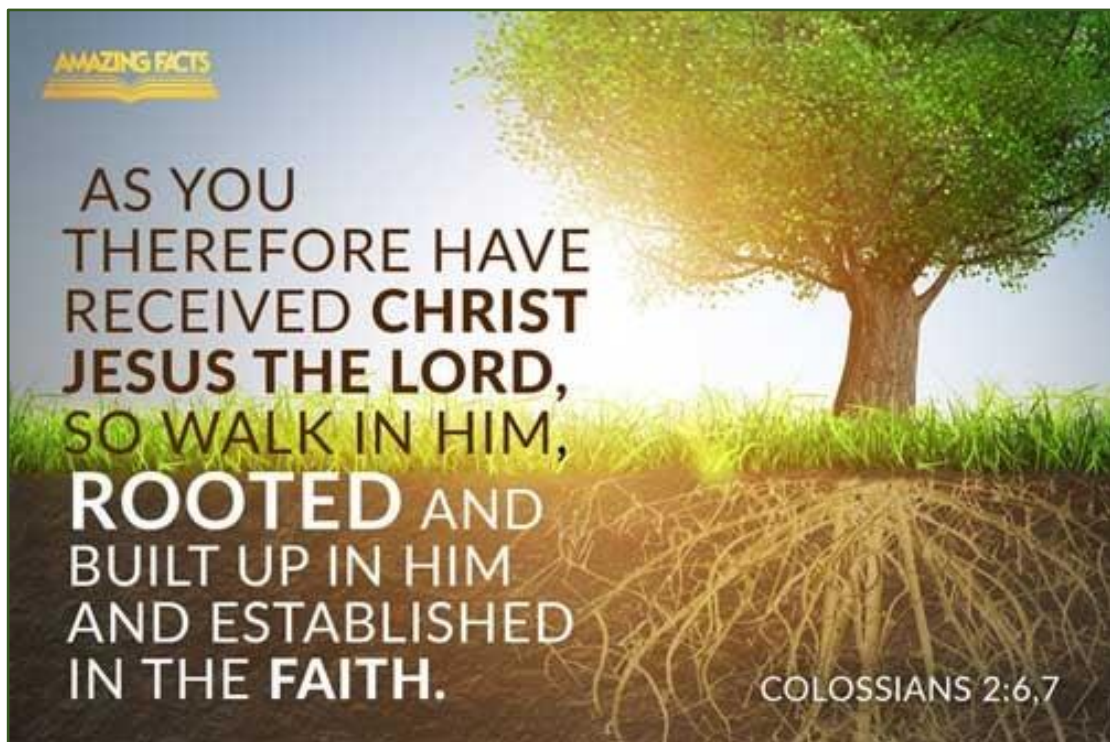


St. Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church



Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
July 27, 2025, 10:00 a.m.



HOLY EUCHARIST—RITE TWO

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE	Mrs. DebraLee LaSeur
THE COLLECT FOR PURITY	Pg. 356
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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY	Insert
THE LESSON (<i>Congression is seated</i>)	

Colossians 2:6-15, [16-19]

GRADUAL HYMN	H593, v1-2, Lord, make us servants of your peace	<i>Dickinson College</i>
THE HOLY GOSPEL	Luke 11:1-13	The Rev. Hugh Chapman
SEQUENCE HYMN	H593, 3, Lord, make us servants of your peace	<i>Dickinson College</i>
THE HOMILY		The Rev. Hugh Chapman

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

All that we are, Lord, we place into Your hands.

Silence

All that we do, we place into Your hands.

Silence

Everything we work for, we place into Your hands.

Silence

Everything we hope for, we place into Your hands.

Silence

The troubles that weary us, we place into Your hands.

Silence

The thoughts that disturb us, we place into Your hands.

Silence

Each that we pray for, we place into Your hands.

Silence

Each that we care for, we place into Your hands.

Silence

The choices we make, we place into Your hands.

Silence

Our church, our world, our leaders, we place into Your hands.

Silence

Keep us close to You, keep us close.

Silence

Please be seated for the Offertory

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OFFERTORY	H686, Come, thou fount of every blessing	<i>Nettleton</i>
DOXOLOGY & PROCESSION	H380, Praise God, from whom all blessings flow	<i>Old 100th</i>

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. And so, Father, we bring you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord. On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends and said, "Take, eat: this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Father, we celebrate the memorial of your Son. By means of this holy bread and cup, we show forth the sacrifice of his death, and proclaim his resurrection, until he comes again. Gather us by this Holy Communion into one body in your Son Jesus Christ. Make us a living sacrifice of praise. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The people and the priest say the Lord's Prayer together

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

MEDITATION HYMN	H577, God is love, and where true love is	<i>Ubi Caritas</i>
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THE BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECESSIONAL HYMN	H522, Glorious things of thee are spoken	<i>Austria</i>
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DISMISSAL

H= 1982 Hymnal (blue).

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, Kacey 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.

