

**Christ Church CHART**

1355 Northern Boulevard  
Manhasset, NY 11030

## *Letter from the Rector*

January 4, 2012

Dear Friends,

As many of you know, Christ Church and 1355 Northern Boulevard Associates, the church's partner in the redevelopment of the Christ Church property, appeared before the Town of North Hempstead Council on December 13 for the first public hearing to obtain a zoning change for a portion of the Christ Church campus to allow the renovation of the Parish House. The Town Council voted unanimously to approve the zoning change of a portion of the property from Residential-B to Business-A. This will allow 19,000 square feet of the Parish House to become offices. It will also permit a bank branch to be constructed where the old rectory (the Blue House) is located.

Christ Church will retain the west end of the Parish House. The gymnasium will be renovated into offices, a kitchen, a 'guild room,' a great hall and bathrooms. The floor below the gymnasium will have four additional classrooms and bathrooms. The new Parish Hall will have 7,000 square feet of usable space and an additional 1,000 square feet of storage and mechanical space. The Parish Hall will be fully accessible for the disabled on all floors and between all floors. It will be fully air conditioned as well.

The next step in the permitting process is the hearing before the Board of Zoning Appeals in February, followed by the site plan approvals. The final step in the process is the issuing of building permits. It is hoped that the approvals will be in place by this summer.

The redevelopment of the Christ Church campus is an important milestone for Christ Church. The redevelopment agreement also provides for \$1.5 million to be paid to Christ Church as well as the provision of a fully renovated Parish Hall and a renovated rectory.

In the midst of all these positive redevelopment plans, however, it is important for us to remember that buildings do not make a church—people and their ministries are what the church is about. This time of campus re-development must also be a time for Christ Church to focus on its ministries within and beyond our congregation and community. Over the coming months I would like to work with the Christ Church vestry and parish family on a commitment to mission and ministry. I have personally undertaken three mission projects—the liberation of the people of Ashraf in Iraq and their relocation to third countries (outside Iraq and Iran); the development of a church-centered plan for distributive justice within the context of supply-side economics; and a plan for local community development in South Sudan within the context of the development of national resources development in that oil-rich country. These are admittedly difficult projects for regular congregational participation. However, I hope we can expand upon the good work being done by Patty Gallatin, Cathy Trezza and Lisa Currie in caring for caregivers and the efforts of Lisa Carr and Carol Allen in our food ministries to identify additional ways in which Christ Church can be the church in our communities. I hope this will be our challenge and our joy in 2012.

There is much more news inside this edition of the *Chart*. Please do read it carefully and keep it for further reference.

This comes with my best wishes and hopes for a blessed 2012.

*The Very Rev'd David B. Lowry, Rector*

### Men's Dinner

This being the season of Epiphany the Men's Dinner which will be held on Monday, January 16 at 7:30pm at the Rectory will feature Persian cuisine. Please sign up on the sheet at the Church or call the church office at 627-2184 to make your reservation. The donation for the meal will be \$10.00.

### Confirmation class

Confirmation class will begin this Sunday January 8, 2012 following the 10:00am service, class will last one hour. Confirmation will take place on Saturday, October 13 at St. Paul's Church in Glen Cove. All those who are in 8<sup>th</sup> grade or above and have not yet been confirmed are welcome to join the class. Classes will be held twice a month, generally every other week, but adjustments will be made for school vacations. There will be no Confirmation Class during summer vacation.

### Fr. Lowry will be away on Sunday, January 22

Father Lowry will be giving two lectures on Santa Belle Island in Florida during the extended weekend of January 21. He will return on Tuesday morning. Father Kurt Von Roeschlaub will celebrate Eucharist at 8:00 and 10:00am, on Sunday January 22 and the 6:00pm service will be Evening Prayer.

