

Coming Events

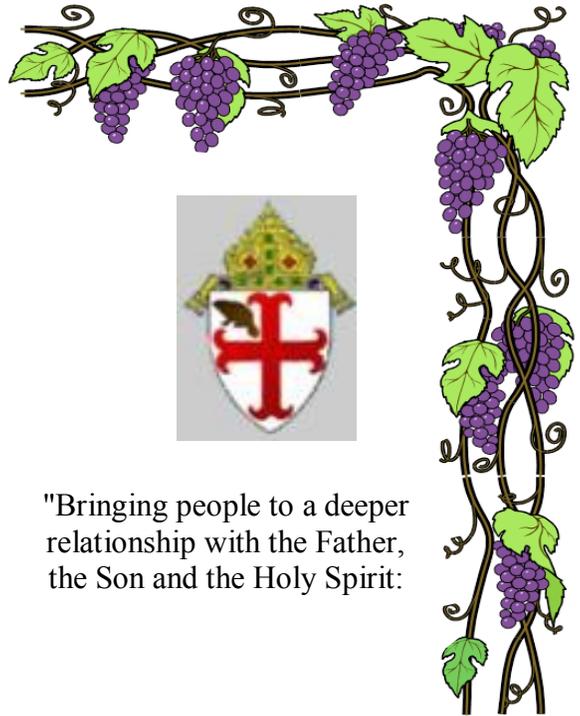
Services

Sunday Services.....9:00 AM

Other Events

Harvest Festival, Saturday, Oct 6, Del Cty Fairgrounds..10-4
Pork Roast Dinner, Saturday, November 10.....4-7 PM
Pie & bake sale.. Outside Giffords.....Friday November 16
Spend the day in Walton.....Saturday, November 24
Christmas Bazaar, Saturday, December 8...9:00AM-4:00PM

ECW, 1st Sunday of the month.....after coffee hour
Vestry meeting, 2nd Wednesday of the month.7:00 PM
Free Community Supper,last Wednesday of the month
.....4:30 to 6:00 PM



"Bringing people to a deeper relationship with the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit:

For the last few months we changed our Sunday morning Services from 9:30 to 9:00 A.M. This has been done to facilitate an 11:00 service in Deposit. I thank all of you for your cooperation. Both Sundays have now been attended by over thirty people. I can not thank all of you enough for your participation.

Also in the course of this I have announced plans to be ordained a Priest in the not to distant future. I believe this will help both Deposit and Walton. I keep both parishes in my prayers and my heart. I love and cherish the time I have spent here and Look forward to a bright future in this parish.

I am excited about the first year Mitzi and I have had in Walton. We see a bright future in this church and we want to be a part of it.

The children are a big part of Mitzi's ministry and it pleases me the course it has taken. I love children and believe the truly are the future of the church. We have a youth group that is flourishing. We have movie time meetings that are still in progress.

Also, I have been proud to help Jim Heywood as he has become a Eucharistic Minister and as he continues to purse a ministry in the church, possibly as a Deacon! God is truly leading him along.

Also, we are training Matt White and Jennifer Wright as chalice bearers. Also, Jennifer is considering becoming a Eucharistic minister.

The Holy Spirit is moving in this church and God is truly blessing us so much. Let us all pray for even more moving's of the Holy Spirit and the growth of our small church.

In Christ's love,
Deacon Bill Wright

Walk for Hunger

Thank you to everyone who walked, sponsored walkers and donated cookies to the Walton Hunger Walk on September 30th.

ECW

We have been busy making around 120 pounds of peanut brittle so far. We will be taking this to the Harvest Festival on the fairgrounds on Saturday, Oct 6. Hopefully we will sell out and will be making more after.

We will also be selling the Rada knives there.

We would still welcome donations of sugar, light Karo syrup, and salted butter. For more information or to sign up to help cook please see Marj or Sue.

We will be selling peanut brittle and the Rada knives at our Christmas Bazaar on Dec 8.

Many places around Walton will have peanut brittle on sale after the Harvest Festival including many of the beauty salons.



Announcements-

Do you have an announcement that needs to be made on Sunday morning?

Please fill out a form located on the table in the back of the Sanctuary, to give to Deacon Bill.

We are trying to shorten the length of the service to give him more time at coffee hour with us.

If your announcement is to be repeated, it will be shared with Jim Haywood and included in the Announcements Power Point.

Bulletins

Jess White will be taking over the job of doing the bulletins. If you have any announcements for them, let her know. Also anyone who needs to be added to or deleted from the prayer list.

jess.white05@gmail.com

Food Bank-Christ Church has the food bank in October, on Tuesday's from 11 am to 1 pm at the United Presbyterian Church. We still need a volunteer for Oct 9 and Oct 30.

There is also a **NEW Walton Pet Food Pantry** held at the same time, operated by Jessica Reed. She will accept donations there. So far they have taken care of cats and dogs, however, they will accept ANY type of pet food, as she has also had requests for rabbit and bird

Welcome Back Patrick!

We have missed you. Nice to have live music again.



