



Every Sunday at 9 a.m.

Breakfast, Taliaferro Hall

Join us for coffee, food, and fellowship.

Digital Disciples, Zoom

Sign up links for this online class are sent in the Eagle newsletter every Thursday.

Information for Parents

Hakimian Family Nursery (9 a.m.–12 p.m.)

Open for children up to 3 years old. Located near the reception desk in the lobby.

Family Service, Flex Café, and Faith Formation

A casual and interactive Family Service is held at 9 a.m. on the first Sunday of every month. On all other Sundays, families with children ages 4 through 5th grade may join us in Ingram Lounge for Sunday Flex Café from 9 to 10:15 a.m. At the start of the 10:30 a.m. service, children are invited to gather in the Narthex at the to join in the Procession and proceed to faith formation, rejoining their families at the Peace.

Blessings Bags

Available for children during 10:30 a.m. worship. Please return bags as you leave. If you would like a special bag curated for your child, please contact Felicia Bullock at fbullock@jaxcathedral.org

The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost | August 24, 2025 | 8 & 10:30 a.m.

*We are so glad that you have come to the Cathedral today. 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 offering plate that passes by halfway through the service, or hand it to an usher.*

∞ **THE HOLY EUCHARIST** ∞

Voluntary

Sonata No. 1 in D minor, Alexander Guilmant
II. Pastorale

At the sound of the bell, all stand.

Introit (10:30 a.m.)

O Bless the Lord, Ippolitof-Ivanof

O bless the Lord, o my soul; and all within me bless His name. O bless the Lord, o my soul; O sing His praise, and forget not all His benefits. O bless the Lord, o my soul; for He forgiveth thine iniquities. He redeemeth thy life from destruction, He crowneth thee with loving Kindness; As the Heav'n is high above the earth, so great is He. His mercy, His gentle mercy shall comfort and save thee.

In Procession, Hymn 368

"Holy Father, great Creator"
Regent Square

✻ THE LITURGY OF THE WORD ✻

Celebrant Blessed be God.
People Forever and ever. Amen.
Celebrant The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it.
People Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be glad.
Celebrant Our help is in the name of the Lord:
People The Maker of heaven and earth.
Celebrant I was glad when they said to me:
People "Let us go to the house of the Lord."
Celebrant The Spirit is here.
People The promise of God.

**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.

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit,
may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; 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

Jeremiah 1:4-10

Reader A reading from the Prophet Jeremiah.

The word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before
you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord
God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." But the Lord said to me, "Do not
say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I
command you, Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." Then the
Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words
in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull
down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

People The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

**In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; let me never be ashamed.
In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; incline your ear to me and save me.
Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; you are my crag and my stronghold.
Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, from the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor.
For you are my hope, O Lord God, my confidence since I was young.
I have been sustained by you ever since I was born; from my mother's womb you have been my strength; my praise shall be always of you.**

All stand.

LEVAS 196 (St. 1-2)

“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

The Holy Gospel

Luke 13:10-17

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

Now Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, “Woman, you are set free from your ailment.” When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, “There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day.” But the Lord answered him and said, “You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?” When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

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

LEVAS 196 (St. 3)

“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

All sit.

The Sermon

The Very Rev. Kate Moorehead Carroll

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, we could never have foreseen, or even begun to imagine, the immense gift that you gave us in the resurrection of your Son Jesus. We thank you for the gift of life eternal.

People Risen Christ,
Let us find our rest in you.

Leader We lift up all our worldly cares and concerns to you. Heal the sick, bless those who mourn, and comfort the lonely, the weary and those who despair.

People Risen Christ,
Let us find our rest in you.

Leader We ask you to grant peace to this whole world, to this country, to this city and to the streets of our urban core.

People Risen Christ,
Let us find our rest in you.

Leader We ask you to help us care for this planet with reverence and gratitude for all you have given us.

People Risen Christ,
Let us find our rest in you.

Leader We ask you to embrace the souls of those who have died.

People Risen Christ,
Let us find our rest in you.

Leader Raise us to a new life of glory, Lord Christ. Trusting in your everlasting love, may we learn to serve you in this life and glorify you in the life to come.

Risen Christ,

People **Let us find our rest in you.**

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.**

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.**

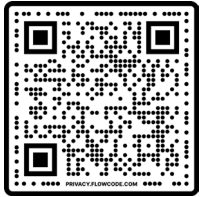
The Peace

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.)

Christ is our cornerstone, Noel Rawsthorne

Christ is our cornerstone on him alone we build; with his true saints alone the courts of heav'n are filled; on his great love our hopes we place of present grace and joy above. Here, gracious God, do thou forever more draw nigh; accept each faithful vow, and mark each suppliant sigh; in copious show'r on all who pray each holy day thy blessings pour. O then with hymns of praise these hallow'd courts shall ring; our voices will we raise the Three in One to sing; and thus proclaim in joyful song, both loud and long that glorious name.

Hymn 304 (St. 1-3)

"I come with joy to meet my Lord"
Land of Rest

The Great Thanksgiving

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 Father, you made the world and love your creation. You gave your Son Jesus Christ to be our Savior. His dying and rising have set us free from sin and death. And so we gladly thank you, with saints and angels praising you, and singing:

Sanctus S-130

Franz Schubert

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.

All stand or kneel.

Celebrant We praise and bless you, loving Father, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; and as we obey his command, send your Holy Spirit, that broken bread and wine outpoured may be for us the body and blood of your dear Son.

On the night before he died he had supper with his friends and, taking bread, he praised you. He broke the bread, gave it to them and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me."

