

St. Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church



Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 5, 2024, 10:00 a.m.



HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE TWO

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

Mrs. Debralee LaSeur

OPENING PRAYER

O God our heavenly Father, you have blessed us and given us dominion over all the earth: Increase our reverence before the mystery of life; and give us new insight into your purposes for the human race, and new wisdom and determination in making provision for its future in accordance with your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

A147, All Creatures of our God

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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GLORIA

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Insert

THE LESSONS [*Congregation is seated*]

Acts 10:44-48

Psalm 98

Insert

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. *Amen.*

1 JOHN 5:1-6

GRADUAL HYMN

A504, v1-2, Love Lifted Me

SAFETY

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 15:9-17

The Reverend Hugh Chapman

SEQUENCE HYMN

A504, v3, Love Lifted Me

SAFETY

THE SERMON

The Reverend Hugh Chapman

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM V

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CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION

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THE PEACE

THE INSTALLATION OF ALTAR GUILD MEMBERS

OFFERTORY **A342, We Gather Together** KREMSER

DOXOLOGY AND PROCESSION **A650, v3, Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow** DUKE STREET

Presentation of the Offering – prayer to be said.

Father, we offer you these gifts which you have given us: this bread, this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and our work, to become through your Holy Spirit, a reasonable, holy, and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of your love; through the same Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

PRESENTATION HYMN **A156 God is So Good** SO GOOD

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER A BCP Pg. 361-366

SANCTUS 362

THE LORD'S PRAYER 364

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

AGNUS DEI

THE INVITATION

HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN **A437, Kum Ba Yah** DESMOND

MEDITATION HYMN **A676, Wade in the Water** spiritual

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECESSIONAL HYMN **A567, Here I Am, Lord** Schutte

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

A=African American Hymnal (ivory)

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR PEACE AND HEALING

For those at Home

Rosalyn Greene, Ella Woodbury, James Manning, Toni Jarmon, Rev. Leslie and Renee White, Rev. Ralph Griffith, Leonel Jones, Charles Walton, Joan Jackson Taylor, Christine Seymour, Mary Ann Nottage, Kove Lawson, Cynthia Holland, Harriet Bowen, Livy Hitchcock, Sheila Gonzales, Fr. Terrance Rosheuvel, Kurt Blyden, Ashley Rodgers, Sandra Todman-Hart, Teresa Thomas, and Monica Scott.

For those in the care of the Doctor

Dourest & Joann Robinson, John Melville, Lauren Sapp, Delores Brown, Hattie Olivia Scott, Alexis Shermise Brown, Jasmine Hartin, Shevette Newkirk, Rudolph & Melva Griffith, Delois Abraham, Stella Harris, Pamela Harris Williams, Klcey Scott, Erica Scott, Renrick & Veronica Alleyne, Jeffery Adams, Mayleen Rosheuvel, Ena Mason, Darlene Sheppard, Devonia Sears, Landon Dyre, Brittany Lee, Herma Watson Taylor, Barbara Gruden, Carolyn Allen, Carl Maxwell, Ann Dupree, Bill Bush, Luann Hickman, Harold Dickey, Sterling Rinks, Scott Allen, Ashley Griffith, Oscar Felker, Fritz Roy, Mark Thomas, Daniella Greenway Thomas, Terrence Harris, Will Baker, David Thomas Wiley, Barbara Lynn, Lee Scott, Leslie Warren, Spencer Stapleton, Ellie Potter, Randy Frazier, Lennie Helfand, Fabienne Bailey Brown, Patrick Charles, Hansel Tookes, Fr. Darryl James, Nohemy Reid, Sean Warren-Bailey, Rasheen Jamison Richardson, Victory Laurie, Martha Laurie, Elijah Nohemy, Pamela Richards, Windell Wilson, Al Washington and James Gay.

For those who care for the sick

Especially all doctors, nurses, scientists, and our own, Dr. Shaun Laurie, Dr. Nwamaka Onyeozili, Dr. Ross Howard McMillan, Dr. Ciara Robinson, Dr. Alaine Sharpe, Dr. Edwin Thorpe, Zuri A. White, and Cheston Williams.

For those in the Military

Linzie Bogan II, Clark Bogan, Brianne Edwards, Vashti Thompson, and Douglas Sampson.

SPECIAL OCCASION PRAYERS

Birthday Prayer

Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may thy peace, which passeth understanding, abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Anniversary Prayer

God our Father, who made men and women to live together in families: we pray that marriage may be held in honor; that couples may live together faithfully, according to their vows; and that members of every family may bear one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ; for His name's sake. *Amen.*

SPECIAL PRAYER

Capital Campaign Prayer

Most gracious Lord Jesus Christ and generous source of all abundance, in gratitude we invite you to expand our hearts as we seek to increase and improve this place of worship, peace, healing, forgiveness, outreach, service and fellowship. May all who enter here be restored and strengthened on their journey of faith. Guide us Heavenly Father, that we may make manifest your vision of a beloved and enlightened church and community, and be a shining example of the living presence of the Holy Spirit. May we and our Capital Campaign be a channel of God's abundant grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. *Amen.*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY!

James Fort (5/5), Winston Bogan (5/6), Sheila Hickman (5/8), Jayla Pinkston (5/8), Henry & Porche' Okafor (5/8).

Serving today, Sunday, May 5.

