# St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

# Parish Chimes

An Ancient Faith for a Modern World

January 2020



# From the Rector

Calendars are a fascinating study. We are beginning a new calendar year this month—Happy 2020! We began a new church year at the beginning of December and we are now half-way through our program year. At the end of this month we have our annual meeting and then our church budget year begins. Calendars are ways we use to mark off the time in our lives. We see in the Scriptures that calendars are gifts from God. He gave us ways to mark time through the seasons, through the movements of the moon and through the changing of the stars in the night sky. It is important for us to make marks in time so that we make time for celebrations, a time to reach a goal, and time to remember God. If we did not have calendars, all days would be the same and that is not what God wants. That's why he had the ancient Hebrews have one day a week as a holy day. Every week they were to set that one day aside; they were to treat it differently than all the other days of the week. On that day they were to spend time with God; they were to spend time resting; they were to spend time with each other. Then throughout the year God had his people set other days aside for special purposes. We do the same thing still, don't we? It is still important for us to set time aside to worship God, and to celebrate and to make our goals.

Speaking of making time for celebrations every year at St. Andrew's we stop on the first Sunday after Epiphany, January 5, and celebrate our church's birthday. Betty Audette used to tell me that the first Sunday after Epiphany is not really our church's birthday; our real birthday is on June 29<sup>th</sup> when we were officially formed by Bishop Hargrave in 1971. However, if we were to wait to celebrate until June 29<sup>th</sup> much of our congregation would not be here. So

we want to celebrate when all of us are here. This year for our birthday as always we have much to celebrate! On this day we celebrate and thank our many, many volunteers, we announce our Volunteer of the Year, and celebrate our clergy anniversaries.

Another purpose of calendars is to help us make goals. Our Vestry makes goals every year at the annual vestry retreat. Our retreat takes place the first weekend of February and we spend time Friday evening and Saturday together talking and making goals for the year. Over the years we have planned for physical needs of our church, the projectors and screens; the narthex, the pews, the renovation of the sacristy, and most recently the flooring of Krysher Hall. We plan for spiritual needs as well by considering what we can do as a church to encourage people to come to know the Lord Jesus and learn to follow him better.

A new year always starts with such promise. And even though one would think in 2020 we would have perfect vision, (I really had to put in at least one pun for this year) we do not know what will really happen. We have hopes, expectations, and perhaps fears. Yet what will be has yet to be discovered and experienced. Scripture tells us that God's mercies are new every morning! We know God can be trusted because He is faithful.

This coming year may you desire to experience God's presence more in your life and may your desire to serve God grow. And pray for St. Andrew's

that we will grow so that we can continue to help our church community, our Spring Hill community, and even those throughout the world.

Warmly in Christ,

Fr. Lance+

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## **About Our Vestry:**

Who are the vestry and what do they do? Similar to our Liturgical Moments I thought perhaps this would be helpful as we approach another vestry election. The vestry is a group of 9 people from our church membership who typically serve for 3 years. They are the legal representatives and agents of our St. Andrew's parish and share leadership responsibilities with the rector. These people make decisions concerning the budget and then approve the church budget before it goes to the annual meeting to be approved by the congregation. They help me make decisions about church direction and priorities. They also let me know problems that they see in the church and recommend how these problems can be solved.

The people that I look for to serve on the vestry are as follows: I first look for people who love our Lord Jesus and want His church here at St. Andrew's to grow. Secondly I want people who are involved in trying to grow spiritually through regular church attendance and through attending Adult Bible study, Adult Formation, or another study like the Men's group or Belle's studies. And then I want people who are already involved in church ministries. We do not need people who are side-line coaches. We need people who are involved and already serving in the church in some way. And finally I look for people who have a heart for others, who are concerned about those around them in church. Did you know that our vestry members pray weekly, some of them daily, for people in our church? It is true. Your current vestry members are wonderful leaders! This coming annual meeting I hope you will vote more people like them to serve on this coming year's vestry.

