



# CHRIST AND THE EPIPHANY

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## Upcoming Events

Sunday Zoom Services at 9:00 a.m.

## Clergy Schedule

July 5, Fr. Andrew Osmun  
July 12, Fr. Andrew Osmun  
July 19, Fr. Andrew Osmun  
July 26, Fr. Bob Stocksdale  
August 2, Fr. Andrew Osmun

## Sunday Zoom Services

We are holding worship services via Zoom every Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

To connect by computer click:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7639094733?pwd=WkR1ZHBNYTNKWmJqM2NvTkRjZ09hdz09>

To join by phone call:  
929-436-2866  
Meeting ID = 763 909 4733  
Password = 39

The weekly bulletins are emailed out on Fridays and the Zoom room is usually opened up around 8:30 a.m. on Sunday. Intercessory prayers are also emailed weekly.

If you are not receiving the bulletin please email or call Diane in the office at [Christandtheepiphany@gmail.com](mailto:Christandtheepiphany@gmail.com) or 203-467-2310.

If you want or need any help getting connected on Zoom please reach out to Susan Shultz at 860-669-1104 or [sbshultz@gmail.com](mailto:sbshultz@gmail.com).

## Weekly Compline

We continue to hold weekly Compline services via Zoom on Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m.

The dial-in information (both computer and by phone) is the same as for Sunday services.

## YouTube Channel

Don't forget that if you miss a Sunday service, the sermons are now being uploaded to our own Christ and The Epiphany YouTube channel available at: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkGs9WC8ug7syt9n0kHkRaA>



July 14 - Barbara Parsons  
July 17 - George Coulombe

## June Vestry Summary Susan Shultz

**Next Meeting** - The next Vestry meeting will be Sunday, July 17th via Zoom after the 9:00 a.m. service.

**Building & Grounds** - Two hand sanitizer dispensers have been purchased. Some self-help groups are now meeting in their previously used rooms. Masks must be worn and they are responsible for cleaning the bathrooms.

The thrift store is being reorganized for a better flow. We hope to open it for limited hours in mid July. Only so many people will be allowed in at a time and masks must be worn.

The Worship Committee is meeting to discuss any possible adjustments to our current worship schedule. Please send any thoughts or ideas to Barbara Parsons at [mannybarb1@gmail.com](mailto:mannybarb1@gmail.com). In general we are still being conservative about any in-person meetings.

**Communications** - Instead of one combined July/August newsletter, we will have a newsletter each month this summer so we can stay in touch with parishioners.

**New Business** - The Vestry is going to meet in July to spend time discussing Racial Justice issues using ECCT resources. We want to be an example of Christ's love in the world.

## Opera Without the Met?

**Tony Lamberti**

But wait! There is one safe solution for the needs of a classical music lover...

Your home and CD collection are waiting to come back to life again!! Dust off your CD player or turntable and let's

get started. I chose to begin with Richard Wagner's *Der Ring Des Nibelungen* with Vickers and Talvela on a gramophone CD recorded in 1967 (#457780-2). The next selection I picked is Puccini's *Tosca* with Maria Callas and G'Distefano from 1953 on EMT CD #56304.

A powerful opera recording is the 1905 *Salome* by Richard Strauss featuring Eva Marton as Salome. On a lighter and happier note Rossini's *The Barber of Seville* on a London recording is a wonderful CD to have in your opera collection.

For sacred and choral music I would recommend Bach's *Grand B Minor Mass* and Monteverdi for Choir and Orchestra. Then, for those who love the art of solo keyboards there are the works of Chopin, Scarlatti, Ravel, and of course Mozart. Let's not forget our Chamber Music lovers who have Franck, Schoenberg, Debussy, and Bartok.

Next month we will continue to talk more about Summer Music Listening and highlight some American Composers.

As always if you need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me: [fixedincome66@gmail.com](mailto:fixedincome66@gmail.com)

Stay Safe!!!

