



# ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

IN THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA

Our mission is to proclaim, by word and example,  
the good news of God in Christ, and to build a spiritual community  
forming Christians of all ages through worship, education, and outreach.

## THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Holy Eucharist Rite II - 10:00am

June 26, 2022

### 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.*

## The Rector's Welcome

Welcome to Summertime at Saint John's!

If you are visiting with us, please fill out a visitor's card so I can reach out and welcome you to this flourishing Parish Church in Tampa. Our mission at Saint John's is to make Jesus Christ known, hallowed, and adored in Tampa and beyond. I hope that you will consider joining this growing and vibrant parish.

As we journey through Summertime, or as we call it in the Church, ordinary time, all the staff here at Saint John's are busy planning for an exciting new program year. Starting in the fall we will introduce two new Sunday School classes on Sunday morning, middle school, and high school. We will also introduce Children's Chapel. Your children will begin the service sitting in the church. At the beginning of the Gospel procession, a cross will lead the children out into the Parish Hall to hear a sermon crafted just for them by our youth minister. The children will return to the church at the offertory. When it is time to receive communion, all children, youth, and their Sunday School teachers will receive communion first and head out to Sunday School.

Significant changes are coming to our adult formation on Sunday morning, too! Your clergy will lead exciting and informative classes each Sunday in the Parish Hall. Expect classes on topics like miracles, angels, life after death, and so much more. These engaging and fun interactive classes will happen right after church and give you something to talk about over brunch!

I am very excited about the future at Saint John's, and I hope you are too!

Faithfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Fr. Chris Wood" with a small cross at the end of the name.

The Rev. Christian M. Wood

**VOLUNTARY** *Petit prélude*

Joseph Jongen

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN 518**

*Westminster Abbey*

*The people stand*

**PROPER ACCLAMATION**

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

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

**THE COLLECT FOR PURITY**

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

**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS S278**

William Mathias

**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

**THE LESSON**

1 Kings 19:15-16,19-21

*The people sit*

*Lector* A Reading from the First Book of Kings.

The Lord said to Elijah, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place." So he set out from there, and found Elisha son of Shaphat, who was plowing. There were twelve yoke of oxen ahead of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and threw his mantle over him. He left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, "Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." Then Elijah said to him, "Go back again; for what have I done to you?" He returned from following him, took the yoke of oxen, and slaughtered them; using the equipment from the oxen, he boiled their flesh, and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out and followed Elijah, and became his servant.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord

*People* Thanks be to God

- 1 Preserve me, O God \*  
for in thee have I put my trust.
  - 2 O my soul, thou hast said unto the Lord \*  
Thou art my God, my goods are nothing unto thee.
  - 3 All my delight is upon the saints, that are in the earth \*  
and upon such as excel in virtue.
  - 4 But they that run after another god \*  
shall have great trouble.
  - 5 Their drink-offerings of blood will I not offer \*  
neither make mention of their names within my lips.
  - 6 The Lord himself is the portion of mine inheritance, and of my cup \*  
thou shalt maintain my lot.
  - 7 The lot is fallen unto me in a fair ground \*  
yea, I have a goodly heritage.
  - 8 I will thank the Lord for giving me warning \*  
my reins also chasten me in the night-season.
  - 9 I have set God always before me \*  
for he is on my right hand, therefore I shall not fall.
  - 10 Wherefore my heart was glad, and my glory rejoiced \*  
my flesh also shall rest in hope.
  - 11 For why? thou shalt not leave my soul in hell \*  
neither shalt thou suffer thy Holy One to see corruption.
  - 12 Thou shalt shew me the path of life; in thy presence is the fulness of joy \*  
and at thy right hand there is pleasure for evermore.
- 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

Galatians 5:1,13-25

*Lector* A Reading from the letter of Paul to the Galatians.

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another. Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness,

gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord

*People* Thanks be to God.

**SEQUENCE HYMN 550**

*Cross of Jesus*

*The people stand*

**THE GOSPEL**

Luke 9:51-62

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

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When the days drew near for Jesus to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village. As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." But Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**THE SERMON**

Father Wood

*The people sit*

**THE NICENE CREED** (*standing*)

*Celebrant* We believe in one God,

*All* the Father, the Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,

begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE** *(Form III)*

*The people kneel*

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
*That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;  
*That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons especially Justin, Archbishop of  
Canterbury, Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Dabney, our Bishop, and Douglas,  
our Bishop Coadjutor Elect;  
*That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.*

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
*That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
*That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
*That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to the departed eternal rest.  
*Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;  
*May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others especially those in **hospital, Steve; and  
those in hospice, Norman and Sally.**

For those who have died and in memory of Betty, William and Nancy for whom the  
altar flowers are given today.

