



# ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

IN THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

Choral Eucharist Rite I – 10:00am  
November 1, 2020



## All Saints' Day

### SUNDAY SERVICES

8:00 Holy Eucharist Rite I

10:00 Holy Eucharist Rite II

*Be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent, for this is the house of God.  
Before the service speak to the Lord;  
during the service let the Lord speak to you;  
after the service speak to one another.*

PROPER ACCLAMATION

*The people stand*

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

*The Celebrant may say*

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS: *Communion Service in C (sung by the choir)*

Sir Charles Villiers Stanford

Glory be to God on high,  
and on earth peace, good will towards men.  
We praise thee, we bless thee,  
we worship thee,  
we glorify thee,  
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,  
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.  
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sins of the world,  
have mercy upon us.  
Thou that takest away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.  
For thou only art holy;  
thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ,  
with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And with thy spirit.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow thy blessed saints in all virtuous and

godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that thou hast prepared for those who unfeignedly love thee; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

## THE LESSON

Revelation 7:9-17

*The people sit*

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. "For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

*Lector*        The Word of the Lord

*People*        Thanks be to God

PSALM 34:1-10,22        (COVERDALE TRANSLATION) *(sung by the choir)*

Sir Walter Alcock

- 1 I will alway give thanks unto the Lord \*  
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
- 2 My soul shall make her boast in the Lord \*  
the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.
- 3 O praise the Lord with me \*  
and let us magnify his Name together.
- 4 I sought the Lord, and he heard me \*  
yea, he delivered me out of all my fear.
- 5 They had an eye unto him, and were lightened \*  
and their faces were not ashamed.
- 6 Lo, the poor crieth, and the Lord heareth him \*  
yea, and saveth him out of all his troubles.
- 7 The angel of the Lord tarrieth round about them that fear him \*  
and delivereth them.
- 8 O taste, and see, how gracious the Lord is \*  
blessed is the man that trusteth in him.
- 9 O fear the Lord, ye that are his saints \*

for they that fear him lack nothing.  
10 The lions do lack, and suffer hunger \*  
but they who seek the Lord shall want no manner of thing that is good.  
22 The Lord delivereth the souls of his servants \*  
and all they that put their trust in him shall not be destitute.  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

#### THE EPISTLE

1 John 3:1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

*Lector*            The Word of the Lord

*People*            Thanks be to God.

*The people stand*

#### THE GOSPEL

Matthew 5:1-12

*Deacon*            The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

*Choir*            Glory be to thee, O Lord.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

*Deacon*            The Gospel of the Lord.

*Choir*            Praise be to thee, O Christ.

*The people sit*

#### THE HOMILY

Father Reho

## THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

*Officiant and People, all standing*

- Celebrant* Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and  
renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?
- People* I do.
- Celebrant* Do you believe in God the Father?
- People* I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.
- Celebrant* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
- People* I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
- Celebrant* Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
- People* I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.
- Celebrant* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and  
fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?
- People* I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever  
you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?
- People* I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News  
of God in Christ?
- People* I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving  
your neighbor as yourself?
- People* I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people,  
and respect the dignity of every human being?
- People* I will, with God's help.

*The Celebrant concludes the Renewal of Vows as follows*

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. *Amen.*

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*The people kneel*

*Deacon*            Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers [especially \_\_\_\_\_], that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land [especially \_\_\_\_\_], that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor [\_\_\_\_\_ and] all those who in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

*Additional petitions and thanksgivings may be included here.*

And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear [especially \_\_\_\_\_], beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of [\_\_\_\_\_ and of] all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. *Amen.*

## CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION

*Deacon*            Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

*Minister and People*

Almighty God,  
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
maker of all things, judge of all men:  
We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins  
and wickedness,  
which we from time to time most grievously have committed,  
by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty,  
provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us.  
We do earnestly repent,  
and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;  
the remembrance of them is grievous unto us,  
the burden of them is intolerable.  
Have mercy upon us,  
have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;  
for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,  
forgive us all that is past;  
and grant that we may ever hereafter  
serve and please thee in newness of life,  
to the honor and glory of thy Name;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, stands and says*

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## THE PEACE

*All stand*

*Celebrant*        The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People*            And with thy spirit.

