

~ ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

ST. CYPRIAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019

*A St. Cyprian's Invitation*

*St. Cyprian's welcomes all visitors. If you are visiting with us today, we invite you to consider joining St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church. It would be our delight and pleasure to share with you our life of fellowship, worship and prayer. To join us, simply contact the Rector about making St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church your parish as well.*

**IN OUR CYCLES OF PRAYER:**

**We Pray for Parishioners:** Wayne Walden, Jeffrey B. Corbin, Sr., Shane Otey, Samuel E. Ewell, Jr., Zelma Taylor, Jean Boyd, Gene Harden, Cornelius Taylor, Tinea Savage-Otey, Cynthia Sutherland, Minnie Stiff, Norma Pinkelton, Olive Ezell, Jeannette & Wilbert Lovett, Sylvester H. Newsome, Sr., Gwendolyn Newsome, Crystal Diggs, Ron Minor, Will Canty IV, Vernell Walden, Adrienne Combs, Deacon Earl Christian, Jodie Ansel James, Curtis Winston, Sr., Alex Strawn, Barbara Savage, and Bernice Wilson

**We Pray for Friends and Family:** Clarence Savage, Derrick Edmonds, Lois Martin, Margaret Comegys, Bridget Canty, Clay Cane, Alexa Munoz, Leonard Alexander, Howard Durrah, Cheryl Maxson, 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, Helena Hawthorne, Tony Leroy Duncan, Carolyn Blissett, Edith & Sana Harris, Jasen Fykes (*grandson of Rudolph and Eleanor Pritchett*), 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, Atena West (*sister of Dr. Minnie Stiff*), Christine Calhoun, Joyce Steadman (*resident, Hampton Sentara Life Care*) and family, Marc Miller (*father of Tamika Miller Benson*), Rev. Jerome R. Watson (*brother of Laura L. Manigault*), Jeffrey Peele, Oliver Christian (*brother of The Rev. Earl R. Christian*), Howard Moore (*brother of Lucretia Clayton*), Philip Whitaker (*Crystal Diggs' brother*), and Tyrone Comegys

**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; 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.** May God bless you, enjoy the worship service and come again. 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. Following the morning service, all visitors are cordially invited to join us in Randall Hall for coffee, refreshments and fellowship. We look forward to the opportunities for fellowship with you as you get to know more about us.

**Altar Flowers** were given today to the glory of God by *Clayton Winston, in memory of Charles Winston*. ~ *Clayton Winston*

**Free Coffee Ministry** – St. Cyprian’s Episcopal Church will continue the Free Coffee Ministry on **Sundays, from 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.** This ministry is intended as a gift of hospitality to the unchurched in our neighborhood. ~ ***Church Growth Task Force***

**Blessing of the Animals** – In commemoration of the life of *St. Francis*, the Patron Saint of Animals, we will celebrate the blessing of animals **today** at 10 a.m. on the church lawn. All are welcome.

**To All Women of the Church who are NOT a Member of a Circle** – If you have not already done so, please submit \$10.00 for 2019 dues. Checks should be made **payable to ECW** and placed in the alms basin. Thank you for your attention to this request. ~ ***Brenda K. Vinson, ECW Treasurer***

**Church Growth Task Force Fish Fry (CGTF)** – Many thanks to all Men’s Club members who came out to lend a hand with the CGTF Fish Fry. Special thanks to Mr. Gene Harden, Jr. for lending his time, talent, and good spirit. Many thanks to all CGTF Committee members and all volunteers who donated their time and delicious baked goods, which made the Bake Sale and Fish Fry a success. ~ ***Henry Russell, Men’s Club***

**ANNOUNCING...READ 757** – St. Cyprian’s will host a free program to help the children of Hampton and Newport News with reading. Starting **Oct. 19, 2019**, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., adult volunteers will be at St. Cyprian’s to read one-on-one or one-on-two with students to help strengthen their reading skills. If you know of a child who is not on their reading grade level, K thru grade 8, email Tinea Savage-Otey at [tjsavage6@gmail.com](mailto:tjsavage6@gmail.com). We have a maximum capacity head count. Tutorial dates are: **Oct. 19; Nov. 2; Nov. 16; Dec. 14; and Dec. 28.** ~ ***Tinea Savage Otey***

**Join Us In Stewardship** – *Matthew Stearn*, Executive Director of Hampton Roads Ecumenical Lodging and Provisions (HELP) will be our guest preacher next **Sunday, October 20, 2019** as we kick-off our Stewardship Campaign. Special presentations will be made weekly around the theme, *Stewardship Is HEART Work*. For more information, contact Samuel Ewell. ~ ***Samuel Ewell***

**Loyalty Sunday, November 10, 2019** – **Loyalty – A virtue – to be faithful – to stick to a commitment.** Although we are few in number, God gives us strength and energy to serve. He fills our spirits with love and power. St. Cyprian’s, let us serve Him with our talents, treasure and time. Let us pledge today, from our hearts. ~ ***Eleanor Pritchett***

**Open Mic** – Share your talent with us during the Open Mic Coffee Hour on **Loyalty Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**. Members from the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. services are

encouraged to perform on the program. Let us know if you plan to sing, play music, recite poetry, render stewardship jokes or offer testimony. Those who wish to perform may sign-up (available on the front hallway table) in advance.

