

St. Augustine of Canterbury Episcopal Church

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The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
July 13, 2025

He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Luke 10:37 (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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THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

PRELUDE

Let Us Break Bread Together

Sharon Lewis, Church Accompanist

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OPENING SONG

I Want To Walk As A Child Of The Light

- 1 I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus. God sent the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus.

Refrain In Him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike. The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus

- 2 I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus. Clear sun of righteousness, shine on my path, and show me the way to the Father.
- 3 I'm looking for the coming of Christ. I want to be with Jesus. When we have run with patience the race, we shall know the joy of Jesus.

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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, glory to God, glory to God in the highest; glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God's people on earth.**

Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest; glory to God, glory to God, and peace to God's people on earth.

Setting: With One Voice

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP p.231

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Priest Let us pray.

Priest O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE LESSONS

THE FIRST LESSON

Amos 7:7-17

Reader A reading from the book of the prophet Amos.

This is what the Lord God showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. And the LORD said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said,

"See, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by;
the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate,
and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste,
and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword."

Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, "Amos has conspired against you in the very center of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words. For thus Amos has said,

'Jeroboam shall die by the sword,
and Israel must go into exile
away from his land.'

And Amaziah said to Amos, "O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom."

Then Amos answered Amaziah, "I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycamore trees, and the LORD took me from following the flock, and the LORD said to me, 'Go, prophesy to my people Israel.'

"Now therefore hear the word of the LORD.

You say, 'Do not prophesy against Israel,
and do not preach against the house of Isaac.'

Therefore thus says the LORD:

'Your wife shall become a prostitute in the city,
and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword,
and your land shall be parceled out by line;
you yourself shall die in an unclean land,
and Israel shall surely go into exile away from its land.'

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

THE PSALM Psalm 82 *Deus stetit* BCP p.705

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

- 1 God takes his stand in the council of heaven; *
he gives judgment in the midst of the gods:
- 2 **"How long will you judge unjustly, *
and show favor to the wicked?"**
- 3 Save the weak and the orphan; *
defend the humble and needy;
- 4 **Rescue the weak and the poor; *
deliver them from the power of the wicked.**
- 5 They do not know, neither do they understand;
they go about in darkness; *
all the foundations of the earth are shaken.
- 6 **Now I say to you, 'You are gods, *
and all of you children of the Most High;**
- 7 Nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, *
and fall like any prince."
- 8 **Arise, O God, and rule the earth, *
for you shall take all nations for your own.**

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 *Colossians 1:1-14*

Reader A reading from St. Paul's letter to the Colossians.

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,
To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae:
Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

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

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE GRADUAL

O for a thousand tongues to sing

HYMN NO.493

- 1 O for a thousand tongues to sing my dear Redeemer's praise, the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!
- 2 My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim and spread through all the earth abroad the honors of thy Name.
- 3 Jesus! The Name that charms our fears and bids our sorrows cease; 'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.

THE GOSPEL

Luke 10:25-37

Priest ☒ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus according to Luke.

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

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead.

Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you

think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

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

THE GRADUAL

O for a thousand tongues to sing

HYMN No.493

- 4 He speaks; and, listening to his voice, new life the dead receive, the mournful broken hearts rejoice, the humble poor believe.
- 5 Hear him, ye deaf; ye voiceless ones, your loosened tongues employ; ye blind, behold, your Savior comes; and leap, ye lame, for joy!
- 6 Glory to God and praise and love be now and ever given by saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heaven.

Word: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt. Music: *Azmon*, Carl Gotthilf Glaser (1784-1829); adapt. and arr. Lowell Mason (1792-1872)

THE HOMILY

The Rev. Sr. Ellen Francis

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Form IV

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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. Sr. Ellen Francis, 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.**

Priest 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

Jesu, Jesu

St. Augustine's Music Team

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THE DOXOLOGY

From All that Dwell Below the Skies

HYMN No. 380 v.

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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 100th*, 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.

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

HYMN NO. S-130

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

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. ✠ Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Setting: from *Deutsche Messe*, Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b.1937)

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.**

Setting: Robert Powell (b. 1932)

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

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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

Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer

- 1 Jesus, draw me ever nearer as I labor through the storm. You have called me to this passage, and I'll follow though I'm worn. May this journey bring a blessing, may I rise on wings of faith and at the end of my heart's testing with Your likeness let me wake.
- 2 Jesus guide me through the tempest, keep my spirit staid and sure. When the midnight meets the morning let me love You even more. May this journey bring a blessing, may I rise on wings of faith and at the end of my heart's testing with Your likeness let me wake.
- 3 Let the treasures of the trial form with in me as I go. And at the end of this long passage, let me leave them at Your throne. May this journey bring a blessing, may I rise on wings of faith and at the end of my heart's testing with Your likeness let me wake.

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COMMUNION SONG

Peace Is Flowing Like A River

- 1 Peace is flowing like a river, flowing out of you and me. Spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.
- 2 Love is flowing like a river, flowing out of you and me. Spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.
- 3 Joy is flowing like a river, flowing out of you and me. Spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.
- 4 Faith is flowing like a river, flowing out of you and me. Spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.
- 5 Hope is flowing like a river, flowing out of you and me. Spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.
- 6 Peace is flowing like a river, flowing out of you and me. Spreading out into the desert, setting all the captives free.