*Pass the peace with a reverent bow to one another and without moving from your seat.*

*The people sit*

## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Offertory Anthem** *Give us the wings of faith*

Sir Ernest Bullock

Give us the wings of faith to rise within the veil, and see the saints above, how great their joys, how bright their glories be. We ask them whence their victory came, they with one united breath, ascribe the conquest to the Lamb, their triumph to his death. They mark'd the footsteps that he trod, His zeal inspir'd their breast; and, following their incarnate God, they reach'd the promis'd rest.

**The Great Thanksgiving**      *Eucharistic Prayer II*

*The people stand. The Celebrant says:*

This celebration of the Holy Eucharist is offered to the Glory of God with special intention for the repose of the souls of those who died since All Saints' Day last, especially:

*Ann Gilman Dawson  
Bonnie Grace Hall Judy  
Hal Holmes Flowers  
Charles Adams Harden  
Henrietta Martin  
The Reverend Robert James Elliott  
Jeanne I. Wilhem  
Mary Estelle Delany Mixson*

May their souls and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

*Celebrant*      The Lord be with you.  
*People*          And with thy spirit.  
*Celebrant*      Lift up your hearts.  
*People*          We lift them up unto the Lord.  
*Celebrant*      Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.  
*People*          It is meet and right so to do.

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. Who, in the multitude of thy saints, hast compassed us about with so great a cloud of witnesses, that we, rejoicing in their fellowship, may run with patience the race that is set before us; and, together with them, may receive the crown of glory that fadeth not away.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

**Sanctus and Benedictus** (*sung by the choir*)

Sir Charles Villiers Stanford

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.  
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.  
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.

*The people kneel*

*Then the Celebrant continues*

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.



*At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.*

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. AMEN.

And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

*People and Celebrant*

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.

**WE BREAK BREAD AND SHARE THE GIFTS OF GOD**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

**Fraction Anthem** *Agnus Dei (sung by the choir)*

Sir Charles Villiers Stanford

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

*Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

**Please remain in your pew until the ushers invite you to move forward toward the altar.**

**Face covering is required. Family units must maintain safe distancing in the aisle.**

**Receive the host standing in front of the priest or deacon with your arms outstretched.**

**Return to your pew by the side aisles and consume the host after you are seated.**

*The Bread is given to the communicants with these words*

The Body of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was given for thee, preserve thy body and soul unto everlasting life. Take and eat this in remembrance that Christ died for thee, and feed on him in thy heart by faith, with thanksgiving. [Amen.]

**Communion Motet** *Hail, glorious spirits (sung by the choir)*

Christopher Tye

Hail, glorious spirits, heirs of light, the highborn sons of fire, whose souls burn clear, whose flames shine bright: all joy, yet all desire. Hail, all you happy souls above who make that glorious ring about the sparkling throne of love, and there for ever sing.

## **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

## **THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL**

*A Priest gives the Blessing and the Deacon dismisses the people.*

*People* Thanks be to God.

*The people sit until the procession*

VOLUNTARY *Fanfare*

William Mathias

**Please remain in your seats until the conclusion of the Voluntary.  
The ushers will direct you to the appropriate exits.**

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**CHOIR:**

Simon Morley – Organist and Director of Music

Kristen Walker – Soprano

Tori Swilley – Alto

Marty Angiulli – Tenor

Steve Galloway – Bass

**The Flowers at the Church Altar** are given to the Glory of God by Janis and family in memory of Tim Guzzle.

**The Flowers at the Chapel Altar** are given to the Glory of God by Susan Lang in loving memory of Ann and David Murphey.

**The Candle in the Sanctuary Light** is given to the Glory of God by Edward Kaloust in memory of his son, Richard Kaloust, and by Carol Balkcom in memory of her mother, Barbara Hannaway.

