

**ST. CYPRIAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
1242 W. QUEEN STREET  
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**TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2018**

8:30 a.m. (Spoken)

11 a.m. (Choral Music)

*3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays*

*Sacrament of Healing*

**CELEBRATING**

**ST. CYPRIAN'S 113TH BIRTHDAY**

**THE VERY REVEREND DR. RONALD E. RAMSEY  
RECTOR**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAYS - THURSDAYS  
9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

*Please silence cell phones and other electronic devices  
before entering the Nave.*

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**PROCESSIONAL: (AAHH #106) ~ "In the Beauty of Holiness"  
(See Bulletin Page 18)**

**OPENING HYMN: (HYMNAL # 495) ~  
"Hail, thou Once Despised Jesus!"**

**THE OPENING ACCLAMATION** **BCP p. 355**

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

**THE COLLECT FOR PURITY**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**THE GLORIA~ (LEVAS # 242)**

**Glory to God in the highest, And peace to His people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, Almighty God, and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise You for Your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For You alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.  
**People: And also with you.**  
Celebrant: Let us pray.

## THE COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## THE LESSONS

### OLD TESTAMENT: Job 1:1; 2:1-10

There was once a man in the land of Uz whose name was Job. That man was blameless and upright, one who feared God and turned away from evil. One day the heavenly beings came to present themselves before the Lord, and Satan also came among them to present himself before the Lord. The Lord said to Satan, 'Where have you come from?' Satan answered the Lord, 'From going to and fro on the earth, and from walking up and down on it.' The Lord said to Satan, 'Have you considered my servant Job? There is no one like him on the earth, a blameless and upright man who fears God and turns away from evil. He still persists in his integrity, although you incited me against him, to destroy him for no reason.' Then Satan answered the Lord, 'Skin for skin! All that people have they will give to save their lives. But stretch out your hand now and touch his bone and his flesh, and he will curse you to your face.' The Lord said to Satan, 'Very well, he is in your power; only spare his life.' So Satan went out from the presence of the Lord, and inflicted loathsome sores on Job from the sole of his foot to the crown of his head. Job took a potsherd with which to scrape himself, and sat among the ashes. Then his wife said to him, 'Do you still persist in your integrity? Curse God, and die.' But he said to her, 'You speak as any foolish woman would speak. Shall we receive the good at the hand of God, and not receive the bad?' In all this Job did not sin with his lips. (NRSV)

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 26****BCP p. 616**

- <sup>1</sup> Give judgment for me, O Lord,  
for I have lived with integrity; \*  
I have trusted in the Lord and have not faltered.
- <sup>2</sup> Test me, O Lord, and try me; \*  
examine my heart and my mind.
- <sup>3</sup> For your love is before my eyes; \*  
I have walked faithfully with you.
- <sup>4</sup> I have not sat with the worthless, \*  
nor do I consort with the deceitful.
- <sup>5</sup> I have hated the company of evildoers; \*  
I will not sit down with the wicked.
- <sup>6</sup> I will wash my hands in innocence, O Lord, \*  
that I may go in procession round your altar,
- <sup>7</sup> Singing aloud a song of thanksgiving \*  
and recounting all your wonderful deeds.
- <sup>8</sup> Lord, I love the house in which you dwell \*  
and the place where your glory abides.
- <sup>9</sup> Do not sweep me away with sinners, \*  
nor my life with those who thirst for blood,
- <sup>10</sup> Whose hands are full of evil plots, \*  
and their right hand full of bribes.
- <sup>11</sup> As for me, I will live with integrity; \*  
redeem me, O Lord, and have pity on me.
- <sup>12</sup> My foot stands on level ground; \*  
in the full assembly I will bless the Lord.

