

#### Welcome to

# SAINT ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH TAMPA, FLORIDA

# **CHRIST THE KING**

**NOVEMBER 26, 2017** 

May those who sorrow find comfort;

the weary, rest;

the troubled, peace;

the lonely, friends;

the unhappy, joy;

and may all find the sense of God's presence in this Holy Place.

Welcome to Saint Andrew's Church in the city of Tampa. You are sharing in a tradition of worship that has been offered here since 1883, when a wood-frame building was erected on this site as Tampa's first Episcopal Church. The cornerstone of the present church was laid in 1904.

All Visitors and Newcomers are invited to complete the information card, found on the back of the pews, and leave it with an usher or in the offering plate. Please introduce yourselves to the clergy as you leave the church and come to coffee hour in the parish hall after the 10:30 a.m. service.

Each Sunday we celebrate The Holy Eucharist at 8 a.m. (Rite I, said); and at 10:30 a.m. (Rite I on the first Sunday of the month, Rite II on the other Sundays), with choir. Please note that page numbers in the Order of Service refer to The Book of Common Prayer 1979 (red) and that the service music and hymns are to be found in The Hymnal 1982 (blue).

*At Your Service*: Stay warm at Saint Andrews: Borrow a shawl from the basket at the back of the church. Shawl donations also welcomed!

Be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent—for this is the house of God.

Before the service, speak to God.

During the service, let God speak to you.

After the service, speak to one another.

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

The service begins on page 323 in The Book of Common Prayer. The readings may be found on pages 4 - 6 in the service leaflet.

PLEASE SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES.

## Holy Eucharist, Rite II, 10:30 a.m.

Prelude: Suite Médiévale Jean Langlais (1907-1991)

Prélude (Entrée)

#### **Tower Bell**

**Hymn 460** (omit \* stanzas) stand

Hyfrydol

All standing, the Celebrant says

Priest Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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

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.* 

The following is sung, all standing

Glory to God in the highest,

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and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,

almighty God and Father,

we worship you, we give you thanks,

we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take away the sin of the world:

have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father:

receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High,

Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

#### Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.* 

## First Reading (sit)

Ezekiel 34:11-16,20-24

A Reading from the Book of Ezekiel.

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

#### **Psalm 100 -** *sung by the choir to Anglican Chant (Thomas Attwood)*

1 O be joyful in the Lord all ye lands;

serve the Lord with gladness \*

and come before his presence with a song.

2 Be ye sure that the Lord he is God;

it is he that hath made us and not we ourselves; \*

we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

3 O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving \*

and into his courts with praise;

be thankful unto him and speak good of his name.

4 For the Lord is gracious; \*

his mercy is everlasting;

and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

## **Second Reading**

Ephesians 1:15-23

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Diademata

Holy Gospel Matthew 25:31-46

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**Hymn 494** (stanzas 4-5)

Diademata

Sermon

#### **Nicene Creed** (stand)

We believe in one God, 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.

#### **Prayers of the People** (kneel)

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Dabney, our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; *Who put their trust in you*.

For yours is the majesty, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, now and for ever. *Amen*.

#### Confession of Sin

The Priest then says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence.

Minister and People

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.

### The Priest stands and says

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*.

#### Peace (stand)

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

#### **Announcements**

# **Holy Communion**

#### At the Offertory:

Motet Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

Above all praise and all majesty,

And above all majesty.

Lord Thou reignest evermore.

Hymn 380, stanza 3 (stand)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heavenly host:

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## **Great Thanksgiving**

The people remain standing.

*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.

#### The Celebrant proceeds

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

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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 S-129

#### Celebrant and People

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. The Celebrant continues

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.

The Celebrant continues

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*.

The Celebrant then continues

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

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,

for ever and ever. Amen.

## **Breaking of the Bread**

The priest breaks the consecrated bread. A period of silence is kept.

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.* 

The Celebrant says

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.

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

### **Music during Communion:**

Agnus Dei S-163

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:

have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Motet

*Luca Marenzio (1554-1599)* 

O Rex Gloriae, Domine virtutum,

Qui triumphator hodie super omnes caelos ascndisti hodie.

Ne de relinquas nos orphanos,

Sed mite promisum Patris in nos,

Spiritum veritatis, Alleluia.

O King of glory, Lord of all power,

Who ascended to heaven on this day triumphant over all;

Do not leave us as orphans,

But send us the Father's promise,

The spirit of truth.

Alleluia.

**Hymn 382** General Seminary

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.

### **Blessing**

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen*.