# **The Faithful Departed: All Saints' Day 2020**

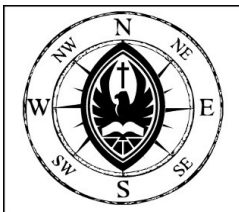
## **Since All Saints' Day Last**

*Ann Gilman Dawson  
Bonnie Grace Hall Judy  
Hal Holmes Flowers  
Charles Adams Harden  
Henrietta Martin  
The Reverend Robert James Elliott  
Jeanne I. Wilhem  
Mary Estelle Delany Mixson*

## **Those Remembered**

*Frank Elliott  
Pearl Banahan Elliott  
Jonathan Lester Ford  
Pearl Mars Ford  
Lloyd Patterson  
Dianne Elaine Ford  
Chase E. Davis  
Jack Murray  
Jim Carroll  
Dr. Bill Williams  
The Reverend Bev Shives  
Jamie Holley  
Burgess von Stroh  
Maurine von Stroh  
Gerald von Stroh  
Sarah Ansley Adams  
Ashton  
Leonard and Martha Nelson  
Isaias and Judith López  
Ann Dawson  
Paul Axt  
Fletcher Baldwin  
Annmarie Richards  
Everett Richards  
Paul A. Straske  
Wallace F. Jenkins, Jr.  
Patty E. Jenkins  
Noel C. Tatum  
David L. Tatum  
Geraldine Parker  
Glenn Todd Gallaspy  
Gladys Gallaspy  
Carroll Newton Yelverton  
Lilly Rush Yelverton  
Jane Carol Yelverton Conn  
James Newton Yelverton  
Dall, Virginia, and Jamie Brown*

*Mike and Betsy Delea*  
*Hector Monthalvo*  
*Dolores Monthalvo*  
*Teri Monthalvo*  
*Tapp Hancock*  
*Alex Hancock*  
*Charles Bath*  
*David Roy Eachon*  
*Ann and David Murphey*  
*Patsy Carte*  
*Jim Carroll*  
*Jack Murray*  
*Bob Elliott*  
*David O. Harbert*  
*Lynda Vawter*  
*Vera Pederson*  
*Robert W. Compton*  
*Fletcher Baldwin*  
*John Wesley Kercher, III*  
*Randy Light*  
*Fred Heyer*  
*Rene Leal*  
*Henry Steinbrenner*  
*Janie Cline*  
*Daryn Ramos*  
*Lynwood F. Arnold*  
*Leslie Collier, Jr.*  
*Sammy Cruse*  
*John Germany*  
*Mary Ellen Germany*  
*June Duncan*  
*Arthur McLay*



# The Weekly Compass

## St. John's Episcopal Church and Parish Day School

ALL SAINTS' DAY

NOVEMBER 1, 2020

### Worship in St. John's

- 8:00 a.m. The Holy Eucharist, Rite I, Church  
10:00 a.m. The Holy Eucharist, Rite I, in the Church and streamed on Facebook Live and our website

### Virtual Ministries and Worship

Please visit [www.stjohnstampa.org/virtual-meetings-and-worship](http://www.stjohnstampa.org/virtual-meetings-and-worship) for a full listing and links to resources.

### Group Prayer and Pastoral Care

#### Healing Service

We are now holding the Thursday 10:00 a.m. Healing Prayer Service in the church. There is appropriate safe distancing, masks, and no Eucharist.

#### Evening Prayer

Our clergy and staff stream evening prayer daily Monday through Saturday at 4:00 p.m. live on our Facebook page.

#### Compline (Night Prayer)

Nightly compline is offered by the brothers of the Society of St John the Evangelist on their web site at [www.ssje.org](http://www.ssje.org).

### Weekday School Chapel Service

Fr. Reho invites you to join daily chapel services on the School's YouTube channel. The link is the same every day: [www.stjohnseagles.org/daily-chapel](http://www.stjohnseagles.org/daily-chapel) and services go live at 6:00 a.m., Monday through Friday.

### Small Group Ministries and Classes

#### Wednesday Afternoon Adult Sunday School

The group meets by Zoom from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. Topics are suggested by the group. If you would like to join, contact Deacon Kathleen at [kmoore@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:kmoore@stjohnstampa.org) for the login.

