

Please put **Bishop's Bahamas Appeal** in the memo line. We will collect the checks from our office and send directly to Miami next week.

There will be further needs, but we must respond immediately with this crucial financial support. Please remember that the pressing need is not for things, but for money. There will be time for other kinds of appeals, but for now we need to get funds to those who can help in person.

Episcopal Relief & Development is also working on providing support to the Bahamas. Funds raised through EDF support humanitarian efforts on a larger scale while monies given through the Diocese of Southeast Florida will directly support church rebuilding and more immediate needs.

Let us all pray in gratitude for our providence and for the relief and recovery of the Bahamas. May the souls of the departed Rest In Peace+++

Faithfully,

The Rt. Rev. Samuel Johnson Howard
Bishop of Florida



SMAA 137th Concert

Just a reminder that **the SMAA 137th Concert will be held on September 27 at 6:30 p.m.** featuring The Gospel Group (Positive Vibe Redeemed) and St. Michael's Choir. Tickets are \$20.00 general admission and \$10.00 for students. Refreshment will be served.

Suggested daily Readings for the Season after Pentecost: September 16- September 21.

Mon.	1 Tim. 2:1-8	Psalm 28	Luke 7:1-10
Tue.	1 Tim. 3:1-13	Psalm 101	Luke 7:11-17
Wed.	1 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

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

ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

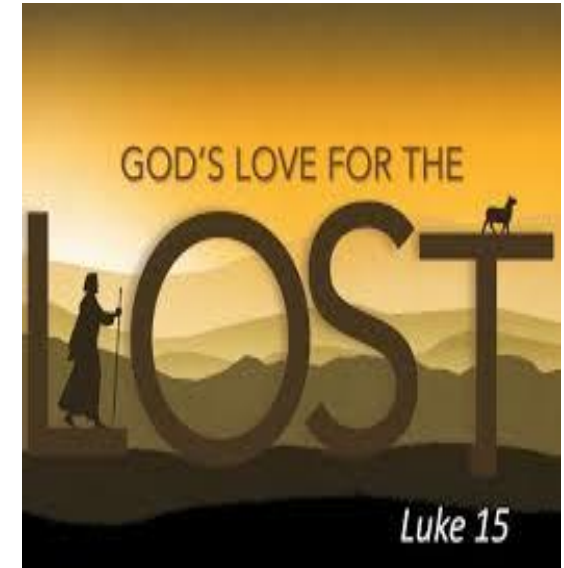
EPISCOPAL CHURCH



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 15, 2019

10:00 am



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The People of St. Michael

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A Message from Bishop Howard

'Lord save us? We're going to drown.' He replied *'You of little faith. Why are you afraid?'* Then he got up and rebuked the winds and the waves, and it was completely calm. The men were amazed, and the men asked *'What kind of man is this? Even the winds and the waves obey him.'* Matt. 8:25-27-

Pondering these words as Hurricane Dorian passed us by, we could not help but be grateful for the providential turn to the north that has spared us, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and parts north. Finally, our thoughts cannot help but turn to our sisters and brothers in the Bahamas, especially the Abacos and Grand Bahama. Thirty hours of category 4 & 5 conditions is simply unimaginable.

We have been in daily contact with The Episcopal Church and the other dioceses in the affected regions to coordinate relief efforts. Bishop Peter Eaton of the Diocese of Southeast Florida has been in daily contact with the Bishop in Nassau and has traveled there today to further assess how we can directly support the Bahamian nation on a Diocesan-to-Diocesan basis.

The Diocese of Florida has always responded generously to the needs to our neighbors. The photos coming out of the Bahamas are incomprehensible and while we await further news on the extent of the damage to this nation, we cannot wait to respond with support.

Bishop Eaton has taken the lead in establishing a fund to directly assist Bishop Boyd in Nassau in rebuilding. He has asked us to co-sponsor this effort with him, and we are delighted to lend direct support. This will be a long-term effort.

I invite you to join me in sending your support. Individuals who wish to do so may give directly online via the website of the Diocese of Southeast Florida. Click [here](#) to be taken to the Donation page, and please put ***Bishop's Bahamas Appeal*** in the box for your gift.

Checks should be made out to the Diocese of Southeast Florida and sent here to Diocesan House:

The Episcopal Diocese of Florida
325 N. Market Street
Jacksonville, FL 32202

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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.*

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 sponsored by Angela Bruton and Dolores Mitchell in celebration of their birthdays.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 15 – African American Genealogy Gathering from 2:30 – 4:00 today in the Parish Hall.

September 17 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm. (Contemplative Eucharist).

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT – Bible Study Group meets Wednesdays at 6:00 pm in the Brooks Room. We shall begin a study of The Acts of the Apostles.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

September 24 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm (Contemplative Eucharist).

September 24 – Fourth Tuesday Dinner Service at Grace Mission from 5-7:15 pm.

