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# The Good News Weekly

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## Upcoming Events

At Christ Church and St. Barnabas Chapel

- 9/6 Begin packing food for **Backpack Blessings** outreach project after the 10:00 a.m. service at Christ Church
- 9/7 **Labor Day** – church office closed
- 9/9 **Bible Study** at 10:30 a.m. at Christ Church
- 9/10 **First backpack delivery** by Dick Clovis
- 9/13 **Holy Eucharist** with The Rev. Kathleen Murray 8:00 at St. Barnabas and 10:00 at Christ Church
- 9/13 **Celebration Sunday** event following the 10:00 a.m. service to kick off our fall schedule. See page 2 of this newsletter for details.
- 9/14 **Vestry Meeting** at 6:30 at Christ Church
- 9/16 **Bible Study** at 10:30 a.m. at Christ Church
- 9/17 **Backpack delivery** by Ben Barksdale
- 9/19 **Acolyte Festival** at Trinity in Morgantown  
Contact Bill Saviers if you need information.
- 9/20 **Morning Prayer** at 8:00 a.m. at St. Barnabas  
**Morning Prayer** at 10:00 a.m. at CEC  
**Coffee Hour** at 11:00 a.m. at CEC  
**Pack backpacks** at 11:00 a.m. at CEC  
**Christian Education** for all ages begins today 11:15 12:00 at Christ Church

## Serving Ministries

September 13, 2015

16th Sunday of Pentecost

Proper 19

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at St. Barnabas**  
Lector / Chalcist: Doyle Sickles  
Ushers: Nancy Cotten  
Altar Guild: Kathy Posey
- 9:15 a.m. Choir Practice at Christ Church**
- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II at Christ Church**  
Lector / Chalcist: Chuck Chritchfield  
Ushers: Bill and Dee Trimbach  
Acolyte: Caleb Limbers  
Altar Guild: Ann Kennedy, Jeannie Smith, Kitty Clovis and Brenda Barnes
- 11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour in the Auditorium with Celebration Sunday Activities** – see page 2
- 11:00 a.m. Fill Backpacks & then check out the Celebration Activities in the Auditorium**

## Outreach Opportunities

Backpack shoppers are needed for:

Week 2..... Week 3..... Week 4.....

Backpack delivery persons are needed for:

October 1..... and October 8.....

The sign-up sheet for Backpack Blessings is in the Parish House outside the parlors. If you would like to volunteer, you can sign up or contact Pam Critchfield. You can also sign up by calling the church office at 304-622-3694.

...knowing, living, and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

# Celebration Sunday



## What is it?

Celebration Sunday is a time to reflect on the many ministries in place at Christ Church. It is a time to ponder how God is calling us to give of our time and talents. It is an opportunity to ask questions. It is your opportunity to choose based on your interests.

Next Sunday following the 10:00 service, coffee hour will be in the auditorium. Signs will be placed on the tables for the ministries listed below. You are invited to wander around, ask questions, and sign your name on lists where you are either currently serving or where you would like to serve.

## Christ Church and St. Barnabas Lay Ministries

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| *Acolytes                     | *Sunday school children |
| *Altar guild servers          | *Ushers                 |
| *Altar flowers                | *Lay readers            |
| *Sunday school teachers       | *Adult forum            |
| *Coffee hour servers          | *Web site helpers       |
| *Adult voice choir            | *Backpack packers       |
| *Bell choir                   | *Backpack shoppers      |
| *Youth choir                  | *Backpack drivers       |
| *Bazaar workers               | *Gardeners              |
| *Outreach committee           | *Church office helpers  |
| *Stained glass window project | *Luncheon preparers     |