**THE EPISTLE: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12**

Long ago God spoke to our ancestors in many and various ways by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by a Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, through whom he also created the worlds. He is the reflection of God's glory and the exact imprint of God's very being, and he sustains all things by his powerful word. When he had made purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high, having become as much superior to angels as the name he has inherited is more excellent than theirs. Now God did not subject the coming world, about which we are speaking, to angels. But someone has testified somewhere, 'What are human beings that you are mindful of them, or mortals, that you care for them? You have made them for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned them with glory and

honour, subjecting all things under their feet.’ Now in subjecting all things to them, God left nothing outside their control. As it is, we do not yet see everything in subjection to them, but we do see Jesus, who for a little while was made lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honour because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the pioneer of their salvation perfect through sufferings. For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters, saying, ‘I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters, in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.’(NRSV)

Reader:           The Word of the Lord.

People:           **Thanks be to God.**

**THE GRADUAL HYMN: (LEVAS # 90) ~**

*“There’s Not a Friend Like the Lowly Jesus”*

### **A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL**

Gospeller:       The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to  
**Mark 10:2-16**

People:           **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Some Pharisees came, and to test him they asked, ‘Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?’ He answered them, ‘What did Moses command you?’ They said, ‘Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of dismissal and to divorce her.’ But Jesus said to them, ‘Because of your hardness of heart he wrote this commandment for you. But from the beginning of creation, “God made them male and female.” “For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife,\* and the two shall become one flesh.” So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate.’ Then in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. He said to them, ‘Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery.’ People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, ‘Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the

kingdom of God belongs. Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.’ And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them. (NRSV)

Gospeller: The Gospel of the Lord.

**People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**THE SERMON**

**THE RECTOR**

**THE NICENE CREED**

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**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. *Amen.***

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM VI**

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*The Leader and People pray responsively*

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

*Silence*

For all people in their daily life and work;  
*For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.*

For this community, the nation, and the world;  
***For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.***

For the just and proper use of your creation;  
***For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.***

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  
***For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.***

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;  
***For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.***

For **Michael**, our Presiding Bishop, and **Holley and Jay**, our Bishops;  
for **Ronald**, our Rector; and **Earl**, our Deacon; and for all bishops and  
other ministers;  
***For all who serve God in his Church.***

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation; especially for  
*Jean Boyd, Patricia Dixon, Gene Harden, Cornelius Taylor, Mary  
Robinson, Tinea Savage-Otey, Cora Mae Reid, Cynthia Sutherland,  
Minnie Stiff, Minnie Bemby, Norma Pinkelton, Connie Daniels, Olive  
Ezell, Jeannette & Wilbert Lovett, Sylvester & Gwen Newsome, Crystal  
Diggs, Ron Minor, Will Canty IV, Vernell Walden, Adrienne Combs,  
Deacon Earl Christian, Jodie Ansel James, Alex Strawn and Clayton  
Winston.*

Silence

*The People may add their own petitions*

Hear us, Lord;  
**For your mercy is great.**

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

*Silence*

*The People may add their own thanksgivings*

We will exalt you, O God our King;  
***And praise your Name for ever and ever.***

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal  
kingdom.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;  
*Who put their trust in you.*

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

### CONCLUDING COLLECT

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Lord, hear the prayers of thy people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

### THE CONFESSION OF SIN

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Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. *Amen.***

### THE ABSOLUTION

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*

### THE PEACE ~ *Please stand.*

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

### BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY PRAYERS

#### WELCOME

**THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM:** ~ *“Make My Life An Allelujah”*

**THE HOLY EUCHARIST**~ *Eucharistic Prayer B*

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Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**



Celebrant        Lift up your hearts.  
**People**            **We lift them to the Lord.**  
Celebrant        Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**People**            **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

*Celebrant and People ~ (The Sanctus – LEVAS #252)*  
**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*The people stand or kneel.*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you,  
O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this  
bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon  
these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of  
Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your  
Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him,  
being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time,  
put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to  
that heavenly country where, with **Cyprian** and all your  
saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and  
daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all  
creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all  
honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

