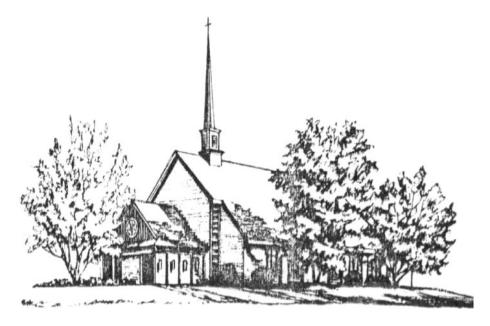
# The Church of the Redeemer



# WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

ON

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 12, 2018

"Drawing near to God to make and equip disciples and to live as faithful followers of Christ."

An Episcopal Parish in The Diocese of Upper South Carolina The Right Rev. Andrew Waldo, Bishop The Rev. Mark Molin, Interim Priest

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# The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

## August 12, 2018

#### HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

#### Organ:

Please stand (as you are able)

**Processional Hymn No. 8:**Morning Has Broken

BUNESSAN

#### THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation BCP 355

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

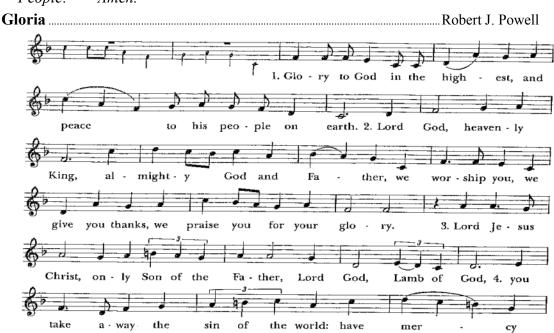
People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

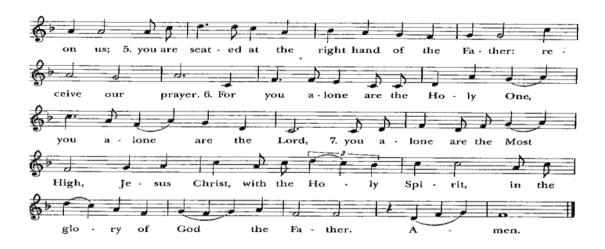
Collect of Purity......BCP 355

Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and

from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.





#### Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. *People:* And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God,

for ever and ever.

People: Amen.

Please be seated

#### **First Lesson:**

#### 2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33

The king, David, ordered Joab and Abishai and Ittai, saying, "Deal gently for my sake with the young man Absalom." And all the people heard when the king gave orders to all the commanders concerning Absalom. So the army went out into the field against Israel; and the battle was fought in the forest of Ephraim. The men of Israel were defeated there by the servants of David, and the slaughter there was great on that day, twenty thousand men. The battle spread over the face of all the country; and the forest claimed more victims that day than the sword. Absalom happened to meet the servants of David. Absalom was riding on his mule, and the mule went under the thick branches of a great oak. His head caught fast in the oak, and he was left hanging between heaven and earth, while the mule that was under him went on. And ten young men, Joab's armor-bearers, surrounded Absalom and struck him, and killed him. Then the Cushite came; and the Cushite said, "Good tidings for my lord the king! For the Lord has vindicated you this day, delivering you from the power of all who rose up against you." The king said to the Cushite,

"Is it well with the young man Absalom?" The Cushite answered, "May the enemies of my lord the king, and all who rise up to do you harm, be like that young man." The king was deeply moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept; and as he went, he said, "O my son Absalom, my son, my son Absalom! Would I had died instead of you, O Absalom, my son, my son!"

Lector: The Word of the Lord. *People: Thanks be to God.* 

The Psalm: Psalm 130

Out of the depths have I called to you, O LORD; LORD, hear my voice; \* let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication.

- 2 If you, LORD, were to note what is done amiss, \* O Lord, who could stand?
- 3 For there is forgiveness with you; \* therefore you shall be feared.
- 4 I wait for the LORD; my soul waits for him; \* in his word is my hope.
- 5 My soul waits for the LORD, more than watchmen for the morning, \* more than watchmen for the morning.
- 6 O Israel, wait for the LORD, \* for with the LORD there is mercy;
- 7 With him there is plenteous redemption, \* and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

Second Lesson: Ephesians 4:25-5:2

Putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not make room for the devil. Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labor and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as

God in Christ has forgiven you. Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Lector: The Word of the Lord. *People: Thanks be to God.* 

Please stand

**Sequence Hymn No. 321** .......(Stanzas 1 and 2) ......ROCKINGHAM *My God, Thy Table Now Is Spread* 

The Holy Gospel: John *6:35*, *41-51* 

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

According to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." They were saying, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" Jesus answered them, "Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, 'And they shall all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**Sequence Hymn No. 321** (Stanzas 3 and 4) ......ROCKINGHAM *My God, Thy Table Now Is Spread* 

Please be seated.

