



SAINT JOHN'S
CATHEDRAL
EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF FLORIDA

LOVE *at the* CORE.

Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

Proper 25

October 27, 2024 | 8 & 10:30 a.m.



WELCOME

We are so glad that you have come to the Cathedral. We would love to get to know you. If you would like to learn about our community, please fill out a connection card that can be found in front of your seat. You can place the card in the silver offering plate that passes by half way through the service or simply hand it to an usher. You can also go to our website at jaxcathedral.org/welcome and fill out a welcome card online.

CHILDREN

We love having children join us and they are always welcome in worship. The Hakimian Nursery is staffed with trained caregivers for babies and toddlers up to 3. The nursery is open on Sundays from 9 a.m. to Noon.

Children who are older, ages 4 and up, are welcome to worship in their own special service on Sunday mornings during the 10:30 a.m. service. They meet with worship leaders and caregivers in the small room just off the big worship space. They then walk in the procession behind the choir to their own special chapel to sing and learn about God. They will return to join their loved ones for the second half of the service.

PRAYER AND VISITS

We are a community that prays for each other. If you need prayer, please let us know. Many people also appreciate someone visiting them in the hospital and praying with them. We have both clergy and chaplains who visit the hospital every day. Please call us if you would like a visit or a blessing (904) 356-5507 or go to jaxcathedral.org/prayer-requests and we will respond quickly and confidentially.

If you have an emergency and want to reach a priest, please call the same number and press 4.

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Sunday Programs during the 9 a.m. Education Hour

Breakfast, Taliaferro Hall

Stop by for coffee and breakfast. Take it to your class or enjoy it in the Sunday Flex Café.

Digital Disciples, Zoom

Sign up links for this online class are sent in the Eagle and by email on Sunday mornings.

Dean's Forum, Taliaferro Hall

The Way of Love: St. John's Journey to Follow Jesus

Newcomers Roundtable, Dooly Library

*Led by the Rev. Dr. Linda Privitera.
The Dooly Library is on the first floor of
Cathedral House.*

Children and Families Program, Ingram Lounge

A casual and interactive Family Service will be held on the first Sunday of every month beginning at 9 a.m. On all other Sundays, families will find a haven in the Sunday Flex Café. Drop in as you please from 9 to 10:15 a.m. Grab some breakfast and unwind in cozy surroundings while children (ages 4 through 5th Grade) engage in creative activities.

Undercroft open for Teens

✻ THE HOLY EUCHARIST ✻

Voluntary

At the sound of the bell, all stand.

Prelude and Fugue in G major, Felix Mendelssohn

Introit (10:30 a.m.)

I Sat Down, Edward C. Bairstow

I sat down under His shadow with great delight, and His fruit was sweet to my taste.
He brought me to the banqueting house, and His banner over me was love.

In Procession, Hymn 537

“Christ for the world we sing!”
Moscow

✻ THE LITURGY OF THE WORD ✻

Celebrant Blessed be God.

People Forever and ever. Amen.

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 Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Silence.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

All sit.

The Lesson

Job 42:1-6, 10-17

Reader A reading from the book of Job

Job answered the Lord: “I know that you can do all things, and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted. ‘Who is this that hides counsel without knowledge?’ Therefore I have uttered what I did not understand, things too wonderful for me, which I did

not know. 'Hear, and I will speak; I will question you, and you declare to me.' I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear, but now my eye sees you; therefore I despise myself, and repent in dust and ashes."

And the Lord restored the fortunes of Job when he had prayed for his friends; and the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before. Then there came to him all his brothers and sisters and all who had known him before, and they ate bread with him in his house; they showed him sympathy and comforted him for all the evil that the Lord had brought upon him; and each of them gave him a piece of money and a gold ring. The Lord blessed the latter days of Job more than his beginning; and he had fourteen thousand sheep, six thousand camels, a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand donkeys. He also had seven sons and three daughters. He named the first Jemimah, the second Keziah, and the third Keren-happuch. In all the land there were no women so beautiful as Job's daughters; and their father gave them an inheritance along with their brothers. After this Job lived for one hundred and forty years, and saw his children, and his children's children, four generations. And Job died, old and full of days.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

People

Psalm

Psalm 34:1-8, 19-22

I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

I will glory in the Lord; let the humble hear and rejoice.

Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; let us exalt his Name together.

I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me out of all my terror.

Look upon him and be radiant, and let not your faces be ashamed.

I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me and saved me from all my troubles.

The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, and he will deliver them.

Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him!

Many are the troubles of the righteous, but the Lord will deliver him out of them all.

He will keep safe all his bones; not one of them shall be broken.

Evil shall slay the wicked, and those who hate the righteous will be punished.

The Lord ransoms the life of his servants, and none will be punished who trust in him.

All stand.

Chant *(sung three times)*

John Bell

Take, oh, take me as I am; sum - mon out what I shall
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be; set your seal up - on my heart and live in me.

The Holy Gospel

Mark 10:46-52

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus and his disciples came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

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

Repeat Chant three times.

All sit.

The Sermon

The Rev. Mark S. Anderson

A period of silence is kept.

All stand.

The Nicene Creed

All 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 Prayers of the People

Leader Eternal God, you have given us deep roots: the rich history of this Cathedral, the presence of Jesus throughout the centuries, the beauty of our ancient worship. Call us to bear the fruit of generosity, to serve you here in the heart of this city, and to be instruments of your love.

People Eternal God,
Hear our prayer.

Leader Bless those who suffer in any way: the sick, the lonely, those who struggle with addiction, mental illness or depression. Bring them healing, comfort and peace.

People Eternal God,
Hear our prayer.

Leader Bring peace to this troubled world, heal the divisions that drive us to violence and war. Eternal God,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Awaken in us the conviction to care for this planet as we would care for ourselves. Eternal God,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader We ask you to help us to be diligent in prayer and to allow ourselves the gift of silence and rest.

Eternal God,
People Hear our prayer.

Leader Bless those who have died. May they rise to see your glory.
Eternal God,

People Hear our prayer.

Leader Guide the people of this country during this period of elections that all may respect the dignity of every person and peacefully engage in the democratic process.
Eternal God,

People Hear our prayer.

The Celebrant concludes the prayers.

Confession of Sin

Celebrant 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.

Celebrant 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

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Greet one another with the peace of Jesus.

Welcome and Announcements



As the altar is prepared for Communion, please place your offering in the collection plate as it is passed. You may also give by texting jaxcathedral \$(amount) to 73256. Or use the QR code to give online. Thank you for your generosity.

✠ THE HOLY COMMUNION ✠

The Offertory Anthem *(10:30 a.m.)*

Great and Glorious, Franz Joseph Haydn

Great and glorious is the Lord in majesty, glorious in power eternal, mighty and loving Father: praise Him for His exceeding greatness. Great and glorious, mighty in awful majesty, let all extol Him forevermore. Praise ye the Lord, for it is good to sing praises unto our God. Glorious and mighty, loving Father, glorious ever in majesty. Praise to Thy Name, Thy holy Name for evermore. God is nigh to all that call, truly upon Him. The Lord upholdeth all who fall and gently He upraiseth those who are bowed down. The Mighty and loving Father in power eternal great and glorious Lord, the mighty, loving Father, eternal Lord. Call upon Him, mighty and loving, glorious ever in majesty.

Hymn 380 *(8 a.m., Stanza 3)*

“Praise God from whom all blessings flow”
Old 100th

Hymn 475 *(10:30 a.m., Stanzas 1-2)*

“God himself is with us”
Tysk

The Great Thanksgiving

Enriching Our Worship, Eucharistic Prayer 1

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.

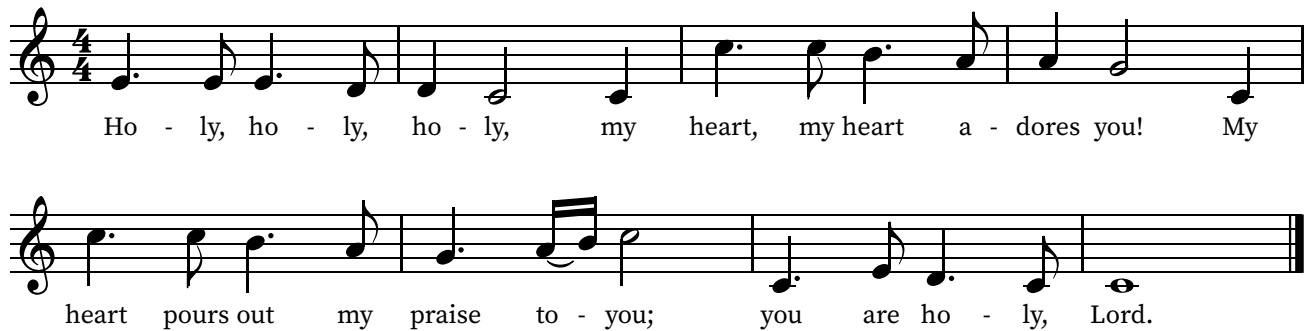
People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Celebrant It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life.