Hymn 544 Duke Street

#### Dismissal

*Priest* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude: Suite Médiévale Jean Langlais (1907-1991)

Acclamations (sur le texte des Acclamations Carolingiennes)



The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Luis Chavez & Lauren Treadway

THOSE SERVING TODAY: Sunday, November 26, 2017

Celebrant: 8:00: Fr. Campbell, 10:30: Fr. Reese; Preacher: Fr. Reese

Verger: Piers Curry

**Lay Eucharistic Ministers and Readers:** 

8:00: Anita Ramirez, Linda Stevens

10:30: Wayne Putney, Paula Stewart, Wallace Dixon, Betsy Scheuer

**Ushers:** 

8:00: Charles Caro, Gregg Smith, Wayne Daley, Tony Morrison, Barbara Brotherton

10:30: Marshall Ferrell, Richard Chapman, Warren Brown

Acolytes: Michael Philips, Stella & Ian Curry

**Altar Guild:** 

8:00: Debbie Cantler, Charlotte Henderson 10:30: Leslie Lowe, Jan Smith, Cathy Szuba

## Make a Pledge for 2018

Please return your pledge card for 2018 as soon as possible. If you did not receive a pledge card in the mail, cards are available at the back of the church, in the Parish Hall, or through the parish office (813-221-2035). Make a commitment and support St. Andrew's in the coming year! We have currently received **108** pledges for **\$302,405**.

Please help us reach our goal of \$430,000 in pledges for 2018!

**FAMILY PHOTO DIRECTORY:** Chris Cobb is taking family photographs for our new Parish Directory after the 8:00 and 10:30 services **today, November 26**... This may be your last opportunity! Please meet Chris on the third floor next to the Library and *Say Cheese!* 

# FLORIDA PRO MUSICA Larry Kent, Director

"Renaissance Christmas" Concert Saturday, December 16, 7:00 p.m. Florida Pro Musica's 10-voice a cappella ensemble, directed by Larry

Kent, will perform an intimate candlelight concert in the **Children's Chapel at St. Andrew's**. This 7th annual *Renaissance Christmas* concert will include some familiar songs of the season plus rarely performed masterpieces of the Renaissance by Byrd, Victoria, Gallus, and Guerrero. Join us for an exceptional one-hour concert, followed by a reception to meet the musicians. **Tickets are \$20**, and seating is very limited. Visit <a href="https://www.FloridaProMusica.com">www.FloridaProMusica.com</a> and click on "Buy Tickets."

#### Master Chorale at St. Andrew's

St. Andrew's is honored to host the Master Chorale of Tampa Bay's Morning Star Festival concert on **Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3:00 pm**. The Master Chorale Ensemble Singers will perform the music of J. S. Bach, <u>Felix Mendelssohn</u>, <u>Arvo Pärt</u>, <u>Ola Gjeilo</u>, and Roberto Sierra with music based on the well-known theme, <u>How brightly shines the morning star...</u> The Master Chorale Outreach Choir will join in with a "mini Messiah" sing-along to top both these spiritually inspired concerts conducted by Doreen Rao as a preview of the larger Messiah performances later in December with The Florida Orchestra.

Like the Morning Star traditions worldwide, the celebratory concerts represent many musical stars in multiple traditions and cultures, from Bach to the Baltic's. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$15 for students (with ID). Adult tickets may be purchased at the door or online at <a href="https://www.masterchorale.com">www.masterchorale.com</a>. Student tickets are only available at the door.

## Saint Andrew's to continue its tradition of Nine Lessons and Carols for Christmas

Every year more churches throughout the United States are discovering the beauty of the simple traditional English service of "Nine Lessons and Carols." The structure of the service is as simple as the title: nine passages of Scripture are followed by nine carols. But the content of those readings and the traditional way of conducting the service have become very meaningful to many congregations. The service has a profound dignity and simplicity. The lessons are each read by a different reader; the readers are representative of different age groups and roles within the church (child chorister, congregation member, Vestry person, priest, etc.) After each lesson, the congregation and/or choir sing a carol or anthem reflecting on that passage of Scripture. This service was first sung in 1880 in Truro, England, and has since been adapted and used by other churches all over the world.

Come join the Louise Lykes Ferguson Memorial Choir in celebrating this centuries-old tradition of Christmas which is enjoying a Renaissance in North America, followed by a festive Christmas Party with food and drink for all. Music by William Mathias, Boris Ord, Ralph Vaughan Williams, Otto Goldschmidtt, Franz Biebl, Tomas Luis de Victoria, Eric Whitacre, and Johann Sebastian Bach. **Sunday, December 17**<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm with the annual Christmas Party immediately following in the Parish Hall.

