

Suggested daily Readings for the Sixth week after Pentecost: July 9- July 14

Mon. Genesis 28:10-22	Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16	Matt. 9:18-26
Tue. Genesis 32:22-32	Psalm 17:1-8	Matt. 9:32-38
Wed. Genesis 41:55-57	Psalm 33:1-4, 18-22	Matt. 10:1-7
Thurs. Genesis 44:18-45:5	Psalm 105:7-21	Matt. 10:7-15
Fri. Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30	Psalm 37:3-4, 19-20	Matt. 10:16-23
Sat. Genesis 49:29-33	Psalm 105:1-7	Matt. 10:24-33

Please note that every third Sunday the open collection will go towards the Rector's Discretionary Fund.

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.

Grace Mission needs gently used towels and washcloths and men's white tube socks. Donations can be scheduled by calling 850-224-3817 during office hours as follows: Tuesday: noon – 4:30 pm, Wednesday: 10 am – 2 pm, Thursday 10 am – 2 pm and Friday: 10 am – 2 pm.

AgTech Century 21 Summer Enrichment Program for Teens: Ages 13-17. From July 12-20, 2018 at The College of Agriculture and Food Sciences, Cooperative Extension Program, FAMU. Application available at: www.famu.edu/herds or www.famu.edu/cafs. Contact: Carmen Lyttle-N'guessan, PhD – 850-412-5363 or Cooperative Extension's Main Office – 850-599-3546.



Please join Ivana Kenny Carmola for a Baby Shower, July 28, 2018 from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at St. Michael & All Angels Church Parish Hall, 1405 Melvin Street. RSVP by July 18 to: Margaret at 294-4577 or maye4428@gmail.com. Nursery colors: Blues and Grays. Registered at: Amazon Baby Registry Ivana Kenny Carmola and Darren Carmola.



Flip Flop Sunday August, 5. Outdoor worship service beginning at 10 am followed by a picnic with swimming and summer fun at Silver Lake Recreation Area (off Blountstown Hwy).

ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH



SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
July 8, 2018
10:00 a.m.



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DEALING WITH FORGIVENESS –Mark Altrogge, Senior. Pastor, Sovereign Grace Church of Indiana, PA

[Colossians 3:12-13](#)

God commands his children to forgive each another. For this reason: He has forgiven our incalculable debt against him, so we should forgive those who sin against us.

Seems straight ahead and simple, right? Maybe not quite so straight ahead and simple as it seems on the surface.

We live in a fallen world, and both Christians and non-Christians sin against each other. And very often in devastating ways. Sadly, even Christians fall into horrible sin at times and it can be life shattering when you are sinned against. Sin causes anguish, sadness, and misery. So when someone sins against you, I would not say you just quickly and flippantly say, *Oh well, I forgive you, that's ok. Everything back to normal.*

If someone hurts or betrays us and then asks forgiveness, it doesn't mean we shouldn't talk about that sin and how it hurt us. It doesn't mean we just brush it under the carpet and move on. Sin is devastating. It can take time to get to the place where we can forgive and restore the relationship.

There have been times in the past I have been too quick to encourage people to get together with someone who has sinned against them and grant forgiveness.

And forgiveness doesn't mean there shouldn't be consequences. Certain sins might even involve calling the police, even though someone repents. If I go out and irresponsibly charge \$20,000 on my credit card, then ask my wife's forgiveness, even though she forgives me, I will have to pay that money back. I'll have consequences for a long time.

And even when we forgive someone, that doesn't mean we must immediately trust them. Sin shatters trust. It can take a long time to earn trust again once it has been shattered.

Forgiving others takes the power of God. We can't do it in our own strength. But Jesus can help us. If you are struggling with unforgiveness or bitterness toward someone, cry out to God to help you. Seek counsel, talk to a trusted mature Christian or your pastor. If you know someone was sinned against in a significant way, and worked through it and came to a place of forgiveness, get together with them and seek their insights.

Forgiveness and reconciliation should be a goal believers work toward for the glory of God. [Colossians 3:13](#) says "you also **MUST** forgive." Unforgiveness and bitterness aren't options. We're working out our lives together. I need you to forgive me when I sin against you, and I must forgive you as well because God has forgiven us in Christ.

Submitted by J. D. Brown

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.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE – is on summer vacation and will resume on August 4th. Members wishing to provide light fare will be responsible for setup, serving, and clean-up. Please continue to sign-up on the chart on the kitchen door. The Committee wishes everyone a wonderful and safe summer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 9 – Vestry Meeting at 6:00 pm in the Brooks Room

July 10 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm

July 12– Said Mass at 12:15 pm.

July 13 – Ultreya at St. Michael's at 6:30 pm.

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT – Bible Study Group meets Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the Brooks Room. The readings for this Wednesday will be 2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19, Ephesians 1:3-14 and Mark 6:11-29.