*As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,*

*(LEVAS #263)*

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily  
bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the  
kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.  
Amen.**

## **THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

*A period of silence is kept.*

## **THE FRACTION ANTHEMS**

*(LEVAS # 268) ~ Christ Our Passover*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; *therefore let us keep the feast.*

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; *therefore let us keep the feast.*

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; *therefore let us keep the feast.*

(LEVAS # 269) ~ *O Lamb of God*

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: *have mercy on us.*

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: *have mercy on us.*

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: *grant us peace.*

#### COMMUNION HYMNS:

(LEVAS # 152) ~ *“Let Us Break Bread Together”*

(LEVAS # 69) ~ *“In the Garden”*

#### THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

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Celebrant: Let us pray.

**Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

#### THE BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN: (HYMNAL #450) ~

*“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”*

#### THE DISMISSAL

Deacon: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

THE POSTLUDE: ~ *“ST. CYPRIAN’S STORY IN SONG”*

(To the tune of *“I Love To Tell The Story”*)

1. **We love to tell the sto-ry of Christians armed with faith.  
Of those who wanted worship, O-of those who would not wait.  
They started as a mission, who worshipped where they could.  
They prayed and sang on King Street... as any Christian would.**

#### Refrain

**We love to tell the story. It is our greatest glory.  
To have our place-of worship, and praise our mighty God.**

2. **We love to tell the sto-ry of those who built our church. They worked on week-end mornings. They worked all through the day. Tom Bembry had a vision. He knew it would come-true. And so they kept their faith up... and did what they could do.**

*~Lyrics by: Phyllis Holland-James*

## **IN OUR CYCLES OF PRAYER:**

**We Pray for Parishioners:** Jean Boyd, Patricia Dixon, Gene Harden, Cornelius Taylor, Mary Robinson, Tinea Savage-Otey, Cora Mae Reid, Cynthia Sutherland, Minnie Stiff, Minnie Bembry, Norma Pinkelton, Connie Daniels, Olive Ezell, Jeannette & Wilbert Lovett, Sylvester & Gwen Newsome, Crystal Diggs, Ron Minor, Will Canty IV, Vernell Walden, Adrienne Combs, Deacon Earl Christian, Jodie Ansel James, Alex Strawn and Clayton Winston.

**We Pray for Friends and Family:** Ashleigh Davenport, Clarence Savage, Derrick Edmonds, Loretta Ogden, Lois Martin, Margaret Comegys, Bridget Canty, Clay Cane, Alexa Munoz, Leonard Alexander, Howard Durrah, Cheryl Maxson, Anthony Tabron, Doris Harris, Marcus Reid, Jeannie & Paul Saunders, Beverly Amaya, Lily Holloman, Allison Jordan, Greg & Patrina Newton, Kenneth Bullock, Peggy Winston, Dominique Jordan, the Rev. Martin Bolton, Linda Bolton (*sister of the Rev. Martin Bolton*), Helena Hawthorne, Tony Leroy Duncan, Carolyn Blissett, Florence Hubbard, Edith & Sana Harris, Jasen Fykes, Ron Durrah, Theodosia Peacock (*sister of Connie Daniels*), Sylester Babb (*sister of Dr. Minnie Stiff*), Sophia McCloud (*sister of Lucretia Clayton*), Frances Batts (*sister of Jean Boyd*), Shawna Harris Mathias (*sister of Crystal Diggs*), Joy Staton, Atlena West (*sister of Dr. Minnie Stiff*), Daren Ramsey (*son of The Very Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Ramsey*), Christine Calhoun, Joyce Steadman (*resident, Hampton Sentara Life Care*) and family, Marc Miller (*father of Tamika Miller Benson*), and Rev. Jerome R. Watson (*brother of Laura L. Manigault*)