**BIRTHDAYS:** Joan Jennewein, Lem Bell, David Epp, Win Liggett, Mark Crofoot, Joanne Baldy, Patrick Allman, Bill Curtis, Charlotte Parkes, Stella Thayer, Ed Bourdeau **ANNIVERSARIES:** James & Joan Jennewein

# **Adult Christian Education**

#### When Did God Become a Christian?

## Knowing God through the Old and New Testaments

The God of the Old Testament and the God of the New Testament is the same God, right? Then why does God seem so different depending upon which part of the Bible you read? Christians have struggled with this question throughout history. This six-week study, led by the Rector and based on a book by David Kalas, helps you explore the unity of the Scripture, biblical history, and the two primary attributes of God: love and holiness. You'll come away with a better understanding of the nature and integrity of God, leading you to love, worship, and trust God even more. Perfect for Christians in all stages of spiritual maturity.

11/26 Different People, Same God

### A Christmas Carol Bible Study

Around the world, two Christmas stories are most beloved. The first is the birth of Jesus Christ. And the second is Charles' Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*. Come join us for this four-week video series featuring scenes from the rarely seen 1935 film version. Each week we will watch about 15 minutes of the movie, then have Bible study and discussion.

#### Here is the line-up:

12/3 – Scrooge: Bah Humbug!

12/10 - Marley and the Ghost of Christmas Past: A Past of Regret

12/17 – The Ghost of Christmas Present: A Present Repentance

12/24 – The Ghost of Christmas Future: The Salvation of Scrooge

These classes, facilitated by the Rector, meet in Room 302 (the Library) on the third floor of the Parish Building.

**Thursday morning Bible Study** at 10:30 a.m. We are examining Galatians using N.T. Wright's guide which can be purchased in the office for \$7.00. "Paul's project, he often says, is building -- not building with bricks and mortar but rather with people. He lays the foundation with the shockingly good news of one true God who raised Jesus from the dead, in order to build a new family with no divisions, all of whom can call God Father. In a world of widespread ethnic rivalry and trenchant divisiveness, Paul's strong corrective message in Galatians demands to be heard and reheard. In these studies, we hear once again what remains shockingly good news." Join us! *This class, led by Alice Prucha, meets in the library*.

**OUTREACH NEWS:** Thank you to all our parishioners who filled our *Thanksgiving Boxes of Hope* for Metropolitan Ministries! Many hands made quick work on our *Turkey Pack* day to box and transport 385 lbs. of canned and dry goods, 2 turkeys, and \$875 to the Metropolitan Ministries tent. We also packed an additional 200 KleanKits for

distribution to our homeless community in the new year to come.

Our annual *St. Andrew's Fish Fry* will be on **Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>** after the 10:30 service. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children with proceeds benefitting *Gabriel's Giving Tree*.

Gabriel's Giving Tree supports needy children from Cleveland and BC Graham Elementary Schools. Parishioners can select their child/children by picking tags that list the child's clothing and shoes

sizes, plus a special "wish" gift. "Hand-tags" are available now (and are going fast!) on our "Giving Tree" in the Parish Hall. If your shopping time is limited, ask about our "Elf" option when you visit the tree. All gifts should be brought in to the church by Sunday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>. Donations are also greatly appreciated in either cash or checks made out to "St. Andrew's Episcopal Church" with

"Gabriel's Giving Tree" in the memo line. Gifts donated by our generous parishioners will be given to the children at the Gabriel's Giving Tree Party on Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup> from 12-2pm in the Parish Hall.

Our final Outreach Meeting for the year will be on December 10<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 service.

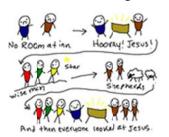
WHAT: Santa Fest 2017

WHEN: Saturday, December 2 from 8 a.m.—noon

WHO: Anyone who wants to have some fun and help us raise

funds for children's & youth ministries! **WHERE:** St. Andrew's Parking Lot

**WHY:** To raise funds for children's & youth ministries while we connect with the community and have a blast together!



**WHAT:** Christmas Pageant Rehearsals

**WHEN:** We will have practice every Sunday from 9:30 a.m.-10:15 a.m. and a final dress rehearsal on **December 16** from 10:00am-noon. The Christmas Pageant Service will take place on **Sunday, December 17** during the 10:30 service.

**WHO:** Children & Youth Birth-12th Grade who want to participate in telling the Christmas Story this year

WHY: To tell the story of Christmas and share joy, hope & peace!