September 25 – Capital Campaign Evening Prayer at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

Serving today Sunday September 15

Acolytes: Daniel Erefah, **Crucifer** Tyler Sams, **Torch Bearer** Abigail Erefah, **Torch Bearer** Omar Mongerie, Gospel Book Bearer Hollis Sams, **MC**
Chalice Bearers: Pro Hruda, Alexis McMillan
Lectors: TJ Frazier, Omar Mongerie Thomas Payne, Colton Wasson
Greeters: Lenin Mongerie, Tresia Mongerie
Usher: Byron Greene, Pamela Greene
Vestry: Alexis McMillan
Organist: Ivana Kenny Carmola

Next Sunday, September 22

Acolytes: Pro Hruda, **Crucifer** Camille Usher, **Torch Bearer** Claire Wasson, **Torch Bearer** Omar Mongerie, **Gospel Book Bearer** Nicolette Nottage, **MC**
Chalice Bearers: Laureatte Scott, James Fort
Lectors: Leslie Warren, Renee Frazier Chris White
Greeters: Joseph Sams, Nadira Sams
Ushers: Roland Taylor, Dawn Freeman
Vestry: Henry Okafor
Organist: Ivana Kenny Carmola

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those confined to Health Care Facilities:

Jean Hyche-Jackson, Rose Douglas and Brandi LeLand.

For those at home:

Delois Brown, Ophelia and Robert Scarbough, Eugene Wesley, Rosalyn Greene, Ella Woodbury, Herma Watson-Taylor, Sam Oliver Sr., Jewell Robinson, Tinley Toner, James Manning, Toni Jarmon, Rev. Leslie R. White, Delois Abraham, Louis Venson, Rev. Ralph Griffith, Leonel Jones.

For those in the care of the Doctor:

Jo Ann Robinson, Williamae Jackson, Sharal Jugger, Clifford Willabus, Dr. Derek Spencer, Marva Davis, Scott Allen, Kaleb Way, Delores Brown, Louis Chapman, Hattie Olivia Scott, Alexis Shermise Brown, Mark Wilson, Arthur Rhodius, Lurreta Blackshea, Anthony Bivins, Janet Owens, Worthen Family. Laveria Bogan, Charles Walton and Arelia Donaldson.

For those in the Military:

Linzie Bogan II, Clark Bogan, Brianne Edwards, Vashti Thompson and Laura Rose Hunter-Dargan.

SUNDAY SCHOOL is at 9:00 am 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

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

HOLY EUCHARIST- RITE TWO

Instrumental Prelude

Opening Prayer

Grant, O God, that your holy and life-giving Spirit may so move every human heart [and especially the hearts of the people of this land], that barriers which divide us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; that our divisions being healed, we may live in justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Processional Hymn **H646**, The King of Love my Shepherd is *Dominus regit me*

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation **355**

The Collect of Purity

Gloria

Collect for the Day

The Lessons Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28

Psalm 14

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Gradual Hymn **A424 v 1-2**, Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us *Bradbury*

The Holy Gospel Luke 15:1-10 The Reverend Hugh Chapman

Sequence Hymn **A424, v 3-4**

Sermon The Reverend Hugh Chapman

The Nicene Creed **358**

The Prayers of the People Form V **389**

Confession of Sin and Absolution **360**

Installation of U.B.E Officers

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

Offertory **A307**, His Name is Wonderful Mier

Doxology & Procession **A650**, Praise God From Whom All Blessings 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	H671 , Amazing Grace	<i>New Britain</i>
Communion Hymn 2	H458 , My Song is love unknown	<i>Love Unknown</i>
Meditation Hymn	I cannot tell	<i>Londonderry</i>
Post Communion Prayer		365
Birthdays, Anniversary, Travel Prayers		
Announcements		
Special Address by Mrs. Velma Stevens, Sickie Cell Foundation, Inc.		
Benediction		
Recessional Hymn	H388 , O Worship the King, all glorious above	<i>Hanover</i>
Dismissal		
Choral Postlude		

A=African American Hymnal (ivory)

H=1982 Hymnal (blue)

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

September Altar Guild: **Natalie Payne** and all Altar Guild Members.

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.

Bond Elementary School

All willing and able St. Michaelites, our opportunity is here! The mentor/volunteer training will take place on Thursday, September 19th, at 5:30. Kelli Walker, Leon County Schools Volunteer Coordinator will facilitate the training. Do come out and get trained even if you have not yet made up your mind or currently have an obligation where you cannot make it to Bond. Having this training under your belt and your badge in hand allows you to start when you are ready. Big or small contributions, our gems at Bond need YOU! See you at the training. Invite a friend.

Thanking you in advance for your support. *Dr. Kathleen Rodgers.*

WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

*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!

Nadia Rivera (9/16).

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.*

THANK YOU WISHES

Thank you everyone for all your support and prayers you have given me. My father loved serving you all at St. Michael's & All Angels. You all became his loved Tallahassee family.

Thanks to Dawn and all the women who decorated and prepared food, etc for the repast. The food was absolutely delicious.

Finally, thank you Father Hugh and all who were involved in bringing together a beautiful Requiem Mass. Father Murray would have been proud and full of gratitude.

Blessings,
Rev. Canon Hilary Murray