

St. Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church



*Seventh Sunday of Easter*  
*May 12, 2024, 10:00 a.m.*



## HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE TWO

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

Mrs. Ivana Kenny Carmola

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty and everliving God, source of all wisdom and understanding, be present with those who take counsel in our Diocese of Florida for the renewal and mission of your Church. Teach us in all things to seek first your honor and glory. Guide us to perceive what is right, and grant us both the courage to pursue it and the grace to accomplish it; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

**H214, Hail the day that sees him rise**

*Llanfair*

### THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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GLORIA

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Insert

THE LESSONS [*Congregation is seated*]

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

Psalm 1

Insert

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. *Amen.*

1 JOHN 5:9-13

GRADUAL HYMN

**H493, v1-3, O for a thousand tongues to sing**

*Azmon*

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 17:6-19

The Reverend Hugh Chapman

SEQUENCE HYMN

**H493, v4-6, O for a thousand tongues to sing**

*Azmon*

THE SERMON

Dr. Neil James

THE NICENE CREED

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM VI

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CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION

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THE PEACE

OFFERTORY **H484, Praise the Lord through every nation** *Wachet auf*

DOXOLOGY AND PROCESSION **H380, v3, 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 **H686, Come, thou fount of every blessing** *Nettleton*

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER A BCP Pg. 361-366

SANCTUS 362

THE LORD'S PRAYER 364

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

AGNUS DEI

THE INVITATION

### HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN **A517, Precious Memories** PRECIOUS MEMORIES

MEDITATION HYMN **A520, O Perfect Love** O PERFECT LEVEL

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECESSIONAL HYMN **A410, Faith of our Mothers** ST. CATHERINE

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

A=African American Hymnal (ivory)

H=1982 Hymnal (blue)

## **PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PEACE AND HEALING**

### **For those at Home**

Rosalyn Greene, Ella Woodbury, James Manning, Toni Jarmon, Rev. Leslie and Renee White, Rev. Ralph Griffith, Leonel Jones, Charles Walton, Joan Jackson Taylor, Christine Seymour, Mary Ann Nottage, Kove Lawson, Cynthia Holland, Harriet Bowen, Livy Hitchcock, Sheila Gonzales, Fr. Terrance Rosheuvel, Kurt Blyden, Ashley Rodgers, Sandra Todman-Hart, Teresa Thomas and Monica Scott.

### **For those in the care of the Doctor**

Dourest & Joann Robinson, John Melville, Lauren Sapp, 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, Devonia Sears, Landon Dyre, Brittany Lee, Herma Watson Taylor, Barbara Gruden, Carolyn Allen, Carl Maxwell, Ann Dupree, Bill Bush, Luann Hickman, Harold Dickey, Sterling Rinks, Scott Allen, Ashley Griffith, Oscar Felker, Fritz Roy, Mark Thomas, Daniella Greenway Thomas, Terrence Harris, Will Baker, David Thomas Wiley, Barbara Lynn, Lee Scott, Leslie Warren, Spencer Stapleton, Ellie Potter, Randy Frazier, Lennie Helfand, Fabienne Bailey Brown, Patrick Charles, Hansel Tookes, Fr. Darryl James, Nohemy Reid, Sean Warren-Bailey, Rasheen Jamison Richardson, Victory Laurie, Martha Laurie, Elijah Nohemy, Pamela Richards, Windell Wilson, Al Washington and James Gay.

### **For those who care for the sick**

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

### **For those in the Military**

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

## **SPECIAL OCCASION PRAYER**

### **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 PRAYER

### 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.*

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY!**

Henry Okafor (5/13), Stacey Richardson (5/16), Quinton Laurie (5/17), Ronald Taylor (5/17).