**Sermon** Rev. Mark Moline

Please stand and say together.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God. begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People: Form IV......BCP 388

and his kingdom will have no end.

Lector: Lord, in your mercy *People: Hear our prayer* 

Please kneel (as you are able).

#### The Confession of Sin and Absolution

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

People: Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us;

that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the

glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins

through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness,

and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

People: Amen.

Please stand

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

The people are invited to greet those around them with words of peace such as

"God's peace" or "Peace be with you."

Please be seated

#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

#### The Presentation of the Elements

#### The Gallery Choir

O Lord, most holy, O Lord most mighty, O God of mercy, hear us, O God of love, Help us to know you, know you and love you, Savior, grant us your truth and grace. Savior, guide and defend us. Rule all our willful hearts, Guard all our wandering thoughts. Lord of the broken hearted, bring your peace and joy. Guide in temptation's hour. Save through your mighty power. Lord have mercy, Hear our prayer, O God. Show your favor, Lord we sing and give praise to you.

The Offertory Doxology......OLD HUNDREDTH

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A......BCP 361

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. *People:* And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. *People:* It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to

give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

**Proper Preface** 

Celebrant: Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and

Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever

sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Please kneel (as you are able).

Celebrant:

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Celebrant:

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People:

Christ has died. Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant:

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever

All: AMEN. Celebrant: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us,

we are bold to pray,

The Lord's Prayer BCP 364

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

forever and ever Amen

#### The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us:

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them Celebrant:

in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on

him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you do not wish to receive Communion, we encourage you to receive a blessing by coming to the altar rail and folding your arms across your chest.

Communion Hymn No. 339: SCHMUCHE DICH Deck Thyself, My Soul With Gladness

Post Communion Prayer ......BCP 365

Celebrant: Let us pray.

> Eternal God, heavenly Father, All:

you have graciously accepted us as living members

of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ. and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage

to love and serve you

with gladness and singleness of heart;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **Blessing**

#### The Chiming Of The Trinity

Please stand

O God, Our Help In Ages Past

**Dismissal** 

Celebrant: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People:* Thanks be to God.

Organ:



# **WELCOME VISITORS!**

PLEASE STOP BY THE VISITOR TABLE

on your way out to sign the Guest Book and take a Welcome Bag as our gift to you.

### Prayer for our New Rector

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### Redeemer Needs YOU!!!

Would you like to be part of a ministry of service and welcome, a job that has been compared to the "maître d" of a restaurant? Join the <u>Verger team!</u> Supply behind-the-scenes support that allows the priest more time to prepare for the church service and to meet with parishioners. The job entails arriving at the church about 30 minutes before the Sunday service, checking to make sure that things are ready for the service, that the altar has been set, the candles lit, and so on.

Redeemer is looking for a few folks who might be interested in being a Verger. If you think you might enjoy this ministry, please contact <u>Sue Bannio</u> at the parish office (277-4562) or Judy Planck, the Vestry worship liaison (918-2303).

## **Prayers of the People**

The Church of the Redeemer has a faithful and strong prayer ministry. If you would like to add someone's name to the prayer list, please fill out a form in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate or contact the parish office. Please let the parish office know when a name can be removed from our prayers.

Thank you for your help in keeping our prayer list up to date!

#### **Please Pray for:**

Clifford Bledsoe	Claire Cannon	Brian Hatcher	Hank Johnson	Jack Ohmsen	Kathy Shugart
Kathy Bledsoe	Jim Cannon	Buddy Hawkins	Dorothy LaPlant	Jean Ohmsen	Jackie Smith
Mary Beth Bledsoe	: Melody Daniel	Tina Hawkins	Betty Lupo	Lyn Ohmsen Owen	Steven Stillwell
Greg Brown	Judy Dominick	Hans Paul Himme	l Bethany Lynch	Ivy Reed	Annette Strite
Cathi Campbell	Emily Green	Frank Horger	Meredith Manker	Ed Roberts	Clyde Taylor
Iris Campbell	Joshua Gregory	Mary Horger	Joe McCullough	Diana Robinson	Bob Weinstein
Ray Campbell	Bev Hardin	Jack Jackson	Evan Mill	Erna Samuel	Shirley Williams
			Bob Ziuderveen	Kiera	Susan

