

# St. Augustine of Canterbury Episcopal Church

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Fourth Sunday of Easter  
May 11, 2025

“Jesus said, ‘My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me; and I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish.’”

John 10:27-28a (RSV)

***Welcome to St. Augustine's***

*A special welcome to those who are visiting via our on-line service. We welcome the addition of your praise and thanks to God this day. If you are seeking a church home, you are welcome here.*

*In the Episcopal Church, all baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion.*

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Celebrant and Preacher ..... The Rev. Canon Douglas Renegar

Assisting..... Dea. Chris Gregory

Director of Music .....Matt Henderson

Church Accompanist..... Sharon Lewis

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Acolyte.....Donna Knowles

Scripture Reader..... John Donnelly

Intercessor ..... Joan Donnelly

Ushers ..... Jerry Eubank and Johnetta George

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# ST. AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

## THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

PRELUDE

*In Christ Alone*

Sharon Lewis, Church Accompanist

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OPENING HYMN

*Good Christians all, rejoice and sing!*

HYMN No. 205

- 1 Good Christians all, rejoice and sing! Now is the triumph of our King! To all the world glad news we bring: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 3 Praise we in songs of victory that love, that life which cannot die, and sing with hearts uplifted high: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 4 Your Name we bless, O risen Lord, and sing today with one accord the life laid down, the life restored: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
- 5 To God the Father, God the Son, to God the Spirit, always One, we sing for life in us begun: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Words: Cyril A. Alington (1872-1955), alt. St. 5, Norman Mealy (b. 1923) Music: *Gelobt sei Gott*, Melchior Vulpius (1560?-1616)

## THE WORD OF GOD

*Priest* Blessed be God, ✠ Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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

*Priest* 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 GLORIA

HYMN No.S-280

*All* **Glory to God in the highest, 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.**

Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932), rev.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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*Priest* The Lord be with you.

**People** And also with you.

*Priest* Let us pray.

*Priest* O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## THE LESSONS

### THE FIRST LESSON

*Acts 9:36-43*

*Reader* A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, "Please come to us without delay." So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, "Tabitha, get up." Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

**People** Thanks be to God.

### THE PSALM

Psalm 23

*Dominus regit me*

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*Reader* Please read today's Psalm responsively by whole verse.

- 1 The LORD is my shepherd; \*  
I shall not be in want.
- 2 **He makes me lie down in green pastures \*  
and leads me beside still waters.**
- 3 He revives my soul \*  
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
- 4 **Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; \*  
for you are with me;  
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.**
- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; \*  
you have anointed my head with oil,  
and my cup is running over.
- 6 **Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, \*  
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.**

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

**THE EPISTLE**

*Revelation 7:9-17*

*Reader*    A reading from the Revelation of John.

I 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."

*Reader*    Hear what the spirit is saying to God's people

**People**    **Thanks be to God.**

**THE GRADUAL**

*Savior, like a shepherd lead us*

HYMN NO. 708

1    Savior, like a shepherd lead us; much we need thy tender care; in thy pleasant pastures feed us; for our use thy folds prepare. Blessed Jesus! Blessed Jesus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.

**THE GOSPEL**

*John 10:22-*

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*Deacon*    ☒ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus according to John.

**People**    **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly." Jesus answered, "I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

#### THE GRADUAL

*Savior, like a shepherd lead us*

HYMN NO. 708

2 Early let us seek thy favor, early let us learn thy will; do thou, Lord, our only Savior, with thy love our bosoms fill. Blessed Jesus! Blessed Jesus! Thou hast loved us: love us still.

Words: *Hymns for the Young*, ca. 1830, alt. Music: *Sicilian Mariners*, Sicilian Melody, from *The European Magazine and London Review*, 1792

#### THE HOMILY

The Rev. Canon Douglas Renegar

#### THE NICENE CREED

*Priest* Let us stand and affirm our faith saying together the Nicene Creed:

*People* **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.**

*The Intercessor and People pray responsively.*

*Intercessor* Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

*Intercessor* Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world: We pray especially for Sean our Presiding Bishop, Daniel our Bishop, Chris our Deacon, The Rev. Canon Douglas Renegar our guest priest and for all bishops and other ministers.

