



CHURCH *of the*  
REDEEMER

*Chestnut Hill*

Tuesday, November 8, 2022



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## **Seeking Nominations for Vestry and Leadership Positions - Due November 14 , 2022**

Each year, the parish selects new officers (if their term is up), three new members of the Vestry, together with delegates to the Diocese of Massachusetts and the Charles River Deanery. These candidates are proposed for approval by a Nominating Committee, composed of

the three out-going Vestry members, a church Warden and non-Vestry members of the parish. This year's Nominating Committee is seeking your input with respect to members of the parish that you feel would strengthen and add vision to our Vestry in the years to come, as well as candidates who can represent us to and strengthen our relationship with the Charles River Deanery and the Diocese of Massachusetts.

**Please email [this ballot](#) or just write your suggestions in email form to [nominating@redeemernestnuthill.org](mailto:nominating@redeemernestnuthill.org) no later than November 14. Ballots are also located near the offices and in the Narthex as you enter the church.**

**Thank you,**

- Judy Oulund, Chair
- Aaron Dunn
- George Raine
- Grant Morrison
- Sandy Moose
- Nina Moriarty



## **Christmas Market Update**

It's admittedly hard to get in the Christmas spirit when it's been in the mid-70s all week but that isn't dampening the spirits and energy of the elves who are getting the church ready for our annual Christmas Market on December 2-3. In a mere three weeks, the church campus will be transformed into a winter wonderland of sweet-smelling balsam firs, stunning Christmas wreaths and a cornucopia of lovely holiday gifts from the Andover Shoppe, Dede Cadeaux and dozen other vendors whose holiday wares passed the exacting scrutiny of market co-chair Cara Morvan.

In a few days, you will be receiving your invitation to this year's auction together with the catalogue of items that we will be auctioning off on Friday evening. As in years past, both the Friday night dinner and Live Auction will be in-person in the Parish Hall. For those who can't attend in person, however, we will continue to have a live Zoom feed for on-line bidding and fun.

We also will shortly have a page set up on the Redeemer website featuring the market schedule, the list of items that we will be auctioning off on Friday evening and information about how you can help our Strategic Mission Partners.

The Christmas Market is truly a community event. As fun as the market dinner and shopping are, the real fun is in making friends with other Redeemerites selling trees, making wreaths, serving dinner on Friday night and doing the other things that are so essential to making all this work. We will shortly be posting sign up sheets on line but you can contact [Deborah Tamulis](#) between now and then if you have any questions about volunteering at this year's Market.

Meanwhile, bidding has already begun on the raffle for a satin-blue Trek FX+2 Stagger electric bicycle. The bike is sturdy, safe and comfortable. It's a regular 10 speed that can shift into overdrive with the push of a button: perfect for those of us who love to bicycle but no longer look or feel like Lance Armstrong. The bike will be on display at Coffee Hour between now and the market where we will be drawing the winning tickets.

You'd pay \$3000 for this bike (if you could find one in stock!) but it can be won in the raffle for \$25 (5 tickets for \$100). You can buy tickets at Coffee Hour, e-mail market co-chair [Michael Aylward](#) and we'll invoice you or **[purchase raffle tickets online here](#)**. (Online tickets must be purchased for the exact amounts - Each ticket for \$25 or 5 for \$100.

Finally, this year's Market will include a small Silent Auction that will include some choice items of clothing and jewelry that our vendors have donated as well as some very special items from parishioners, including a Learn to Row package from Community Rowing and an afternoon of tennis at Longwood. We still have room for a few more items, however. If there is a special keepsake in your attic that you'd like to donate to Redeemer, please contact silent auction chair

[Amy Weed](#).

That's all for now!

Michael Aylward and Cara Morvan  
Market Co-Chairs

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## **Welcome Kayla Robbins Our New Spiritual Formation Assistant!**



One of the most enduring and significant features of Kayla Robbins' life has been a desire to participate in the remedial and redemptive work of the Church. In her studies, her work, and her relationships, Kayla yearns to make a gift of her life to the realisation of St. Julian of Norwich's insistence that in this life we are more truly in heaven than on earth.

Having grown up in New England, Kayla earned her MA Theology at the University of Edinburgh in Scotland, followed by an MPhil in Theology and Philosophy of Religion at the University of Cambridge. Now settled back in New England, she is thrilled to serve at the Church of the Redeemer by being a loving travelling companion to children and youth in their journeys of faith. Kayla loves Julian of Norwich, Taylor Swift, thrifting vintage clothes, and Leonard Cohen. In that order.

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## Music at the Redeemers

### **César Franck Bicentenary Organ Concerts**

Our César Franck organ concerts return this Sunday after the Evensong service with Nigel Potts performing Fantaisie in A, Prélude, Fugue et Variation, the Cantabile, and the Choral No. 3 in A minor Sunday, November 13, at 6pm.

To conclude this series of the composer's complete organ masterworks, Andrew Sheranian (Organist of All Saints, Ashmont) will perform Prière and Grande Pièce symphonique on Sunday, November 20, also at 6pm. These concerts follow directly after Choral Evensong at 5pm and are approximately 40 minutes in duration. There is a suggested donation of \$20 for each concert. All are welcome.

