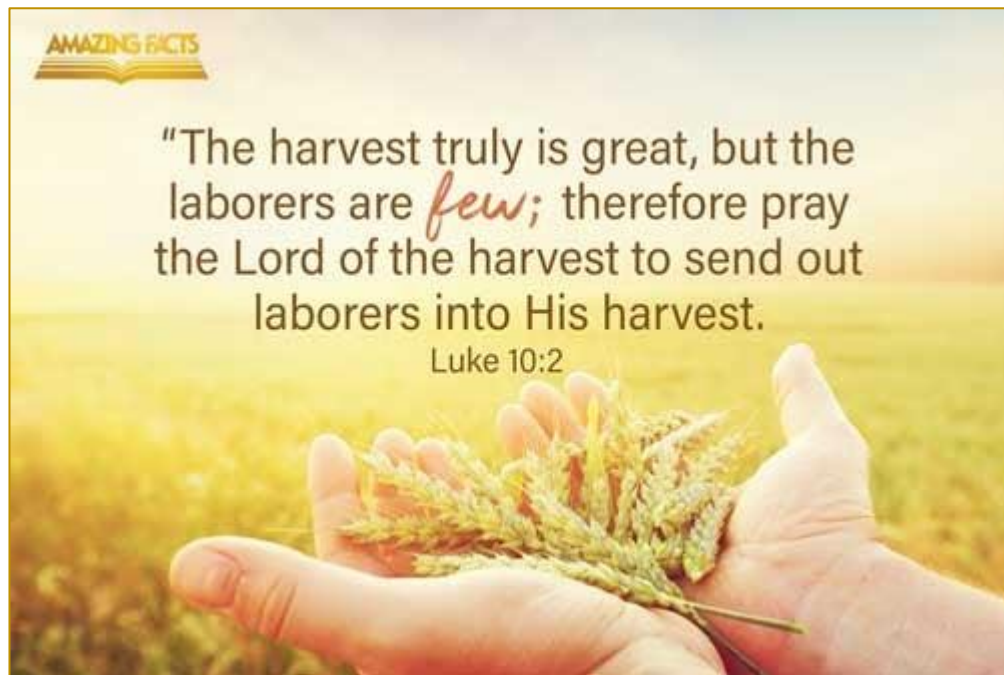


St. Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church



*Fourth Sunday after Pentecost*  
*July 6, 2025, 10:00 a.m.*



*The Mission of the Seventy*

## HOLY EUCHARIST—RITE TWO

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

Mrs. Ivana Kenny Carmola

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

**A440, Love Divine, All Love Excelling**

BEECHER

### ***THE WORD OF GOD***

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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GLORIA

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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THE LESSONS

***Congression is seated.***

**2 Kings 5:1-14**

**Psalm 30**

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

**Galatians 6:[1-6], 7-16**

GRADUAL HYMN

**A435, v1-2, Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior**

PASS ME NOT

THE HOLY GOSPEL

**Luke 10:1-11, 16-20**

The Rev. Hugh Chapman

SEQUENCE HYMN

**A435, v3-4, Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior**

PASS ME NOT

SERMON

The Rev. Hugh Chapman

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**Down by the Riverside**

Spiritual

***Please be seated for the Offertory***

OFFERTORY	<b>A455, Just a Closer Walk with Thee</b>	CLOSER WALK
DOXOLOGY & PROCESSION	<b>A650, Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow</b>	Hatton

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	<b>A605, Deep River</b>	Spiritual
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**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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**THE HOLY COMMUNION**

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POSTLUDE		

A= African American Heritage Hymnal (Ivory)

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

### **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, Kove Lawson, Cynthia Holland, Harriet Bowen, Livy Hitchcock, Sheila Gonzales, Kurt Blyden, Ashley Rodgers, Sandra Todman-Hart, Teresa Thomas, Elroy Todman, Christopher Marrow, Sean Gray and Debra Wynn.

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

Dourest & Joann Robinson, John Melville, Lauren Sapp, Delores Brown, Hattie Olivia Scott, Alexes Shermise Brown, Jasmine Hartin, Rudolph & Melva Griffith, Delois Abraham, Stella Harris, Pamela Harris Williams, Klcey Scott, Erica Scott, Renrick & Veronica Alleyne, Jeffery Adams, Ena Mason, Darlene Sheppard, Devonia Sears, Landon Dyre, Brittany Lee, Herma Watson Taylor, Barbara Gruden, Carolyn Allen, Ann Dupree, Scott Allen, Ashley Griffith, Lee Scott, Leslie Warren, Will Baker, Ellie Potter, Lennie Helfand, Victor Laurie, Martha Laurie, Pamela Richards, Al Washington, Jesse Stewart, Catherine Davis, Zachery Smith, Julia Joyner, Anne Powell, Proctor Ford, and Kenneth Johnson.

### **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. Zollie White III , Zuri A. White, and Cheston Williams.

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

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

### **CAJM Update**

Co-President of the Capital Area Justice Ministry the Rev. A. J. Mealor has written to inform us of new developments, including the appointment of Bryan Stringer as the new Executive Director and Apostle Otis B. Young who has replaced Rev. Dr. Latricia Scriven as co-president.

Dr. Scriven has accepted an offer to serve as Senior Pastor at a church in Central Florida. Additionally, Rev. Mealor is asking that we all contribute \$25 to a special appeal he has launched on behalf of the organization. CAJM continues to do important work in our city on behalf of many, focusing on Affordable Housing and Food Insecurity issues.