**We Pray for Those Serving in the Military:** LaToya Artis (*niece of Dr. Minnie Stiff*); Capt. Luke Carpenter, III (*grandson of Bill and Fannie Walls*), U.S. Marine Corps; John "Holland" Watkins (*son of John & Maria Watkins*), U.S. Navy - on-board the USS James E. Williams; PFC. Malik Leonard (*great-grandson of Vernell Walden*); and Ensign Joy

Maria Watkins (*daughter of John & Maria Watkins*), U.S. Coast Guard - assigned to the Cutter Douglas Munro

**We welcome all who are visiting today.** Please sign our guest book in the Narthex and feel free to take one of the “Welcome” packets located in the pew racks with you. Our hope is that you will find the information helpful. Before leaving church, we ask that you complete and return the card and leaflet section to an usher. We look forward to the opportunities for fellowship with you, as you get to know more about us. Following both services, all visitors are cordially invited to join us, in Randall Hall, for coffee, refreshments and fellowship.

**Safe Church Training** - Safe Church Training sessions will be held on **October 13, 2018** at St. Aidan’s in Virginia Beach and **October 27, 2018** at St. Matthias’ in Midlothian. For additional information, please call the Parish Office.

**Altar Flowers** were given today to the glory of God by **Charlene Farquharson**, *in memory of her former mother-in-law, Natalie Farquharson.* ~ *Charlene Farquharson*

**Coffee Hour** - Opportunities to host the Coffee Hour for the **2019 year** are available for those who would like to do so. See the schedule on the bulletin board outside of the Parish Office. **God’s Helpers** will host the Coffee Hour on **December 2<sup>nd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>**.

**St. Cyprian’s Birthday** - Today we celebrate 113 years of existence; our actual birthday was on Friday, October 5<sup>th</sup>. We give thanks and praise for “Our Ten Founders:” **Mr. & Mrs. Richards Phillips, Mrs. Mary W. Cardwell, Mr. & Mrs. Edward Spennie, Mrs. Lottie Fairfield, Mr. & Mrs. Charles S. Freeman, Mrs. Cora Beamon and Mrs. Mary Santa Cruz. ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA!!!** Join us for the Birthday Party, in Randall Hall, during the coffee hour. ~ *The Celebrations Committee*

**Free Coffee Ministry** - St. Cyprian’s Episcopal Church will begin a Free Coffee Ministry from 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. on Sundays, beginning **October 14, 2018**. This ministry is intended as a gift of hospitality to the unchurched in our neighborhood. Signage will be posted on the exterior of the Church directing visitors to our Parish Hall. For security, Ushers, Greeters, and other volunteers will be asked to meet visitors at the Parish Office entry door to show them the way to the Parish Hall. Police Officers will be invited join us for coffee. This invitation will add

to our security measures. A sign-up sheet is located on the front hallway table for parishioners to donate time, coffee or supplies. As this ministry moves forward, we will assess its efficiency and outreach. Your prayers are needed as we begin this new evangelism effort. All suggestions and ideas are invited. ~ **Church Growth Task Force**

**Bible Study** classes are held each Wednesday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Please join us as we explore the written word.

**The Revenue Enhancement Committee (REC)** is pleased to announce that St. Cyprian's has been enrolled in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. Please remember to register your Kroger Plus Card at [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com) using the **Non-Profit Organization Number VH749** to link your card to St. Cyprian's account. For more information, contact any member of the Committee. ~ **Connie McCullough, Mary Tall Jackson and William Walls, Jr.**

**Bake Sale** - After worship service today, at the Bake Sale, look for all kinds of "sweet delights" to buy and enjoy. This event is hosted by the Church Growth Task Force (CGTF).

**Save The Date** - The Fish Fry will be held at church on **Saturday, October 13, 2018** from 12 noon - 4 p.m. ~ **Brenda Vinson**

**Blessing of Animals** - Join us on Sunday, **October 14, 2018** at 10 a.m. for the Blessing of Animals. The service will be held outside on the front lawn. Bring your pet, a picture of your pet, or your stuffed animal for a blessing. All are welcome.

