

THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

Sunday, Nov. 22 The Last Sunday after Pentecost:
Christ the King Sunday
8 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel
9 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Cathedral
10 a.m. Christian Formation classes - various locations
11 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Cathedral
12:30 p.m. Celebration Singers Rehearsal - Room 201
5 p.m. **St. Andrew's Day Evensong and Reception** - Cathedral and Taliaferro Hall

Monday, Nov. 23
5:30 p.m. Friends of Bill W. - Ingram Lounge

Tuesday, Nov. 24
12:10 p.m. Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel
5:30 p.m. Yoga - Cummings Chapel
7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop Meeting - Taliaferro Hall
7 p.m. Girl Scout Troop Meeting - Coffee House
7 p.m. EFM - Ingram Lounge

Wednesday, Nov. 25 - Offices close at noon; No Wednesday activities
7 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Holy Communion Chapel
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Thursday, Nov. 26 - Thanksgiving Day
10:30 a.m. Thanksgiving Day Holy Eucharist - Cathedral
11:30 a.m. Thanksgiving Day Potluck Lunch - Taliaferro Hall

Friday, Nov. 27 Offices closed; No Clara's

Sunday, Nov. 29 The First Sunday of Advent
8 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Cummings Chapel
9 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Cathedral
9 a.m. Alternative Gift Market open till 1 p.m. - Taliaferro Hall
10 a.m. Advent Wreath Making - Taliaferro Hall
11 a.m. Holy Eucharist - Cathedral
12:30 p.m. Celebration Singers Rehearsal - Room 201
5 p.m. Advent Procession of Lessons and Carols and Reception - Cathedral and Taliaferro Hall



Advent Procession of Lessons and Carols

Celebrate the beginning of Advent with us on Sunday, November 29 at 5 p.m. with a candlelit dramatic liturgy in movement around the inside of the cathedral. Carols from many lands and many ages are sung by the cathedral choir. Join us after the service for a wine and cheese reception in Taliaferro Hall. The Cathedral Bookstore table will also be there.

Thanksgiving Day Potluck

Come to our Thanksgiving potluck immediately after the Thanksgiving Eucharist at 10:30 a.m. Turkeys will be provided, so bring any other fixings with you! To offset the cost of the turkeys, we're asking everyone to bring a \$5 donation. RSVP to Judy Maurer at jmaurer@jaxcathedral.org.

Be in the Christmas Pageant!

Calling all children: come and be a part of our Christmas pageant Sunday, December 20 during the 9 a.m. service! The rehearsal is at 10 a.m. Saturday, December 19. All aged volunteers are needed too! If you would like to participate in any way, come to the rehearsal. For more information on participating in the Christmas Pageant, contact Cheryl Bowen at cherydi33@icloud.com.

Cathedral Announcements

NEW OR VISITING? WELCOME!

We'd like to know who you are! Please fill out the Visitor's Card found in your pew and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher. A cathedral docent is available at the back of the church after the 11 a.m. service to take you on a tour of this beautiful space. Please join us for coffee and fellowship in Taliaferro Hall. Assistive Listening Devices are available to enhance worship services for the hearing-impaired. A large-print edition of our service bulletin is also available. Nursery care is available during Sunday services. Office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Friday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. If you have any questions, please call us at 904-356-5507 or check out jaxcathedral.org.



Bookstore Specials

Come visit our bookstore next to the reception area before and after Sunday services. You can also shop during the week. Open from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on weekdays. Coming soon: a new selection of chocolate Advent calendars are on the way, including a color-it-yourself calendar with colored pencils and a 3D calendar! These are great gift items and tools to use during the Advent season.

Celebrate the First Sunday of Advent, Next Sunday, November 29: Happy New (Liturgical) Year!

- Stop by Taliaferro Hall at 10 a.m. to make your Advent Wreaths for the home. Bring \$5 for all the supplies to make a beautiful, fresh evergreen wreath.
- The Alternative Gift Market will also be in Taliaferro Hall. Many wonderful giving opportunities are available, so stop by and give a gift of love to those in need.
- Do some Christmas shopping at our bookstore! We have many great gift ideas, and a portion of the proceeds go to St. Mary's Mission.

Newcomer Social

Join us to meet other newcomers and our cathedral clergy, vestry and staff for a reception on Thursday, December 10 at 6 p.m. in Burwell Court and Ingram Lounge. Please RSVP to Judy Maurer at 356-5507 or jmaurer@jaxcathedral.org.

