

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 23, 2023 AT 10:15 AM



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THE REV. ANDREW PHILLIPS, DEACON

ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

*We are a welcoming, inclusive and affirming parish in the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina.
We seek to meet and serve Christ in all people and to glorify God in our words and our actions.*

ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

*Know that you are most welcome, and we pray that you will return to worship with us again soon!
Please do us the honor of filling out a Visitor Card, either by scanning the QR code below OR by
filling out a physical card located in the pew rack in front of you. If you fill out a physical card,
please place it in the alms basin during the offertory or hand it to an usher or to a member of the
clergy as you leave today.*

Please join us for Fellowship Time immediately following this service.



Holy Eucharist with Baptisms

This service bulletin is designed for use with the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the blue Hymnal 1982, both of which are located in the pew rack in front of you.

Voluntary

Processional Hymn: Come, ye thankful people, come

Hymnal 290

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer (BCP), p. 299

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

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

Celebrant There is one Body and one Spirit;

People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People **One God and Father of all.**

The Collect of the Day

BCP, p. 300

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Collect of the Kids & Invitation to Children's Chapel

Children ages 4 to 5th grade are invited to the steps for a brief introduction to the day's liturgy or lessons. The children then depart for Children's Chapel, returning for the Eucharist.

First Lesson

Wisdom of Solomon 12:13, 16-19

Lector A reading from the Wisdom of Solomon.

There is no god besides you, whose care is for all people, to whom you should prove that you have not judged unjustly; for your strength is the source of righteousness, and your sovereignty over all causes you to spare all. For you show your strength when people doubt the completeness of your power, and you rebuke any insolence among those who know it. Although you are sovereign in strength, you judge with mildness, and with great forbearance you govern us; for you have power to act whenever you choose.

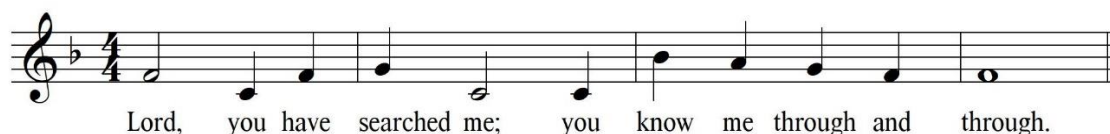
Through such works you have taught your people that the righteous must be kind, and you have filled your children with good hope, because you give repentance for sins.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Response

Psalm 139:1-11, 22-23



Choir and congregation sing refrain; choir sings verses

- ¹ Lord, you have searched me out and known me;
you know my sitting down and my rising up;
you discern my thoughts from afar.
- ² You trace my journeys and my resting-places
and are acquainted with all my ways.
- ³ Indeed, there is not a word on my lips,
but you, O Lord, know it altogether.
- ⁴ You press upon me behind and before
and lay your hand upon me.
- ⁵ Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;
it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
- ⁶ Where can I go then from your Spirit?
where can I flee from your presence?

Refrain

- ⁷ If I climb up to heaven, you are there;
if I make the grave my bed, you are there also.
- ⁸ If I take the wings of the morning
and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,
- ⁹ Even there your hand will lead me
and your right hand hold me fast.
- ¹⁰ If I say, "Surely the darkness will cover me,
and the light around me turn to night,"
- ¹¹ Darkness is not dark to you;
the night is as bright as the day;
darkness and light to you are both alike.

Refrain

- ²² Search me out, O God, and know my heart;
try me and know my restless thoughts.
- ²³ Look well whether there be any wickedness in me
and lead me in the way that is everlasting.

Refrain

Lector A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans.

Brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh-- for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ-- if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn: Great is thy faithfulness

please see facing page

The Gospel

Matthew 13:24-30,36-43

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

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

Jesus put before the crowd another parable: "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?' He answered, 'An enemy has done this.' The slaves said to him, 'Then do you want us to go and gather them?' But he replied, 'No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.'"

Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples approached him, saying, "Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field." He answered, "The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man; the field is the world, and the good seed are the children of the kingdom; the weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. Just as the weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and

they will collect out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all evildoers, and they will throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Let anyone with ears listen!"

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

Sequence Hymn: Great is thy faithfulness

Lift Every Voice and Sing 189



1 Great is thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther; there is no
 2 Sum - mer and win - ter and spring - time and har - vest, sun, moon, and
 3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth, thine own dear



shad - ow of turn - ing with thee; thou chang - est not, thy com -
 stars in their cours - es a - bove join with all na - ture in
 pres - ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to - day and bright



pas - sions they fail not; as thou hast been, thou for - ev - er wilt be.
 man - i - fold wit - ness to thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy, and love.
 hope for to - mor - row, bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!

Refrain



Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Morn - ing by



morn - ing new mer - cies I see; all I have need - ed thy



hand hath pro - vid - ed; great is thy faith - ful - ness, Lord, un - to me.

The Baptismal Candidates are

Adrian Thomas Benz

child of Giuliana Maria Ferreira-Bonilla and James Benz

and

Emerson Lael Thomas

child of Lanien Chancellor and Centrell Thomas

<i>Celebrant</i>	The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I present Adrian Thomas Benz to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I present Emerson Lael Thomas to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I will, with God's help.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I will, with God's help.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I renounce them.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I renounce them.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I renounce them.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I do.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I do.
<i>Celebrant</i>	Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?
<i>(God)Parents</i>	I do.

Celebrant Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Adrian and Emerson in their life in Christ?

People **We will.**

Celebrant Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

BCP, p. 304

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the
Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and
was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the
Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of
saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life
everlasting.**

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Prayers for the Candidates

BCP, p. 305

Let us now pray for Adrian and Emerson who are to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

Intercessor Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Open their hearts to your grace and truth.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Send them into the world in witness to your love.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Celebrant Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. **Amen.**

Thanksgiving over the Water

BCP, p. 306

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

At the following words, the Celebrant touches the water.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Baptism

BCP, p. 307

Celebrant Adrian, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People **Amen.**

Celebrant Adrian, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever.

People **Amen.**

Adrian receives the Light of Christ.

Adrian receives a First Bible from

*The Church of the Good Shepherd Family Ministries and a
First Book of Prayers from Daughters of the King.*

Celebrant Emerson, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People **Amen.**

Celebrant Emerson, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever.

People **Amen.**

Emerson receives the Light of Christ.

Emerson receives a First Bible from

*The Church of the Good Shepherd Family Ministries and a
First Book of Prayers from Daughters of the King.*

Celebrant Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

Celebrant Let us welcome the newly baptized.
People **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

The Peace BCP, p. 360

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

Welcome and Announcements

Today's Altar Flowers

*The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by
Donald, Deborah and Ashton Blankenship
in loving memory of Donald Blankenship, Sr., Elisabeth Price, and William Welch, Jr.*

Give to CGS Online

*Use the QR code to the right to give or pledge online to CGS.
Open your phone's camera, point the camera at the square, and tap the screen.*



The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem: The first song of Isaiah Jack Noble White
Surely, it is God who saves me; I will trust in him and not be afraid. For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, and he will be my Savior. Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing from the springs of salvation. And on that day you shall say, Give thanks to the Lord, and call upon his Name. Make his deeds known among the peoples; see that they remember that his Name is exalted. Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, and this is known in all the world. Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.

Presentation Hymn: Doxology Hymnal 380, verse 3

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.

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B BCP, p. 367

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

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

Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy Lord

Wonder, Love, and Praise 858

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

Hosanna in the highest.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

The Eucharistic Prayer continues on p. 368 in the Book of Common Prayer

Celebrant ...Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

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

Celebrant ...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.

All **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

BCP, p. 364

The Fraction Anthem: God of promise

Enriching Our Music 1 31

Cantor

God of pro - mise, you have pre-pared a ban - quet for us.