### Intercessory Prayers

Andrew, Barbara R., Barbuschak Family, Carol Ude, Carol C., David, David C. (Gail Schappa relative), David and Edward, Devin K., Diane, Diane Link, Dot Tate, Ed, Eileen F., Eleanor N., Faith and Family, Father Eddie, Fran Zella, Frank P., Fred H., Gale, Geneva, Goodfellow Family, Greg T., Holly and Family, Ian, J.D., Jack K., Jen and Tyler W. (Diane Levi friends), Dr. Jeremiah Martin, Jim C., Jim R. and Family, Joe Riccitelli (Ron Blevins relative), John A., John M., John U., Joseph, Judy C., Judy DeFeo, Julia, June W., Karen Dattilo and Family, Kathrine Burdick (Diane Rowley friend), Katrina R., Leah S., Lisa, Lisa H., Lois, Lucas Sundwall, Madeline, Mark Conti, Marjorie Cowles, Marty, Matt, Matt R. (Kathy Alison

son), Melissa D., Michelle C., Mitzi Parisi, Patty R., Rachael, Ray C., Ron C. (Diane Levi friend), Sallie Alexander, Shawne G., Turiano Family, Zach Schatz

To submit names for the Intercessory Prayers list please call or email the church office. Names will be kept on the list for three months unless longer time is requested. If a person you have placed on the list recovers in less than three months or passes away, please update the church office.

### Next issue

The deadline for the August 2020 issue is **July 22**. If you have contributions for the newsletter please email us at [newsletter.christandtheepiphany@gmail.com](mailto:newsletter.christandtheepiphany@gmail.com).

For updates to the Birthday or Anniversary lists, please call the church office at 203-467-2310.

Charlie Langlan and Susan Shultz, Editors

## Treasurer Report

Susan Shultz

	MAY	(UNDER)/OVER BUDGET	YTD	(UNDER)/OVER YTD BUDGET
INCOME	\$5,581.79	(\$1,560.71)	\$32,532.67	(\$6,649.83)
EXPENSES	\$7,261.88	\$62.18	\$38,403.22	(\$8,782.12)
NET	(\$1,680.09)	(\$1,622.89)	(\$5,870.55)	(\$2,132.29)

Notes: Overall income is down primarily due to lower pledges (down \$6,700) and the missing thrift store (down about \$2,000). It is not likely we will recoup much of that missing money. However our rental groups continue to pay and utilities and building/grounds expenses are significantly under budget. So at the moment we are still doing over \$2,000 better than budget

## Parishioner Spotlight - Kathy Alison

### Tell us about your family

My immediate family consists of my husband Alex, son Matthew (34), and daughter Rachael (32), My son just recently purchased a house in East Haven while my daughter lives in Florida. We also have two cats, Frankie and Sammy.

### What's your favorite pastime?

Getting together with old friends, craft shows/fairs, and reading.

### What's the one thing about you that no one knows?

I'm extremely organized with certain things to the point where it might be considered OCD. I can tell you how many kilowatts we used in March 2010. I also place the bills in my wallet facing the same direction and in descending order. Yes... I guess it is OCD.



### What brightens your day?

A call from one of my kids, seeing my grandson Mason (14 months), or hearing good news!

### What brought you to Christ and The Epiphany?

My volunteer efforts with the East Haven Food Pantry introduced me to CEC. Originally, I was attending an Episcopal church first in North Branford and then in New Haven. We had two female youths performing community service with the Food Pantry and one of them swore in the parish hall. Her comment was heard and we were all harshly reprimanded. I happened to be in charge that day so I followed it up with an apologetic card. We immediately stopped allowing community service to be performed at the Food Pantry. It was shortly after CEC had split that I considered changing because one of the parishioners had approached me in a friendly manner. Feeling welcome is the key.

### In what ways do you serve your church family or community?

I was involved with Midnight Run and then spent one year with the Backpack Program. I've been a volunteer with the East Haven Food Pantry for approximately 20 years. Aside from being a Saturday volunteer I also set up the schedule for the Saturday volunteers and process the birthday/sympathy/illness cards.

### What is your fondest childhood memory?

Oldfield Playground was held at Oldfield School in summer and was staffed by college students. There was no cost to the family so I assume that the town bore the cost. It was there that all the neighborhood children would gather and play sports, participate in crafts, etc. At the end of the summer we would have a field trip to Quassy Amusement Park for the day. Such strong friendships were built during that time that many of us still keep in touch today via Facebook.

### What is your occupation?

I am currently employed at Schick Manufacturing Inc. as the Senior Import Traffic Coordinator. I've been with the company for 23 years and handle the imports for both Playtex and Schick. The majority of my day is spent corresponding with US Customs Brokers, Freight Forwarders, and international vendors or affiliates.

### Do you have any favorite psalms, Bible passages, or inspirational sources?

***Proverbs 3:5 Trust the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding.***

This passage has special meaning to me since I think I suffer from some trust issues and tend to attempt to control a given situation.

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## **Worship Schedule**

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Online Zoom Worship

Thursday 7:00 p.m. Online Zoom Compline

*(Check your email or ask us on facebook for the  
Zoom connection information details.)*