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Sunday, November 22 John Adams, Grace Smith, Pierce Hazleton	Thursday, November 26 Courtney Romanac, James Edwards, Susan Castelli, Don Wucker, Anne Marie Van Wie, Caroline Still, Jake Still, Robert Still
Monday, November 23 Marcia Tjoflat, Art Jennette, Steven Johnston	Friday, November 27 Carol Abdelnour, Aaryn Cook,
Tuesday, November 24 Spook Hill	Saturday, November 28 Barbara Perry, Rick Baker, Quinn Parman, Taylor Johnson
Wednesday, November 25 Christopher Delaney, Denise MacKenzie, Cynthia Meyers, Marianne Aho, Grace Richardson, Lerato Seane, Austin Petteway	

Cathedral Announcements

Letter from the Dean of The American Cathedral in Paris

So many friends and colleagues have written in the last 18 hours [after the terrorist attacks in Paris] expressing support, promising their prayers, and asking what they could do. I cannot tell you how incredibly important this has been to all of us at the American Cathedral. It is a very fearful time, and we are still bewildered and unsure. Knowing we have prayers coming from around the world, that we have a cloud of witnesses, and that we are so inextricably connected in the Body of Christ makes all the difference.



The American Cathedral in Paris

What can you do? First of all, I ask your prayers:

- ◆ for the victims, those who died and those wounded
- ◆ for their families
- ◆ for all those who have helped and are helping
- ◆ for all who protect us
- ◆ for the city of Paris, and especially our Cathedral community
- ◆ for all those whose anger, fear and hatred lead them to commit such acts
- ◆ for hope, for light in the darkness, and for peace

Secondly, I urge you to give some serious thought to next steps. Your expressions of support are strong and genuine – but where do they go? We have all held each other up before – after the *Charlie Hebdo* shootings, for instance, and after 9/11 – and shared a strong sense of unity. I'm not sure where I am going with this; I only mean that our prayers must lead us to action. Here in France I suspect there will be very, very strong anti-Muslim sentiment, and one thing we must do is stand with our Muslim brothers and sisters, and foster conversation and understanding. I think we also need to work harder to care for the flood of refugees fleeing terror in their own countries – work for immediate care and for political solutions. You will need to find your own mission in the US, but I know that it must involve continued dedication and commitment to making justice and making peace, and being a light in the darkness.

Thank you again, my brothers and sisters.

The Very Reverend Lucinda Laird
Dean, The American Cathedral in Paris



Join us for St. Andrew's Day Evensong TODAY at 5 p.m.

Sung by the Choir of St. John's Cathedral and featuring The Cathedral Brass and the Jacksonville Pipes and Drums, this annual service in honor of St. Andrew, patron saint of Scotland, is a wonderful St. John's tradition. The music for this evensong includes traditional Scottish songs and hymns.

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CALL FOR VESTRY NOMINATIONS AND CONVENTION DELEGATES

The Vestry bylaws provide for a nominating committee to nominate candidates for vacancies on the vestry as well as candidates for the offices of Delegate to the Diocesan Convention.

Qualifications for Vestry members (5 to be elected): A Vestry nominee must be a **communicant of St. John's Cathedral in good standing for a period of at least 12 months** prior to election; if a nominee has served two full terms (for a total of six years), there must be a two-year break before he or she may be nominated again; must be actively involved in the ministry of the Parish; must be willing to accept active leadership, including responsibility for decision making that represents the entire Parish; must, if called upon, serve on the boards of affiliated corporations of the Cathedral; must be willing to invest the time necessary in the ministry of leadership, including attendance at worship, Vestry meetings and other scheduled Vestry activities, special events, and satellite activities; and must be otherwise eligible. In addition to the above qualifications contained in the bylaws, the Vestry believes that nominees for service for the next three-year term should possess special skills, gifts and talents in visionary and strategic thinking, be courageous, and have skills in fiscal planning and policy.

Diocesan Convention Delegates (2 to be elected): **Per the St. John's Parish** by-laws, the Sr. Warden fills one of the 5 delegate positions. The remaining four convention delegates serve a two year term, with one or two rotating off each year. At the 2016 Annual Parish Meeting, we will elect two delegates and two alternates for the 2017 diocesan convention. It is critically important that you obtain the permission of your nominee before submitting his or her name to a Nominating Committee member. (Please note: the By-Laws have been amended so that parishioners choose Vestry members by election at the annual meeting rather than through a selection (lottery) process.) Send nominations to Helen Likins, Communications Coordinator at hlikins@jaxcathedral.org. Nominations will be forwarded to and reviewed by the nominating committee members: Bill Erwin, Lynda Erwin, Faye Wisner, Ryan Uitti, Robert Hyde, Jim Jamison, Bonnie Hardman and Hud Berrey.

