# St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

# Parish Chimes

An Ancient Faith for a Modern World

May 2018



# From the Rector

Dear Friends,

I love this time of the year! The weather is warm but not too hot yet. The plants and flowers are blooming their little hearts out—which is good news for all but the lawn guys. May is one of those pivotal months of the year. It is this month temperature-wise that separates spring time from summer time. It is in this month that school kids are counting down weeks and then days until school is out. It is in this month we celebrate Pentecost and move into ordinary time. It is a great time of the year.

Easter and Easter season are a great and wonderful time. I love the joy and celebration of the Easter Vigil, the ringing of the bells, the hearing again of St. Chrysostom's Easter sermon; I love the joy and celebration of Easter Day! I enjoy the whole of Easter season. I like talking about the resurrection and what the implications are for us since Jesus rose from the dead. But we cannot stay there. Life goes on. While we continue to say Alleluia and we will continue to be joyful that Jesus rose from the dead, we will begin to change focus.

On May 20<sup>th</sup> we will celebrate Pentecost. On this great day we remember and celebrate that Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to dwell within and among his people. The reason this is so momentous is because it is from this time on that God began to dwell IN us. Do you remember that John the Baptist told the crowds that the one who followed him, the Christ, would baptize with fire and the Holy Spirit? But while Jesus was here on earth, he did

not baptize even with water. But it is here, at Pentecost that he sends the Holy Spirit upon his followers. Here it is when men and women are filled with the very Spirit of God. It is because of God's Spirit within us that we are able to follow and trust God. God's Spirit within us is what gives us the new life Jesus promised. It is through God's Spirit that we are able to feel God's presence. It is through God's Spirit that we are able to be directed by God and know his leading. It is through God's Spirit that we are gifted for serving those around us so that we are able to truly love and be concerned for the welfare of others. This is why Pentecost is such a great day!

From this day until Advent we are in the season after Pentecost. Our vestments and altar hangings all change to green from the red of Pentecost. Why do you suppose everything turns green? They turn green because green is the color of growth. Through the power of the Holy Spirit within us we are to be following and trusting God more; we are to be growing in the new life he gave us.

May is a wonderful month! May we continue to grow ever closer to God through knowing Jesus our Lord better by the power of God's Holy Spirit!

Warmly in Christ,

Fr. Lance

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# The Deacon's Bench

Deacon Ludwig Wallner RUBRICS



If you can pronounce the word Rubric (pronounced Roobrik) you are using a word from the Latin meaning "red".

According to the Oxford American Dictionary the word Rubric means (1) a direction for the conduct of divine service in a liturgical book, (2) a heading or passage in red or special lettering or (3) explanatory words.

Rubrics are directions which are found in our Prayer Book about the conduct of how a worship service should be conducted. At one time these instructions were always printed in red to have them stand out. Rubrics may be found at the beginning of a service, or at various points throughout the service and in some cases at the end.

The altar book which is used during our worship service has instructions or directions (rubrics) printed in red whereas in our Book of Common Prayer the rubrics are printed in italics

So how do Rubrics add to the worship service? Turning to page 355 in the BCP the first sentence states "A hymn, psalm, or anthem may be sung". The important word is "may" which allows this to be optional.

The second sentence is "The people standing, the Celebrant says" Notice that there is no option in this instruction – the people stand – the Celebrant says.

Turning to page 359 in the BCP under The Prayers of the People it states "*Prayer is offered with intercession for*" then there is a list of who and what we pray for. Also at the end of this section it states if there is no communion or priest available it instructs the leader to conclude the service following the instructions on page 406.

At the top of page 360 the rubric "the Deacon or Celebrant says" meaning if a Deacon is available they invite the people to confession.

Throughout our entire service there are instructions (rubrics) which are to be followed by the Celebrant and by the people or by both. On page 362, the rubric is "Celebrant and people" meaning everyone says the prayer: this is followed by "The people stand or kneel". Most of us kneel at this point in the service but the preferred instruction is to remain standing.

Page 366 has the rubric for the Deacon to

dismiss the people at the end of the service. It als has the Rubric which states "From the Easter Vigil through the Day of Pentecost "Alleluia, alleluia may be added to the dismissal" This is why the dismissal changes at different times of the year.

The rubrics have been added to our worship service to enhance the worship of God. Might I suggest that each of us take a couple of moments and read through our worship service to become familiar with the rubrics which tell us what to do and when.