For the Homebound: Mona Ferguson, Marge Howard, Lynne Massengill, Earlene Nall

For the Repose of the Soul of:

For Our Missionary in the Ukraine: Gary Powell

For the Church: For Wisdom, Guidance, and Discernment For Our Food For the Poor Representative: Rev. Holly Ostlund For Our Church: For growth both spiritually and physically

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. Mary's, Columbia

For the Men and Women serving in our Military, especially:

Fred Aldrich Nick Henderson Chris McDowell Elijah Johnson Andrew Lupo Christopher Tyminiski

#### For those Studying in Undergraduate and Graduate Programs in College:

Elizabeth Bannio Margaret Brooks Hayden Graves Thomas Jennings Carolyn McCullough Savanna Bannio Kaile Campbell Jacob Hayes Riley Jernigan Elliott Webb

Marybeth Bledsoe Matthew Derrick Bennett Helm Kaitlyn Massengill

Amy Broderick Amber Evans Matthew Howard

If you know anyone in the hospital, please call Betty Lupo (home: (864) 277-7588, mobile: 901-2776, e-mail: bettyslupo@gmail.com) or the Church Office: 277-4562.

#### **VESTRY**

Sr. Warden	Wallace Lightsey(2018)	Communications	Debbie Bauer(2020)	Membership	Wallace Lightsey(2018)
Jr. Warden	Stephany Austell (2018)	Communications	Wallace Lightsey(2018)	Stewardship	Debbie Bauer(2020)
Building & Grounds	Jason Houston(2020)	Fellowship	Betty Lupo( 2018)	Outreach	Stephany Austell(2018)
Christian Ed	Joe Butchko(2019)	Fellowship	Janet Poleski(2019)	Pastoral Care	Meg Coffey(2018)
Finance	Jack Blackburn(2019)			Worship	Judy Planck(2020)



#### THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Announcements for August 12, 2018

# THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER!

### **August 12 to August 18, 2018**

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Sunday	9:30AM	Worship with Holy Eucharist
Monday	6:00 PM 8:00 PM	ACOA Al Anon
Tuesday	6:00 PM	Home School WELCOME
Wednes- day		Worship with Holy Eucharist AA Meeting Choir
Thursday	3:00 PM	YAMS
Friday		Church Office Closed
Saturday		AA/ALANON Hispanic Services

The bulletins, announcements, Sermons, Echoes and MORE! can be found on

www.corgsc.org

#### Readings for Sunday, August 19

First: 1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14

Psalm: Psalm 111

Second: Ephesians 5:15-20

Gospel: John 6:51-58



Consider remembering family or friends with a flower dedication!

#### **DOK Meeting**

All Daughters of the King are encouraged to attend an important meeting of DOK on Sunday August, 19 after service in the vestry meeting room.



- 14 Margie Howard
- 14 Jackie Houston
- 15 Wendy Caney
- 15 Margaret Lee
- 15 Tony Wilson
- 18 Fay Chadwick

#### **Altar Flower Dedication**

In Celebration of all the birthdays in our parish this month.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2018 Mid-Year Financial Statements are available in the Narthex.

# Please be sure to pick yours up TODAY!

If you have any questions please call Sue at the Parish Office 864-277-4562.

Thank you for your contributions to the life and mission of Redeemer.

#### COMBINED SERVICES

#### **ALL SUMMER 9:30 AM**

On Sundays during the summer we will have one combined service each Sunday at 9:30am. The Vestry made this decision with the intent of bringing our entire community together as we transition from one rector to the next.

Please join us on Sunday for our 9:30am service with coffee hour to follow.



## Redeemer's Rhythm for a Christian Life

- 1. Pray Daily
- 2. Gather in Worship Weekly
- 3. Study Faithfully
- 4. Serve Others
- 5. Share Your Story
- 6. Give Generously

#### **SAMARITAN HOUSE**

We are collecting

#### MACARONI & CHEESE

for Samaritan House for the month of August. Please leave your donation in the wagon in the narthex.

Thank you for feeding the hungry!



#### SAVE THE DATE

## DOK Convention September 22, 2018.

Redeemer will host the 97th ECW Convention & DOK Fall Assembly.