*Silence*

*Intercessor* Lord, in your mercy

**People** **Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good: We pray especially for Donald our President, Henry our Governor, and Teddy our Mayor.

*Silence*

*Intercessor* Lord, in your mercy

**People** **Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

*Silence*

*Intercessor* Lord, in your mercy

**People** **Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

*Silence*

*Intercessor* Lord, in your mercy

**People** **Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

*Silence*

*Intercessor* Lord, in your mercy

**People** **Hear our prayer.**

*Intercessor* We commend to your mercy all who have died ☩, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence*

*Intercessor* Lord, in your mercy

**People** **Hear our prayer.**

*Priest* Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## THE CONFESSION

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

*Silence*

*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.**

*Priest* 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

*Priest* The peace of God be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

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

*After exchanging the peace, the Minister may offer this or some other suitable offertory sentence.*

*Priest* Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. *Romans 12:12-13*

## OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*Psalm 23*

St. Augustine's Music Team

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## THE DOXOLOGY

*From All that Dwell Below the Skies*

HYMN No. 380 v. 3

*All* **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), para. of Psalm 117. St. 3, Thomas Ken (1637-1711) Music: *Old 100<sup>th</sup>*, melody from *Pseaumes octante trois de David*, 1551, alt.; harm. after Louis Bourgeois (1510-1561)

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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*Priest* The Lord be with you,



**People** And also with you.  
**Priest** Lift up your hearts.  
**People** We lift them to the Lord.  
**Priest** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**People** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

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

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your son 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,

#### THE SANCTUS

HYMN NO. S-129

**All** 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.

Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

*The bells are rung*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

*At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or to 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.*

On the night before he died for us, 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."

*The bells are rung*

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."

*The bells are rung*

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**All We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

*The Celebrant continues*

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified ☩ by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the blessed Virgin Mary, patriarchs, prophets, apostles, St. Augustine of Canterbury, and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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.**

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

**People 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, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

*Priest* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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**People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*A short silence is kept and then the Fraction Hymn is sung by all.*

**THE FRACTION**

**HYMN No. S-161**

**All 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.**

**We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table.**

**But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. AMEN.**

*Priest* 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.

*The clergy receive communion. Then, at the direction of the ushers, the people will come forward to receive communion or a blessing. We will use the full altar platform. The clergy will place the host in your hands. You may consume the host and then drink from the Chalice (guide the chalice to you). Or, receive the host and when the Chalice is brought to you, please dip your host into the wine and consume your host (please do not touch the chalice when intincting). Gluten-free hosts are available.*

### COMMUNION SONG

*What Wondrous Love Is This*

- 1 What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul! What wondrous love is this, O my soul! What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul, to bear the dreadful curse for my soul.
- 2 When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down, when I was sinking down, sinking down, when I was sinking down beneath God's righteous frown, Christ laid aside His crown for my soul, for my soul, Christ laid aside His crown for my soul.
- 3 To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing; To God and to the Lamb I will sing. To God and to the Lamb who is the Great "I Am," while millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing, while millions join the theme, I will sing.
- 4 And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on; And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on. And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be, and thro' eternity, I'll sing on, I'll sing on, and thro' eternity, I'll sing on.

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### COMMUNION SONG

*Living Waters*

- 1 Are you thirsty? Are you empty? Come and drink these living waters. Tired and broken, peace unspoken, rest beside these living waters.
  - 2 Christ is calling, find refreshing at the cross of living waters. Lay your life down, all the old gone, rise up in these living waters.
- Chorus* There's a river that flows with mercy and love, bringing joy to the city of our God; There our hope is secure, do not fear anymore, praise the Lord of living waters.
- 3 Spirit moving, mercy washing; Healing in these living waters. Lead your children to the shoreline, life is in these living waters.

- 4 Are you thirsty? Are you empty? Come and drink these living waters. Love, forgiveness, vast and boundless, Christ, He is our living waters.

## POST COMMUNION PRAYER

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*Priest* Let us pray.