#### THOSE FOR WHOM PRAYERS HAVE BEEN ESPECIALLY REQUESTED:

Melissa, Jeffrey Esposito, Jennifer Barry, Mark Caro, Roz Cole, Jeffrey Greenacre, Sarah Hudson, Sgt. Billy Gudzak, Trey, Velma Moore, Barbara Moore, Luis & Martha Medel, Bob & Wanda Mitchell, Anne Garrison, Mignon Grant-Levy, Louise Smith, Mary Mitchell, Lela Mitchell, McKinley Williams, Richard Mitchell, Kelvin Ford, Brianna Ford, Bryan Johnson, Jeffrey Mitchell, Henry Brown, Jo Apthorp, Everett Morris, John Miles, Fr. Denniston Kerr, Ed Moore, Lelia Mizer, Ted Mackin, Raymon Lacy, Michael Norona, Quaid Mobus, Rev. Winston Joseph, Ron May, Charlene Maxwell, Rusty Hill, Joy Fisher, Bridget Maxwell, Vicki Osborne, Rev. William H. Grason, Ebbie Bailey, Bettye J. Kirkland, Jackie Faircloth, Ainsley Perkins, Marc & Annie Mitchell, Herbert Wellons, Rose Ann Mayer, Becky Tomlinson, Gloria Buitrago, Charlie Blankenship, Scott Sieben, Helen Martin, Nancy Bennett, Chase Silver, Randy Stevens, Arnold, Jennie Cusmano Martin, Bob Kusek, Kate, William, Susan Dawson, Bill & Allison, Michael Scholer, Bo, Johnny, Michelle, Nikkie, David, Joan Hoppe, Hank, Salley and Jack Suske, Jack Levy, Erica Griffiths, Dan Clemmons, Cailin Cannella's family, Kathleen Dugan, Dale Dubin, Ross Dickerson, Brian Kellett, Charles Garrison, Cynthia Swann Haase, Nancy Huttonlock, John Kancz, Jason Goodloe, Arlyn Omila, Peter Erickson, Thomas Pruiett, Ashley Tucker Branch, Rosemary Huskey, Alexander Hill, Olevia Rogers, Emily Rogers, Gordon, Nell Rorebeck, Judy Harris, Robin Kennedy, Allen Arthur, Carlton Hart, the Proctor family, Rosemary Graf, Tangela Sailes, Virginia Sink, Mike Scholer (We are happy to include all prayer requests. Names will remain on the list for four weeks, Please call Kathy in the church office if you desire a name to remain on after four weeks or to be removed sooner.)

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER: Pray for the Church in Virginia

PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER: Christian Education, Buildings & Grounds Committee DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER: Diocese of Southwest Florida; Companion Dioceses of the Dominican Republic, South Carolina, Georgia, and Western Louisiana; St. John the Divine, Ruskin; St. John's, Brooksville; St. John's, Clearwater; St. John's, Naples; St. John's, Tampa; St. John's, Pine Island



Prayer Request Cards are available at the back of the church or call 813- 933-1052 or email ej\_smith@usa.net. for prayers by the Daughters of the King

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Sunday Service Schedule: Holy Eucharist at 8 and 10:30 a.m.

The Rt. Rev. Dr. Dabney T. Smith, V Bishop of Southwest Florida
The Rev. John Reese, Rector
The Rev. Ralph M. Campbell II, Assisting Priest
Dr. Haig Mardirosian, Organist
Dr. Rodney Shores, Choirmaster
Maggie Coleman, Musical Program Director
Dr. Bienvenido Yangco, 8:00 a.m. Musician
Pamela Frost, Parish Administrator

Kathleen Good Jenkins, Administrative Assistant
Alicia Schmid, Director of Children's and Youth Ministries
Richard Connar, Sexton

#### Vestry

Class of 2018: Beverley Brown; Jeffrey Coleman, Senior Warden; Loueita Hargens, Clerk; George Levy, Junior Warden; Irene Baker Class of 2019: Chris Capsambelis; Holly Clemmons, Allen Getz, Cate Hammer, Jim Morgan

Class of 2020: Gary Cotter, Treasurer; Richard Ferlita; Brad Hall; Paula Stewart, Lori Taplow

In the name of Christ, we the people of Saint Andrew's Episcopal Church, in response to God's call, proclaim our belief that Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior, and thereby declare our purpose to be to glorify God through our worship and work, to serve the spiritual and temporal needs of others as Christ's disciples, and to build a lively, growing community in Christ's image.