

PRAY FOR SCOTT AND JAMES

Scott Allen is back home, and we thank God for his continuing recovery. Recently James Crowell had to be hospitalized. Do keep him and his family in prayer.

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

Suggested daily Readings for the Fourth Week after Epiphany: Feb. 4 – Feb 9

Mon.	Heb. 11:32-40	Psalms 31:19-24	Mark 5:1-20
Tue.	Heb. 12:1-4	Psalms 22:22-50	Mark 5:21-43
Wed.	Heb. 12:4-7,11-15	Psalms 103:1-2,13-18	Mark 6:1-6
Thurs.	Heb. 12:18-24`	Psalms 48:1-3, 7-9	Mark 6:7-13
Fri.	Heb. 13:1-8	Psalms 27:1-13	Mark 6:14-29
Sat.	Heb. 13:9-17,20-21	Psalms 23	Mark 6:30-34

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.

Grace Mission is asking for donation for those in need of warm coats (men and women sizes large and up), blankets, sweatshirts, sweaters, men's jeans all sizes, and women's underwear (sizes 6-10).

SUNDAY SCHOOL is at 9:00 a.m. every Sunday. Please join us in the Parish Hall where breakfast will be served at the conclusion of the class by The Men of the Church.

ALTAR GUILD

The 2019 St. Michael's Flower Chart has been posted in the church's foyer for individuals to sign up to place flowers on the altar. Please see any Altar Guild member for specific questions or additional information.



ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH



Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 3, 2019

10:00 am



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The People of St. Michael

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Kathleen Rodgers, *Financial Secretary*

Monique Alleyne and Ivana Kenny Carmola

Organists

Chris White, *Drummer/Choral Director*

Sam Oliver, *Verger*

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From the Rector's Desk

Giving and Outreach in a Small Church

I ended this column last week by saying that the Rev. Neal Michell's church, gave of themselves after recognizing that that was all they had to give. They however did an interesting thing – they created a list of all the various outreach efforts their membership was involved in. This approach served a two-fold purpose. Firstly, it shared information with those who were on the lookout for opportunities to serve away from the parish. Secondly, and perhaps more importantly it afforded their volunteers to share what joys they experienced as they served. May be on Sunday morning, we could ask Dawn Freeman to tell us more of what is done at Grace Mission and how our homeless brethren receive the acts of love her team provides. I would suggest that Fr. Cal and Karen should consider doing the same, for often we serve more than three hundred (300) persons every first Wednesday at the Kearney Center.

Back to the story- sometimes Mother Nature could cruelly impact certain areas of our world. This past week our friends up north had to deal with bone chilling temperatures unfortunately resulting in loss of life. Nothing so drastic occurred in Neal's parish. However his community was hit by a 500-year flood that decimated certain parts of the parish. Members of Fr. Mitchell's church sprang into action to help in the recovery effort and in so doing earned themselves a new name – "the church that cares". Wouldn't it be wonderful if SMAA came to be known here in Tallahassee as the church that cares? Yes there are always risks of being over exposed and before long lines could begin at our doors. Here's a thought, the same Lord who calls us into his service, often times send us the resources we need, as he did in the case of this small church.

Then they returned to the budget exercise, which we too would have to address at our Annual General Meeting. What those believers did was to allot just one percent for missions and outreach – yes just one percent!! Several members of the vestry objected to such a miniscule amount because they would always set aside 10 percent. It took Fr. Neal and others sometime to point out that although the church had been setting aside 10 percent for the past several years, they had spent nothing. So it would have been better to budget a more realistic figure – could we here at SMAA learn something from that approach? What happened in that parish, was that each year for the next several years, the vestry increased the amount for mission and outreach by one percent and actually spent it – leaving the parish with four (4) important lessons.

Fr. Hugh+

(to be continued)

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.*

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.

THANK YOU – Fellowship today is hosted by Edward Ornstein & Delanie McGinnis.

Discipleship Group Meeting at 1:00 pm in the Brooks Room today.

February 4 – Evensong at St. John's Episcopal Church at 6:00 pm.

February 5 – Luncheon (Bishop Curry's visit) at 11:30 am.

February 6 – First Wednesday Supper at the Kearney Center located off W. Pensacola Street at 2650 Municipal Way at 6:30 pm. Please wear closed toe shoes and a hat or cap.

February 7 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm.

February 9 – Annual Altar Guild Meeting at 11 a.m. in the Parish Hall. All members are encouraged to attend. Ladies interested in joining the Guild are welcome to attend the meeting.

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT – Bible Study Group meets Wednesdays at 6:00 pm in the Brooks Room. The readings for this Wednesday will be Isaiah 6:1-8, [9-13], 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 and Luke 5:1-11.

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 11 – Vestry Meeting from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm in the Brooks Room.

February 12 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm. (Contemplative Eucharist).

February 14 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm.

February 17 – Annual General Meeting immediately after Service in the Parish Hall.