**Stewardship Meeting** - The Stewardship Committee will meet in the Vestry room on **October 14, 2018**, following the 11 o'clock service. All Stewardship Committee members are invited to attend the meeting. ~ **Our Stewardship Campaign will kick-off on October 21, 2018.** Loyalty Sunday will be observed on **November 11<sup>th</sup>**. ~ **Samuel Ewell**

**November Newsletter** – Please submit any announcements and/or information that you would like included in the newsletter by **October 18, 2018. Any information submitted after the deadline will be published in the December newsletter.** *Early monthly submissions are always welcome*

**Diocesan ECW Annual Fall Meeting** - St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church will host the Diocesan ECW Annual Fall Meeting on Saturday, **October 20, 2018**. Registration and coffee will begin at 9:30 a.m. The meeting will convene at 10 a.m. and will include Eucharist, installation of ECW officers and lunch. To register for the meeting, contact Tia Mornings, 757-650-8809 or [mornings1@gmail.com](mailto:mornings1@gmail.com) by **Monday, October 15th**. Registration cost is \$20, which includes lunch. Registration fee will be collected at the door on the day of the event. ~ *Olive Ezell, ECW Vice President*

**New Diocesan ECW President and Parliamentarian** - Two members from St. Cyprian's will be installed as new Diocesan ECW officers on **Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>** at the ECW Fall Annual Meeting - **Laura L. Manigault, Diocesan ECW President**, and **Dr. Renee Escoffery Torres, Diocesan ECW Parliamentarian**. Congratulations and best wishes Laura and Renee! For additional information regarding this program, please contact Tia Mornings at [mornings1@gmail.com](mailto:mornings1@gmail.com).

**UTO Donations** -The Fall In-gathering will be held on **October 21, 2018**. Look for the *Blue Box* in the Narthex, very soon.

**HAMPTON UNIVERSITY NURSING ALUMNI ASSOCIATION** - Join us at our scholarship luncheon at the Crowne Plaza Hampton Marina Hotel, as we recognize seven nurses for their long-term service to the community, on **Oct. 21, 2018 at 2:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$50.00 per person. Group and Organizational Ads are also available. Donations of \$5.00 and greater will be accepted; make checks payable to **H.U.N.A.A.** Contact Gwendolyn Newsome, if you have additional questions or concerns. ~ *Gwendolyn Newsome*

**The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Revival** will be held on **October 22-24, 2018** with the Rev. Dr. Debra L. Haggins, University Chaplain and Religious Studies Program Director at Hampton University, serving as our revival preacher. Please invite family members, friends, neighbors and co-workers for this time of spiritual renewal. Parishioners may listen to the radio announcement regarding the Fall Revival on *WHOV - 88.1 FM (Essence of Hampton University)*, beginning **October 10, 2018**.

**The Church Growth Task Force** - The CGTF will assemble flyers announcing the Fall Revival on **October 10<sup>th</sup>**, directly after Bible Study. Volunteers are requested to help with this task. ~ *Brenda Vinson*

**ECW**- The regular scheduled ECW Meeting will be held in the Vestry Room on Sunday, **Oct. 21, 2018** at 12:45 p.m. All ECW members are asked to please be in attendance at this meeting.

**Accessible Pick-Up and Drop-Off Location** - If you require special assistance to enter the building on Sunday mornings, please drive to the Front Entrance (the circle entrance) of the church. An usher will greet you there to offer help and access to the church. ~ ***The Rector***

**NAACP** - The Hampton Branch NAACP invites you to attend the 47th Annual Life Membership Awards Banquet on Sunday, **October 28, 2018**, 3 p.m. at the Hampton Roads Convention Center -Hampton, Virginia. The featured speaker will be Dr. Gwendolyn Body, an American scientist, past president of Alabama State University and National President of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. For additional information, please feel free to call the branch office at 757-827-1768.

