

St. Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church



Second Sunday In Lent
March 5, 2023, 10:00 a.m.



HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE ONE

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

Monique Alleyne

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless, and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

L35, O How He Loves You and Me

Kaiser

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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KYRIE

L237, Lord, Have Mercy

Gillespie

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy, Have mercy, O Lord.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Insert

THE LESSONS [*Congregation is seated*]

Genesis 12:1-4a

Psalm 121

Insert

Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

GRADUAL HYMN

H142, v1-3, Lord, who through-out these forty days

St. Flavian

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 3:1-17

The Reverend Hugh Chapman

SEQUENCE HYMN

H142, v4-5, Lord, who through-out these forty days

St. Flavian

THE SERMON

The Reverend Hugh Chapman

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM III

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CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION

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THE PEACE

L249, Hear Our Prayer, O Lord

Whelpton

Hear our Prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord;
Incline thine ear to us, and grant us thy peace.

DOXOLOGY AND PROCESSION **L53, Expression of Life** Hughes/White

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 **L214, God Is So Good** Spiritual

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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AGNUS DEI

THE INVITATION

HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN **L147, Come, ye Disconsolate** Moore/Webbe

MEDITATION HYMN

POST COMMUNION PRAYER BCP Pg. 339

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECESSIONAL HYMN **L38, The Old Rugged Cross** Bennard

DISMISSAL

H=1982 Hymnal (blue)

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

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PEACE AND HEALING

For those at Home

Fr. Loughton Thomas, Rosalyn Greene, Ella Woodbury, James Manning, Toni Jarmon, Rev. Leslie & Renee White, Rev. Ralph Griffith, Leonel Jones, Charles Walton, Joan Jackson Taylor, Christine Seymour, Mary Ann Nottage, Kove Lawson, Cynthia Holland, Genevieve Vaughn, Harriet Bowen, Livy Hitchcock, Sheila Gonzales and Fr. Terrance Rosheuvel.

For those in the care of the Doctor

Andre Simon, Dourest & JoAnn Robinson, Leslie Baker, John Melville, Lauren Sapp, Dr. Derek Spencer, Marva Davis, Delores Brown, Hattie Olivia Scott, Alexis Shermise Brown, Jasmine Hartin, Shevette Newkirk, Rudolph & Melva Griffith, Delois Abraham, Stella Harris, Pamela Harris Williams, Klcey Scott, Erica Scott, Renrick & Veronica Alleyne, Jeffery Adams, Mayleen Rosheuvel, Ena Mason, Darlene Sheppard, Merrick Winston Edwards, Devonia Sears, Landon Dyre, Brittany Lee, Herma Watson Taylor, Barbara Gruden, Carolyn Allen, Carl Maxwell, Ann Dupree, Al Lawson Jr., Bill Bush, Nohemy Reid, Luann Hickman, Harold Dickey, Sterling Rinks, Scott Allen, Ashley Griffith, Oscar Felker, Fritz Roy, Mark Thomas, Daniella Greenway Thomas, Terrence Harris, Barbara Stovell, Lynn Kimmel, Will Baker, David Thomas, Barbara Lynn, Lee Scott, Leslie Warren, Spencer Stapleton and Ellie Potter.

For those on the front lines in the fight against the Coronavirus Pandemic

Especially all doctors, nurses, scientists, and our own, Dr. Shaun Laurie, Dr. Nwamaka Onyeozili, Dr. Ross Howard McMillan, Dr. Ciara Robinson, Dr. Alaine Sharpe, Zuri A. White and Cheston Williams.

For those in the Military

Linzie Bogan II, Clark Bogan, Brianne Edwards, Vashti Thompson, Thandi Williams and Douglas Sampson.

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.

SPECIAL PRAYERS

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.*

Collect for the Coronavirus Pandemic

Almighty God, Heavenly Healer, we bring to you all who are affected by our present pandemic; for the infirm and infected, the anxious and afraid. By your power defend us and heal us. Let us see one another not as vectors of infection, but as opportunities for love and service, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY!

Kathleen Rodgers (3/6), Stacy Tinner Sr. (3/9).

Serving today, Sunday, March 5

LEM: Alexis Roberts McMillan

Crucifer/MC: James Fort

Vestry: Margaret Edwards

Altar Guild: Sharal Jugger, Elizabeth Humes

Lectors: Chenikka Usher, Edith Onyeozili

Chioma Onyeozili

Organist: Monique Alleyne

Suggested daily Readings for the Second Sunday in Lent: Mar. 6 – Mar. 11.