February 17 – African-American Genealogy Meeting from 2:30-4:00 pm in the Parish Hall

Serving today Sunday, February 3

Acolytes:

Pro Hruda, **Crucifer**
 Nicolette Nottage, **Torch Bearer**
 Quinton Laurie, **Torch Bearer**
 Collin Laurie, **Gospel Book Bearer**

Chalice Bearers: John Grayson, Alexis McMillan
Lectors: Monique Alleyne, Chris White
 Dourest Robinson
Greeters: Charlie Clark, Cassandra Grayson
Ushers: Jaelyn Guyton, Ebenezer Erefah
Vestry: Sharal Jugger
Organist: Monique Alleyne

Serving next Sunday, February 10

Acolytes:

Hollis Sams, **Crucifer**
 Tyler Sams **Torch Bearer**
 Nicolette Nottage, **Torch Bearer**
 Omar Mongerie, **Gospel Book Bearer**

Chalice Bearers Laureatte Scott, Zollie White II
Lectors: Yolanda Bogan, Joseph Sams
 Leslie Warren
Greeters: Elizabeth Humes, Sharal Jugger
Ushers: Elizabeth Humes, Sharal Jugger
Vestry: Alexis McMillan
Organist: Monique Alleyne

February Altar Guild

Delores Grayson	Cassandra Grayson	Karen Goodlett
Lauren Sapp	Delois Brown	Shonna Laurie
Anna White		

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PEACE AND HEALING



Jean Hyche-Jackson, Jo Ann Robinson, Ophelia and Robert Scarborough, Eugene Wesley, Rosalyn Greene, Rose Douglas, Jewell Robinson, Williamae Jackson, Geraldine Roberts, Joseph Wiley, Carl Murray, James Crowell, 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, Clifford Willabus, ,Mecie White, Barbara Lee, Sharon Carr, Sam Oliver Sr., Linzie Bogan II, Clark Bogan, Dr. Derek Spencer, Ariel Boyd, Lora Rose Hunter-Dargan, Anita Bush, Thelma Hilliard, John McClees, Jonecia Brown, Louis Chapman, Toni Jarmon, Kaleb Way ,Karen Padmore, Charles Bennett, Randolph Frazier Jr., Nohemy Reid, Kanasha Cole, Sharon Thomas, Evelyn McKetty, Maryann Nottage, Scott Allen, Alexis Lambert, Denny Cooper and Steve Babcock.



HOLY EUCHARIST- RITE TWO

Instrumental Prelude Monique Alleyne, organist

Opening Prayer

O God, the fountain of wisdom, whose will is good and gracious, and whose law is truth: We beseech you so to guide and bless our nation's Senators and Representatives in Congress, that they may enact such laws that will please you, be to the glory of your Name and the welfare of your people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Processional Hymn **H135**, Songs of Thankfulness and Praise *Salzburg*

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation **355**

The Collect of the Purity

Gloria **324**

Collect for the Day

The Lessons Jeremiah 1:4-10
 Psalm 71:1-6
 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Gradual Hymn **A187 v 1-2**, Hail To the Lord's Anointed *SHEFFIELD*

The Holy Gospel Luke 4:21-30 The Reverend Fr Hugh Chapman

Sequence Hymn **A187 3-4**

Sermon The Reverend Fr. Hugh Chapman

The Nicene Creed **358**

The Prayers of the People Form IV **388**

Confession of Sin and Absolution **360**

The Peace May the Peace Of The Lord Nolan

May the peace of the Lord bring: Joy, Love, Comfort, Hope, Rest, Life

May the peace of the Lord surround you. May the peace of the Lord go with you. Amen.

Offertory Amazing Grace

Naomi Preston - saxophone

Doxology & Procession **A650** Praise God from Whom all Blessing Flow *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	L65, Bless the Lord	Crouch
The Great Thanksgiving		361-363
Sanctus		
The Lord’s Prayer		
The Breaking of the Bread		364
Fraction Anthem		
The Invitation		

HOLY COMMUNION

Communion Hymn 1	A574, My Jesus, I Love Thee	Gordon
Communion Hymn 2	A575, More Love to Thee	<i>More Love to Thee</i>
Meditation Hymn	A573, I Love You, Lord	Klein
Post Communion Prayer		366
Birthday, Anniversary, Travel Prayers		
Announcements		
Benediction		
Recessional Hymn	H127, Earth has many a noble city	Stuttgart
Choral Postlude		
Dismissal		

A=African American Hymnal (ivory)
H=1982 Hymnal (blue)
L=Lift Every Voice & Sing Hymnal (black, green, red)

Annual General Meeting

Sunday February 17, 2019 has been set aside for our Annual General Meeting. On that day, in addition to receiving various reports from our organizations and committees, we will have to fill three (3) vacancies on the parish vestry. The Nominating Committee comprising of Senior Warden Neil James, Junior Warden Charlie Clark and vestry member Dr. Edith Onyeozili invites you to submit your names to them after you have prayerfully considered this call to serve God and his church in 2019.

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!

Sherman Erefah (2/5), Byron Greene (2/5) Geraldine Roberts (2/9).

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.*

