



PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

BIRTHDAYS: Oct 18, Lisa Gibson, Fran Odom; Oct 20, Mary Elaine Hicks, Nanci Steen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Abbey Hale, Lorie Turner, Mary Lou Thesmar, Joe Marsh, Angie & Chuck Hinkson, Norine, David, Paul, Barbara Jones, Mark, Rhonda & Dale, Anita Coughlin, Callie, McGehee Marsh, Paul Massa, Carole Scruggs, Walker, Mary Ellen, Lori, and Wendy Davis

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE ON OUR PRAYER LIST, REMEMBERING TODAY: OUR PASTORAL CARE TEAMS, ASHLEY STRANGE, NIKKI SKILES, BRIAN CLEMMER, STUART SKILES, BUTCH PORTER, ED, MARY STINNETT, BUCKY, PAUL HYDE, JACK & GAIL BOBICZ, PAM BRAMLEGE, JULI VALLEY, MONA MOORE, GINGER WILLIAMS, TOMMY JONES, ANN, BETTY & TOM, THERESA, FR. RENÉ, and LINDSEY MOBLEY

✿ ALTAR FLOWERS ✿

Given by Stacy & Chris Coughlin to the glory of Almighty God and in celebration of their 33rd anniversary

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH DIRECTORY: Although we have around 100 families signed up for portraits, many families still have not scheduled their portraits. We currently have a few slots still available on Tuesday, Oct 31. If you have received phone calls from Area Code 423, that most likely was Portrait Café calling to schedule. Please return their call to make your appointment. We want our church directory to be as complete as possible. The portraits will be taken in our Parish Hall on Sunday, Oct 29, from 12:24 PM until 6:00 PM; on Monday, Oct 30, from 12:48 PM until 8:00 PM; and on Tuesday, Oct 31, from 12:00 PM until 7:00 PM.

NO ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ON OCT 29: On the 29th, Portrait Café will have the parish hall set for directory portraits, so there will be no adult Sunday school.

STEWARDSHIP DRIVE: The annual pledge cards should be returned by **Nov 5** so that the 2024 budget can be created realistically. Please be sure to update any information that has changed for address, phones, e-mail, etc. And if you'd like to be on our birthday list, give us your family's birthdays. If for some reason you did not get your mailing, we have extras in the office. Thank you for your love and faithfulness in supporting the ministry of Saint Andrew's.

MEN'S CLUB MEETING: The next Men's Club meeting will be **Oct 24** at 6:00 PM in the parish hall. This will be the last meeting for 2023. They will once again have a time of spiritual devotion, followed by a good meal and a scotch presentation by Butch Porter. Please sign up in the parish hall, or call the church office and ask to be signed up. Previous meetings have been highly successful and enjoyable.


BIBLE STUDIES: We have an abundance of opportunities to gather and study the Bible. The Men's study is on Mondays at 10 AM; the Ladies' study is on Tuesdays at 10–11:30 AM; the new study of Exodus, facilitated by Fr. Jeff, meets every Tuesday from 1:30–3:00 PM; Fr. Jeff's Genesis study is on Wednesdays at 10 AM; and Fr. Christian's study is on Thursdays at 10 AM. All the above are in the parish hall. The EYC will meet for Bible study every Wednesday at 6 PM in the EYC room in the basement.

ORDER OF ST. LUKE – NEW STUDY: OSL has begun a new study program on the Healing Miracles in Acts of the Apostles. If you have an interest in the healing ministry and learning more about it, please join OSL in this study. Contact Jean Woods with any questions (jean@jwplanning.com or 901-581-5233). OSL meets every Thursday at 6:00 PM in the conference room.


ORDER OF ST. LUKE MINISTRY PRAYER TEAM: The Order of St. Luke provides a prayer team for ministry each Sunday after the 8:30 service. If you need prayer, meet them at the front of the sanctuary.

CANOEING/KAYAKING THE GHOST RIVER: On Saturday, Oct 21, Saint Andrew's will canoe/kayak the Ghost River. Sign up in the parish hall if you plan to participate. The trip will start around 8:00 AM and will take about 7 hrs. Pack a cooler and a sack lunch. They have double and single options available. Children/youth should have an adult with them, but it's open to all ages. We will leave from the church and carpool/caravan. Call Julie Youngson with questions.

VESTRY MEETING: The Vestry will meet Wednesday, Oct 18, at 7:00 PM in the parish hall.



SAINT ANDREW'S PRESENTS



A Marriage Enrichment Seminar


Maintaining a love relationship that lasts a lifetime — even when life is busy

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2023, 11:30 AM TO 3:00 PM

A BOXED LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR \$15 EACH

NURSERY CAN BE AVAILABLE, BUT WE NEED TO KNOW BY OCT 29


REGISTER HERE:



(OR SIGN UP IN PARISH HALL)

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“Don't copy the behaviors and customs
of this world!”
“All newness of life comes from God!”