#### Men's Thursday Bible Study and Lunch

If you would like to join, contact John Edgar at [jedgar@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:jedgar@stjohnstampa.org).

#### Contemporary Women's Bible Study

CWBS holds a weekly virtual study time on Tuesday evenings from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Contact Deacon Kathleen at 785.9400 or [kmoore@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:kmoore@stjohnstampa.org) or Sally Thompson at [tampasal@gmail.com](mailto:tampasal@gmail.com) or 254.3009.

### Pastoral Care

Your clergy are available to you for pastoral conversations. If you are unable to reach them at the parish offices, 259.1570, please call directly. They can be reached at these numbers: Pastoral Emergency Line: 813.906.5199; Fr. Cannon: 864.320.7116; Fr. Goodheart: 321.446.4934; Deacon Moore: 813.785.9400; Fr. Reho: 917.526.0746.

### Service Schedule Notes

Our regular weekly services are the Holy Eucharist (Rite I) at 8:00 a.m. and the Holy Eucharist (Rite II) at 10:00 a.m. The 10:00 a.m. service is streamed live on Facebook and on our website.

Safe distancing procedures are in place for entering, seating, and exiting. Safe distancing in seating results in a maximum capacity of 100 people at each service. Face coverings are highly recommended, not only for your safety, but for the safety of others. While all are welcomed, we recommend that those parishioners over age 65 and those with underlying health conditions consider remaining safe at home and participating comfortably in the streamed service.

### Giving to St. John's

There are many ways to make a one time or recurring gift to your parish! Visit <https://stjohnstampa.org/stewardship> to see the options or give online.

One of our options is giving by text. In the 'To' field of the text type 73256, then in the message, type SJE. You will receive a text back immediately with a link to complete the payment.

### Sunday Sermon Audio Available

Audio versions of weekly sermons are on our website. They are uploaded on Mondays. Click on the **Worship** button in the top right of our homepage.

# Compass Points

## Virtual Coffee Hour Today!

First Sunday of the month Virtual Coffee Hours continue today, Sunday, November 1. The fun fellowship takes place from 11:15 to 11:45 a.m. on Zoom. Log in information was sent through Realm on Thursday and this morning. Join us!

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## Cursillo presents Ultreya: *Transitions*

St. John's Cursillo Community will present an Ultreya on Saturday, November 7 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. "Ultreya" is a Spanish word, derived from the original Latin, meaning "onward." It was in common use by pilgrims to greet and to encourage one another along the way. This word is now used by the Cursillo community to signify the meeting which is held after a Cursillo experience. This event is open to all, invite your friends. This will be a regular Ultreya format with the theme "Transitions" We are pleased and honored to say that Simon Morley will accompany us as we sing hymns. Announcement of speakers to follow soon. Mark your calendars and contact Sharon Stoll at [harpwings@aol.com](mailto:harpwings@aol.com) for the Zoom link.

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## Annual Fathers Camping Trip

This year's St. John's Fathers Camping Trip is November 13 and 14 at Lakewood Retreat, 25458 Dan Brown Hill Road, 34602 in Brooksville, FL. Don't miss this popular St. John's tradition! Contact Kaivon Madani at [kaivonmadani@hotmail.com](mailto:kaivonmadani@hotmail.com) with questions and to RSVP.

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## Hymn Sing!

Several weeks ago, we asked parishioners to submit requests for their favorite hymns to be recorded by the quartet with Simon Morley at the organ. The response was overwhelming and we received over sixty requests! Inevitably, we had to prune the list, however, most of the favorites are there, and you can tune in today, Sunday, November 1 at 5:00 p.m. to listen via our Facebook page or through the church's website.

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## *Grace in a Year of Trials: November 16 and 17 at 7:00 p.m.*

2020 is already one for the history books, and we haven't yet finished writing its story. How shall we look at these cataclysmic events through the eyes of faith? Where is Christ leading us in this moment, and how will we find the strength to follow? The Diocese of Southwest Florida is offering a two-evening online event entitled *Grace in a Year of Trials* to help. The free Zoom event, intended for congregations in the Diocese of Southwest Florida, will discuss the events of 2020 with leading bishops and clergy from across the Episcopal Church. Visit [dioswfl.org](http://dioswfl.org) for more.