**UTO** – The Fall Ingathering of the United Thank Offering will be next **Sunday, October 20, 2019.** ~ *Stephanie Kendall*

**Fall Revival** – The 3rd Annual Fall Revival will be held at St. Cyprian’s on **October 21-23, 2019** with the *Rev. Christopher C. Carter*, pastor of New Hope Baptist Church -Hampton, serving as our revival preacher. Featured participants during the revival are “Whiteman Family Band” of Hampton, Virginia and members of the “Silver, Gold and Platinum” Praise Dance Ministry from First Baptist Church-Hampton. ~ *Phyllis Holland-James, Director of Music Ministries*

**The Annual Margaret Phillips Davis Concert** will be held at St. Cyprian’s on **Saturday, Nov. 23, 2019** at 4 p.m. Your support will benefit scholarships for needy students. ~ *Brenda Vinson*

**Save The Date for Bishop Magness' Visitation** – The Rt. Rev. James B. Magness will visit St. Cyprian’s for confirmation on **Sunday, December 22, 2019.** Please plan to join us to welcome our special guest.

**11<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Southern Virginia** – The Diocese of Southern Virginia elected the **Rev. Susan B. Haynes** as the 11th Bishop on September 21, 2019. Haynes will be ordained and consecrated on **February 1, 2020**, with Presiding Bishop Michael Curry as the chief consecrator.

**CALENDAR FOR THE COMING WEEK**

<b>Sun. Oct. 13th</b>	<b>8:30 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m.</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist, Rite II</b>
Sun. Oct. 13th	8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
Sun. Oct. 13th	9 a.m.	Inspirational Choir Rehearsal
<b>Sun. Oct. 13th</b>	<b>9:45 a.m. - 10:30a.m.</b>	<b>Free Coffee Ministry</b>
<b>Sun. Oct. 13th</b>	<b>10 a.m.</b>	<b>Blessing of the Animals</b>
Sun. Oct. 13th	10 a.m.	Celestial Choir Rehearsal
Sun. Oct. 13th		Church Cookout-Cancelled
<b>Wed. Oct. 16th</b>	<b>11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.</b>	<b>Bible Study</b>
Thur. Oct. 17th		Newsletter Deadline
Fri. Oct. 18th	11 a.m.	Celestial Choir Rehearsal
Sat. Oct. 19th	11 a.m. -1 p.m.	Reading Tutorial Program
Sun. Oct. 20th		Stewardship Campaign Kick-off
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**St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church**

**Diocese of Southern Virginia**

**Bishop Diocesan Pro -Tempore:** The Rt. Rev. James B. Magness

**Rector:** The Very Rev. Dr. Ronald E. Ramsey

**Deacon-in-Residence:** The Rev. Earl R. Christian

**The Staff**

**Director of Music Ministries,** Phyllis Holland-James

**Sexton,** Timothy Goddard

**Parish Administrator,** Bettie J. Swain

**Treasurer:** Deborah R. Davis

**Liturgical Servers**

**Eucharistic Ministers: 8:30 a.m.** – Sandra Corbin; **11 a.m.** – William H. Walls, Jr.

**Psalm:** Fannie Walls

**Prayers of the People:** Sandra Corbin; William H. Walls, Jr.

**Acolytes: 8:30 a.m.** – DeLaine Headen; **11 a.m.** – Lucretia Clayton; Simone Griffin;  
Chloe Barnes; William Wall, Jr.

**Ushers: 8:30 a.m.** – Alberta Reid; Barbara Ward; Lucia Wyatt; Henry Russell  
**11 a.m.** – Connie McCullough; Regal Dubose

**Altar Guild:** Lucretia Clayton; Lora Ham; Eleanor Pritchett; Delores Minor

**Greeter:** Marshal Jackson

**Eucharistic Visitor:** None Scheduled

**Daughters of the King:** None Scheduled

**YouTube Channel:** St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church, Hampton, VA

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**Parish Office Hours:** Tuesdays –Thursdays/9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

*Saint Cyprian's Church is named after Cyprian, the first Bishop of Carthage, North Africa (248-258). He spoke for reconciliation of the Church with those who had denied their faith. Cyprian was beheaded for refusing to worship pagan gods and deny Christianity. Thus, he became a martyr of Christ's Church universal.*