

# News & Notices

June 1, 2025

## Summer Worship Schedule

**Sunday, June 1** (Please note that there is no 10:30 am worship in the Church.) 8:30 am - Holy Eucharist & Confirmation - Church\* 10:30 am - Holy Eucharist & Confirmation - All Saints' Hall\* 5 pm - Holy Eucharist - Church

#### Sunday, June 8, Pentecost

8:30 am - Holy Eucharist & Baptism - Church\* 10:30 am - Holy Eucharist & Baptism - Church\*

10:30 am - Contemporary/Discovery Blended Worship - All Saints' Hall\*

5 pm - Holy Eucharist - Church

#### Every Sunday, June 8 through August 31

8:30 am,\* 10:30 am\* & 5 pm - Holy Eucharist - Church

#### 2nd & 4th Sundays, June 8 & 22, July 27, August 10 & 24

10:30 am - Contemporary/Discovery Blended Worship\*

#### Sunday, July 13

10:30 am - Church at the Farm (see details below) \*This service replaces the 2nd Sunday All Saints' Hall Service

#### Sunday, September 7 (Fall Parish Day)

10 am - Festive Eucharist - All Saints' Hall 5 pm - Holy Eucharist - Church

#### Sunday, September 14

Regular worship schedule resumes (8:45 am, 11:15 am & 5 pm)

\* = service will be livestreamed

### Adult Confirmation Reception - Following the 8:30 am service | Green Room - Please join our newly confirmed members in the Green Room following the 8:30 am service, as we welcome them officially to our community. Coffee and pastries will be served as we celebrate and enjoy fellowship with our newest members.

Youth Confirmation Reception - Following the 10:30 am service | Rotunda **Patio** - Please join us for cookies and lemonade on the lawn after the 10:30 am service, as we welcome our newest members to our community. We also encourage anyone visiting today to join us for fellowship — we would love to welcome you and answer any questions you may have.

GoodNews Shop - Father's Day is just around the corner. Come by the shop and let us help you find the perfect gift to celebrate your special Dad. We also have a large selection of merchandise to help you enjoy your Summer vacation. Our summer hours are Sunday, 9:30 am - 12 noon, and Monday - Thursday, 9 am - 4 pm. All proceeds are donated to local and international organizations that support women and children.

Nursing Mothers' Space - A private space for parents to feed, care for, or calm their babies is available inside the Nursery lobby (look for signage). We hope this new space will make Sunday mornings a little easier for you and your baby.

Nametags are an expression of hospitality! We encourage parishioners to wear them when on campus. If you do not have a permanent nametag (magnetic or clip-on; adults only please), contact Ainslie Wall at 704-333-0378 or walla@christchurchcharlotte.org. Replacement tags are \$5 each.

Upcoming
There is always a lot going on!
View all events and find registration links using the QR code at the top of the page.

#### **OUR SPIRITUAL HOME**

Sunday Brunch and Wednesday Dinner Buffet - Please note that Sunday Brunch and Wednesday Dinner Buffet in the Blue Room has concluded for the season and will return in September. Join us for an outdoor lunch buffet on Sunday Fundays (see details below).

Lemonade on the Lawn - 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays through August | Rotunda **Patio** - Enjoy refreshing lemonade and fellowship after the 10:30 am service. First one is June 1.

Summer Sunday Fundays - 2nd & 4th Sundays through August (except July 13) | Church Circle & Lawn - Buffet lunch and lawn games following the 10:30 am services, with live music on 4th Sundays. No RSVP or registration necessary. Details & volunteer signup: christchurchcharlotte.org/sundayfundays.

Worship With Us Anywhere! While you're away this summer we invite you to worship with us online. You can access the 8:30 and 10:30 am worship services via livestream on YouTube, the Christ Church Charlotte app, Facebook, or our website. Onsite or online, when you worship with us it is always "in person."

Volunteers Enrich Our Worship Experience - We are so grateful for our worship volunteers, and we need you! There are many levels of commitment from occasional to monthly to even weekly. If you are interested in serving on an usher team or the altar guild, or as a greeter, chalice bearer, lector, or acolyte for any of our worship services, please contact Emily Skinner at skinnere@christchurchcharlotte.org or visit christchurchcharlotte.org/find-your-place to learn more and get connected.

The Good Book Daily - Sign up to receive a very short, inspirational Bible passage every day with a one-sentence thought or question for reflection. These passages are sent via email or push notification each morning. We encourage you to develop a routine or spiritual practice as you read, meditate, and seek to understand how God is speaking to you through each passage. Go to christchurchcharlotte.org/the-good-book-daily to subscribe.

#### ADULT LEARNING & FELLOWSHIP

Tech Teaching | Tuesdays weekly | 2 - 4 pm | M205 - Now offered each week by appointment. Bring your questions about everyday tech use and your preferred device (smartphone, tablet, and/or laptop). To book your 30-minute appointment, contact Katherine Vest at vestk@christchurchcharlotte.org or 704 -714-6947.

