

## UPCOMING EVENTS/SERVICES

September 25 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm

September 27 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm.

September 29 – Breakfast Service at Grace Mission. We need to be there by 8:30 am and we will probably be done about 10:00 am. Please let Dawn Freeman know by responding to [ddfreesman@hotmail.com](mailto:ddfreesman@hotmail.com)

October 7 – Discipleship Gathering at 1:00 pm in the Brooks Room.

Suggested daily Readings for the Seventeenth Week after Pentecost: Sept 17- Sept. 21

Mon.	Tim. 2:1-8	Psalm 28	Luke 7:1-10
Tue.	Tim. 3:1-13	Psalm 101	Luke 7:11-17
Wed.	Tim. 3:14-16	Psalm 111:1-6	Luke 7:31-35
Thurs.	1 Tim. 4:12-16	Psalm 111:7-10	Luke 7:36-50
Fri.	1 Tim. 6:1-12	Psalm 49:1-9	Luke 8:1-3
Sat.	1 Tim. 6:13-16	Psalm 100	Luke 8:4-15

The Kearney Center is asking for kind donations of Coffee, Coffee Creamer, Sugar, Grits, Oatmeal, and Seasonings, Salt and Pepper. These items are always needed. Kindly donate.



You are invited to support our **Make a Joyful Noise Concert** on Friday September 28<sup>th</sup> with **Celebration Pledges**. This free Concert begins at 6 pm and kicks off the 136<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations of St. Michael and All Angels. The Concert will feature the FAMU Concert Choir, the Positive Vibes Redeemed band (from the Pretty Hat Tea), Jazz Allstars, and some of our own talented musicians. We need **100 Celebration Pledges** of **\$13.60** to host this concert. All Members and supporters of St. Michael and All Angels are requested to make at least one Celebration Pledge and all are encouraged to make as many pledges as permitted by the monetary blessings received from the Lord.

Saturday, September 29 (Feast of St. Michael) – Led by Rev. Dr. Jerry Smith, rector of Holy Comforter, we will observe a **Quiet Day**, a time for you to *give your burdens to the Lord* (Psalm 55:22) from 10 am – 1 pm.

Our celebrations will end on **Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>** with a traditional celebration of **THE HOLY EUCHARIST** beginning at 10:00 am. The preacher for the 136<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Service will be the Rev. Aaron Smith Canon for Evangelism and the gathering will be addressed also by Mr. Doug Walker, Bishop's Deputy for Advancement & Stewardship. Following the service, a celebratory fellowship will be held in our parish hall.

# ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH



SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 16, 2018

10:00 a.m.

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*The People of St. Michael*

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The Right Reverend John Howard  
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**Temptation**

**“get behind  
me, Satan!”**

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## From the Rector's Desk

### Good to be Back

I am returning today after spending a very restful vacation right here in Tallahassee. Sometimes it is good to step away and just pray, for all that we are about embark on. This is what I did, pondering all we are seeking to do, not the least being our 136<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations scheduled for the end of the month and of course the official launch of our Capital Campaign. In my absence, Fathers Cal Goodlett and Jim Clendinen presided at the Eucharist. I am truly grateful to them both. I want to place on record my thanks to Senior Warden Neil James and Junior Warden Charlie Clark for their able and dedicated leadership to us as a parish.

### As we go forward

From the various notifications that we all received, there is a bunch of activities that will keep us engaged for the rest of the month – the Concert, Quiet Day and the Mass of celebration slated for September 30<sup>th</sup>. We shall launch our Children's Sunday Program on September 23<sup>rd</sup> and we are adding an adult class to coincide with this new offering. Very shortly, James Fort will invite us to participate in the Education For Ministry program that should be made available to all those who so desire a better understanding of our church's theology and teachings.

I therefore ask your prayers for all we are about to embark on.

### Let us not forget

It has been seventeen years since that fateful day we remember as 911. There are families who now make annual pilgrimages to Ground Zero, clutching photographs and other mementos, that painfully remind them of those who were lost that day. Since that time, the whole experience of travel has become a tedious exercise with us having to deal with the TSA and strict regulations. Indeed, long lines, security checks and other forms of inconvenience have become the norm. I trust that we all did pause and remember not only those whom we lost as a nation that day, but also the extraordinary efforts of those who must maintain a great degree of vigilance just so we can travel and more importantly live in peace.