When supper was ended he took the cup of wine. Again he praised you, 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. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

So, Father, we remember all that Jesus did, in him we plead with confidence his sacrifice made once for all upon the cross. Bringing before you the bread of life and cup of salvation, we proclaim his death and resurrection until he comes in glory. Great is the mystery of faith:

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

Celebrant Lord of all life, help us to work together for that day when your kingdom comes and justice and mercy will be seen in all the earth. Look with favor on your people, gather us in your loving arms and bring us with all the saints to feast at your table in heaven. Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory are yours, O loving Father, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

All And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,
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 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.

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. A socially distant communion table is set in the chapel to the left of the altar (the North Transsept). Intercessory prayers may be received at the Baptismal Font.

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

Organ Balm in Gilead, Arr. Steven Branyon

Hymn 685 “Rock of ages, cleft for me”
Toplady

Psalm 103:1-7 John Camidge, Jr.

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.

The Blessing

Celebrant The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

All stand.

In Procession, Hymn 376 “Joyful, joyful, we adore thee”
Hymn to Joy

The Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Voluntary Fanfare, Jaques Lemmens



The flowers at the High Altar are given to the glory of God.

❧ 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.

❧ OUR CLERGY AND VESTRY ❧

- The Very Rev. Kate Moorehead Carroll, Dean
- The Rev. Canon Mark S. Anderson, Vicar
- The Rev. Dr. Linda Privitera, Associate Priest of Theology and the Arts
- The Rev. Saundra Kidd, Deacon for Pastoral Care and Outreach
- The Rev. Thomas O'Dell, Associate Priest for Welcome and Engagement
- Vestry: Steve Busey, Chancellor; John Sefton, Subchancellor; Martha Cox, Sr. Warden; Patrick Kimball, Jr. Warden; John Bass, Donna Walker Bell, John Erstling, Glenn Guiler, Paige Hakimian, Lewis Hunt, Lisa McKenna, Laura Jane Pittman, Louis Russo, Adam Smith, Shane Williams
- Timothy Tuller, Canon for Music

❧ EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS ❧

- **St. Mary's Food Pantry:** Thank you for continually and faithfully giving to St. Mary's Food Pantry. You can find their list of their most-needed items at stmarysjax.org/outreach.
- **Adopt an Elementary Student with Kim's Open Door - August 1 - August 31:** Through education, the arts, nutrition, athletics and strategic events, Kim's Open Door offers a safe space for immigrant, refugee, homeless, and foster children to transform lives and our community. One child needs: Safety Scissors, a 24-pack of Crayons, 2 Plastic Folders, Pencils, a Pencil Box, Glue Stick, Erasers, and 3 Composition Books. Shop tax-free school supplies this August!
- **Saying Goodbye Remembrance Service, Wednesday, August 27 (5:30 p.m., Cummings Chapel):** Join St. John's Cathedral, Saying Goodbye, and Mariposa International for a service of remembrance. This service is for anyone who has lost a baby in pregnancy, at birth, or in early years, whether the loss was yesterday or 80 years ago. This event is also for those grieving who have never been able to conceive.
- **Faith and Film: *The Biggest Little Farm*, Thursday, August 28 (6-8 p.m., Taliaferro Hall):** An opportunity to lift our spirits as we look at eco-collaboration and diversity. **Green Spirits and the LGBTQ+ Fellowship** invite you to see *The Biggest Little Farm*, an award-winning documentary about Apricot Lane Farm. Popcorn and other treats will be provided. No charge, no need to register. All are welcome.
- **OneBlood Blood Drive, Sunday, August 31 (9 a.m.-12 p.m.):** The Big Red Bus will be on Market Street. All donors receive a \$20 gift card, top-handle drinkware, and a wellness checkup. Please bring your ID and eat a good breakfast before donating.
- **Together Again Sunday:** On **Sunday, September 7**, we invite you to enjoy this chance to simply be together as a community. Plan to stay after the **10:30 a.m.** service to enjoy some barbeque, live music, and a joyful homecoming, complete with a bouncy house, face-painting and games for the children!

We invite you to join us for lunch in Taliaferro Hall following the 10:30 a.m. service. For more information about upcoming events, our bookstore, the Center for Wellbeing, music, pastoral care, and more, please use your phone to scan the QR code. We look forward to seeing you again soon!

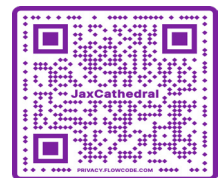
Cathedral Bookstore Hours
M-F 10am-2pm
Sunday: 11:30am-12:30pm

Follow the Center for Wellbeing on social media for updates and announcements!

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 **Center For Wellbeing at St. John's Cathedral**



Ministry Highlights of the Week

- **Kids at the Core Children's Formation:** Together, we can build a community where children grow in faith, joy, and belonging! Volunteers are needed to share their gifts in weekly kids' formation (nursery through 5th grade), event planning and support, crafts and snacks prep, The Cathedral School Tuesday enrichment, and more. Your time and heart can inspire the next generation! Background check and training are required for volunteers who interact with children and youth. For more information, contact **Felicia Bullock at fbullock@jaxcathedral.org**.
- **Faith at the Core Youth Formation:** Youth Formation kicks off on September 7th in our new Youth Room, located in the basement of the Cathedral House! Help guide youth on their spiritual journey by assisting with weekly formation as a Youth Mentor. Parishioners are also invited to donate snacks and games, or volunteer by helping plan activities, chaperone, or provide dinner for group activities. Background check and training required for all children and youth volunteers. For more information, contact **Megan Cochran at mchochran@jaxcathedral.org**.