Mon.	Jer. 1:11-19	Psalm 56, 57	John 4:27-42
Tue.	Jer. 2:1-13	Psalm.61, 62	John 4:43-54
Wed.	Jer. 3:6-18	Psalm.72	John 5:1-18
Thurs.	Jer. 4:9-10, 19-28	Psalm [70], 71	John 5:19-29
Fri.	Jer. 5:1-9	Psalm 95	John 5:30-47
Sat.	Jer. 5:20-31	Psalm.75, 76	John 7:1-13

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Off and Running

We have begun our Wednesday evenings in Lent gatherings in the Fellowship Hall. Modern technology allowed us to gather in person and still have those at home to join in by zoom. Our first speaker was Dr. Rose Campbell Wesley whom we misidentified as a retired professor from F.S.U. – actually she served at F.A.M.U. Our next speaker will be Dr. Neil James, former Senior Warden, and Senior Lecturer/Asst. Dean at F.A.M.U. Again we shall gather in person preceded by light refreshments (at 6:00 pm.) in the Fellowship Hall. Please make an effort to be present for all gatherings. Our theme this year is: Renew a right spirit within Me. Our remaining speakers are Ms. Chenikka Usher (March 15), Mr. Byron Greene (March 22) Mrs. Alexis McMillan (March 29) and Mr. James Fort (April 5).

Fr. Dave to Visit

Fr. Dave Killeen will visit with us on Sunday March 12, 2023, when he will preach and celebrate the mass. He will do so in the presence of the Search Committee from Christ Church Cathedral, Houston, Texas where he has applied for a position. I ask that we all be present in good number to welcome our guests and give support to Fr. Dave. *Fr. Hugh+*

Appeal on behalf of Altar Guild

Our Altar Guild does exemplary work always. Much of what they do is hidden from our view, simply because it is all preparatory. So they prepare the altar for worship and decorate as well as at their expense!! They do all of this and more without complaining, recognizing that this is God's special call upon their lives. We as a parish need to show greater appreciation for their ministry. It was suggested that one way of doing so in a tangible way, is for all of us consider making a donation to the guild through a "Flower Fund". So when we are celebrating birthdays, anniversaries, or special occasions in our lives, let us make special donations as a way of encouraging these wonderful women of God – helping them fulfil their ministry to us as a parish.

Dourest Back Home

Our brother Dourest Robinson has been returned to the care of his family. Continue to keep him in prayer as well as Stacy Tinner, John Melville and Delores Brown (Shonna Laurie's mom).

FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

Seeking the Source of Patience *(adapted from a reflection received)*

Why is it that we sometimes seem to have more patience with perfect strangers than we have with loved ones? If we are walking through a crowded aisle in the grocery store, and someone accidentally bumps into us, as soon as they begin to frantically offer apologies, we quickly forgive them and keep on moving. But if a loved one did the same, we often respond in a disgusted tone – “watch where you’re going!” Often, we tend to have even less patience with ourselves – some of us find it hard to forgive ourselves! This often leads to periods of frustration and even anger. Ever got mad with yourself? There is the word of God that soothes the soul that calm the storms of life, ensuring that temporary insanity does not take hold causing us to do something we will later regret. Read these verses and see if they bring some solace to your soul – Thess. 1:11, Galatians 5:22-23 and Corinthians 13:4-5.

Fr. Hugh+

Mobilizing for Nehemiah

The Pep Rally held Monday (27th Feb.) at Old West Florida Enrichment Center, 2344, Lake Bradford Rd. 32310 was hugely successful and has set the tone for the Nehemiah Action Assembly scheduled for March 27th at the same location. SMAA has pledged to turn out 40 persons! So help us mobilize – call your friends and family members and tell them of the three issues to be discussed in the presence of the City Commissioners and Law Enforcement – Gun Violence, Affordable Housing and Civil Citations. Plan to be there.

Update on the Co-adjutor Bishop Process

At the recent clergy conference held at Camp Weed, the Chair of the Standing Committee, the Rev. Joe Gibbes informed the gathering that a package will shortly be sent to the Presiding Bishop’s Office informing him that our Diocese awaits confirmation of the Rev. Charlie Holt from both the Standing Committees across the National Church as well as the House of Bishops. As new information comes to hand, the office will inform you.

New Rector at Holy Comforter

The Rev. Allen Hill has accepted the invitation to serve at Holy Comforter parish. Pray for hm as he transitions from Episcopal Chaplain at F.S.U.

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 our newsletter, news of special events and other happenings, please add your email address also.*

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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.