# Sr. Warden's Remarks



Craig Gates, Sr. Warden

Welcome everyone to the enjoyable weather of May! April was an active and fulfilling month and as we shift into our May activity schedule we work our way into summer. Adult Bible Study will continue through the month of May, so you still have time to expand your scriptural knowledge.

May 5 we will have our funeral service for Betty Audette. Betty was one of our founding members and was loved by all. She served God and St. Andrew's and set an example as a Christian with joy and love in her heart. For me, she was the first person I met at St. Andrew's and the reason I kept coming back. I will always be grateful and thankful for the blessing of her in my life. I am sure many of you have your own memories of how she touched your lives. She will be greatly missed but never forgotten. The Christian seeds she planted here are still growing.

Our May 20 Pentecost Sunday will include our 1<sup>st</sup>, and hopefully annual, chili cook-off as well as our youth recognition Sunday. Debbie Smith will give us more details as we get closer to this special day so get your favorite chili recipes ready!

I look forward to seeing you in church and worshipping together.

### Jr. Warden's Remarks

Hal Smith, Jr. Warden

Spring is here and our campus looks great. Spring clean-up was a success. Our buildings are in good shape and I think we're ready for the spring and summer. Last

spring and summer we were busy with project after project. This year I hope we can enjoy our facilities because of these efforts. We still have a few projects to complete but nothing like last year. We are always looking for volunteers to work on the grounds. If you are interested, see me or write me a note of your interest. Again, thank you to all who participated in the clean-up. God bless you and our church.

## **Ministry News**

#### **Altar Guild**

Glee Gates, Coordinator



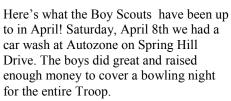
Hello Fellow Parishioners! How is it possible that May is already here? The time goes by so quickly and we are seeing our snowbirds fly north for the summer. We miss so many of our volunteers during the summer months that sometimes we do double duty to make up for them. If you would like information on ways to serve, there are booklets in the Narthex explaining our different ministries or you may contact the office.

The Sacristy still needs some finishing touches but we have been able to move back in after 8 months! It is glorious to finally have a place for everything and everything in its place. I would like to extend a special thank you to all the members of the Altar Guild and Diane Wallace for making the Holy Week celebrations run so smoothly in my absence.

Thank you all so very much for your service to St. Andrew's and to the Altar Guild! To our snow birds, may you enjoy your travels and return to us safely in the fall.

## **Boy Scouts**

Debbie Smith



Saturday, April 14th we helped with an oyster reef development project in Hernando Beach. We helped fill 2300 bags of

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oysters last month and then helped drop them in the gulf where they will start to attract oyster eggs which will then begin growing and filtering the water, Eventually it will be strong enough to stabilize a part of the coast line, and also attract coral and many fish to the area.

April 20 - 22 the Troop went camping with a Cub Scout pack and on Saturday evening attended a ceremony in which two new scouts crossed over to Boy Scouts and joined our Troop!



#### **Sunday School**

Miss Susan, Miss Colleen & Miss Jeanie



He is risen! All of us hope that you all had a joyful Easter. Our topics in Sunday School about this Festive season involved "Seeing is Believing" i.e., "Is It Jesus or a Ghost?", "Who is Doubting Thomas", and the true meaning of our Shepherd, his flock of sheep and the identity of the wolf. Our Gratitude Jar continues to grow.

# Thrift Shop



Hello fellow parishioners! My name is Norman Neill and I volunteer at St. Andrew's Thrift Store, also known as Karen's Kit and Kaboodle. I don't see a lot of you at the store, maybe because you don't know much about it. We are supplied by donations from our own parishioners and from the general public. We get many useful and beautiful items from jewelry to power tools, housewares to clothing, and everything in between! Please come in and have a look around. If you have spare time to share with us, we are in dire need of volunteers to help. We are open Monday through Friday from 10:00 am to 3:45 pm and Saturday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. You may not realize that a large portion of our volunteers are not members of St. Andrew's Church. I find it

sad that we have so few members who can help out. You do not have to work a full shift. If you can give us 2-3 hours a week, that would be a great help! Please come and visit us to see what we do and what we have to offer.

