

Parish Notes

Easter Flowers

You are invited to help us decorate our Sanctuary for Easter by purchasing a lily (\$8.50 each) or hydrangea (\$14.50 each). The flowers may be designated in honor or memory of another person(s), as you desire. Order forms are available at the reception desk in the administrative wing. Our supplier must have our order by April 1st, so the deadline for ordering your flowers is Sunday, March 31. Please make your checks payable to *Christ Church*.

Tornado Relief

We are collecting a free will offering to send to *Samaritan's Purse* to assist them in their ministry to those affected by the disastrous tornadoes which ravaged parts of Alabama and Georgia recently. We collected \$1300.00 last Sunday towards this goal; however, we are still collecting funds today. A designated offering plate is on the narthex table for this purpose. Please make checks payable to *Christ Church*.

The Rhythm of Life

Since since our earliest days in *The Lodge*, we have celebrated Easter with wonderful instruments, including timpani drums, which add so much to the festive nature of the day.

For nine years, we have borrowed drums from LISD for Easter, and transported them back and forth, praying that nothing happened to them along the route. However, since our contact has now gone on to another school district, it has seemed prudent to purchase drums which we can house right here at *Christ Church* and have on hand when and if we might need or want them for any occasion, and not risk them in transit.

Alas, they are not inexpensive; in fact, with shipping, precisely \$4,964.99. The good news is that, through the generosity of 5 different contributors, we have already been given \$4,200.00 of that sum, which leaves us with a balance of \$764.99. If any of you would like to help get us over this final hurdle, please see Sharon, or call the church office at 634.2009.

Our Stewardship:

Membership: 156

Attendance:

March 10 --111

Offering (3/10) :

\$5,490.00

Please pray:

Family concerns:

Betty Bryant, Joy Eagle, Clare Herrick, Bonnie Hilton, Burtley Hicks, Jim Kennedy, Bill & Jackie Marsh, Lynette Monk, Leah & Gene Parker, Dennis Rankin, Eloise Richardson, Sue Ann & Tom Rees, Jo Ann Stewart, Mary Jule Tatum, Alan Toback, Becky Weldon

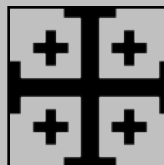
Extended concerns:

Gary Alexander (*mother, Joyce*); Kay Highnote (*grandson, Elijah*); Melia Hunter (*brother, George Platt*); Martha de Luna (*mother, Martha*); Bill Marsh (*brother, George*); Gene Parker (*great grandson, Max*); Becky Weldon (*father and mother, Mr. & Mrs. Fred Baier*); Jo Whitaker (*cousin, Penny*).

MORE INFORMATION

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- you wish more information about Christ Church
 - you wish a minister to contact you
- We can contact you at:



LECTIONARY READINGS

Next Sunday, March 24, 2019
3rd Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 55:1-9

Psalm 63:1-8

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

Luke 13:1-9