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

Sanctus *(Sung three times)*

Holy, Holy, Holy, My Heart
WLP 785



All stand or kneel.

Celebrant Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

And now, as Jesus teaches us, so we pray:

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

Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread.

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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

Celebrant The one whom the universe could not contain, is present to us in this bread. The one who redeemed us and called us by name now meets us in this cup. So, take this bread and this wine. In them God comes to us so that we may come to God.

All who long for God are welcome to receive communion. Please let clergy know if you would like a gluten-free wafer. Everyone is welcome to come to the altar for a blessing, indicated by folding your arms across your chest. If you would like to receive communion and are unable to come to the altar, please ask an usher for assistance. You are also invited to receive prayers in our chapel to the left of the altar.

Music at Communion (10:30 a.m.)

Organ

Sonata No. 1 in F minor, Felix Mendelssohn
II. Adagio

Hymn 671

"Amazing grace, how sweet the sound"
New Britain

Psalm 34:1-8

Thomas Norris

Postcommunion Prayer

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.**

Blessing

Celebrant The blessing of God Almighty be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

In Procession, Hymn 688

“A mighty fortress is our God”
Ein feste Burg

The Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Voluntary

Sonata No. 1 in F minor, Felix Mendelssohn
IV. Allegro assai vivace



The flowers on the altar today are given to the Glory of God.

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∞ LOVE AT THE CORE ∞

Love at the Core is our motto; it refers to the heart of who we are. For nearly 200 years, St. John's Cathedral has sought to lead people in worship and community service here in the urban core of Jacksonville. We believe that through beauty, art, and worship we can draw people into community to experience God's love and serve those in need. We are a diverse congregation that welcomes all people. You are welcome to learn about the love of Jesus with us.

Our Clergy



**The Very Rev.
Kate Moorehead Carroll**
Dean



**The Rev.
Mark S. Anderson**
Subdean



**The Rev. Dr.
Linda Privitera**
Associate Priest



The Rev. Saundra Kidd
Deacon for Pastoral Care
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∞ PLEDGE 2025 ∞



What happened to our beautiful logo? Watch it come back to life as we receive pledges for our 2025 Stewardship Campaign!

As of October 24, **140** households have pledged **\$767,427.00**. That's close to 50% of our goal of **\$1,650,000.00**.

The beautiful tree at the altar, inspired by our “Deep Roots, Bear Fruits” logo, was created by parishioners **Thom Buttner** and **Kevin McKinney**. Throughout the pledging season, the tree will showcase the work of our seven councils. Today, we feature the fruits of the **Pastoral Care Council**, which includes **Eucharistic Visitors**, the **Intercessory Prayer Guild**, **Licensed Lay Pastoral Care Ministers**, **Chaplains**, and the **Center for Wellbeing**: Divorce Support Group, Grief Support Group, and Cancer Support.



Please consider increasing your pledge this year by at least 10%. Scan the QR code to pledge online now. Don't like to scan? Visit jaxcathedral.org/pledge-2025.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27
INGATHERING SUNDAY

Bluegrass & BBQ

Toe-tapping entertainment and lunch

11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Bishop's Garden

EXPLORE ST. JOHN'S DEEP ROOTS

Dean's Forum

Sundays at 9 a.m.

Taliaferro Hall

Today we welcome **Kimberly Hyatt**, president and CEO of Cathedral Arts Project.

She and Dean Kate will discuss St. John's history and involvement in education, including arts education through the Cathedral Arts Project.

See the full lecture schedule on our website:
jaxcathedral.org/deans-forum or scan the QR code.



WEDNESDAYS AT THE CATHEDRAL

Join us for midday or evening for spiritual growth, fellowship, and enrichment. Pick and choose, mix and match, create a schedule that suits you. We will be serving lunch and dinner.