Always yours in Christ,

Norman

#### **Music Ministry**

Jody Bowes Minister of Music



May is the last month for the choir to sing before we take our traditional summer break. Rehearsals will resume the third Thursday in August. We've had a productive program year, learning new music, growing our choral proficiency, and sharing in fellowship. Our ministry is based on offering contemplative and joyful musical "prayers" during worship. We especially enjoyed the Christmas and Easter seasons, and are grateful for those parishioners who added their voices to our joyful chorus for these special holidays. We all loved hearing our children sing the "Roman Soldier" song on Easter Sunday, and look forward to having them sing again on May 20th for Youth Recognition Sunday.

Also in May, our choir will present two new anthems, "Gloria Patri" by Keith Christopher, and "Blessed Are They" by Joel Raney. We hope you will continue to be blessed by the messages our music offers to our Lord. If you play an instrument or sing but can't be part of Sanctuary choir, I hope you will share your love of music with us during the summer. Each Sunday at the 10:30 am service we welcome soloists or small groups to provide music at the Offertory or during Communion. I have a sign-up sheet waiting for you! May you all have a blessed month. In His Service, Jody

# Order of St. Luke

Lisa Brooks Secretary



All members of OSL will be attending the funeral of Betty Audette. She was a founding member of St. Andrew's OSL and the church as well. Her funeral will be held at the church on Saturday, May 5th at 11:00 a.m.

#### **AARP**

Edna Wood

A big thank you to St.Andrew's - parishioners, staff, and AARP TaxAide volunteers!

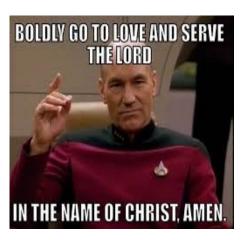
Our Hernando group supported 5 sites which electronically processed 1,627 returns and 120 paper returns from February 1st through April 15th. St. Andrew's ranked 3rd in volume having done 339. Other sites were Grace World @ 249; 1st UMC @ 324; High Point @ 353; and Brookridge @ 362.

It was unfortunate that many had to be turned away due to a shortage of preparers. We hope you will keep this ministry in mind and become a volunteer next filing season. Training is held here in the parish hall, usually meeting several times for a total of 7 days. For those new to the system additional training is held for as many days as one feels necessary. All equipment is provided to you for the season. Next year should be an interesting one with all the legislative changes passed in 2017 and expected to be implemented for 2018 filings.

To volunteer or for more information, please see me after the 10:30 service or contact me at 352-556-2478 or via email: 74ejwood@gmail.com (the most effective tool to use as we are snowbirds.

I look forward to serving our church and our community again next season and sincerely hope you will join me.

In loving service, EDNA E. WOOD Lead Instructor, AARP Taxaide





LOCATION KEY

C =Church CH = Coulton Hall KH=Krysher Hall

L = Library
TS = Thrift Shop

SC = Chapel/Class Room in Narthex MG = Memorial Garden

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	9:15 Preschool Reading 10 am HE II & Healing Prayers 6 pm Youth Group (KH)	9:00 am Back- packs 6 pm Choir	4 Office Closed	5 11 am Betty Audette's Funeral Service 4 pm HE II 5 pm AF (SC)
6 8 am HE II 9:15 am AF (SC) 9:45 am Jr. I 10:15 am SS 10:30 am HE II 12:30 pm Ultreya (KH)	7	8 Thrift Shop Bag Sale	9:15 Preschool Reading 10 am HE II & Healing Prayers 1:30 & 6:00 Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (Skating or Bowling)	9:00 am Back- packs 6 pm Choir	11 Office Closed	12 10 am DOK (KH) 4 pm HE I 5 pm AF (SC)
13 8 am HE II 9:15 am AF (SC) 9:45 am Jr. I 10:15 am SS 10:30 am HE II	14	15	9:15 Preschool Reading 10 am HE II & Healing Prayers 1:30 & 6:00 Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (KH)	9 am Back- packs 6 pm Choir	18 Office Closed	19 4 pm HE II 5 pm AF (SC)
20 Youth Recognition Sunday 8 am HE II 9:15 am AF (SC) 9:45 am Jr. I 10:15 am SS 10:30 am HE II 12:00 am Chili Cook- off 12:15 pm OSL Meeting (KH)	21	CHIMES Articles & Schedules Due SUMMER ISSUE	9:15 am Preschool Reading 10 am HE II and Healing Prayers 12:00 pm Pastoral Care (KH) 1:30 & 6:00 Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (KH)	24 9 am Back- packs 6 pm Choir	25 Office Closed	26 4 pm HE II 5 pm AF (SC)
27 8 am HE II 9:15 am AF (SC) 10:30 am HE II 12:30 pm Vestry (SC)	28	29	9:15 am Preschool Reading 10 am HE II and Healing Prayers 12:00 pm Pastoral Care (KH) 1:30 & 6:00 Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (Picnic and Swim)	31		