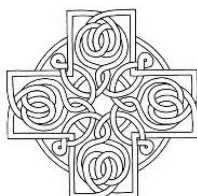


Seminar Speaker:
Floyd Covey, PhD, ThD

ALL SAINTS' DAY: Holy Eucharist for All Saints' Day will be at the regular time for Wednesday Morning Prayer/Holy Eucharist on Nov 1, at 9:00 AM.

COMMEMORATION OF ALL FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Please turn in the names of departed loved ones to the office by Sunday, Oct 29, at noon for inclusion in the Commemoration of All Faithful Departed at the Thurs., 11/2, 9:00 AM Holy Eucharist.

SAINT ANDREW'S NIGHT – ANNUAL PARISH MEETING: This year we will have Saint Andrew's Night here at the church in the parish hall. It is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov 29, at 6:00 PM. Please mark your calendars, and sign up on the bulletin board in the parish hall. Saint Andrew's will provide all the food this year. You are welcome to bring wine for your dinner if you wish. We hope you will join us for this special, once-a-year evening. New Vestry members for 2024 will be elected, and Fr. Jeff will update us on the state of the parish.



Daily Office, Year 1, Proper 23, October 15–21, BCP 988

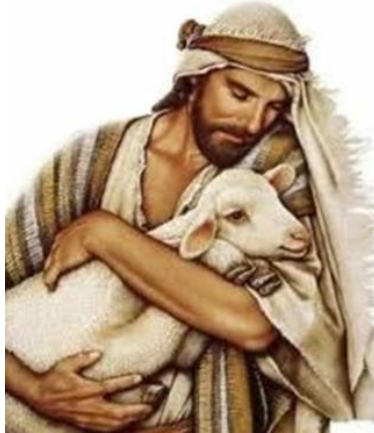
Sun	AM Psalm 146, 147 Jer. 36:1-10	PM Psalm 111, 112, 113 Acts 14:8-18	Luke 7:36-50
Mon	AM Psalm 1, 2, 3 Jer. 36:11-26	PM Psalm 4, 7 1 Cor. 13:(1-3)4-13	Matt. 10:5-15
Tue	AM Psalm 5, 6 Jer. 36:27—37:2	PM Psalm 10, 11 1 Cor. 14:1-12	Matt. 10:16-23
Wed	<i>Holy Day, St. Luke, October 18, BCP 999</i>		
	AM Psalm 103 PM Psalm 67, 96	Ezekiel 47:1-12 Isaiah 52:7-10	Luke 1:1-4 Acts 1:1-8
Wed	AM Psalm 119:1-24 Jer. 37:3-21	PM Psalm 12, 13, 14 1 Cor. 14:13-25	Matt. 10:24-33
Thu	AM Psalm 18:1-20 Jer. 38:1-13	PM Psalm 18:21-50 1 Cor. 14:26-33a,37-40	Matt. 10:34-42
Fri	AM Psalm 16, 17 Jer. 38:14-28	PM Psalm 22 1 Cor. 15:1-11	Matt. 11:1-6
Sat	AM Psalm 20, 21 2 Kings 25:8-12,22-26	PM Psalm 110, 116, 117 1 Cor. 15:12-29	Matt. 11:7-15

EYC MISSION STATEMENT

Our goal as a youth group is to be an all-inclusive community of young believers who set an example for other Christians in speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity (1 Tim 4:12).

EYC ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- If you have questions or you want to be added to the list to get texts about EYC events, get in touch with Julie at 901-240-6189.
- Sunday school meets every Sunday at 9:30 AM. Be sure to make this a priority in your Sunday routine. Donuts are usually provided as an extra incentive to come learn from Fr. Christian.
- Bible Study meets on Wednesdays at 6 PM in the basement EYC Sunday school room. Snacks are provided, and we hope to see everyone there!
- Saturday, **Oct 21**, Saint Andrew's will canoe/kayak the Ghost River. We will start around 8 AM, and it can take about 7 hrs. We will leave from the church and carpool together. Be sure to sign up in the parish hall! See general announcement for more details.
- Sunday, **Oct 29**, EYC will go to Tom's Farm for fall activities, 5–8 PM.



SOLO: THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

words by Henry Williams Baker, 1868; music by Charles Gounod

The King of love my Shepherd is, whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His and He is mine forever.

Where streams of living waters flow, my ransomed soul He leadeth,
And where the verdant pastures grow, with food celestial feedeth.

Perverse and foolish oft I strayed, but yet in love He sought me,
And on His shoulder gently laid, and home rejoicing brought me.

In death's dark vale I fear no ill with Thee, dear Lord, beside me;
Thy rod and staff my comfort still, Thy cross before to guide me.

And so through all the length of days, Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise forever and forever.