All

Hap - py are those who are called to the Sup-per of the Lamb.

Invitation and Communion

All are invited to come forward during the sharing of Holy Communion.

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by drinking from the common cup? *Please come to the left side (lectern side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs in the sacristy.*

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by intinction (having a minister dip the host in wine and place it in your hand)? *Please come to the right side (pulpit side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs by the baptismal font.*

Where can I go to receive only the bread? *Please come to either location and tell the server "only bread."*

Where can I go to receive gluten-free bread? *Please come to either location and ask for gluten free.*

Where can I go to receive a blessing? *Please come to either location and cross your arms over your chest.*

How can I ask for communion to be brought to me? *Please ask an usher to receive by intinction in your seat.*

Communion Hymn: Come, we that love the Lord

Lift Every Voice and Sing 12



1 Come, we that love the Lord, and let our joys be known;
2 Let those re - fuse to sing who nev - er knew our God;
3 The hill of Zi - on yields a thou-sand sa - cred sweets
4 Then let our songs a-bound, and ev - 'ry tear be dry;



join in a song with sweet ac - cord, join in a song with
but chil - dren of the heav'n - ly King, but chil - dren of the
be - fore we reach the heav'n - ly fields, be - fore we reach the
we're march - ing through Im - man - uel's ground, we're march - ing through Im -



sweet ac - cord and thus sur - round the throne, and thus sur-round the throne.
heav'n-ly King may tell their joys a-broad, may tell their joys a - broad.
heav'n-ly fields, or walk the gold - en streets, or walk the gold - en streets.
man-uel's ground, to fair - er worlds on high, to fair - er worlds on high.

Refrain



We're march - ing to Zi - on, beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful Zi - on:



we're march - ing up - ward to Zi - on, the beau - ti - ful cit - y of God.

Communion Hymn: Lord, make us servants of your peace

Hymnal 593

Sending out of Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant In the name of this congregation, 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.

People **Because we who are many are one body in Christ. We share one bread, one cup. Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer

BCP, 365

Celebrant Let us pray.

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

The Blessing

Celebrant May the Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, giving you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the wonderful works of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Closing Hymn: We plow the fields and scatter

Hymnal 291

The Dismissal

BCP, p. 366

Closing Voluntary

SERVING TODAY

Ushers John Boyne and Ed Gavin

Verger David Roten

Acolytes Callin Fee and Ryan Fee

Lectors Maggie Stoddard and Grace Sved

Intercessor Phyllis Beckford, grandmother of Emerson Lael Thomas

Chalicer Ian Finley

Flower Guild Diana Rhyne

Sound & Livestream Craig DeShong and Sam DeShong

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WELCOME!

Good morning! It is my pleasure to welcome you to The Church of the Good Shepherd. Today we are blessed to welcome our newest siblings in Christ, Emerson and Adrian. It is a privilege and joy for all of us to witness their baptisms and to have the opportunity to renew our own baptismal vows.

If you are visiting this morning, it is our sincerest wish that you will return to worship with us again soon. Please know that you are always most welcome! I encourage you to fill out a Visitor Card so that we may become better acquainted and we can share with you all the wonderful things God is doing at The Church of the Good Shepherd.

Yours in Christ's love,
The Rev. Imogen Rhodenhiser
Rector

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER LIST

Roy Wright, Carolyn Owens, Janet Gilliam, Ralph Sanders, Pete Taylor, Janet Watrous, Martha Bailey, Peggy Hawks, Ginny Byrd, Mitchell Lawrence, Jim Spodatto, Douglas Warden, Josephine Gallo-Caldero, Marion Harmon, Lori Spencer, Peggy Fee, Betsy Cheshire, William Short, James Mattox, William Caldwell, Gail Heyer, Rosemary Krieger, Magen Colgan, Phil Kirk, Martha Hays, Rose Hoppe, Richard Netherby, Darrell Dennis, Kathryn Almeida, Joseph Henry, Shirley Sullivan, Ed Cragg, Olivette Bassett, Jeff Whittaker, JoAnn Kistler, Catherine and Bob Williams, Fran and Paul Hoch, George Rhodenhiser and Family, Olivia Adams and Family, Elizabeth Alexander and Family, Debbie and J.D. Harrod, Gary B., Jonathan, Jeffrey, Candy, Cuddy, The Prentice Family, The Morgan Family, The Drew Elliot Family, The Terry Sullivan Family, and The Dar Jennings Family.

