation groups.

Wednesday Nights at CCA – CONCLUDES NOVEMBER 20TH!

Schedule of the Evening – drop-ins are always welcome:

5:00-5:30 Choristers (ages 4 – 7th grade)

5:15-6:15 Dinner in the Parish Hall

6:15-7:30 Classes, Kid's Club and Youth Group

Livestreaming

Our 10:30 a.m. service is now livestreamed. Subscribe to our YouTube channel @christchurchanglican8173 and you will receive notifications when the service is live or you can access the recorded sermon later.

DONATION OPTIONS

Flower Donations

If you would like to donate flowers in celebration or thanksgiving of a birthday, anniversary, or in memory of a loved one, etc., contact the church office at office@christchurchphoenix.org. A suggested donation for flowers is \$50. All donations are tax deductible.

Zelle Donations through Your Bank

Christ Church Anglican accepts online donations made via Zelle. If your bank uses **Zelle** (other bank versions of this type of payment are not yet available to us) as an online bill payment option you may send a donation to Christ Church Anglican by entering the following email giving@christchurchphoenix.org and the donation will be made directly to CCA's account with no extra fees. This is our favorite method of accepting online donations.

Online Giving through our Website

Credit Cards and PayPal donations are accepted through our website. Go to www.christchurchphoenix.org, select the “Giving” option at the top, and click on the Donate Online box. Note that donations made this way are subject to a 2.2% credit card fee and we do not receive the full amount.

US Mail

If you prefer to send a check via US Mail, please use the following address:

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