This year the following vestry positions are up for election: Craig Gates, Maureen Follansbee, and Dale Hatch all 3 year positions and then Carolyn Wallner and Jackie Ruth (temporarily filled by Nancy Cotter) which are one year positions. So there are five positions that will be voted upon. There are currently 6 candidates. The ones with the 3 highest number of votes will take the 3 year positions. The two with the next highest number of votes will take the one year positions and the one with the least amount of votes will be the vestry alternate.

# Sr. Warden's Remarks

Craig Gates, Sr. Warden

Welcome to 2020!

May this year be filled with God's blessings for you and St. Andrew's.

January will continue to be a busy month for us. Our annual birthday and Epiphany celebrations, pot lucks, and annual parish meeting will provide opportunities for us to reflect on how God is working through us and our church as well as time for good food and fellowship with friends. Remember that our parish meeting will be held on January 26th after the 10:30 service. We will be electing new vestry members, your convention delegates, and presenting our annual report. We hope you will attend and show your support to those who represent you and St. Andrews Church. Lunch will be provided so watch the bulletin for information as it becomes available.

This will be my final Chimes article as your Senior Warden. The past 6 years has been a meaningful and memorable experience. The vestry members are dedicated to St. Andrews and have worked tirelessly to keep our church strong and vital both now and provide for the future. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you and for the spiritual growth I have experienced as your warden.

I encourage you to keep reading and reflecting on God's word and putting it into practice. Take advantage of our meaningful Bible study and adult formation classes. Remember, when we become a blessing to others, we bring glory to God.

I look forward to worshiping with you each week.

## Ministry News

#### Altar Guild

Glee Gates, Coordinator



Hello and Happy New Year to you all. It has been a very busy time for the Altar Guild and once again, I thank each of you for the generous gift of your time to prepare for our special services. We thank the following who assisted the Altar Guild during

December in preparation of the Bishop's visit and in making the church festive and welcoming for the holidays: The decorating committee for preparing and hanging wreaths and other adornments, all volunteers who assisted in placing the poinsettias, for our Sr. Warden, Craig Gates, for setting up and removing the aisle candle stands and storing wreaths and other decorations and Jerry and Gail Niedurny for the use of their crèche. We thank Fr. Lance, Diane and Deacon Ludwig for joining us at our holiday brunch.

As we moved out of Advent and into Christmas, the beautiful blue was changed to white to signify purity, joy and truth for the birth of our Lord Jesus.

With the New Year, we once again ask you to consider joining our Altar Guild. We not only prepare for all the regular services, we also make preparations for special services such as when Bishop Howe visited. We prepare for Baptisms, Confirmations, receptions, funerals and of course all the additional services of the holidays. If you would like more information on how to become involved in this ministry, please contact Glee Gates at the 4:00 service or Patti Werner at the 10:30 service. If you are not able to reach one of us contact Fr. Lance for more information. We look forward to your support of the Altar Guild and St. Andrew's in 2020!

## Pastoral Care Ministry





The Pastoral Care Ministry wishes you all a Happy New Year and a continuation of the joy and blessings of the holiday season. We are dedicated to bringing the presence of Christ to parishioners that are unable to come to regular services either on a temporary or on-going basis. The recent Bishop's visit was wonderful and we hope our new members prayerfully consider joining our ministry.

Many of our members are licensed Lay Eucharistic Visitors and bring communion. Some of our members also belong to the Order of Saint Luke and pray and anoint for healing. However, it is not necessary to be or do either. Our goal is to bring the presence of Christ and the caring of our congregation to our fellow

brothers and sisters in Christ. Many of the visits can consist of a short friendly visit bringing bulletins, newsletters, cards and small gifts, prayer and or reading Bible passages if the parishioner is unable to do so.

Training and screening is required of anyone wishing to join this rewarding and important ministry. If you are interested in learning more please call Janet Crisfield at 352-796-9389 or Father Lance at the church 352-683-2010.