And we pray for those who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, remembering especially, Shaun Sullivan and Michael McManaman.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH

LET US WELCOME THE NEWLY BAPTIZED!

Our newest siblings in Christ are

- Adrian Thomas Benz, child of Giuliana Maria Ferreira-Bonilla and James Benz.
- Emerson Lael Thomas, child of Lanien Chancellor and Centrell Thomas.

We extend a special welcome today to Adrian's and Emerson's godparents, families, and friends!

ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

If you would like information about

- transferring your membership from another parish
- joining the church
- being married
- being baptized

please contact David Baggett, our parish administrator, at David.Baggett@cgs-raleigh.org or at 919.831.2018 or a member of the clergy.

DON'T FORGET THE BACKPACKS!

Our goal is to collect 50+ backpacks stuffed with school supplies to support children served by Episcopal Farmworker Ministry. It's so easy!

1. Pick a grade.
2. Buy backpack(s).
3. Fill up backpack(s) with grade-appropriate school supplies. (Shopping list is available on the parish website, in the parish newsletter, and at the front desk in the Parish Life Center).
4. Be sure to mark the grade on the backpack(s).
5. Deliver backpack(s) to the Parish Life Center by **August 13th**.

Backpacks will be blessed at the 10:15 worship service on August 13th and delivered to Episcopal Farmworker Ministry. Thank you in advance for your support! Questions? Please contact the Parish Office.

SHARE THE (GARDEN) WEALTH

Please remember we are collecting produce on Sunday mornings for Inter-Faith Food Shuttle. You will find a collection bin in the PLC lobby. If you should have any questions, please contact Jennifer Tlusty (919.414.2950). Thank you!

BUDGET UPDATE

January 1- June 30

Actual Income	\$427,537.55
Budgeted Income	\$383,146.00
Actual Expenses	\$376,416.92
Net	\$51,120.63

June

Pledge Income	\$42,446.94
Budgeted Pledges	\$44,951.00
Net	(\$2,504.06)

*Thank you for your faithful
financial support of our church
and our ministries.*

COMING AUGUST 6TH...SUMMER PICNIC IN THE HALL

Join us for our last potluck picnic of the summer in Shepherd’s Hall immediately after the 10:15 service. Bring a picnic dish to share (preferably nothing to heat up). Please contact Grace Sved (919.247.6426) if you can help with set-up or clean-up.

ALTAR FLOWER DONORS NEEDED FOR SEPTEMBER 10TH

If you would like to donate altar flowers on Sunday, September 10th, please contact the Parish Office. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE!

Rally Day: September 10th immediately after the 10:15 worship service. Fun, food, and fellowship for the entire parish family! Please stay tuned for details.

YOUR VESTRY

Peg Dorer
Senior Warden

David Howard
Junior Warden

Jennifer Tlusty
Registrar

Gregg Knepley
Treasurer

Class of 2024

John Beck
George Habel
Susan Jackson
Jennifer Tlusty

Class of 2025

John Boyne, Jr
Cheryl Cozzi
Peg Dorer
Grace Sved

Class of 2026

Ed Gavin
Esther Hall
David Howard
Gregg Knepley

YOUR PARISH STAFF

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Leon Crosby
Facilities Coordinator

Rhonda Towns
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David Baggett
Parish Administrator

Laura Dearth
Bookkeeper

Lynn Wiss
Pastoral Care Coordinator