Fr. Hugh+

## SPECIAL PRAYERS

Father, you have made all people with eyes to see you at work in the world, ears to hear you cry out when right suffers wrong, when justice is brought low. Give to the people of our nation courage to stand up for goodness and right-doing in the face of an oppressive spirit, and courage to believe we may restore, in accordance with your gracious will, a light to enlighten the nations and the people with your truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. *Amen.*

### Prayer for the Hurricane Season

Almighty and everlasting God, Lord of Heaven and Earth: Grant unto us thy suppliant people, protection against hurricanes, earthquakes, and other calamities; that in tranquility of weather we may rejoice in the comfort we desire and may always make right use of thy bountiful goodness: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**THANK YOU** – Today's fellowship is hosted by members of the Altar Guild.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Anniversary Committee Meeting immediately after Service today in the Brooks Room.**

**September 16** –African-American Genealogy Meeting from 2:30-4:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

**September 18** – Said Mass at 12:15 pm

**September 20** – Said Mass at 12:15 pm

**September 20-23** – 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Vergers Guild of the Episcopal Church in Denver, Colorado Keynote speaker: Nadia Bolz-Weber.

**SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT** – Bible Study Group meets Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. in the Brooks Room. The readings for this Wednesday will be Proverbs 31:10-31, James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a and Mark 9:30-37.

**GOOD NEWS OUTREACH MINISTRY** – Please remember to bring a food item from the following list: boxed pasta, grits, oatmeal, snacks, broths, soups, spices, baking mixes, flour, sugar, canned fruits & fruits cups. Place items in food gift box in Parish hall. We will bring forward the parish's gifts of food at the offertory the first Sunday each month giving thanks and asking God's blessing upon those who will receive them.

**CHOIR NEWS** –Choir Rehearsals will be on Thursday September 20 and 27 at 6:30 pm.

**Serving today Sunday, September 16**

**Acolytes:** Daniel Erefah, **Crucifer** Quinton Laurie, **Torch Bearer** Collin Laurie, **Torch Bearer** Omar Mongerie, **Gospel Book Bearer**

**Chalice Bearers:** Alexis McMillan, John Grayson  
**Lectors:** Laureatte Scott, Yolanda Bogan Jo Ann Robinson  
**Greeters:** Edith Onyezoili, Akachi Anwuri  
**Ushers:** Lenin Mongerie, Tresia Mongerie  
**Vestry:** Pro Hruda  
**Organist:** Monique Alleyne

**Serving next Sunday, September 23**


**Acolytes:** Hollis Sams, **Crucifer** Tyler Sams, **Torch Bearer** TJ Frazier, **Torch Bearer** Omar Mongerie, **Gospel Book Bearer**

**Chalice Bearers:** Pro Hruda, Alexis McMillan  
**Lectors:** TJ Frazier, Claire Wasson, Thomas Payne Colton Wasson  
**Greeters:** Charlie Clark, Lauren Sapp  
**Ushers:** Joseph Sams, Nadira Sams  
**Vestry:** Neil James  
**Organist:** Ivana Kenny Carmola

**September Altar Guild:**

<b>Anna White</b>	Cassandra Grayson	Delores Grayson
Karen Goodlett	Lauren Sapp	Delois Brown
Shonna Laurie		

**PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PEACE AND HEALING**

 *Jean Hyche-Jackson, Dourest and Jo Ann Robinson, Ophelia and Robert Scarbough, Eugene Wesley, Rosalyn Greene, Rose Douglas, Jewel Robinson, Williamae Jackson, Geraldine Roberts, Joseph Wiley, Carl Murray, Rudolph Hinds, Cynthia Hinds, Alexes Parker, Robert Roulac, Karen Hardy Clark, Ella Woodbury, Charles Daniels, Joseph Gentle, Brandi Leland, Kenrick Baynes, Jessie Laurel, Hattie Olivia Scott, Rev. Canon Dr. David J. Weidner, Ella Brown Albright, Catherine Rand, Richard Corpening, Tyrone Gayle, Clifford Willabus, Al Wehner, David Johnson, Mecie White, Barbara Lee, Sharon Car, Sam Oliver Sr., Linzie Bogan II, Clark Bogan, Dr. Derek Spencer, Ariel Boyd, Jeoffery Bakker, Lora Rose Hunter Dargan, Anita Bush, Thelma Hilliard, Sara McClees, Jonecia Brown, Louis Chapman, Toni Jarmon and Kaleb Way.*