## 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.*

### 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.*

### Serving today, Sunday, July 6.

**Crucifer:** Mr. James Fort

**Gospel Book Bearer/MC:** Mr. Collin Laurie

**LEM:** Mr. Zollie White, II

**Vestry:** Mr. James Fort

**Altar Guild:** Mrs. Delois Brown

Ms. Marie Roberts

**Lectors:** Mr. Zollie White, II

Ms. Kathleen Rodgers

Ms. Marie Roberts

**Organist:** Mrs. Ivana Kenny Carmola

**AV:** Mr. Chris White

### Suggested daily Readings for the Season of Pentecost: July 7 to July 12.

Mon.	Num. 32:1-6, 16-27	Psalm 1, 2, 3	Matt. 23:1-12
Tue.	Num. 35:1-3, 9-15, 30-34	Psalm 5, 6	Matt. 23:13-26
Wed.	Deut. 1:1-18	Psalm 119:1-24	Matt. 23:27-39
Thurs.	Deut. 3:18-28	Psalm 18:1-20	Matt. 24:1-14
Fri.	Deut. 31:7-13, 24-32:4	Psalm 16, 17	Matt. 24:15-31
Sat.	Deut. 34:1-12	Psalm 20, 21:1-7	Matt. 24:32-51

### Thomas off to Illinois

Thomas Payne has travelled to Illinois, to serve as a campus counselor for the month of July! We are so proud of Thomas and all that he has accomplished recently.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Fr. David Brooks Chapter—U.B.E.**

The local chapter of the U.B.E. (Fr. Brooks) will gather in person and by zoom on Tuesday, July 8<sup>th</sup> from 6:00–7:30 pm. Our interim president Angela Bruton, will preside. The U.B.E. has provided a platform for African Americans in the Episcopal Church and also raised up lay leaders, deacons, priests and Bishops in its storied history. So more of us need to involve ourselves in this vital ministry across the National Church. Attend on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> to hear more of what the U.B.E. has accomplished and the plans being put in place for the future.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82908271575?pwd=oOZGtNCxC2kAjkx8fQ329yxdHsFgMu.1>

Meeting ID: 829 0827 1575

Passcode: 118512

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/kc3o8PUggJ>

### **Ruge Hall Reopening**

We have received word from the lay chaplain Jacob Shelly at Ruge Hall (F.S.U.) that plans are being laid for the Fall Semester. Those plans include:- Sunday evening Eucharistic services (5 times this fall at 5:00-pm) followed by a meal at the chapel. Fr. Lonnie Lacy of St. John's Episcopal, will lead October's service and arrange for his parishioners to provide dinner. Also an Open House will be held on August 21<sup>st</sup> (4:00-7:00 pm) and those attending will be able to enjoy the coffee shop's offerings, including special appetizers. Thursday nights will provide an opportunity to host dinners by churches in our region for students (6:00 pm). Finally, Jacob has scheduled three free lunches for the fall, open to students, faculty, staff, clergy and anyone else seeking to enjoy both food and fellowship. This will also provide an opportunity for students to connect with SMAA.

### **E.C.W. to be Resuscitated**

We are grateful to Chenikka Usher and Sharal Jugger for helping to resuscitate our E.C.W. Both Chenikka and Sharal have been invited to address the vestry on July 14<sup>th</sup>, to flesh out their proposal. The plan is to have a meeting of the women of the church on July 27<sup>th</sup>, immediately after the celebration of the Eucharist (11:30 am). At a later date, formal elections will be held. We are grateful to these sisters for taking the initiative.

### **Vestry Retreat Canceled**

The planned vestry retreat for Saturday, July 5<sup>th</sup> had to be canceled on account of Fr. Lonnie's recovery from surgery. Do keep him in prayer and also Mtr. Leslie (his assistant), as she continues with her cancer treatment.

## FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

### **Independence Day**

On Friday of last week we celebrated our freedom from Great Britain, as we commemorated the passage of the Declaration of Independence by the Continental Congress back on July 4<sup>th</sup>, 1776. That document, announced the separation of the 13 North American colonies from the British Crown. In 1870, the US Congress made Independence Day an unpaid holiday for federal workers, and in 1938 it became a paid federal holiday. There were the usual parades, firework displays, picnics, concerts and other festivities. Some decided to just stay at home and enjoy Bar-b-Que dinners with loved ones and friends.

The Fourth of July's commemoration always awakens a deep sense of patriotism, regardless of one's political stripes. As we look back, there is sufficient evidence to prove that political and other social movements have sought to lay claim to this celebration, not the least being the abolitionists, women's right advocates and opponents of immigration (nativists). Yet here we are celebrating the freedom that Almighty God has given us, as we strive to build a more perfect union. It must be a difficult time for those who continue to feel that the American dream is slipping away from them, (and there are many). Others who have been part of our country for decades now fear that a knock on the door could mean a deportation order or a separation from loved ones! And yes, there is that widening gap between the insanely rich and those merely getting by. I hope that we did use this observance to not only celebrate what we have become as a nation in the eyes of the world, but also took the time to focus on what we must do to make everyone feel that their contribution is appreciated, and that indeed we are truly one people under God.

*Fr. Hugh+*

### **New Appeal**

Fr. Slewion Lewis back home in Liberia after completing a year of study in Minnesota leading up to a doctorate, has called enquiring after our support for his parish. As a reminder, Fr. Lewis has spiritual charge over two congregations—Grace Mission and St. Michael & All Angels. We wish to thank those who have already contributed to this appeal will assist with the purchasing and installing of windows and pews, for both churches. So be as generous as possible.

## 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.