Morning Schedule

11 a.m. – Growing through the Word

A lectionary Bible Study led by Deacon Saundra in the Busey Conference Room.

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. – Lunch

Enjoy a delicious meal in Taliaferro Hall.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. – Holy Living: Discerning God's Will for Your Life

Your faith, quite literally, can make you well. This class will take you through the basics of the beliefs and practices of the Episcopal Church. Meet in Ingram Lounge.

12:10 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

Midday healing service in Cummings Chapel.

Evening Schedule

5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. – Dinner

Join us in Taliaferro Hall for a community meal.

6 p.m. – Classes & Small Groups

Holy Living: Discerning God's Will for Your Life in Ingram Lounge (same content as morning)

Art Class in the Painting Place

7 p.m. – River City Mindfulness

Meeting in the Dooly Library

Second Wednesdays for Children and Families: Ignite!

November 13

6 - 7:30 p.m.

Get over that mid-week hump with a little spark to the spirit. Age-appropriate fellowship and fun are on the menu, plus pizza!

While the children enjoy their activities in the Hakimian Nursery, adults can either join the Dean's program or participate in a Parent Group to discuss relevant issues for all ages and stages.

Youth Group will meet in the Undercroft.

Childcare for infants and toddlers is provided by our trained staff.

Vestry to Consider a Change to the Election Process

The Vestry is considering a change to our bylaws that would shift the selection process for Vestry members and Convention Delegates from a **Contested Election** to the **Election of a Slate**. They will be holding multiple Cathedral Conversations so that we can hear from the members and receive input before we vote on a change to the bylaws. For Zoom Registration links, please visit our website.

Sunday, October 27 at 9 a.m. and at 11:30 a.m. in the Busey Conference Room

Tuesday, October 29 at 6 p.m. on Zoom

Sunday, November 10 at 9 and at 11:30 in the Busey Conference Room

Tuesday, November 12 at 6 p.m. on Zoom

Contact: Martha Cox, 904.535.0420, marthacox726@gmail.com or Patrick Kimball, 904.859.5101, patrickkimball@yahoo.com

EVENTS

Sunday, October 27
River City Haunts for Kids
Grade 4 and Up

6 to 8 p.m.

Costumes optional.

Meet in Taliaferro Hall for dinner, then start the River City Haunts tour in the Sanctuary. More information in the Realm event registration.



Saturday, November 2
Live Watch Party: Investiture of
Presiding Bishop-elect
Sean Rowe

Taliaferro Hall

9:30 a.m. "Roll Call" of Diocese

11 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Light refreshments provided. Child care available, must be requested when registering.



All Saints Sunday, November 3

8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

All Saints' Day reminds us of the spiritual bond between heaven and earth. We will read the necrology and celebrate baptisms — the full circle of life in faith.

Sunday, November 3
Brass and Organ Concert
Tim Tuller and Bold City Brass

5 p.m. | Cathedral Nave

Works for organ and brass by Haydn, Gigout, Mussorgsky, and Gabrieli.

Reception following.

Saturday, November 9
Soul Gardening Dreamwork 2

9 a.m. to Noon | Cummings

We'll continue to focus on dreams. Participants should bring a dream to share. Led by Joe O'Shields and the Rev. Dr. Linda Privitera.



Sunday, November 10
Orange Park Chorale Presents
You Make My Heart Sing

4 p.m. | Cathedral Nave

A concert of Orange Park Chorale favorites, featuring the works of David Childs, Kyle Pedersen, Paul Simon, and Stephen Schwartz.

Thursday, November 14
The True Cost: Screening and
Discussion

6 to 8 p.m. | Taliaferro Hall

The True Cost is a powerful documentary that explores the hidden story behind the clothes we wear, the people who make them, and the environmental impact of the fashion industry.



Friday, November 15

Jazz in the Garden

5:30 to 7 p.m. | Interior Gardens

\$10 donation

Wine and charcuterie

Relax and unwind to the sounds of the North Florida Jazz Quartet

Saturday, November 23
Hymn Festival

5 p.m. | St. Philip's Episcopal Church

A night of joyous song, fellowship, and thanksgiving.

Save the Date

Thursday, November 28

Thanksgiving Eucharist and Potluck Lunch

10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

2024 Attender Survey



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