**HOLY EUCHARIST- RITE TWO**

Instrumental Prelude Monique Alleyne, Organist

**Opening Prayer**

**St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church Capital Campaign Prayer**

Most gracious Lord Jesus Christ and generous source of all abundance, in gratitude we invite you to expand our hearts as we seek to increase and improve this place of worship, peace, healing, forgiveness, outreach, service and fellowship. May all who enter here be restored and strengthened on their journey of faith. Guide us Heavenly Father, that we may make manifest your vision of a beloved and enlightened church and community, and be a shining example of the living presence of the Holy Spirit. May we and our Capital Campaign be a channel of God's abundant grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray, *Amen*.

Processional Hymn **A120, Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee** *Hymn to Joy*

**THE WORD OF GOD**

Opening Acclamation		<b>355</b>
The Collect of the Purity		
Gloria		
Collect for the Day		
The Lessons	Proverbs 1:20-33	
	Psalm 19	
	James 3:1-12	
Gradual Hymn	<b>A400, v 1-2, I Have Decided To Follow Jesus</b>	<i>Assam</i>
The Holy Gospel	Mark 8:27-38	The Reverend Fr Hugh Chapman
Sequence Hymn	<b>A400, v 3</b>	
Sermon		The Reverend Fr. Hugh Chapman
The Nicene Creed		<b>358</b>
The Prayers of the People Form III		<b>387</b>
Confession of Sin and Absolution		<b>360</b>
The Peace	May the Peace of the Lord	Nolan
Offertory		
Doxology & Procession	<b>L56, Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</b>	Hatton

Presentation of the Offering – prayer to be said

*Father, we offer you these gifts which you have given us; this bread, this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and our work, to become through your Holy Spirit, a reasonable, holy and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of your love; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Presentation Hymn	<b>L65</b> , Bless the Lord	Crouch
The Great Thanksgiving		<b>361</b>
Sanctus		
The Lord’s Prayer		
The Breaking of the Bread		<b>364</b>
Fraction Anthem		
The Invitation		

**HOLY COMMUNION**

Communion Hymn 1	<b>A163</b> , Nearer, My God, To Thee	<i>Bethany</i>
Communion Hymn 2	<b>A396</b> , I Surrender All	<i>Surrender</i>
Meditation Hymn		
Post Communion Prayer		<b>365</b>
Birthday, Anniversary, Travel Prayers		
Announcements		
Benediction		
Recessional Hymn	<b>A569</b> , Revive Us Again	<i>Revive Us Again</i>
Instrumental Postlude		
Dismissal		

**A=African American Hymnal (ivory)**  
**L=Lift Every Voice & Sing Hymnal (black, green, red)**

**WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL**

*We extend a warm welcome to our guests. Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you are without a church home, we invite you to join our church family. Please sign the guest register, **include your home address, phone number and, if you would like to receive the monthly newsletter, news of special events and other happenings, please also add your e-mail address.***

**OUR VISION** is to be a cornerstone for serving the spiritual needs of the greater Tallahassee community, extending an eternal invitation to join our caring parish and to enrich the spiritual life of all people as we journey with Christ.

**OUR MISSION** is to experience the Gospel of Jesus Christ by feeding the mind, body and spirit of our community in fellowship and service.



**HOLY COMMUNION:** All baptized Christians are encouraged to receive the real and living presence of Christ in Holy Communion. To receive the Bread, extend your hands upward, palms crossed. When receiving the Wine, please guide the chalice as it is offered. If you prefer, you may leave the Bread on your palm for the person administering the chalice to dip into the Wine and place on your tongue. All persons are welcome to give thanks for God’s blessings at the altar rail, simply crossing your arms at the wrist with fingertips extending upward towards your shoulders.



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY!**

Nadira Rivera (9/16), Shonna Laurie (9/22).

**Birthday Prayer**

Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may thy peace, which passeth understanding, abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

**QUIET DAY**

If you would like to participate in our QUIET DAY exercise on Saturday, September 29 at 10:00 am, let us know; we welcome your participation. To help us plan effectively, please RSVP by Sunday, September 23 to tell us if you are interested in attending and include how many in your party will attend. You may respond by calling our church office at (850) 681-0844 or via e-mail at office@stmichaelandallangels.org.