**Christ the King Episcopal Church** 

40 Charleston Road, Willingboro, New Jersey 08046

Announcements – News - Thoughts Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024

JOIN US FOR SERVICE EVERY SUNDAY AT 09:30AM PUBLIC WORSHIP HAS BEEN RESUMED

CHRIST THE KING EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICE ON YOUTUBE & ZOOM:

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MEETING ID: 863 7403 5494 PASSWORD: 007431 TEL # 646-558-8656

#### PLEASE SAVE THE LINK TO SIGN IN EVERY SUNDAY AT 09:30 AM

#### Prayers:

To add names to the prayer list, email <u>ctk@christthekingnj.org</u> or call 609.877.2992. Names are kept on the list for a month and can be added again upon request. Contact the Church Office for contact information of the names on the prayer list.

Our Father of mercies and God of all comfort, our only help in time of need. We humbly beseech thee to behold, visit, and relieve thy sick servants below for whom our prayers are desired. Look upon them with the eyes of thy mercy; comfort them with a sense of thy goodness; preserve them from the temptations of thy enemy; and give them patience under their affliction. In thy good time, restore them to health, and enable them to lead the residue of their life in thy fear, and to thy glory; and grant that finally they may dwell with thee in life everlasting; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Josie Howard Marion Cannon Angela Cannon Marilyn Capehart Josephine White Freda Oasin Joan Thomas Margaretta McDougal Edythe Munson Eustace December Yvonne December Billie Miller Melvina Berry **Basil Mitchell** Emmanuel Ogbuokiri Sherman Clahar Mark Lockett Robyn Lockett

Nathaniel Evans Glenda Evans Ryan Kerr Jada Jackson Judith Jackson Tracey Lewis Gloria Davis Carolyn Booker Olin Mitchell Patricia Mitchell Florence James Victor Merdina Christiana Trivigno

## Black History Month:

We will have several activities to celebrate Black History Month at the church. Our celebration will be as follows: -

- February 18th: Mr. Sterling will perform beats and rhythms with his steel drums.
- February 25th: Closing out the celebration, we will be hosting our annual Cultural

Fashion Show. The show will include a traditional Nigerian dance from Nathan

Chukwuocha and guest.

#### Wednesday Prayer Meeting:

Join us on Wednesday nights for prayer service on Zoom at 7:15pm. Wednesday Prayer Meetings are now on Zoom (Using the Church Zoom Link):

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86374035494?pwd=R3IrV1ZMTG5pUE9zZnlldngyNTZTdz09

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#### Absalom Jones Service;

A Service of Witness to Black Ministry in the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey Sunday, February 18th, 2024, 3:00 P.M. at Trinity Cathedral, Trenton. It is sponsored by the Black Clergy Caucus, Commission on Black Ministry, and the Union of Black Episcopalians. Our choir and choir director will take the lead at the service combined with other volunteers from throughout the diocese. Celebrant for the service is Bishop Sally French. The preacher for the event is the Rev. Vernal Savage. Let us join together to celebrate. The choir will meet at the church at 1:05 pm and carpool so as to leave at 1:20pm to arrive in good time at the Cathedral for their practice at 2:00pm. I am inviting your support for this event as a most important event on our calendar.

# **Bible Studies**

During the season of Lent, we continue bible studies on Tuesdays of each week at 7:00pm. We will be using the "*People of the Passion: A Lenten Weekly Study*," by Dr. Cathy Randall for our Lenten study. You are invited to join us using the Church Zoom Link.

#### Stations of the Cross

Reminder that during the season of Lent we will have the Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings at 7:00pm.

## Men Of Christ the King Monthly Meeting

The MOCTK monthly meeting is held the second Saturday of every month at 10.00am on Zoom. All the Men of Christ the King are members of this group and are expected to attend. Next meeting is March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at 10.00am.

Zoom ID: 818-7152-9383, Password: 359999

#### Give Easily from Here:

Click here <u>give now</u> to make a donation or make your contributions to Christ the King Episcopal Church, Willingboro, New Jersey at any time, even if you are on vacation. You will receive an email confirmation for your transaction.