## Our next meeting is Wednesday January 22 at 12 noon in the chapel.

Reminder: we cannot visit you or your loved one if we do not know you need a visit. The laws and guidelines are very strict and facilities cannot let us know if you are there or not. You or a family member or friend must call the office and let us know. The office staff is very conscientious about letting Father Lance and me know.

If you need or know of a fellow parishioner that could benefit from this ministry please call the church at 352-683-2010.

#### **Sunday School**

Miss Susan, Miss Colleen & Miss Jeanie



We welcomed the season of Advent. We discussed the need for preparation for Christ's coming and the meaning of the motto: "Be Prepared". We talked about the need for having patience while waiting and watching for Jesus, i.e. the meaning of Christ in Christmas. Gifts are part of our Christmas tradition and we should never forget the significance of the gifts that Jesus brought and continues to bring in our lives.



# Congregational Administrators



The Congregational

Adminitrators, Mike Ludwell, Sharon Dunham and Glee Gates all wish to thank those of you who stepped up to volunteer for our special holiday services. We would also like to thank Lisa in the office for compiling the schedules. Meeting the needs, not only for the additional services but also the higher attendance at each service, required many helpers. We had volunteers who served in more than one capacity and during more than one service. Thank you so much to each of you for the generous giving of your time to St. Andrew's especially during this holiday season!

# The Belles of St. Andrew's

Connie Mehr

The Belles had a fun time decorating our tree at the Botanical Gardens on December 7! We even got a chance to talk with Santa! Afterward, we went to Weeki Wachee Candy Company for brunch.



On December 14, the Belles went to see the play "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever" at the Live Oak Theater Company. It was a cute play and everyone enjoyed it.

The Belles will meet on Saturday, January 18 at 2:00 in Krysher Hall to play card games. During the card playing, there will be various foods to taste (and perhaps some beverages). There will be <u>no</u> Belles Discussion Group in January. We are looking at changing the format and, perhaps, a day and time change. Watch the bulletin for more information.

Any Belle who would like to plan, organize and execute any event is encouraged to do so. Let Connie know of any ideas you have.

For more information on these or other Belles events, please contact Connie Mehr (352) 593-4789.

# Angel Tree Connie Mehr



We had 31 families with a total of 98 children to provide gifts for. And our congregation certainly came through! Your generosity was overwhelming! And a BIG thank you to all who came to help wrap almost 500 presents which we accomplished in 3 hours! This ministry takes a lot of work and organization but is worth it when we think of the faces of the children opening these presents on Christmas Day!





#### By-laws Revision

This coming January in our Annual Meeting the vestry is proposing a revision to our church By-laws. As per the by-laws this has to be announced at least 3 weeks before the meeting. The proposed revision is as follows: Change the name of Article 6 from Endowment Fund to Investment Reserve Fund. Further change the article to read "Responsibility for investment reserve funds resides within the Vestry. Funds can be managed through an investment company, endowment management company, diocesan investment trust, Episcopal Church Foundation or a St. Andrew's Committee." The current wording is as follows: "Responsibility for endowment funds and quasi endowment funds resides within the Vestry. Funds can be managed through an investment company, endowment management company, diocesan investment trust, Episcopal Church Foundation or a St. Andrew's Committee."

The reason for this revision is the Diocese has requested our by-laws to be changed. The reason they gave us is as follows: 'The issue here is terminology. An endowment is a very specific item with restrictions for usage. It seems this account is not an endowment and the vestry does not want it treated as an endowment. Therefore, the name of the account should be changed. As it is now, the name is misleading to those wishing to contribute to it." The diocese recommended that we change the name to Investment Reserve Fund to reflect how it is currently be treated by the vestry.

The account being discussed is the church's SSGA investment account. The vestry some five years ago designated that the church should keep at least 100,000 as a minimum. Monies over that amount may, at the vestry's discretion, be used for ministry, outreach, or other uses as it so designates. Currently the balance in this account is at \$109,000.