*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 of Kits will occur only if visitations are scheduled this week.)*

*Deacon* Those doing Eucharistic Visitations please come forward at this time.  
*(Kit is given to each visitor)*

*All* **We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup. In the name of St. Augustine of Canterbury's church family, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. Amen.**

*(Eucharistic Visitors may leave immediately or return to seats)*

## A COLLECT FOR THE MINISTRY

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O God, you led your holy apostles to ordain ministers in every place: Grant that your Church, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, may choose suitable persons for the ministry of Word and Sacrament, and may uphold them in their work for the extension of your kingdom; through him who is the Shepherd and Bishop of our souls, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## THE BLESSING

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

## CLOSING SONG

*Majesty*

Majesty, worship His majesty. Unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise. Majesty, kingdom authority. Flow from His throne unto His own, His anthem raise.

So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus. Magnify, come glorify, Christ Jesus the King. Majesty, worship His majesty. Jesus who died, now glorified, king of all kings.

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## THE DISMISSAL

*Deacon* Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

*People* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## POSTLUDE

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WELCOME THE REV. CANON DOUGLAS RENEGAR

Today, we are happy to welcome back The Rev. Canon Douglas Renegar as our Celebrant and Preacher.

### PASTORAL CARE

Pastoral Care is available. Monday through Friday please contact the office. After hours emergencies, please call Dea. Chris at (803) 716-8641.

### RIDE SHARE PROGRAM

St. Augustine's is working to provide for the transportation needs within our congregation for shut ins. We will be coordinating a new Ride Share Program to meet this need. This will be a great opportunity to "Be The Church" to our fellow members who would be able to provide rides to and from Church for Sunday service and/or special events. Please call the church office 803.641.1913 or email [staugustines@atlanticbbn.net](mailto:staugustines@atlanticbbn.net) if you need transportation or can provide transportation.

### CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE READING PLAN WITH GINNY HESS AND SHARON LEWIS

A new monthly Bible study group has started to support each other in reading the Bible through in 2025. We will be following a chronological Bible reading plan and here is the link to find it:

[https://www.joniandfriends.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Radio\\_Bible-Reading-Plan\\_0-19.pdf](https://www.joniandfriends.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Radio_Bible-Reading-Plan_0-19.pdf)

Our meetings will be held on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month at 1 PM. This

group is open to all. You don't have to have completed all the readings, or any of the readings. Just come as you are, with an open mind, eager to learn, be curious, and explore together.

All questions can be directed to Sharon Lewis at 207-671-2515. If you would like to be put on our email list to be reminded of each meeting, please let Sharon know.

### **QUARTERLY OUTREACH**

Our Second Quarter Outreach partner is the Salvation Army of Aiken. Captain Kevin Good will visit on May 18, 2025 to discuss The Salvation Army and how items are used.

Please help fill the pews with canned and non-perishable foods, paper products to include three compartment to-go containers (they use 150 per week), hygiene items such as shampoo, soap, toothpaste, etc. Also pillows, towels, washcloths, laundry detergent and Dawn for dishes. Thank you.

### **MAY LADIES LUNCHEON**

For the month of May, you are cordially invited to the home of Patty Walker on the 16th. Lunch will start at 12 noon and go until....? Patty will provide the main course and all the drinks. Please bring a side dish or a dessert to share.

We are continuing to use electronic registration for the event. Feedback is requested by May 14. Additionally, if you don't live in Woodside, Patty will need your cell phone so she can send you a pass. Contact Patty at 908-399-0838.

### **SOUP KITCHEN**

The soup kitchen ministry is scheduled for May 31, 2025 at St. Thaddeus on Pendleton Street. If you are able to help, please arrive promptly at 9:00 AM. Contact Marilyn Busch, who is lead on this ministry, at 803-292-7523. This is a very rewarding experience.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesdays	Men's Breakfast, 8:30 AM, Metro Diner
Wednesdays	Evening Prayer 5:30 PM, Mary Chapel
Thursdays	Morning Prayer 10:00 AM starting May 8th
May 16	Ladies Luncheon at Patty's, Noon
May 22, June 12	Reading the Bible through 2025, 1:00 PM
May 31	Soup Kitchen at St. Thaddeus, 9 AM

### FELLOWSHIP

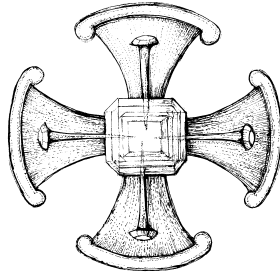
<i>Today</i>	<i>Lorraine Morgan</i>
May 18	Fellowship Committee
May 25	Raina Knudsen
June 1	Ginny Hess

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Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of family members  
who have passed on by Peggy Williams.