### Serving today, Sunday, May 12.

**Crucifer:** Mr. Prokop Hruda

**Acolytes:** Omar Mongerie  
Sierra Mongerie

**Gospel Book Bearer/MC:** Mr. James Fort

**LEM:** Mr. Joseph Sams

**Vestry:** Mrs. Laureatte Scott

**Lectors:** Mr. Charlie Clark

Mrs. Alexis Roberts McMillan

Dr. Kathleen Rodgers

**Altar Guild:** Dr. Edith Onyeozili

**Organist:** Mrs. Ivana Kenny Carmola

### Suggested daily Readings for the Week of Seventh Easter: May 13 to May 18.

Mon.	Joshua 1:1-9	Psalm 89:1-18	Matt. 8:5-17
Tue.	1 Sam. 16:1-13a	Psalm 97, 99	Matt. 8:18-27
Wed.	Isa. 4:2-6	Psalm 101, 109:1-4	Matt. 8:28-34
Thurs.	Zech. 4:1-14	Psalm 105:1-22	Matt. 9:1-8
Fri.	Jer. 31:27-34	Psalm 102	Matt. 9:9-17
Sat.	Ezek. 36:22-27	Psalm 107:33-43	Matt. 9:18-26

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **JoAnn out of Hospital**

Our sister JoAnn Robinson was briefly hospitalized last week, but thankfully she is back home. Do continue to keep her and Dourest in prayer.

### **Pretty Hat Tea**

The Pretty Hat Tea will be one of the attributes of St. Michael and All Angels to the Tallahassee Bicentennial. The date, time, and place will be July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm in the Parish Hall. We all have plenty of time to get our hats ready men, women, and children. We are glad to take our Junior Warden Charlie Clark's advice to have the tea again. We will gladly accept sponsorships for the event. Email the church at [stmichael1882@gmail.com](mailto:stmichael1882@gmail.com) and or [Alexisrph11@gmail.com](mailto:Alexisrph11@gmail.com) with questions or comments.

### **St. Philip's Episcopal Mourns**

Our sister church of St. Philip's in Jacksonville, has been plunged into mourning on account of the sudden death of Juan Estrella, a thirteen year veteran of the Navy. Juan retired just last year and returned to Jacksonville to join his dad, Nelson. We ask that the Estrella family be kept in prayer especially at this time. Funeral arrangements are still to be completed.

### **Gala Banquet Proposal**

The rector will celebrate the 45th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Friday August 16<sup>th</sup>. A committee co-chaired by Al Lawson Jr and Chris White will plan for the occasion. Look out for further details.

### **Convocation at Camp Weed**

The Standing Committee is extending an invitation to our entire Diocesan family to gather at Camp Weed on Saturday May 18<sup>th</sup> for a convocation. The goal of the day is a move towards unified mission within the Diocese of Florida. Look out for further details from the parish office.

### **Camp Weed Centennial Celebration**

A special committee chaired by our own Charlie Clark is planning for Camp Weed's centennial celebration in September. Feel like serving? Contact Charlie this week.

## RECTOR'S DESK

The traditional Mothers' Day observance, allows us for a few moments to focus on mothers, grandmothers and mother figures in our churches, community, and country. Interestingly enough, this celebration is attributed to a secular and social movement that emerged in the late 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup> centuries here in these United States and other countries as well. It is indeed the one day we set aside to honor, thank, and pamper our mothers and grandmothers, in particular. Our friends in the business community relish the month of May, for "Mother's Day" certainly helps to boost their bottom line. This is particularly true for restaurants and those who produce greeting cards, floral arrangements, and special gift items. So yes, it is something of a bonanza for entrepreneurs. A look back in history always helps however and as we do so, we see where the celebration of mothers and motherhood actually originated with the ancient Greeks (Roman society) where festivals were held in honor of the goddesses Rhea and Cybele. Closer to our day, the Mother's Day celebration can be traced back to the early Christian festival known as "Mothering Sunday." It was once a major tradition in the United Kingdom and certain parts of Europe, and it was always observed on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent, when faithful worshippers returned to the "mother church" i.e the main church in the vicinity of their homes for a special service. Over time, however, the Mothering Sunday tradition became more and more of a secular holiday with children presenting their mothers with flowers and other tokens of appreciation. This custom however faded and gave way to the American Mothers' Day celebration in the 1930's and 1940's.

So look what this observance has evolved into? I thank God for mothers everywhere and especially those who are living in war zones, those who must still feed their infants in the face of famine, and those who must protect their little ones from all forms of exploitation. We salute you all today.

Happy Mother's Day

*Fr. Hugh+*

### **Invitation from Dr. Felita McNeill**

We are being invited to be present for an Art and Rheumatoid Arthritis workshop hosted by our sister Felita. This activity will be held on June 8<sup>th</sup> (1-4 pm) at the Community Coop Health Food Store. This event is free and open to the public. Art works will be on display, but not for purchase.

## 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.*

### *About Us*

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#### *Our Clergy and Administration*

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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.