

Christ Church

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An Open and Affirming Congregation

Inspire Welcome Serve

Sunday, February 17, 2019

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Here is today's **Sunday school** schedule:

Nursery care for Infants – age 3 is available from 8:30 am-12:30 pm each Sunday in Room B-109.

Pre-K & K	Room B-205
1st –5th graders	Creation Corner (B-206)
6th thru 7th graders	Basement

Upcoming Youth Events:

February 24th – Middle School from 5:00pm-6:30pm
High School from 6:45pm-8:00pm

Invite a friend to our new Saturday night worship service!

SoulSpace Worship Experience for All Ages Saturdays at 5pm

Our church is thriving, and we are adding an evening worship service that is creative, interactive & welcoming for all ages. Imagine folks of all ages, demographics & backgrounds learning how to embody God's love, creating something beautiful together & tangibly making our community better.

23rd Annual Christ Church Women's Retreat!

Thresholds: Honoring the Space Between

1:00 pm March 2 to 1:00 pm, March 3, 2019

St. Marguerite's House at the Community of St. John Baptist in Mendham
RSVP to Julie at revjy@ccsnj.org to sign up

Cost \$130 for overnight and 3 meals; \$90 for day only

Make checks out to Christ Church and write "women's retreat" in memo.

All women - members and friends - are welcome!

Save the Date! Let Justice Roll: Christ Church is once again delighted to present *Let Justice Roll*. Please come and celebrate Black History Month with us and enjoy inspiring gospel music and songs of justice! Please invite your friends and neighbors to this uplifting concert – let them see, firsthand, what Christ Church is all about!

WHEN: Saturday, February 23, 7:30PM

WHERE: Christ Church Summit, 561 Springfield Ave, Summit, NJ

ADMISSION: \$20

“Let's Talk about White Privilege” Christ Church will be hosting a discussion group on **Tuesdays from 7-9pm, from March 5th to April 9th**. This group provides a judgment-free environment to discuss our spiritual experiences with race. Please contact Donovan Sherman during coffee hour or via email donovan.sherman@gmail.com to sign up or if you have any questions.

CC Advancement Committee: we are creating a committee that will do programs related to resume building, interviewing skills, and career/church networking. The goal is to assist unemployed and underemployed church members. If you are interested please contact Kirk Johnson at kjohnson@ccsnj.org

Dialogue Circles on Race: Join us for facilitated dialogues about racial prejudice and systemic racism in America today. Sponsored by the Anti-Racism Committee of the Summit Interfaith Council. There will be five, 2-hour group sessions the weeks **of March 10, 17, 24, 31 & April 7**. Sign up at <http://antiracismcommittee.wufoo.com/forms/dialogue-circles-on-race-spring-2019/>. If sign-ups allow, we hope to offer dialogue sessions Sunday, Tuesday and Saturday afternoons & Monday and Wednesday evenings. Please sign up as soon as possible but no later than Monday, **February 25th**.

Women's Meeting Monday February 25, 7:30 - 9:00pm, Lile Hall

Follow Up to When Tweeting #MeToo Is Not Enough

Please join us to speak about what the #MeToo movement has meant to you. All will be asked to protect each other's anonymity and respect each other's right to decide who to tell & when to tell your story. We will talk about how many of us have been confused about whether our personal experience counts - after all, "it could have been so much worse". That almost universal kind of minimization reflects the way our communities have not taken sexual aggression as a serious violation and instrument of control.

Co Facilitators: Sara Mac Donald and Sharon McCombie, LCSW.

If you are interested email Sharon at: sharon.mccombie@gmail.com.

3rd Annual Max Gottstein Blood Drive Friday March 22, 2-8 PM

Franklin Elementary School 136 Blackburn Rd, Summit, NJ 07901

Childcare is available while you're donating blood

- If you're not able to donate blood you can also bring unwrapped toys or wrapped candy to the event for families at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia.
- or, go to www.TeamMightyMax.com to contribute to CHOP's retinoblastoma research fund in memory of Max.

TODAY Maranatha “An Afternoon of Song”: a concert fundraiser to benefit the Edgar Richards and John Fiske Robson LGBTQ Scholar Awards featuring our very own Stacey Robinson. **Sunday, February 17 at 1 pm** Riverside Church, Christ Chapel 490 Riverside Drive New York, NY. A donation of \$25 is greatly appreciated.