**Electronic Giving:**

On-Line giving is available on our Church website!

1. Click the green *Online Giving* icon on the Home page.
2. You will be directed to *TITHE.LY* which is a **secure website** for all of our giving transactions.
3. Create an account.
4. **Find a Church:** Type in **St. Cyprian's** at the top of the page and be sure to click the arrow at the right of the church name.
5. Enter your information and follow the prompts to make a contribution.
6. You will receive an e-mail and receipt almost immediately.
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## CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK

<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Oct. 7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>8:30 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m.</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist, Rite II</b>
Sun.	Oct. 7 <sup>th</sup>		113 <sup>th</sup> Birthday
Sun.	Oct. 7 <sup>th</sup>		Five Dollar Sunday
Sun.	Oct. 7 <sup>th</sup>		Bake Sale (CGTF)
Tue.	Oct. 9 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 p.m.	Vestry Meeting
Wed.	Oct. 10 <sup>th</sup>	10 a.m.	Handbell Rehearsal
Wed.	Oct. 10 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m. & 7 p.m.	Bible Study
Fri.	Oct. 12 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	Celestial Rehearsal
Sat.	Oct. 13 <sup>th</sup>	12 noon - 4 p.m.	Fish Fry
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Oct. 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>8:30 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m.</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist, Rite II</b>
Sun.	Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup>	8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
Sun.	Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup>	9 a.m.	Inspirational Rehearsal
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Oct. 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:45 a.m. &amp; 10:30a.m.</b>	<b>Free Coffee Ministry</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Oct. 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10 a.m.</b>	<b>Blessing of Animals</b>
Sun.	Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup>	10 a.m.	Celestial Rehearsal
Sun.	Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup>		Hot Dog Sunday

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**OCTOBER 7, 2018**

**ST. CYPRIAN'S 113<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY**

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

8:30 a.m. – Delaine Headen

11 a.m. – Darlene Jackson

**EUCCHARISTIC VISITOR**

Stephanie Kendall

**DAUGHTERS OF THE KING**

Minnie Stiff

**LECTOR:** Gail B. Jones

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:** Delaine Headen; Darlene Jackson

**ACOLYTES:** 8:30 a.m. – Alberta Reid

11 a.m. – Lindsey Jones; Lauren Jones; William Walls, Jr.

**ALTAR GUILD:** Jean Boyd; Gail B. Jones; Maria Watkins

**GREETER:** Samuel Ewell

**USHERS:** William Walls, Sr.; Samuel Ewell; Steve Ham

*In The Beauty of Holiness*  
(Lyrics)

**Chorus:**

Come let us worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

Come let us worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

Give Him the honor, give Him the praise;

Come let us worship the Lord, Let's give Him the praise.

Worship Him, worship Him;

give my God the glory, give my God the praise.

Worship Him, worship Him;

Come let us worship the Lord, Let's give Him the praise

## **BISHOP**

The Rt. Rev. Herman Hollerith, IV

## **RECTOR**

The Very Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Ramsey

## **DEACON-IN-RESIDENCE**

The Rev. Earl R. Christian

## **THE STAFF**

Phyllis Holland-James, *Director of Music Ministries*

Carlton R. Benson, *Sexton*

Bettie J. Swain, *Parish Administrator*

## **THE VESTRY**

**(Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 7:15 p.m.)**

Laura L. Manigault (2018) *Senior Warden*

Samuel E. Ewell, Jr. (2019) *Junior Warden*

Gail Boyd Jones (2020) *Register*

Juanita Alexander (2018)

Cornelius A. Taylor, III (2018)

Renee Escoffery-Torres (2018)

Fiona Powell (2019)

Mary Tall Jackson (2019)

William Walls, Jr. (2019)

Lucretia Clayton (2020)

Stephanie H. Kendall (2020)

Connie McCullough (2020)

## **TREASURER**

Deborah R. Davis

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