### Calendar for the Month of January, 2012

<b>Sunday, Jan. 1/2 Christmas</b>	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Church
	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Monday, January 2</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Tuesday, January 3</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Wednesday, January 11</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	9:15 AM	Bible Study	Office
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Thursday, January 5</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Saturday, January 7</b>			
<b>Sunday, Jan. 8/1 Epiphany</b>	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Church
	9:50 AM	Church School	Parish House
	10:00 AM	Choral Eucharist	Church
	11:30 AM	Confirmation Class	Parish House
	6:00 PM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
<b>Monday, January 9</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
	<b>7:45 PM</b>	<b>Vestry Meeting</b>	<b>Parish House</b>
<b>Tuesday, January 10</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Wednesday, January 11</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	9:15 AM	Bible Study	Office
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Thursday, January 12</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Friday, January 13</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Saturday, January 14</b>			

<b>Sunday, Jan. 15/2 Epiphany</b>	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Church
	9:50 AM	Church School	Parish House
	10:00 AM	Choral Eucharist	Church
	6:00 PM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
<b>Monday, January 16</b> <i>Men's Dinner Persian Cuisine</i>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
	<b>7:30 PM</b>	Men's Dinner	Rectory
<b>Tuesday, January 17</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Wednesday, January 18</b>	9:15 AM	Bible Study	Office
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Thursday, January 19</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Friday, January 20</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Saturday, January 21</b>	<i>The Rev'd Lowry away</i>		
<b>Sunday, Jan. 22/3 Epiphany</b> The Rev'd Kurt Von Roeschlaub Celebrant & Preacher 8 & 10am	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Church
	10:00 AM	Choral Eucharist	Church
	11:30 AM	Confirmation Class	Parish House
	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Monday, January 23</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Tuesday, January 24</b> <i>Rev'd Lowry returns</i>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Wednesday, January 25</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	9:15 AM	Bible Study	Office
	10:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Thursday, January 26</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Friday, January 27</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Saturday, January 28</b>			
<b>Sunday, Jan. 29/4 Epiphany</b>	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	Church
	9:50 AM	Church School	Parish House
	10:00 AM	Choral Eucharist	Church
	6:00 PM	Holy Eucharist	Chapel
<b>Monday, January 30</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
<b>Tuesday, January 31</b>	8:45 AM	Morning Prayer	Chapel
	5:45 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel

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## Happy Birthday!!

*We are pleased to congratulate these friends and parishioners this month on their birthdays...* Elaine Erica Ryan, Arthur (Ward) Wright, Susan Bunyon, Caroline Carr, Holly Melichar, Decker Paterson, Corinne Riggin, Nicole Sevely, Nicole Winters, Joseph Sevely, James Carr, William Riggin, Robin Cuthbert Stopford, William Siener, Lisa Carr, Elizabeth (Lisa) Ciaccio, Debbie Czeglédy, Audrey Eisser, Christine Bunyon, Brian Wedeking.

# Happy Anniversary!!!

*Our congratulations to all those friends and parishioners celebrating their wedding anniversaries for this month...* Mark and Susan Bunyon, James and Carole McCarvill, Joseph and Ida Miletich.

## **SUNDAY READINGS AND ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIALS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY:**

### **CHRISTMAS II – JANUARY 1, 2012**

#### **THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD**

Numbers 6:22-27; Psalm 8; Galatians 7:4-7; Luke 2:15-21

Altar flowers are given in loving memory of Gregory Hills  
by the Carr family

### **THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY – JANUARY 8, 2012**

Genesis 1:1-5; Psalm 29; Ephesians 3:1-12; Matthew 2:1-12

Altar flowers are given in loving memory of Nancy and Joseph Cioffi  
by Louise Fribush

### **THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY – JANUARY 15, 2012**

1 Samuel 3:1-10,11-20; Psalm 139:1-5,12-17; 1Corinthians 6:12-20; John 1:43-51

Altar flowers are given in loving memory of Dick Field, Albert and Irene Field  
and Richard and Lucy Siegel by Lucy Field

### **THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY – JANUARY 22, 2012**

Jonah 3:1-5,10; Psalm 62:6-14; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20

Altar flowers are given in loving memory of Harold Roberts  
Dorisene Roberts and family

### **THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY – JANUARY 29, 2012**

Deuteronomy 18:15-20; Psalm 111; 1 Corinthians 8:1-13; Mark 1:21-28

*There is an opening for altar flowers on this Sunday. Please call Diana Tadler  
at 627-0128 or the Parish Office at 627-2184 if you would like to donate  
as either a memorial or a thank offering.*

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### **Christ Church Annual Meeting**

The Annual Meeting will take place in the church on Sunday, February 5, 2012, immediately following the 10:00am Eucharist. All interested members of the parish are invited to attend.