

CHOIR NEWS – There will be rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 pm until further notice.

Suggested daily Readings for the first week after the Epiphany: Jan. 20 – Jan.25

Mon.	Heb. 5:1-10	Psalm 110	Mark 2:18-22
Tue.	Heb. 6:10-20	Psalm 111	Mark 2:23-28
Wed.	Heb7:1-3,14-17	Psalm 110	Mark 3:1-6
Thurs.	Heb. 7:23-8:7	Psalm 40:8-12,17-19	Mark 3:7-12
Fri.	Heb. 8:6-13	Psalm 85:7-13	Mark 3:13-19
Sat.	Heb. 9:2-3,11-14	Psalm 47	John 8:51-59

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.

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.

The Capital Campaign Committee invites your attention to the upcoming "Building with Christ" activities:

Sunday, January 19th – Pacesetter and Leadership Gifts Subcommittee Meeting (Following the Eucharist).

Sunday, January 26th – Capital Campaign Quarterly Awareness and Celebration and Congregational Meeting (Following the Eucharist).

Monday, January 27th – Capital Campaign Evening of Prayer, 6:00 - 6:30 pm

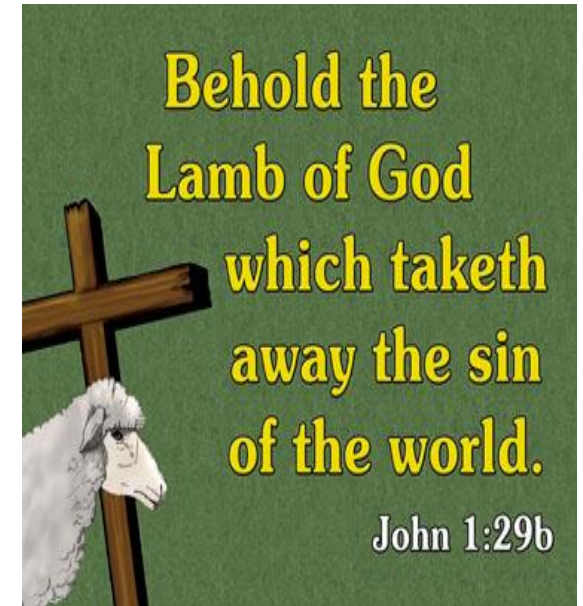
All congregants are encouraged to attend the January 26th Congregational Meeting for important Capital Campaign updates. Also, please keep our "Building with Christ" - The Capital Campaign for St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church, in your prayers and join our January 27th Evening of Prayer. For questions please contact Linda Dilworth (850.508.1794 - mobile).

ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH



Second Sunday after the Epiphany
January 19, 2020
10:00 am



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The People of St. Michael

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From the Rector's Desk

A few thoughts on King Day

Tomorrow, our nation will again pause and reflect on Dr. Martin Luther King's impact on American Society. There are many who speculate that had King lived a longer life, maybe we would not be witnessing the virulent hatred and divisive politics we are in danger of accepting as normal. His life was cut short by an assassin's bullet that robbed us of what King still had to offer our country back then, and yes certainly the Christian Church, that now seems very much at the crossroads these days. King envisioned a church cast in the prophetic mold. A church that could say unabashedly – thus saith the Lord – and not wonder whether it was speaking truthfully. We could use his wisdom these days as we witness how readily church leaders are making statements, that seem to reflect stark political bias rather than sound theological reflection. Small wonder more and more of our young people in particular, have become so dismissive of what we portend to do as a faith community. Time and again King reference the Healing Balm of Gilead that could heal the sin sick soul, and yes, a nation torn apart because of poisonous political rhetoric that has taken root in our land. From the grave, let King be heard to say again, "Seek God and discover Him and make Him a power in your life. Without Him all of our efforts turn to ashes and our sunrises into darkest nights. Without Him life is a meaningless drama with the decisive scenes missing. But with Him, we are able to rise from the fatigue of despair to the buoyancy of hope. With Him we are able to rise from the midnight of desperation to the break of joy."

Stewardship Campaign

We will have today, the third in a series of addresses on Christian Stewardship, and this time delivered by our Senior Warden, Dr. Neil James. Again we ask that each parishioner carefully, and prayerfully complete the stewardship cards/letters that have been in circulation. 2020 will require that each of us, look within our hearts and recognizing how good the Lord has been to us and then show that gratefulness, by contributing the ten percent scripture recommends that we give to God's church.

Lydia to be ordained Deacon

By the Grace of God, Lydia Bush (postulant) will be ordained a deacon in God's One Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church, on Tuesday January 28, 2020 at her home church of St. Luke in Live Oak. The vestry is encouraging as many of us as possible, to attend that service which will commence at 6:00 pm. If you will be needing transportation, do let the office know.

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.*

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 – Today's fellowship is sponsored by the Frazier family in celebration of Roland's baptism.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 19 – Capital Campaign Sub-Committee Meeting immediately following the Eucharist.

January 19 – African American Genealogy Meeting from 2:30-4:00 pm in the Parish Hall

January 20 – Office closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

January 21 – Said Mass at 12:15 pm (Contemplative Eucharist).

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT – Bible Study Wednesday, January`22nd. at 6pm in the Brooks Room.

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 28 Said Mass at 12:15 pm. (Requiem Mass).

January 28 – Fourth Tuesday Dinner at Grace Mission from 5-7:15 pm. Please be there no later than 5:00 pm. Kindly contact Delois Brown at 850-274-8490 or Chenikka Usher at 502-432-5467.

Presentation Hymn	A156 , , God Is So Good	So Good
The Great Thanksgiving		361-363
Sanctus		
The Lord's Prayer		
The Breaking of the Bread/Fraction		364
The Invitation		

HOLY COMMUNION

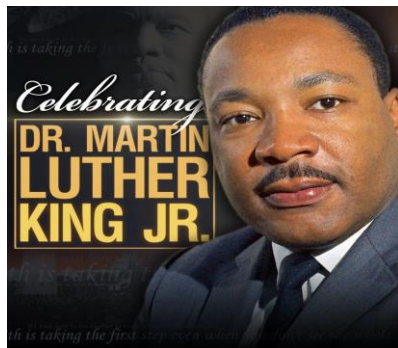
Communion Hymn 1	A321 , O Let the Son of God enfold you	Winker
Communion Hymn 2	A371 , Leaning on the everlasting arm	Showalter
Meditation Hymn	We Shall Overcome	
Post Communion Prayer		365
Birthday, Anniversary, Travel Prayers		
Announcements		
Benediction		
Recessional Hymn	A385 , My hope is built	Solid Rock
Dismissal		

A=African American hymnal (Ivory)

L=Lift Every Voice & Sing (Black, Green & Red)

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE – The New Year is here and our time together in fellowship after The Holy Eucharist on Sundays is a time for our family to continue the connection that is made during our worship service. Please consider sponsoring our Hospitality efforts by signing up on the chart posted on the kitchen door.

ALTAR GUILD – The 2020 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.



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!

Chioma Onyeozili (1/20), Nwamaka Onyeozili, (1/22),Ebenezer Oriaku (1/22), Sam Oliver III (1/22), Carly Allen (1/25), Delores Lawson (1/25), Chenikka Usher (1/25).

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.*