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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.**

CLOSING SONG

Just A Closer Walk With Thee

- 1 I am weak but Thou art strong; Jesus, keep me from all wrong; I'll be satisfied as long as I walk, let me walk close to Thee.

Chorus Just a closer walk with Thee, grant it, Jesus, is my plea, daily walking close to Thee, let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

- 2 Through this world of toil and snares, if I falter, Lord, who cares? Who with me my burden shares? None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee.
- 3 When my feeble life is o'er, time for me will be no more; guide me gently, safely o'er to Thy kingdom shore to Thy shore.

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Please be seated for the announcements.

THE DISMISSAL

Priest Alleluia, alleluia. 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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On the cover Today's cover is *Parable of the Good Samaritan* by Balthasar van Cortbemde (1647). It is located at the Royal Museum of Fine Arts in Antwerp, Belgium.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME THE REV. SISTER ELLEN FRANCIS

Today, we are happy to welcome The Rev. Sister Ellen Francis from the Order of St. Helena, 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.

QUARTERLY OUTREACH

Our Third Quarter Outreach Partner is Aiken Senior Life Services (ASLS), Meals on Wheels. We are looking to assist them with monetary donations to support this effort. In addition, their clients needs are: Box fans (several), pull up disposable underwear (sizes L& XL), Kleenex and paper towels, hand soap and laundry detergent, nonperishable foods (canned goods, tuna, peanut butter and jelly, veggies).

SPECIAL COLLECTION—JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

School starts early these days, July 26, 2025. Jefferson Elementary is in need of backpacks and school supplies. All donations are needed at St. Augustine **by July 20** and will be delivered promptly to the school. Thank you for understanding and donating.

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

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.

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 if you need transportation or can provide transportation.

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 (will resume in the fall)
July 24, August 12	Reading the Bible through 2025, 1:00 PM
July 18	Ladies Luncheon is cancelled this month.
August 3	The Executive Director of ASLS, Aimee Hanna will speak after the 10:00 AM service.

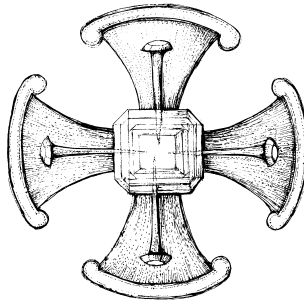
FELLOWSHIP

<i>Today</i>	<i>Margaret Kopp</i>
July 20	Joan Donnelly
July 27	Lexie Russell
August 3	Flo Hechtel

Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God and In Memory of Clementine Testa
by Mike and Ginny Hess.

Be the Church

***Please join us in the Fellowship
Hall for coffee break
following announcements***





PRAYERS OF OUR COMMUNITY JULY 13, 2025

We remember these people in prayer:

Residents & Staff of Silver Bluff Grove
Residents & Staff of Barclay House
Bob Bradford
Benjamin Williams Becca Kitchens
Danny Walker Gavin Visser
Elder Family Bradley Weidner
Sue Thielemann-Freschi Tom Meehan
Julia Kelly M. Raymond
Eddie George Janet Pariseau
Donavan Martha Ann Chalupa
Maddie Ginny Hess
Cheryl Kathy Cook
Elizabeth Scott Petit
Joshua Jackie Hallman
Cheryl Mehta Anne Philpot
Danny Regenia Flowers
Berardina Centofanti Valerie Williams
Dawna Marinosci Beth Lenz
Anthony DeStefano Sarah Myers
James Coleman Donna (Kooy) Bragg
Anna Winch Mark & Kristi
Nancy Perrino Beverly Boyd
Isabel Jackson Melissa Toner
Kaila
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

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

1 Robert Howard	21 Elizabeth Boyle
2 Charlie Newton	21 Louise C. Hickman
4 Clifford Hess	23 Sandra Skiff
5 Larry Thomas	24 Arthur I. McHenry
6 Sherie M. Stone	25 Eleanor Linch
7 Harry Nadal	27 Billy Crouch
8 Florence Cook	30 Mike Burns
9 Jack Butler	31 Sheila Cochran
9 Patricia Dawson	31 Mike Long
10 Wade Smith	
13 Clementine Testa	
15 Stephanie Gunnels	
16 Beulah Perry	
16 Joseph Testa	
17 Carla Lampley	
18 Roy Lee Rogers	
20 Rev. Clarisse Schroeder	

We pray for those celebrating birthdays:

2 Donna Bragg
6 Ann Worrall
10 Donnie Gregory
13 Jack Martins
14 Ferris Delionbach
16 Gwen Blankenheim
19 Dee Martins
20 Leonard Toner
21 Lorraine Morgan
22 Johnetta George
26 Taylor Gunnels
28 Johnnie Kissiah
29 Margaret Kopp
30 David Sacks
31 Susan Sadler

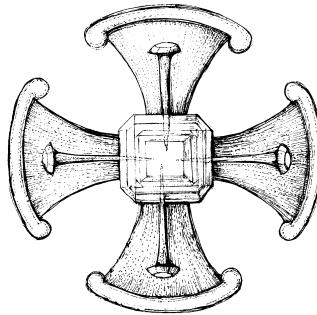
We celebrate those celebrating anniversaries:

4 Jack & Dee Martins
16 Fr. Dale & Linda Klitzke

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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

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 many 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.