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 – There will be rehearsal every Sunday morning at 9:15 am until further notice.

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 15 – African-American Genealogy Meeting from 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm.

July 15 – Daughters of the King meeting in the Brooks Room from 12 noon to 1:00 pm.

July 21 – Men of St. Michael Meeting in the Brooks Room at 10:00 a.m.

Serving today Sunday, July 8

Acolytes:

Pro Hruda, **Crucifer**
 Quinton Laurie, **Torch Bearer**
 Collin Laurie, **Torch Bearer**
 Omar Mongerie, **Gospel Book Bearer**

Chalice Bearers: John Grayson, Pro Hruda
Lectors: Leslie Baker, Leslie Warren
 Laureatte Scott
Greeters: Elizabeth Humes, Pamela Greene
Ushers: Laurette Scott, Delois Brown
Vestry: Dawn Freeman
Organist: Ivana Kenny Carmola

Serving next today Sunday, July 15

Acolytes:


Daniel Erefah, **Crucifer**
 Abigail Erefah, **Torch Bearer**
 TJ Frazier, **Torch Bearer**
 Colton Wasson, **Gospel Book Bearer**

Chalice Bearers: Alexis McMillan, Laureatte Scott
Lectors: Yolanda Bogan, Joseph Sams
 Dourest Robinson
Greeters: Lenin Mongerie, Tresia Mongerie
Ushers: Akachi Anwuri, Ebenezer Erefah
Vestry: Pro Hruda
Organist: Ivana Kenny Carmola

July Altar Guild:

Pamela Greene	Jo Ann Robinson	Delores Lawson
Dawn Freeman	Tangy Williams	Melanie Martin
Kate Wasson	Natalie Payne	

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PEACE AND HEALING

 *Jean Hyche-Jackson, Dourest and Dourest and Jo Ann Robinson, Ophelia and Robert Scarbough, Dorothy and Eugene Wesley, Rosalyn Greene, Rose Douglas, Jewel Robinson, Williamae Jackson, 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, Bryant Harvard, Ariel Boyd, Jeoffery Bakker, Lora Rose Hunter Dargan and Anita Bush.*

For the repose of the soul of Alonzo Roberts, brother-law of Geraldine D. Roberts and uncle of Alexis Roberts McMillan, age 96 who passed on July 4, 2018 in Winter Park, FL.

Rest eternal grant to him, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

HOLY EUCHARIST- RITE TWO

Instrumental Prelude Ivana Kenny Carmola, organist

Opening Prayer

O God our Father, whose Son forgave his enemies while he was suffering shame and death: Strengthen those who suffer for the sake of conscience; when they are accused, save them from speaking in hate; when they are rejected, save them from bitterness; when they are imprisoned, save them from despair; and to us your servants, give grace to respect their witness and to discern the truth, that our society may be cleansed and strengthened. This we ask for the sake of Jesus Christ, our merciful and righteous Judge. *Amen.*

Processional Hymn **H690**, Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah Hughes

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation **355**

The Collect of the Purity

Gloria

Collect for the Day

The Lessons 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

Psalm 48

2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Gradual Hymn **H530 v 1-3** Spread, O Spread, Thou Mighty Word Havergal

The Holy Gospel Mark 6:1-13 The Reverend Hugh Chapman

Sequence Hymn **H530 v 4-5**

The Sermon The Reverend Hugh Chapman

The Nicene Creed **358**

The Prayers of the People Form I **383**

Confession of Sin and Absolution **360**

The Peace **A498**, Let There Be Peace On Earth Miller

Offertory **L194**, Lead Me, Guide Me, Along the Way Akers

Doxology & Procession **H380**, Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow *Old 100th*

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	L65 , Bless the Lord	Crouch
The Great Thanksgiving		361
Sanctus		
The Lord’s Prayer		
The Breaking of the Bread		364
Fraction Anthem		
The Invitation		

HOLY COMMUNION

Communion Hymn 1	L161 , Go Preach My Gospel	Hastings
Communion Hymn 2	L183 , Be Not Dismayed Whate’er Betide	Martin
Meditation Hymn	Give Thanks With a Grateful Heart	Smith
Post Communion Prayer		365
Birthday, Anniversary, Travel Prayers		
Announcements		
Benediction		
Recessional Hymn	Insert -Lord, You Give the Great Commission	
Dismissal		

A=African American Hymnal (ivory)

H=1982 Hymnal (blue)

L=Lift Every Voice & Sing Hymnal (black, green, red)

THE SPEAKER’S PRAYER

Lord, fill my mouth with worthwhile stuff, and stop me when I’ve said enough.

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!



James Crowell (7/12).

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.*

THE MEANING OF WORSHIP

To worship is:

To quicken the conscience by the holiness of God.

To feed the mind with the truth of God.

To purge the imagination with the beauty of God.

To open the heart to the love of God.

To devote the will to the purpose of God.