SPECIAL OCCASION PRAYERS

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.*

Anniversary Prayer

God our Father, who made men and women to live together in families: we pray that marriage may be held in honor; that couples may live together faithfully, according to their vows; and that members of every family may bear one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ; for His name's sake. *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.*

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 27.

LEM: Mr. J. Byron Greene

Vestry: Mrs. Alexis Roberts McMillan

Altar Guild: Mrs. Kate Wasson

Ushers & Greeters: Mrs. Sharal Jugger

Ms. Elizabeth Humes

Ms. Chenikka Usher

Mrs. Linda Billups

Ms. Marie Roberts

Lectors: Ms. Chioma Onyeozili

Ms. Abigail Erefah

Organist: Mrs. DebraLee LaSeur

AV:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY!

Amani Sampson (7/29), Sam & Sharal Jugger (7/27), Dourest & JoAnn Robinson (7/30).

Suggested daily Readings for the Season of Pentecost: July 28 to August 2.

Mon.	Joshua 24:16-33	Psalm 56, 57	Matt. 27:24-31
Tue.	Judges 2:1-5, 11-23	Psalm 61, 62	Matt. 27:32-44
Wed.	Judges 3:12-30	Psalm 72	Matt. 27:45-54
Thurs.	Judges 4:4-23	Psalm [70], 71	Matt. 27:55-56
Fri.	Judges 5:1-18	Psalm 69:1-23(24-30)	Matt. 28:1-10
Sat.	Judges 5:19-31	Psalm 75, 76	Matt. 28:11-20

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Safeguarding God's People & Children

It is a requirement of the National Church that everyone serving in leadership positions in our missions and parishes, complete a course that has been designed to ensure that our congregations are kept safe. On Wednesday of this week two persons from the Diocesan Office (Hannia Reyes & Shannon Sweeney) visited with us to provide the necessary training for Elizabeth Humes (Admin. Assistant), who will serve as SMAA's administrator. Very shortly, notices will be sent to all those who have not received or completed in entirety the said course. At the end of learning, a certificate is granted by the diocese with a duration of five (5) years.

Henry & Porche' are Celebrating

Henry & Porche' Okafor are giving thanks to God for their son Kodinna Aaron who came into this world ten days ago. He formally received his official name at a ceremony held at noon on Wednesday (EST) and 5:00pm (Nigeria time). Do keep the family in prayer.

Buildings & Grounds Committee

Our Building & Grounds Committee has just been formed with the Junior Warden, Joseph Sams as chair. Joe is looking for volunteers to assist him. Do let him know of your intention to serve.

Capital Campaign Committee to Meet

Ms. Kimberly Douglas (chair) has arranged for a meeting of those invited to serve on the committee. They will meet on Thursday August 14th. Do pray for those who have agreed to serve.

143rd Anniversary Committee

Under the chairmanship of Al Lawson, Jr. this committee has begun its work. As we have indicated before, we shall be having the Assisting Bishop of the Diocese "Chip" Stokes to be our celebrant and preacher on September 28th. Additionally, letters are to be sent to former and current parishioners inviting them to be present that day, and to contribute \$143 (a dollar for each year of our existence). Help us pass the word along.

Lamar Nottage to be ordained Deacon

We have received word that Lamar Nottage (Nicolette's brother) will be ordained a Deacon in Holy Orders, on Wednesday, August 6th in Nassau, Bahamas. Do keep Lamar and his family in prayer.

FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

The Gun Violence Epidemic

Our Episcopal Church continues to be concerned about the Gun Violence Epidemic plaguing our country—we all should be. Recent statistics indicate that more than 20,000 persons have been killed or injured by firearms in our country. Indeed, the epidemic of gun violence affects people from all of our communities and continues to be one of the most pervasive problems of our time.

Congress, we believe, has the responsibility and authority to enact proven strategies to reduce gun violence. Including investing in gun violence prevention programs, regulating firearm possession and purchases, and closing legal loopholes that endanger our communities.

Admittedly, we have seen some small steps made in recent years, but they are hardly sufficient. The National Church is calling us to action, and suggesting that we let members of Congress know that the issue of gun violence remains as urgent as ever, and that we demand they support effective legislative suggestions.

Fr. Hugh+

Episcopal Church Women

Today, the Women of our Church will gather at 11:30 am (at the conclusion of the Eucharist) in the Fellowship Hall for a meeting. We are grateful to Chenikka Usher and Sharal Jugger for helping to resuscitate this important organization here at SMAA. Do support them in their efforts. The men of the church will serve a meal to those gathered.

Contemplative Eucharist

The Contemplative Eucharist is on Tuesdays. Do join us at 12:15 pm and share your thoughts on what scripture always says to us.

Mutual Ministry Review Gathering

The vestry has decided that our MMR gathering will take place on Saturday, August 2nd, in the Fellowship Hall. As a reminder, everyone is invited to join us, as we review together our shared ministry (clergy, vestry & congregation). We gather at 10:00 am. and light refreshments will be served. Additionally, Mtr. Tanya Scheff (Regional Canon) will be in attendance.

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.