Keynote Speaker: Mark Tidsworth, Founder and President, Pinnacle Leadership Associates.



Sunday school classes for the youth will break for the summer.

Classes will resume September 23.

Children ages 7 and under are always welcome in the Nursery.

# CRAFTS DUE Sep. 17

All craft projects for the Ukraine mission must be turned in by Sep.17. You may give to Margie Hankinson or drop them off at the Parish Office. These crafts will be blessed at service on September 23 then shipped to Gary Powell for distribution in the Ukraine. Help them have a warmer winter!

ANYONE MAY CONTRIBUTE!!

#### **Needlecraft for the Ukraine**

As Gary Powell meets the people of the Ukraine, he has been struck by the poverty there. He recently described the houses with no windows or running

water and the impassable roads. He has been struck by the fact that when winter comes, the children will be in need of warm outerwear and has asked if we can help with hats, scarves, and mittens



Needlecraft ministry meets every other Thursday morning in the parlor. If you can knit, crochet, or make warm items for children, we meet again on **Aug. 23 at 10 a.m.** in the parlor. JOIN US!!!

#### **OFFICE HELP NEEDED**

Sue is going to the Holy Land in September. We are looking for substitutes to answer the phones, print the bulletin, collect the mail and help Father Moline while Sue is gone. Help is still needed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays -



Sep. 11, 12, 18 & 19, (from 9am-2pm). Contact Sue in the parish office to let her know how you can help!

parishadmin@corgsc.org or 864-277-4562

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

#### **AUGUST**

- 19 Rev Mia McDowell
- 22 Rev Mia McDowell
- 23 Knitting Club
- **26** Holy Chow

#### **SEPTEMBER**

- 9 Parish Picnic
- 16 Sunday School/EYC
- 23 Soup Kitchen

## Rector Search Update



On August 5, the search committee and vestry

had a very productive meeting with the Transition Representative for the diocese, d'Rue Hazel

We were able to give her the parish information so that the rector position can be posted. Thanks to the vestry and members of the search committee for their proactive compilation of this important information. We are well on our way in the process of selection of a new rector. Please continue to pray for God's direction for all of us.

The Pumpkins are coming.... SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6.

And Movie Night at the Patch OCTOBER 12.
Sales begin Oct. 7 Tell your friends.



## ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC September 9, 2018 at 10:30am

The fun is about to begin!!! Join the parish as we celebrate another year of fellowship with our annual picnic at the park!

This year we will be headed to Cleveland Park in downtown Greenville. We have reserved the picnic shelter right there at the parking lot entrance to the zoo.

The picnic will begin with service at 10:30am at the park in **shelter #29**. The church will provide chicken strips, tea, lemonade and water. We ask all attending to bring a side dish to share, yard games, and a folding chair. You may bring other beverages too, but there is no alcohol permitted. Bring your friends and neighbors too!!

Church Pichic

	LEADERS THIS WEEK	LEADERS NEXT WEEK	
	9:30 AM	9:30 AM	
Usher	David Mill Josh Hawkins Steve Webb	Robbie & Beth Hamilton David Mill Michael Plante	
Acolytes	John Helm	Bill Lee	
Lector I	Betty Boesch	David Mill	
Lector II	Bill Lee	Robin Mill	
Second Chalice	Meta Goodman	Wallace Lightsey	
Altar Guild	Betsy Walt Susan Butler Janet Poleski	Sandy Oliver Meta Goodman Judy Derrick Bricelyn Cantey	
Greeters	Debbie Bauer Elizabeth Koontz	Carol Hallman Fay Chadwick	
Flower Guild	Cynthia Eason June Moore	Carolyn Prosio Robin Mill	
Counters Bill Lee / John Helm		John Warren / Carol Hallman	

#### Redeemer's Photograph Policy

Photographs and video recordings taken at events held at the church and at events associated with the church are often used, with or without the name(s) of the person(s) shown in the photograph, for purposes such as publicity, illustration, advertising, church bulletins and newsletters, and church website content. If anyone does not want his or her photograph or likeness to be used in this manner, please send a written request to the Parish Office via mail or email so that the office may take steps to prevent such use. Failure to notify the office will be taken as permission to use a person's photograph or likeness as described.

#### **Parish Staff**

Parish Administrator & Bookkeeper Sue Bannio parishadmin@corgsc.org

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Director of Nursery Catherine Johnstone

Director of Music & Organist Charles Owings music@corgsc.org

Sexton Gabriel Santamaria Office Support Judy Planck

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