#### EVENT KEY

 $\mathbf{AF} = \text{Adult Formation}$ 

**BP** = Back Packs

 $\mathbf{DOK} = \mathbf{Daughters}$  of the King

**FOL** = Friends of the Library

**GS** = Grief Share

**HE** = Holy Eucharist

**JrI** = Junior Inquirers

**OSL** = Order of St. Luke

**SS** = Sunday School

**YI** = Youth Inquirers

 $\mathbf{YM} = \text{Youth Ministry}$ 

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **MAY EVENTS**

Sunday, May 6

12:30 pm Ultreyla (K)

Tuesday, May 8

12:30 pm Friends of Witt Library

Saturday, May 12

10:00 am DOK (K)

Sunday, May 20

10:30 am Youth Recognition Sunday

12:00 pm Chili Cook-off

12:15 pm OSL (K)

Wednesday, May 23

12:00 pm Pastoral Care (K)

Sunday, May 27

12:30 pm Vestry (SC)

#### **JUNE EVENTS**

Sunday, June 3

9:30 am Eucharist on the Beach 12:30 pm Ultreyla (K)

# PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MEN & WOMEN SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES AT HOME & OVERSEAS:

Keith Barroncini, Julian Barry, Joseph Beatty, Brian Cain, Martin Clausen, James Cole, Neil Crawn, Krista Crosetto, Jason Daniels, Myriaha Diaz, Olivia Clair, Warren Fedoryk, Daniel Fitch, Shawn Fitch, Howard Gidden, Sean Gilbert, Donald Harris, Dwayne Hamblin, Roger Handy, Andrew Hammatt, Doug Henderson, Joseph Kee, Amy Kelly, Kristina Langley, Skip LaPointe, Cade Mulrooney, Jacob Poma, Rhett Roy, Tracy Thomas, Courtney Foster McCorvey, Peter Turner, & Mary Turner.

Please call the office with updates to this list.

## May Lectionary

#### May 6

Sixth Sunday of Easter Acts 10:44-48 1 John 5:1-6 John 15:9-17 Psalm 98

#### May 13

Seventh Sunday of Easter Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 1 John 5:9-13 John 17:6-19 Psalm 1

#### May 20

Day of Pentecost Ezekiel 37:1-14 Acts 2:1-21 John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15 Psalm 104:25-35, 37

#### May 27

Trinity Sunday Isaiah 6:1-8 Romans 8:12-17 John 3:1-17 Canticle 2



Did you know that the hymn, "Amazing Grace" was written by an Anglican priest, the Rev. John Newton (1725–1807)? PAGE 6 MAY CHIMES 2018

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

John Follansbee, Treasurer As of March 31, 2018

	This Month	Year to Date	2018 Budget
Povonuos	THIS WIGHT	Teal to Date	2010 Duuget
Revenues	24 201 12	04.470.04	257 252 22
Core Church	31,381.12	-	357,252.00
Thrift Shop	6,097.53	·	55,300.00
Total Revenues	37,478.65	108,531.39	412,552.00
Expenses			
Core Church	33,041.43	100,426.88	369,221.82
Thrift Shop	1,670.20	5,238.91	17,009.41
Total Expenses	34,711.63	105,665.79	386,231.23
Net Gain/Loss			
Core Church	(1,660.31)	(8,953.87)	(11,969.82)
Thrift Shop	4,427.33	11,819.47	38,290.59
Total	2,767.02	2,865.60	26,320.77
Investments		Bank Accounts	
SSGA	111,991.44	Sun Trust	
Alliance Bernstein	33,429.75	Unrestricted	9,618.43
		Restricted	252,129.35
		Discretionary	1,083.45
Total	145,421.19	Total	262,831.23
Diocesan Loan			
Balance			

## Food Pantry Shopping List

This is our staples list, other items appreciated.

Mac 'n cheese Spaghetti Cereal Pancake Mix Pancake Syrup

Cans or jars
Peanut Butter
Jelly
Pasta Sauce
Chicken Noodle soup
Tomato soup
Tuna
Corn
Green beans
Pork 'n beans
Canned peaches
Hotdogs

If you wish to make a monetary contribution, we will shop for you. We do most of our shopping at Save A Lot.