#### **Emergency Contact Information:**

All parishioners wanting to add an emergency contact to the church's directory, please write the contact's name and number and put it in the collection plate. This information will be kept PRIVATE & CONFIDENTIAL.

#### Life Group Ministries

The Women's Life Group has resumed meetings on Thursdays, 3:00-4:15 PM. We invite any women interested to call with questions or for information. Carolyn Booker 412-337-2576.

#### Looking To Join the Altar Guild Ministry?

We are looking for new volunteers; men and women, to join us in preparing the sanctuary for Sunday services. All are welcome to come and learn about this labor of love! **Please call Linda Anderson at 609-760-1050 for more information.** Thank you!

# Youth & Young Adults

We continue to invite all the youth or young people you know to an event and ask for them to make contact with Nathan Roberts, Augustina Kumah, or Rev. Vernal Savage. We are planning an in-person event later this month. Kindly help us to ensure we have contact information for all the young people or youth you know.

### Parishioners/ Sharing/Preaching

During our Lenten pilgrimage I am inviting you as followers of Jesus Christ of Nazareth to come forward in one of the services to share a message. It is my hope that we can share the working of God in our lives, or it could be something that happened that impacted your faith. The dates that are available are February 18th & 25th, also March 3rd, 10th, 17th, and 24th. Kindly speak with me so that we can arrange the dates most convenient for you.

#### Invitation

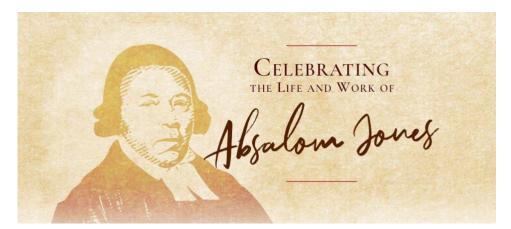
The Rev. Fr. Vernal Savage has been invited by Forty Sixth Street Baptist Church, 1261 S. 46<sup>th</sup> Street – Philadelphia, PA (46<sup>th</sup> & Woodland Ave.). Tel.#: (215) 386-8150 to preach on Tuesday, February 20, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m. They are extended this invitation to the choir and the congregation, please come out to support this Church and our Pastor.

### Scholarship

There is a college scholarship for Black high school girls sponsored by the Rancocas Valley Alumnac Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. The scholarship winner is eligible to receive **\$1000/year for four years**. The attachment provides additional information about the scholarship and eligibility criteria. Interested applicants may submit an application by completing the form (found at <u>RVAC DST Scholarship Form</u>) and submitting all required information by **March 15, 2024**. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact: **Royce Warrick, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, (609) 923-3301** 

#### February Birthdays:

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Morris Anderson
- 9<sup>th</sup> Helen E. Baylock
- 9<sup>th</sup> Julius Howard
- 11<sup>th</sup> Irwin Arthur
- 18<sup>th</sup> Neil Arthur
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Ekene Ibeabuchi
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Agnes Demasio
- 26<sup>th</sup> Rehema December



# A Service of Witness to Black Ministry in the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey Sunday, February 18, 2024 3:00 P.M.

Trinity Cathedral 801 W. State St. Trenton, NJ 08618

Celebrant:

The Right Reverend Sally French Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey

Preaching: The Rev. Vernal Savage Christ the King Episcopal Church, Willingboro, NJ *Willingboro, NJ* 



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# **Pre-Convention Meetings Begin Tomorrow**

Pre-Convention Meetings are designed to present clergy, lay deputies, and other interested parties with the information they'll be asked to consider when voting at the annual Diocesan Convention on March 9. Attendance is very important to ensure a smooth, quick meeting.

The <u>Convention web page</u> has been created to help you stay up-to-date, and news and information related to this Special Meeting. News, information, and documents will be posted first as they become available.

Sunday, Feb. 18 4:30-5:30 p.m. in person, Trinity Cathedral.