*Silence*

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

### CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION

*Deacon* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*All* Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*Celebrant* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

### THE PEACE

*All stand*

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

*People* And also with you.

*The people sit*

### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Offertory Anthem** *And I saw a new heaven*

Edgar Bainton

And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea. And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a great voice out of heaven, saying, behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them and be their God. And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain, for the former things are passed away.

**Hymn 380** *Stanza 3*

*Old 100<sup>th</sup>*

*The people stand*

## **The Great Thanksgiving**    *Eucharistic Prayer A*

*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.

*Celebrant*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*Preface of the Lord's Day*

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

### **Sanctus and Benedictus S130**

Franz Schubert

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

*The people kneel*

*Celebrant*

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.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, 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; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

*Celebrant*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: 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.

And now, as our Savior Christ has 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.

### **THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

### **Fraction Anthem S164**

Franz Schubert

Jesus, Lamb of God: Have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins: Have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer of the world: Give us your peace.

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion at the Lord's Table. If you are not receiving, you are invited to come forward for a blessing (indicated by crossing your arms over your chest). If you have not been baptized, and find yourself drawn to Jesus Christ and life in him, please let one of our clergy know. We would be honored to have a conversation with you about the possibility of baptism, or any other questions. Baptism and life in the Body of Christ is open to all.*

**Please fill in the kneelers at the altar during Communion from the middle out.**

*The Bread and the Cup are given to the communicants with these words*  
The Body (Blood) of our Lord Jesus Christ keep you in everlasting life. [*Amen.*]  
*or with these words*

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven. [*Amen.*]  
The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation. [*Amen.*]

**Communion Motet** *God be in my head*

John Rutter

God be in my head and in my understanding. God be in mine eyes and in my looking. God be in my mouth and in my speaking. God be in mine heart and in my thinking. God be at my end and in my departing.

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL**

*A Priest gives the Blessing*

**THE DISMISSAL** *The Deacon*

*People* Thanks be to God.

*The people stand*

**CLOSING HYMN 541**

*Ora Labora*

**VOLUNTARY** *Paeon*

Herbert Howells

Please leave the church quietly in respect for those who choose to stay for the Voluntary.

**ASSISTING IN THE SERVICES**

**ALTAR GUILD:** 8:00 Jan Williams, Gwyn Schabacker; 10:00 Chris McAdams, Debbie Tozier, Jan Kelley, Sara Stone, Madeleine Tellekamp; **LINENS:** Chris McAdams

**ACOLYTES:** 8:00 Tania Wilkes; 10:00 Declan Kellar, Bennett Cruse, Mason Cruse, Rowan Cruse

**LECTORS:** 8:00 Suzy Lopez; 10:00 Drew Graham, Pam Scruggs, Andrew Brown

**CHALICE BEARERS:** 8:00 Suzy Lopez; 10:00 Pam Scruggs

**USHERS:** 8:00 George Sprenkle, Sandy Rief; 10:00 David Adams, Keith Lindquist, Eric Williams, Bruce Yost, Henry Woodroffe, Cary Brown

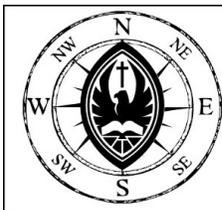
**VERGER:** Tania Wilkes

**The Flowers at the Church Altar** are given to the Glory of God by Gregory Gaar and Tim Andreu in loving memory of Betty Joe Lawley Gaar.

**The Flowers at the Chapel Altar** are given to the Glory of God by Nancy Watkins in thanksgiving for her husband, Robert Watkins.

**The Candle in the Sanctuary Light** is given to the Glory of God by Nicki Weekes in memory of her parents William T. and Nancy D. Warren.





# The Weekly Compass

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

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JUNE 26, 2022

### Worship in St. John's

8:00 a.m. The Holy Eucharist, Rite I, Church

10:00 a.m. The Holy Eucharist, Rite II, in the Church, live on [Facebook](#), on [our website](#), and on [our YouTube channel](#)

### Virtual Ministries and Worship

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

### Group Prayer and Pastoral Care

#### The Holy Eucharist during the Week

The Holy Eucharist is celebrated in the Church at 12:15 p.m. on Wednesdays. A Thursday Healing Service and Eucharist is held at 10:00 a.m. weekly.

#### Evening Prayer

Clergy, staff, and parishioners stream evening prayer daily Monday through Saturday at 4:00 p.m. on [our Facebook page](#), or catch it later in the day.