Thanks so much for helping our community families.

## **Parish Register**

April Attendance						
Week Ending Sat./Sunday	* Other Services	Sat. 4 pm	Sunday 8 am	Sunday 10:30 am	Total	
March 31/April 1	*214		145	175	534	
April 7/8		45	35	145	225	
April 14/15		39	36	122	197	
April 21/22	*58	41	35	137	281	
April 28/29		44	30	117	191	
TOTAL	272	169	281	696	1428	

#### April 2018

Transfers in: 1 Transfers out: 0

Deaths: Betty Audette 4/11/18

Funerals: Lillian Miller 4/13/18

Baptisms: 0

Weddings: Raymond & Barbara White

4/21/18

Anointings: 107

## **Bulletin Board**

Meetings, Event News, etc.

If you would like more information about our ministries please pick up a copy of the Serving Opportunities brochure or call the church office.



- 1 Art Giordano
- 1 Raymond Curtis
- 1 Craig Meissner
- 1 Sue Monday
- 2 Suzanne Bland
- 2 Tammi Fernandez
- 3 Anne Frederick
- 3 Dylan Meissner
- 4 Ileta Monahan
- 6 Jane McCarthy
- 7 Robert Moyes
- 11 Carol Tucker
- 13 Russell Julian
- 14 Bill Kepner
- 14 Esther Nawrocki
- 18 Jerrelyn Fortin
- 19 Jim Dodge
- 19 Janie Fritz

- 20 Diane Atkins
- 21 James Bethoney
- 22 Jerry Yoerg
- 24 Ed Risley
- 25 Jose Mendoza
- 25 Deb Wilks
- 26 George Hamblin
- 26 Fr. Don Lillpopp
- 26 Juliana Woodworth
- 27 Barbara Warren
- 28 Cameron Fitch
- 28 Sarah Shaw
- 29 Anita Cockill
- 29 Pat Johnson
- 29 Tina Ogden



#### Need a name tag?

#### Membership transferred?

#### Other information?

Your church office can help with that! We're available from Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm. Whether you call, email, or stop by, we're happy to help!

Pastoral Care meets every other month

at noon in Krysher Hall.

The next meeting will be on May 23rd.





- 2 Jean & John Wimpenney
- 7 Leslie & John Nabil
- 8 Susan & Russell Meissner
- 8 Lucia & Tiberio Cevallos
- 13 Margie & Bob Burton
- 14 Tammi & Danny Fernandez
- 18 Elke & James Mullen
- 18 Karen & Ed Risley
- 23 Michelle & Craig Meissner
- 23 Fr. Lance & Diane Wallace
- 24 Carolyn & Irving Melber
- 27 Phylis & Paul Mercer

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#### **Sunday Services**

8 am Service (no music)
9:15 am Adult Formation Class
9:45 Jr. Inquirers
10:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Service (music)

#### **Saturday Services**

4 pm Service (no music) 5 pm Adult Formation Class

#### Wednesday Services

I0 am Service
with prayers for healing
II am to I pm Food Pantry open
I:30 and 6 pm Adult Bible Study
6 pm Youth Ministry

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon.-Thurs. 9 am -2 pm (Closed Friday)

#### **Diocese Website**

www.episcopalswfl.org

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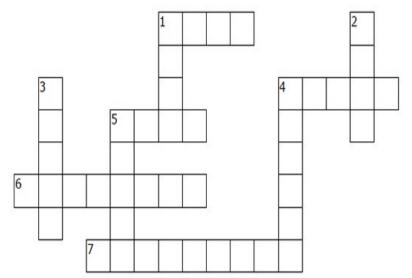
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## The Day of Pentecost

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Acts 2:4 (NIV)

Based on Acts 2:1-21





#### ACROSS

- 1. A destructive burning
- 4. Something that can be heard
- Something that is pure and good, such as God's Word
- Means of communication used by the people of a particular country
- 7. The day the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles

#### DOWN

- 1. Make something to be full
- Blowing air, especially that which would move the leaves on a tree
- 3. To say words, to use the voice
- 4. A being that cannot be seen, like a ghost
- 5. A building which people live in

FILL	HOUSE	SPEAK	WIND	LANGUAGE
SOUND	SPIRIT	PENTECOST	HOLY	FIRE