ECW Mahjong Social - Tuesday, June 3 | 9 am - 12 noon | All Saints' Hall A morning full of fun and fellowship with great raffle prizes, all to support ECW Mission Fund grants. Sign up as a table (three or four) or come on your own to be paired with new friends. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/ mahjong-social.

Renaissance Group Open Tap Night - Wednesday, June 4 | 6 - 8 pm | OpenTap (5010 Carmel Ctr Dr, Charlotte 28226) - Are you in between career and retirement (or your first career and what's next)? In between kids and aging parents? Christ Church's Renaissance Community is for you! We'll enjoy fellowship and food while sharing this journey together. No need to sign up, just show up!

Gospel Lunch: A Drop-In Bible Study | Mondays, June 9 - August 4 | Green Room | 12 - 1 pm - Bring your lunch and join us in the Green Room on Mondays for a relaxed, drop-in conversation about the Gospel reading for the upcoming Sunday. Each week, different leaders will help facilitate thoughtful conversations. We'll have a chance to listen and share as we explore the story together. Come as you are, whenever you can.

Women's Summer Mahjong - Tuesdays, June 10 - August 19 | 10 am - noon | Green Room - Beginner to expert players of all ages gather for fun and fellowship. Open only to Christ Church members due to limited space. Note: Lunch will not be offered during the summer months. Details & registration (no charge): christchurchcharlotte.org/womens-mahjong.

Newcomer Coffees - Sundays, June 15, July 20 & August 17 | 9:30 - 10:30 am | Rotunda - Stop by for coffee, meet new friends, and catch up on newcomer information.

Men's Monthly Bike Rides - Saturday, June 21 | 8:30 - 11:30 am | Little Sugar Creek Greenway - Men of all ages enjoy a leisurely Greenway bike ride on the third Saturday of each month through September. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/mens-bike-ride.

Day Trip: Churches of the Frescoes - Wednesday, June 28 | 9:30 am - 6:30 pm | West Jefferson, NC - Day trip to West Jefferson, NC, to visit two Episcopal churches that house remarkable frescoes by renowned artist Ben Long. Sages and all others welcome. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/frescoes-day-trip.

**Women's Fall Retreat - October 17-19 | Lake Junaluska** - Women of all ages and stages are invited to rest, restore, and reconnect in the beautiful NC mountains. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/womens-fall-retreat.

#### CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

**High School Life Group Pop-Ups** - All high schoolers are invited to summer group gatherings to explore where faith and life meet. Dates will be shared in the GroupMe. To join the GroupMe or learn more, contact Alice deVries at devriesa@christchurchcharlotte.org.

**Summer Children's Chapel Volunteers** - During the 10:30 am worship service on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of June, July, and August, (only five Sundays total!) we need volunteers to lead or assist with Children's Chapel. Contact LaQuita Lindsay at lindsayl@christchurchcharlotte.org for details and to sign up.

Family Wellbeing Retreat - August 29 - 31 | Kanuga Conference Center - Activities and programs for adults and children ages 5 and up, plus time for rest and renewal. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/family-retreat.

#### SPIRITUAL WELLBEING & CARE

**Mindful Mondays - Mondays weekly | 9 - 10 am | Zoom** - Start your week off right with guided mindfulness practices and fellowship in this online wellness offering. Contact Elizabeth Angerson at angersone@christchurchcharlotte.org for the invitation link.

Simple Presence - Mondays weekly | 11 - 11:30 am | Contemplation Room All are welcome to join us for a soul-soothing time of centering prayer and other contemplative practices.

Summer Soul Camp for Adults - Wednesdays, July 9 - 23 | 10:30 am - 12 noon | Green Room - Adults of all ages are invited to gather for faith, fun, and fellowship that will nurture your soul. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/summer-soul-camp.

**Blood Drive - Sunday, August 17 | 9 am - 1 pm | M207** - Hosted by Oneblood and inspired by a young Christ Church parishioner in memory of her high school classmate who died tragically in a car accident. Details & registration: christchurchcharlotte.org/blood-drive

#### SERVE THE WORLD

Men's Shelter Dinners - 3rd Sundays and 4th Thursdays Monthly | 5:30 pm | Howard Levine Men's Shelter - Would you consider preparing or serving dinner for some of your unhoused neighbors alongside other Christ Church volunteers? Find details and sign up at christchurchcharlotte.org/mens-shelter-dinner.

Freedom School is June 23 - July 31 at Rama Road Elementary School - This summer program provides under-resourced students with literacy skills, character strengths, and a community that believes in them. There are many volunteer opportunities for a variety of skill-sets and ages. Details & signup links: christ-churchcarlotte.org/freedom-school.



**Make a Pledge** – if you have not made a pledge for 2025 and would like to share your intentions for the year, please visit christchurchcharlotte.org/pledge.

Ways to Give - To make a gift to Christ Church, including a payment on your 2025 pledge, use the QR code at right.



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