#### Compline (Night Prayer)

Compline is offered on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 8:30 p.m. by the brothers of the Society of St. John the Evangelist at [www.ssje.org](http://www.ssje.org).

### Small Group Ministries and Classes

#### Wednesday Afternoon Adult Formation: 2:00 p.m.

The group meets on Wednesdays by Zoom from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. Contact the Parish Office at [parish@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:parish@stjohnstampa.org) for more information.

#### Men's Interactive Bible Study and Lunch: 11:45 a.m. on Thursdays

This group meets in the Lowry Room and on Zoom to discuss the readings for each upcoming Sunday. Contact Lanny Russell at [dlrncrtpa@verizon.net](mailto:dlrncrtpa@verizon.net).

#### Contemporary Women's Bible Study: 6:00 p.m. on Tuesdays

CWBS holds a weekly virtual study on Tuesday evenings at 6:00 p.m. Contact Sally Thompson at [tampasal@gmail.com](mailto:tampasal@gmail.com) or 254.3009.

#### Women's Mid Morning Bible Study: 10:00 a.m. on Tuesdays

This group meets on alternate Tuesdays. They are on hiatus until September. Contact Sally Wiley at [wiley48sm@gmail.com](mailto:wiley48sm@gmail.com) or 244.4497.

### Youth and Children's Ministries

EYC meets on Sunday afternoons during the school year. The nursery is open at both services year-round. Children's Sunday School takes place during the 10:00 a.m. service. [Contact Ayana](#) at [agrad@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:agrad@stjohnstampa.org).

### Service Notes

Our Sunday services are the Holy Eucharist (Rite I) at 8:00 a.m. and the Holy Eucharist (Rite II, Rite I on the first Sunday of the month) at 10:00 a.m. The 10:00 a.m. service is streamed live [on Facebook](#) and [on our website](#). It is also on [our YouTube channel](#).

### Sunday Sermons

Sunday sermons are available [on our YouTube channel](#) and from the link in our bio [on Instagram](#).

### Pastoral Care

Please call upon your clergy for pastoral conversations.

**Parish Office:** 259.1570

**Pastoral Emergency Line:**  
813.906.5199

**Fr. Wood:** 917.822.9741

**Deacon Lopez:** 813.493.8337

**Fr. Goodheart:** 321.446.4934

### 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.

You can also give safely by text. In the "To" field of the text message, type 73256. Then in the message, type SJE. You will immediately receive a text back with a link to complete payment.

### Stay in Touch with St. John's!

Not receiving our e-newsletter, *The Weekly Wednesday Scroll*? Contact Lee Lowry at [llowry@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:llowry@stjohnstampa.org). You can also stay in touch by liking [our Facebook page](#) and subscribing to [our YouTube channel](#)!

## **Compass Points**

### **St. John's Rector Institution and Induction Is This Wednesday!**

Wednesday, June 29, at 6:00 p.m. is the Institution and Induction of Fr. Christian Wood, St. John's XVII Rector. This is the feast day of Saints Peter and Paul, and the anniversary of Fr. Wood's ordination to the Priesthood. A reception will follow in the courtyard and Parish Hall. Share our [Facebook event](#) with your friends!

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### **Mobile Phone Numbers Needed**

Youth parents, please update your Realm/ACS profile with their children's cell phone numbers (or send it to Youth Minister Ayana directly at [agrady@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:agrady@stjohnstampa.org)) so we can stay in touch with news about EYC and other fun events and activities!

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### **Summer Sunday School Help Needed**

St. John's Summer Sunday School is here, and we need your help to teach a class! For the summer, we have a "One Room Schoolhouse" format, held in the Parish Hall. As the teacher, you will also be responsible for bringing in an allergy-friendly snack for 10 to 15 people. Summer Sunday School is a fun opportunity for parents to get involved in St. John's Children's Ministry in a meaningful way and to give our dedicated regular teachers some much-needed rest!

All lessons will be available in the Parish Hall organized by date for you to prepare before your Sunday. The sign up link is in the *Weekly Wednesday Scroll*, or contact Children's Minister Ayana Grady at [agrady@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:agrady@stjohnstampa.org).

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### **The St. John's Wedding Guild**

Our clergy is in need of additional volunteers to help in this important ministry. Guild members assist clergy on the Friday and Saturday of wedding weekends, attending both the rehearsal and wedding. Typically, this entails a commitment of about 4 hours once every four months. Guild members work in pairs, and guide the bridal party through the "big day" and help guests and family where needed. Won't you consider joining this fun and joyful ministry? Please contact the parish office at [parish@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:parish@stjohnstampa.org) with any questions.