*Be the Church*





*Please join us in the fellowship hall for a coffee break following announcements.*



# PRAYERS OF OUR COMMUNITY MAY 11, 2025

## We remember these people in prayer:

Residents & Staff of Silver Bluff Grove  
Residents & Staff of Barclay House  
Bob Bradford  
Benjamin Williams  
Gavin  
Danny Walker  
Elder Family  
Sue Thielemann-Freschi  
Julia  
Eddie George  
Donavan  
Maddie  
Cheryl  
Elizabeth  
Joshua  
Cheryl Mehta  
Danny  
Berardina Centofanti  
Dawna Marinosci  
Anthony DeStefano  
James Coleman  
Anna Winch  
Nancy Perrino  
Isabel Jackson  
Kaila  
William "Woody"  
Miskelly  
Bryan  
Chris Beechler  
Jim Keenan  
Craig Smith  
Victims of Domestic  
Abuse  
Carol Aquino  
Deacon Chris  
Lucas DiSano  
Fr. Dale  
Jim Marquis  
Carl Walker  
Joan Sadler  
Dee Martins  
Bob Rothe

Tamara Myslyk  
John Jenkinson  
Giuliana Centofanti  
David Sacks  
Becca Kitchens  
Gavin Visser  
Bradley Weidner  
Siva Aiken  
Tom Meehan  
Kelly M. Raymond  
Janet Pariseau  
Martha Ann Chalupa  
Ginny Hess  
Kathy Cook  
Scott Petit  
Jackie Hallman  
Anne Philpot  
Regenia Flowers  
Valerie Williams  
Beth Lenz  
Sarah Myers  
Jack Sadler  
Peggy Williams

**Please contact the Church**  
· **To add a name to the perpetual prayer list**  
· **To remove a name when prayers have been answered**  
· **To add names to other lists on this page or to make corrections**

## We pray for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed:

1 Bridget Doyle  
1 George Page  
2 Jeff Van Sickle  
4 Rosetta Cockerill  
4 James Forest  
7 George William (Bill) Skiff  
9 Janice Strickland  
9 Rev. Rhett Winters  
9 Jamie Knudsen  
10 Jimmy Worrall  
11 Duncan Baker  
11 Lucy Baker  
16 Oliver Mofit  
17 Diane Brunson  
18 George Betsy  
18 Donna Gibbs  
21 Celeste Worrall  
23 Smokey Brooks  
24 Bob Wormely  
26 Julie Ravencroft  
26 Trish Wilkins  
27 Bill Crenshaw  
31 James E. Burgoyne, Sr

## We pray for those celebrating birthdays:

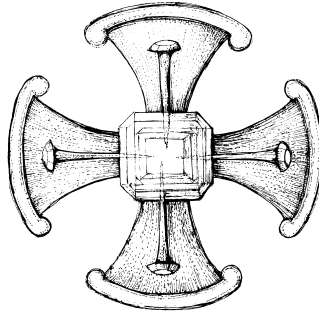
16 Daria Carney  
17 Terry Girdauskas  
22 Kathy Cook  
28 Ainsley Jones  
29 Doris Briggs  
30 Linda Klitzke

## We pray for those celebrating anniversaries:

14 Jim and Sherry Moor  
15 James and Peggy Denny  
28 Jerry and Charlene Eubank

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**WEEKLY WORSHIP AND STUDY SCHEDULE**



Sunday	7:45 a.m.	Morning Prayer
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	Evening Prayer
Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer

**WELCOME NEWCOMERS**

We welcome all newcomers to St. Augustine of Canterbury! We greet our visitors when on campus. You will find warm and friendly faces are present to answer your questions and help you to feel welcome. They can respond to any questions you may have about our church. We can also assist you in getting further involved in the church by connecting you with the right people in the area in which you are interested, such as Outreach, Music, Fellowship, Christian Education, and other ministries.