Crucifer: Collin Laurie

Gospel Book Bearer/MC: Mr. Joseph Sams III

LEM: Mr. Byron J. Greene

Vestry: Mr. Charlie Clark

Organist: Mrs. Debralee LaSeur

Drums: Mr. Christopher White

Trombone/guitar: Mr. Matias Quiceno

Lectors: Ms. Leslie Warren

Ms. Chenikka Usher

Mr. Charlie Clark

Altar Guild: Dr. Delores Lawson

Ms. Kimberly Douglas

AV:

Suggested daily Readings for the Week of Sixth Easter: May 6 to May 11.

Mon.	Lev. 25:35-55	Psalm 80	Matt. 13:1-16
Tue.	Lev. 26:1-20	Psalm 78:1-39	Matt. 13:18-23
Wed.	Lev. 26:27-42	Psalm 119:97-120	Matt. 22:41-46
Thurs.	Dan. 7:9-14	Psalm 8, 47	Matt. 28:16-20
Fri.	1 Sam. 2:1-10	Psalm 85, 86	Matt. 7:22-27
Sat.	Num. 11:16-17, 24-29	Psalm 87, 90	Matt. 7:28—8:4

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Althemese Barnes to be Honored

Our sister Althemese Barnes will be honored at a Silver Star Awards banquet to be held on May 9th. This is in recognition of her outstanding contribution to the Tallahassee Community (especially the Riley House) and beyond. So proud of you Althemese.

Follow up Convocation Gathering

A follow up Convocation gathering will be held in person at the Camp Weed and Cerveny Conference on Saturday May 18th at 10:00 a.m. SMAA will again be represented by Kimberly Douglas and James Fort. Charlie Clark and Byron Greene will perhaps also be in attendance and the rector Fr. Hugh has been invited to serve again as Chaplain.

Ushers and Greeters Ministry

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Sharal Jugger has agreed to serve as the new Chair of the Ushers and Greeters Ministry. Sharal is seeking our help as a parish as she undertakes this important leadership position. The Ushers and Greeters play an integral role in parish life.

Altar Guild Installation

Today the Altar Guild will be installed during the celebration of the Eucharist. We thank God for these servants of His who give of themselves in such an unselfish way. Their leader Dr. Delores Lawson is still on the lookout for others from among us, who want to share in this important ministry here at SMAA. We, the church family, do appreciate all that they do. *Fr. Hugh+*

Pretty Hat Tea

The Pretty Hat Tea will be one of the attributes of St. Michael and All Angels to the Tallahassee Bicentennial. The date, time, and place will be July 20th at 4 pm in the Parish Hall. We all have plenty of time to get our hats ready men, women, and children. We are glad to take our Junior Warden Charlie Clark's advice to have the tea again. We will gladly accept sponsorships for the event. Email the church at stmichael1882@gmail.com and or Alexisrph11@gmail.com with questions or comments.

Pray for Windell and Wilson

Windell Wilson (a close relative of Eugene Wesley) has not been doing well recently and remains in the care of his family. Also Wilson Baker (Dr. Geraldine Smith's husband) who is now back home after his recent hospitalization. We urge your prayers for both of these brothers.

RECTOR'S DESK

Seeking Support for CAJM

CAJM is inviting us all to join them in celebration of May 14th at Temple Israel (6:00 pm), when victories achieved at the Nehemiah Action will be noted. More importantly, all twenty something churches/organizations will turn in their pledges. CAJM asks for a personal donation of two hundred dollars (\$200), or what you are able to contribute. James Fort will coordinate our response.

Seeking help for Episcopalians in Liberia

An announcement was made on Sunday regarding a plea from the Reverend Slewion Lewis of Liberia. Fr. Lewis did send along pictures detailing the damaged homes in his parish as a result of unseasonable weather. So we are asking that donations be sent to the parish office in response to this appeal.

Camp Weed Centennial Celebration

A special committee chaired by our own Charlie Clark is planning for Camp Weed's centennial celebration in September. Feel like serving? Contact Charlie this week.

St. Philip's Episcopal Mourns

Our sister church of St. Philip's in Jacksonville, is mourning the passing of Eleanor Mason (retired deacon of the Methodist Church and mother of Gloria Morrison). Eleanor had returned to Alabama, her home state, as her health declined. Please do remember Gloria and Dr. Tony Morrison and the rest of the family, as they mourn Eleanor. May she rest in peace and rise in glory.

Bible Study

Our Bible study class will resume next Wednesday (5/8) at 6:00 pm. The study text will be Paul's Letter to the Thessalonians. The link is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84874409588?pwd=Z2ZpS1M5Yi9MWS9PWj1MnVMQm9BQT09>
Meeting ID: 848 7440 9588 Passcode: 654040.

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Our Condolences

We learned that Fern Patricia Thompson did pass from time to eternity last Sunday. She was a very prominent Rattler and left behind an elderly mother and other loved ones. Fern's funeral was held on Friday at the Old West Enrichment Center.

WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL

We extend a warm welcome to our guests. Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you are without a church home, we invite you to join our church family. Please sign the guest register, *include your home address, phone number, and if you would like to receive our newsletter, news of special events and other happenings, please add your email address also.*

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OUR VISION is to be a cornerstone for serving the spiritual needs of the greater Tallahassee community, extending an eternal invitation to join our caring parish, and to enrich the spiritual life of all people as we journey with Christ.

OUR MISSION is to experience the Gospel of Jesus Christ by feeding the mind, body, and spirit of our community in fellowship and service.