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### **Sandwich Sunday: Just Two Dates Left to Host!**

We are in need of few more Sandwich Sunday hosts for this year. Hosts can assemble lunches at their own homes, and deliver them to Faith Cafe the next day, or assemble them in the Parish Hall with help from other parishioners. Costs are reimbursed by the parish. Available dates are August 21 and December 18. Contact Cindy Martin at [cdmcasa@gmail.com](mailto:cdmcasa@gmail.com) if you can help!

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### **The Alice Thompson Memorial Scholarship Fund**

St. John's Vestry has established the Alice Thompson Memorial Scholarship Fund to provide partial scholarships for members of the parish to attend our Parish Day School. The fund was started from the bequest of Alice Thompson, who was a member of St. John's and departed this life in 1986. Anyone may contribute, and it is the Vestry's hope that it will be a major source of scholarships for members of the parish to attend our school. If you wish to contribute, make your check to St. John's with the memo "Alice Thompson Scholarship," [or give online on our website](#).

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### **Flower Dedications Available**

Flowers and the candle adorning the Church Altar and the flowers at the Chapel Altar on Sundays and Holy Days are financially supported by individuals and families in memory of departed loved ones or in thanksgiving for blessings received. If you would like to make a memorial or give a gift in thanksgiving, contact us at [parish@stjohnstampa.org](mailto:parish@stjohnstampa.org) or 259.1570. Available flower dates - July 3, Chapel Altar;

# Prayer Requests

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

**All bishops and other ministers:** Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Dabney, our Diocesan Bishop; Douglas, our Bishop Coadjutor Elect; the clergy and staff of our parish.

**Those who govern:** Joseph, our President; Ronald, our Governor; and Jane, our Mayor;

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

Jackie Faircloth and family; Jeff LeVines; Jonathan; Pam and Shailee; Anna, her family and her medical team; Collin; Ray Olsson; Tory Stone and family; Nancy Watkins; Jayce Hicks; Rick LeVarge; Pat LeVarge; Norman Soash; Bill; Ken and Maureen; Steve Fluharty; Martha Bartlett; Mary Jane Schenck; Yvonne and all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity;

**The departed:** Betty Joe Lawley Gaar      William T. Warren      Nancy D. Warren

*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.*

**Our Companion Diocese in the Dominican Republic**

**Our Parish Day School**

**Our Pastoral Care Team**

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

June 26, Addison Belfatti, Carleton Compton, Olivia Gray, Jason Lick, Micky Pickering, Ann Polins, Gracie Schnell

June 27, Luke Corey, Sydney Corey, Steve Fluharty, Joan Gates, Alfredo Gomez-Marti, Suzanne Kirkconnell, Valerie Patmintra, Taylor Spencer, Bruce Yost

June 28, Wright Bereday, Chris Howell, Harriet Okenfus, Ashtan Shelton, Avery Watts

June 29, Billye Harden, Cole Wisdo

June 30, Allison Burden, Colin Campbell, Ryan Killgoar, Alexandra Thompson, Morgan Watson

July 1, Caroline Campbell, D.J. Holt, Frederick Krom

July 2, Joe Arcuri

**The members of our armed forces deployed abroad and their families,** especially Rich, Mike, Jake, Matthew and Winston

**The people and for peace in Ukraine.**

**Health care 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.

**In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** St. Raphael's, Fort Myers Beach; St. Stephen's, New Port Richey; St. Thomas', St. Petersburg; St. Vincent 's, St. Petersburg; St. Wilfred 's, Sarasota; Trinity-by-the-Cove, Naples

**In the Anglican cycle of prayer:** Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan

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## STANDING NOTICES

**VISITORS WHO ARE HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME** are invited to sign the guest register by the courtyard doors in the rear of the church. If you are searching for a church home, or if you have a special need of which you would like us to be aware, please complete one of the ivory pew cards and place it in an alms basin or give it to one of the clergy. Newcomers are also invited to take home with them one of the welcoming bags on the lower shelves of the tables at the back.

**WE WANT TO BE AVAILABLE FOR YOU IN YOUR TIMES OF NEED.** If you have a pastoral emergency when the parish offices are closed, please call 813-906-5199.

**HAVE YOU REMEMBERED GOD IN YOUR WILL?** The rubric on page 445 of the Prayer Book outlines the importance of estate planning and charitable giving. When you prepare your will, please remember the work of God and his Church, and especially the Endowment Fund of Saint John's Church and School. Please also remember the importance of making your funeral wishes known now to your family and clergy. Information to help you do that is available through the parish offices.