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## Save the Dates for Advent Programming

St John's annual Advent program will begin on Monday, November 30. This year we will offer a four-week series based on Dr Amy-Jill Levine's book, *Light of the World*. We will meet via Zoom on Mondays November 30 and December 7, 14, and 21 from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Our St John's clergy members Fr. Michael Cannon, Fr. James Reho, Fr. Don Goodheart, and Deacon Kathleen Moore will each lead a session. Mark your calendar and plan to join us! Details will follow soon.

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## Video Series Continues!

We are presenting a video series featuring our many ministries and the wonderful parishioners, clergy, and staff who make them happen. This week's focuses on our Evangelism ministries. Check it out on our YouTube channel and stay tuned for another video next week! While you're there, subscribe!

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## Outdoor EYC Today!

Each Outdoor EYC is combined (6th through 12th graders) and takes place from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. outside Connelly (Discovery) House. Today we will hold our EYC Halloween Party. Yes, it's technically the day after Halloween, but that won't stop the fun! We are encouraging everyone to dress up in their favorite church-appropriate Halloween costume that can also stand the heat. There will be a costume contest and Halloween themed games. Come for a spooky fun time!

# Prayer Requests

*Your prayers are bid today and throughout the week for:*

Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Dabney, our Diocesan Bishop; the clergy and staff of our parish; Donald, our President; Ronald, our Governor; and Jane, our Mayor;

## **The sick and others for whom our prayers have been specially requested**

Harry Hedges; Baker; Mark Power; Robin Guinee; Jackie Faircloth and family; Bill Craig; Patty; Ansley and family; Nancy Watkins; Ray Olsson; Collin; Lyn Haddad; Tory Stone and family; Astrid Peacock; Jeff LeVines; Sid Stubbs; Clark Wichman; Suzanne; John and Suzanne Crosby; Nancy Adams; Maureen Johnston; Michelle Davidson; Jonathan; Pat; Jerry Denney; Kay Peterson; Allison and Anya; and all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity;

## **The departed**

Tim Guzzle

Barbara Hannaway

Richard Kaloust

Ann Murphey

David Murphey

*Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon them. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

*And we pray also for*

## **Those who celebrate the anniversary of their birth this week**

November 1, Nancy Craig, Minnie Norton, Nelson Spoto, Dave Corey, Sherrie Weekley, Allison Shamblin, Ginny Collier, Anna Marie Stracey

November 2, Carson Eckhard, Sykes Eckhard, Jensen Whittlesey, Jude Whittlesey, Jonathan Maya

November 3, none

November 4, James Few, Gerd Michel, Cynthia Peters

November 5, Johnson Lykes, Joseph Lykes, Vera Farmen, Peter Cannon

November 6, Walker Barnes, Hywel Leonard, Josie Taylor, Gabriel Picone, Bennett Cruse, Matthew Conlee, Andrew Moore

November 7, Evelyn Bowles, Thompson Marston, Braden Simmons

## **Our Companion Diocese in the Dominican Republic**

## **Our Parish Day School**

Pray for St. Alban's, St. Pete Beach; St. Alfred's, Palm Harbor; St. Andrew's, Boca Grande; St. Andrew's, Spring Hill; St. Andrew's, Tampa; St. Anne of Grace, Seminole; St. Anselm's, Lehigh Acres in the Diocesan cycle of prayer;

Pray for the Church of the Province of West Africa and The Most Rev. Dr Jonathan Bau-Bau Bonaparte Hart, Primate & Metropolitan, Church of the Province of West Africa, Archbishop of the Internal province of West Africa and Bishop of Liberia, in the Anglican cycle of prayer;

**The members of our armed forces deployed abroad**, especially Rich, Mike and Jake.

**We pray for healthcare workers, first responders, and all others whose work puts them in danger.** We give thanks for their many sacrifices for the common good. Protect them from injury and illness; renew their wisdom, compassion, and strength.



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