October

Birthdays

Oct 1	Jim Bell Steve Pierce
Oct 7	Aron Burr
Oct 9	Derrick Harby
Oct 17	Elmer Decker
Oct 19J	Jonston Hitt
Oct 20	Heidi Decker
Oct 26	Casey Killian

Baptismal Anniversaries

Oct 8	Anna Hitt
Oct 28	Abigail Wright

November

Birthdays

Nov 1	Avelyn White
Nov 2	Jacob Harby
Nov 4	Barbara White
Nov 5	Mikey Haywood
Nov 8	Hannah Harby
Nov 10	Brian White
Nov 15	James R Brennan
Nov 23	Jaxson Piper Hitt
Nov 26	Joan Stilson Linda Brill

Baptismal Birthdays

Nov 10	Lynda Hitt
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December

Birthdays

Dec 4	Matt Wright
Dec 8	Matthew White
Dec 9	Wade Hitt
Dec 22	Tyler Neice Henry, James & Elanor White
Dec 25	Mary Cullen
Dec 27	Amelia Somers Roslyn Morrison

Baptismal Anniversaries

Dec 6	Ashleigh Murphy
Dec 23	Olivia Harby
Dec 29	Wade Hitt Hailee Harby

Christmas Bazaar

Our Christmas Bazaar will be held on Saturday, December 8 from 10 to 4. Vendors are needed. Contact Lynda Hitt.

Thank you from the Walton Grange for your generous donations to our Free Clothing Closet.

The Clothing Closet is typically held bi monthly on the second and fourth Thursdays from 10 am to 2 pm. (There will NOT be a Closet on Thanksgiving day).

The Free Clothing Closet offers good, clothing, small household items and knick knacks to anyone who wants the item-first come, first served, regardless of income. We are here to help the community.

If you know someone in need, please have them come over or call Sharon at 607-865-4934.

It's That Time of Year-Operation Christmas Child Shoebox time.

Brochures on filling a shoe box and labels are available in the Parish Hall . I hope to see many shoeboxes lining the front of the church during our Roast Pork Dinner.

Last year we had 35 boxes, will this be the year we reach our 50 box goal? Won't you help?

If you cannot fill a complete box on your own, please bring items in and place in the box in the Parish Hall. Our Children's Bible Study will use the items to make up boxes.

If you want to make a box, but cannot afford to add the shipping fee, the church vestry voted last year to cover any shipping fee not included from our mission fund.

Pie & cookie Sale

We hope to be selling again outside Gifford's on Frday, November 16. Hopefully it will not be as cold as last year.

Do you Pray? I loved this interpretation of Prayer.

***What is a prayer?**

Prayer doesn't just happen when we kneel or put our hands together and focus and expect things from God.*

Thinking positive and wishing good for others is a prayer.

When you hug a friend. *That's a prayer.

***When you cook something to nourish family and friends.**

That's a prayer.

When we send off our near and dear ones and say, 'drive safely' or 'be safe'. *That's a prayer.

When you are helping someone in need by giving your time and energy. *You are praying.

When you forgive someone by your heart. *That is prayer.

***Prayer is a vibration.**

A feeling.

A thought.

Prayer is the voice of love, friendship, genuine relationships.

Prayer is an expression of your silent being.*

Keep praying always

Pork Roast Dinner

Our 19th annual pork roast dinner will be on Saturday, November 10 from 4 to 7 PM.

There is a sign up sheet in the parish hall to make pies, cook squash and applesauce and also to pick a job for the dinner.

Please do sign up. We really need everyone for this event.

Poster found in a church in France,, (translated):

“When you enter this church
it may be possible that you hear “the call of
God”.

However, it is unlikely that He will call you
on your mobile.

Thank you for turning off
your phones. If you want to talk to God, enter,
choose a quiet place and talk to Him.
If you want to see Him, send Him a text while
driving.”



We have recently added two screens in the front of the church to make it easier for everyone to follow the service. Sometime juggling the books is difficult. There is a third smaller one that faces the altar so the ones on the altar can follow the service and join in the hymns. You can still use the books if that is your preference.

Two televisions and other electronic equipment were donated in memory of Peg Haywood's mom and dad, Mr. & Mrs. Robert J. O'byrne and her Aunt and Uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miebach. The Television Mounts etc. and third television were donated by organist Patrick Meredith. They were installed by Jim Haywood, Patrick and Paul White. Electrical cords, adapters and wireless transmitter and three receivers were paid for by the Vestry. The Easy Worship 7 computer program was paid for by the ECW.

Many thanks to everyone!!

Healing Prayer

Is anyone interested in taking the class for Healing Prayer 1? The class would be held at Christ Church Walton and would be on a Friday night, all day Saturday and can be the following Saturday or one week later on a Saturday.

If you are interested, please call Sharon at 865-4934, as she is trying to coordinate the dates for Deacon Bill, so he can set classes up.

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Sunday Service 9:00 AM

41 Gardiner Place, Walton, NY 13856
(off Route 10 in the village of Walton, across from the William B. Ogden Library)

Wardens: *Lynda Hitt, Paul White*
ECW President, *Mary Cullen, Vice President, Sue Esposito*
Directresses, Altar Guild, *Kathy Harby, Barb White*
Organist, *Patrick Meredith*

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