

*Sunday Link*

For Emergencies-Reach Father Jim Shields at - 410-992-4487  
Church Office-410-944-6683, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday And Friday  
Father Jim will be in the office on Mondays -10:00 a.m. til 1:00 p.m  
and Wednesdays -8:30 a.m. til 1:00 p.m.

*He Is Risen*

SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2008 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER  
10:00 A.M. PARISH EUCHARIST  
11:15 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL  
11:15 A.M ADULT CHRISTIAN ED.

Monday: 11:00 a.m. SENIOR SEEKERS followed by  
12:00 noon Bible Study All are welcome!  
2:00 p.m. Communion at Manor Care—All are invited.  
7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer in Church  
7:30 p.m. EFM

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer in Church

Wednesday 9:30 a.m. Healing Service with Eucharist  
10:15 a.m. Bible Study

Thursday - 7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer in Church  
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Saturday - 5:00 p.m. Compline in the Church as we prepare for Sunday's Service.



Sunday- April 13<sup>th</sup>- Fourth Sunday of Easter—Good Shepherd Sunday  
10:00 a.m. Parish Eucharist  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School  
11:15 a.m. Adult Christian Ed.  
Committee Sunday—It is important to plan events for  
the immediate future. Also there will be a Round Table discussion in regards to  
what the congregation is expecting in a "New Shepherd" for Christ the King.

Bible Readings for Sunday, April 13, 2008

Acts 2:42-47 Psalm 23 I Peter 2: 19-25 John 10:1-10

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Changes ! Changes ! Changes!

DUE TO THE MANY CHANGES BEING MADE IN THE SCHEDULING OF " THOSE WHO SERVE", I AM ASKING THAT ALL THOSE WHO RECEIVED SCHEDULES FOR April, May and JUNE, 2008 TO PLEASE TEAR THEM UP. YOU WILL BE RECEIVING A NEW ONE. Thank you!

The Secretary

Those who will serve on ,April 13, 2008

- Altar: Virginia and Robyn Mayfield
- Torches: Nathaniel Mactavious and Kyle Roberts
- Acolytes: Lauren Deponai and Nicole Cathirell
- Chalicians: Letitia Williams and ( Marty will be second chalicist most Sundays.)
- Ushers: Nathan McNichol and Buck Roberts
- Healing: Nicole Cathirell
- Lems: Jane Clark
- Readers: Sue Herbert Forton and Don Hooper
- Prayers of People: Lauren Deponai
- Tellers: Ed Hooper and Diane Wilson

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FROM THE PRIEST-IN CHARGE. ( BEING REPEATED FOR THOSE WHO DID NOT RECEIVE LAST SUNDAY'S LINK.)

Dear Friends,

Sharp eyes will have noticed that the Paschal Candle now stands prominently beside the lectern. It will burn throughout Eastertide to symbolize the presence of the Risen Christ with his people. We have now entered the most glorious and triumphant part of the Christian Year -- the Great Fifty Days between those two original and fundamental feasts, Easter Day and Pentecost, which give focus and meaning to the rest of the year: Christ's Resurrection and the sending of the Holy Spirit. The Great Fifty Days of Eastertide was the "original" Christian season, much more so than Lent (which since medieval times has loomed so large), observed as a time of full rejoicing. In early Christian times all fasting and kneeling in prayer were forbidden, the believers thus dramatizing their status as being "risen with Christ" (Colossians 3.1). To this day in Orthodox tradition (and as some do here at Christ the King) the people receive the sacrament standing.

We can learn much about our faith by meditating upon what those early Christians did during the Great Fifty Days in response to their experience of the Risen Lord: their baptismal rites, their credal affirmations, their eucharistic development. More than we realize, liturgy and symbol provide accurate clues to the meaning of Christ's resurrection, to the meaning of being "risen with Christ."

May our Eastertide be rich with joy and meaning.

In the Name of our Risen Lord,  
James M. Shields  
Priest in Charge

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**Hear Kitty, Kitty. Here Kitty.**



A free male cat is looking for a home with a loving family. He must be the only cat in the home. He is 2 years old, is neutered and comes with food and cat supplies. He is an indoor cat only.

Please call Lauren Deponai  
443-636 1779

Those celebrating birthdays this week . . . . .

- Loretta Herbert (6)   Matthew Herbert (7)   Aiesha Dukule (8)   Lynley Herbert (8)
- Michael Spoden (11)   Suzanne Herbert-Forton (12)

There are no anniversaries this week.