



**Christ Church**  
Sixth and Main Streets  
Clarksburg, WV

# The Good News Weekly

## Christ Episcopal Church ~ St. Barnabas Chapel

### July 5, 2020



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### Upcoming Events

All events with person to person contact at our church sites are cancelled indefinitely. Please watch for updates by email, on Facebook, and on the Christ Church and St. Barnabas websites.

Following the June vestry meeting, Rev. Nora submitted plans approved by the vestry for resuming services at CEC and SB. The Bishop sent some questions. The plans were revised and resent on June 25. Bishop Klusmeyer has approved these plans. The next step will be for Rev. Nora to work with the worship committee to develop specific plans for safely doing in-person services.

### Our Church Grounds are Looking Beautiful



Thank to all who

- planted
- watered
- weeded
- pruned
- cleaned
- raked
- mulched.

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Morning Prayer with Zoom  
at 10:00 AM  
Evening Prayer with Zoom  
At 5:30 PM

#### INFORMATION FOR UPCOMING ZOOM SERVICES

Join Zoom Meetings by clicking on this link  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5245181878>  
(If this doesn't work, copy and paste the link into the address line on your computer or phone.)

Meeting ID: 524 518 1878

Another option is to dial in: (646) 558-8656

Please note this is the same link & ID for every week.

**Instructions:** Five to ten minutes before the service time, click on the link above. When the Zoom program appears on your screen, click on the button that says you want to join using video, and click on the button that says you want to join using audio. **Then wait** for someone to open the meeting. When this happens, any background noise or anything you say will be heard by everyone on the screen. To prevent this, you can click on the speaker icon to mute the speaker, but remember if you wish to speak, you will need to unmute the speaker.

### Sunday Virtual Eucharists

You are invited to join Bishop Klusmeyer on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. on zoom, telephone or Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/EpisDioWV/>

The National Cathedral continues to offer Sunday Eucharist online. Music begins at 11:00 a.m. with the service starting at 11:15 a.m. EDT.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?time\\_continue=30&v=RvV55C4TLso&feature=emb\\_title](https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=30&v=RvV55C4TLso&feature=emb_title)

This service can also be viewed on the Cathedral's [Facebook page](#).

### E-Giving Is Available to Churches Without Fees

Parishioners are encouraged to use e-giving at:

<http://www.wvdiocese.org/pages/aa-egiving.html>

Just scroll down and click on the donate button located by Bridgeport-St. Barnabas or Clarksburg – Christ Church.

### Checks can also be mailed directly to the church

at Christ Episcopal Church  
PO Box 1492, Clarksburg, WV 26302



WASHINGTON NATIONAL CATHEDRAL

# *We the People*

INDEPENDENCE DAY ONLINE CONCERT & TRIBUTE

**JULY 4, 2020 • 11 AM**

You're invited to join Washington National Cathedral for an online Independence Day concert to celebrate the enduring values that make America strong, resilient and compassionate.

This year's online concert features "The President's Own" United States Marine Orchestra, gospel artist Michael W. Smith, opera sensation Denyce Graves, former Senator Elizabeth Dole and so much more.

As the nation endures the battle against COVID-19, we will also pay tribute to our first responder heroes, health care workers and all those who are helping us rise to meet the challenge.

In these troubled times, we want to celebrate the character of this nation that will sustain us for all the challenges we face. Love of God. Love of Country. Love for each other. Happy birthday, America!

<https://cathedral.org/july4/>

## **Anti-Racism Collect for July For Freedom from Fears**

"O Holy Spirit of comfort and eternal presence: spread over us, your weary and anxious people, your protective and reassuring wings, that we might be delivered from our fears of one another that we might experience the exhilarating freedom of welcoming even strangers without defensiveness, hostility, or suspicion, but rather with openness, hospitality, and the expectation of friendship. In the Name of Jesus, who welcomes all."

**Amen**

## **"Weary Throats and New Songs"**

This was the unique sermon given by The Reverend Dr. Otis Moss III for the National Cathedral for June 28. He stated, "Song brings us into relationship with God. If we are to get out of this condition we are in, in this nation, we must learn how to sing together." He talked about the power of singing together and concluded with a virtual band and choir singing a new song for these times from the text of John 15:1. "I am the vine, and my Father is the gardener. Every barren branch of mine he cuts away, and every fruiting branch he cleans, to make it more fruitful." We must stay connected. Click on this link to listen to this sermon illustrated with songs.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yo44NzWjp0A&t=8s>

## **More Pictures**

From Christ Church and St Barnabas Chapel



**. . . to know, live, and share  
The Good News Story of Jesus Christ**