### **Advent Lessons and Carols**

Join us next Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup> at 5pm for our annual Advent Lessons and Carols.

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## Prayers and Thanksgivings



Juliette Cobian, Barbara Kennard, Edward Thayer, Agatha, Brent W., Brett, Brian, Camille, Chip, Christian, Christopher, Cynthia, Daniel, Eddie (Oswaldo), Eric, Eve, Fanny, Frank, Fung, Ginny, Henry, Julie, Karen, Kate, Margot, Marie, Medora, Nancy, Nathaniel, Nicholas, Oliver, Roe, Ruth, Tom, Wai Ling, William

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**FUEL contributions and packing for Thanksgiving THIS SUNDAY!**

Donate stuffing and set aside this Sunday, November 13th to help bag FUEL items after the 10 am service in the OPH!

**Members of the parish are encouraged to join this effort by purchasing and placing bags of stuffing in the bin outside the parish office entrance and coming to pack FUEL bags after church on Sunday.**

1. We need 170 bags of stuffing!
2. We need 95 bags packed for FUEL.
3. We need 95 bags decorated by our children for FUEL.

5. we need 95 bags decorated by our children for FUEL Thanksgiving!

[SIGN UP HERE!](#)

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## **FUEL – a homegrown initiative to ease food insecurity**

Good Morning Redeemer!

We are delighted to be delivering weekend food bags to St. Stephens again and to begin FUEL for the Franklin Elementary School in West Newton.

And, we want to offer a thank you to:

- Christina Baker for donating Halloween bags to all our schools. We all enjoyed dropping those treats into the weekly delivery.
- All the parishioners who filled the chest outside the parish office doors with contributions to FUEL.
- Our weekly packers and drivers who keep us on track.
- And to St. Andrews Church for their monthly drop-off of food supplies to benefit St. Stephens.

This is what makes this ministry work.

**We are looking for more volunteers for our Wednesday efforts from 10 - 11 a.m. We will need a temporary driver for the Burr School while our regular driver is away from December through March.**

[Please sign up here](#) and help in this worthwhile endeavor. For more information, please email us: [fuel@redeemerchestnuthill.org](mailto:fuel@redeemerchestnuthill.org).

Thanks for your help!

And remember – “when you pray, move your feet.”

The Fuel Team

## Strategic Ministries

### Buy a Print - Help Build a Housing Unit A way to help others



The 17th hole



The 18th hole





Early Morning on the 12th Green

A parishioner suggested I paint The US Open Golf Tournament at The Country Club on June 15. I am now selling unframed prints giving 40% of each print sold to the Strategic Ministries Committee to help support A TIME TO BUILD - a coming together of The Church of the Redeemer, Habitat for Humanity and The Epiphany School.

It is a way to help others and create housing units for those in need. Small prints about 14"X17" will sell for \$275 and larger prints \$375. Each print will be signed and numbered and will be a limited edition.

For three prints or more, there will be a discount. BUY A PRINT AND SUPPORT TIME TO BUILD. Contact Anne Grandin for questions, to order prints or ask about the originals that might be for sale. [annegrandin@icloud.com](mailto:annegrandin@icloud.com).

Anne Grandin

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## **Weekday Morning and Evening Prayer Services**

**Join us for our Monday-Saturday Morning and Evening Prayer Services.**

Morning Prayer, M-S 9:30 - 10:00am

Evening Prayer, M-S 4:30 - 5:00pm

Morning and Evening Prayer are very short services. These are perfect spiritual practices to start or end your day.

**[Morning and Evening Prayer on Facebook >](#)**

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## Join us for Bible Study!

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### Join us for Adult Bible Study!

**Sunday Mornings, 9-9:45am**, in person or on Zoom. Here is the [new Zoom Link](#) if you are attending online. For more information regarding mobile call in numbers, please access the [Parish Calendar](#).

**First Monday of the Month Bible Study** over lunch on Zoom, 12:15 - 1:30pm. [Join Zoom Meeting](#). For more information please email [Graeme Mills](#).

**Wednesday morning Men's Bible Study, 7-8am**, in person or [Join Zoom Meeting](#).

### **\*New Announcement for Women's Bible Study\***

**Thursday morning Women's Bible Study, 9-10:30am** will be in the Porter Room and via Zoom this week. Here is the [Zoom link](#).

Nancy and Debby are currently co-leading the study of Galatians, and this week will practice Visio Divina ~ a way of understanding scripture through art. Please make sure you have indicated your interest to Debby ([dhuntermills@mac.com](mailto:dhuntermills@mac.com)) and Nancy ([ngosling60@gmail.com](mailto:ngosling60@gmail.com)) to receive continued correspondence.

**We hope you will join us for one or more of these Bible Studies!**

### Children and Families

Check your weekend (either Friday or Saturday) email for Sunday School notices (3yo-6th grade), Middle School Youth Group (5-8th grade), Confirmation Class, and High School Youth Group. Email [Barrie Rose](#) if you'd like to be on the list!

## Redeemer Calendar

The Parish Calendar Listings can be found [here](#).

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Summer Office Hours June 27th - September 4th: 9am-3pm M-Th

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