Christmas ornaments needed



The cathedral is in need of Christmas tree lights and tree ornaments for a special parish wide event coming in December. If you are downsizing or changing your Christmas decor, please consider sharing your no longer needed ornaments or lights with us. They can be brought to the office at any time. Questions? Contact Sue Engemann at 356-5507 ext. 24 or sue@jaxcathedral.org.

Advent Icon Workshop

Join us for an icon writing workshop during the first week of Advent, Monday, November 30 - Friday, December 4. All are welcome to participate, including beginners. Come prepared to learn, create, meditate and have fun! For more details, or to sign up, contact Sharon Millan at 716-2300.

FALL SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES

All Sunday morning classes begin at 10 a.m.!

► **Celebrating the History of St. John's Cathedral**, Taliaferro Hall
Speakers will rotate between clergy and guest speakers, covering various aspects of the cathedral's history, including its stained glass windows and its involvement in the founding of the Episcopal School of Jacksonville.

► Centering Prayer, Room 301
This is a time in community to experience centering prayer as well as explore appropriate readings. All are invited.

► **Classes for children and youth are also held at this time in various** locations. The nursery is also available.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

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The Right Reverend Samuel Johnson Howard
Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Florida

The Right Reverend Charles L. Keyser
and The Right Reverend Dorsey F. Henderson
Assisting Bishops of the Episcopal Diocese of Florida

CATHEDRAL CLERGY

The Very Reverend Katherine B. Moorehead, Dean
The Very Reverend Gustave J. Weltsek, Jr., Dean Emeritus
The Reverend Canon David Erickson, Canon for Congregational Development
The Reverend Carl Saxton, Curate
The Reverend Raja Zabaneh, Chaplain to the Cathedral Residences
The Reverend Louis A. Towson, Priest Associate
The Reverend Jean C. Dodd, Deacon, Children and Families
The Reverend Louise O. Hardman, Deacon, Center for Prayer & Spirituality
The Reverend Bennett B. Clance, Deacon, Prison Ministries

STAFF

Sue Engemann, Director of Parish Life
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Judy Maurer, Receptionist & Dean's Assistant
Helen A. Likins, Communications Coordinator
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& "L.A." Winston, Sextons

VESTRY

John Adams, Aging True Liaison and Christian Formation Council Leader	Robert Hyde, Stewardship & Development Council Leader
Hud Berrey, Worship, Music & Arts Council Leader	Jim Jamison, Service & Outreach Council Leader
Steve Busey, Chancellor	Don Lester, Junior Warden and Campus & Facilities Council Leader
Martha Cox, Youth Ministry Liaison and Parish Life Council Leader	Ginny Myrick, Campus & Facilities Council Leader
Tommy Donahoo, Vestry Clerk, Liaison to ESJ and Stewardship & Development Council Leader	Joe O'Shields , Christian Formation Council Leader
Bill Erwin, Senior Warden	Ryan Uitti, Service & Outreach Council Leader
Bonnie Hardman, Children's Ministry Liaison and Parish Life Council Leader	Charles Winney, Treasurer
	Faye Wisner, Sanctuary Guild Liaison and Worship, Music & Arts Council Leader

+Prayers of the People+

The Church, especially for the Church in Australia, for John, Charles and Dorsey, our bishops, for Michael, our presiding bishop, for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, for all ministers, and for the mission of the church.

For all those who have died, especially Cutter Tarrant. (To see our full prayer list, please pick up a copy at the back of the church.)

WELCOME TO

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF FLORIDA, JACKSONVILLE

256 East Church Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202

The Last Sunday after Pentecost: Christ the King Sunday
November 22, 2015



"Ever since the world began,
your throne has been established;
you are from everlasting."

Psalm 93:3

To all who enter here—to those who are weary and need rest,
who mourn and need comfort, who sin and need a Savior,
who rejoice and wish to praise, who are blessed and wish to serve—
this Church opens wide the door and says in the name of our Lord
Jesus Christ, WELCOME.

Love at the Core