### **VESTRY NOMINATION QUESTIONAIRES**

Want to know who's running for Vestry this year?
We gave questionnaire forms out to the nominees so now we can all get to know a little bit about them!

#### **VESTRY QUESTIONNAIRE:** JANIE FRITZ

#### Why do you want to serve as a Vestry member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church?

My church is my home away from home! I feel I can help keep St. Andrew's moving in the right direction and help other members realize it as their home as well. I would like to be a part of the decision-making for our church.

#### What are your qualifications for this position?

My devotion to St. Andrew's has intensified as the years have passed. My experience on the vestry in the past helps me understand what is involved in the workings of the vestry.

#### Tell us a little about yourself and your faith:

I am a cradle Episcopalian and have never strayed from my faith. My husband, Tom, and my three children share in this faith.

#### What do you love about our church?

I love the service and every aspect of it. I have enjoyed thoroughly the classes and conferences I have taken and the wonderful friendships made here. I am proud to be a member of St. Andrew's.

Are you able to be present for Vestry meetings on the fourth Sunday of the month at 12:30 p.m.? (this is our current schedule)

Yes

Are you able to be present for the Vestry Orientation Retreat the first weekend in February Friday evening and Saturday 9-3?

Yes

#### **VESTRY QUESTIONNAIRE:** SHERRI HAUN

#### Why do you want to serve as a Vestry member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church?

I would like to build a stronger bridge between Vestry and the Thrift Store.

#### What are your qualifications for this position?

I'm good with people. I try to have an open mind. I have good organizational skills.

#### Tell us a little about yourself and your faith:

I grew up a Methodist as did my husband. After several years of marriage, we found the Episcopal Church. This was a very good fit because we grew in our faith. My journey in faith has continued to grow here at St. Andrew's.

#### What do you love about our church?

I like most off, the people. I feel comfortable with the clergy, which hasn't always been the case. I'm proud of and amazed at all our outreach programs.

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Yes

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Yes

#### <u>VESTRY QUESTIONNAIRE:</u> MIKE LUDWELL

#### Why do you want to serve as a Vestry member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church?

I believe I can offer hard work, dedication, and perhaps some creative suggestions to make our church even finer than the one we are proud of today.

#### What are your qualifications for this position?

I have served in numerous ministries at St. Andrew's. These include: the food pantry, greeting and ushering, school backpacks, congregational administrator of the 10:30 am service, counter for Sunday collections, and Heartline. I have also served as a grant writer, lay minister, and vestry member in previous Episcopal churches.

#### Tell us a little about yourself and your faith:

I was raised Roman Catholic and went to Catholic schools through college. I am very grateful and fortunate for the foundation I received. At the same time, there was always something that seemed lacking. So, in 1982 I investigated and joined the Episcopal Church. I have never looked back and only forward. I feel very fortunate. As for my faith, it seems as though no matter how much you have, you always want more. I will only say that in good times and the dark, Jesus is my rock.

#### What do you love about our church?

In the few years Kathy and I have been attending St. Andrew's we have learned that it is much more than a church. It has become our family. Every one of us goes through life with our own trials and joys. The St. Andrew's family has always been there. What a Wonderful feeling!

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Yes

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Yes

#### **VESTRY QUESTIONNAIRE: BOB MEISSNER**

#### Why do you want to serve as a Vestry member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church?

I want to serve on the vestry because of my prior experience in various churches. The church besides being a spiritual entity is a business and I am familiar with the business of the church.

#### What are your qualifications for this position?

Since becoming an Episcopalian some 55 years ago, I have been active as a LEM, Sunday School teacher, chalice bearer, a member of the Order of Saint Luke, and Pastoral Care Visitor, bringing Holy Communion Holy Oil, and prayers to people. I am a member of the Men's Group and attend Bible Study regularly.

#### Tell us a little about yourself and your faith:

I am married to my wife Caroline for 55 years and have 3 children, 7 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren on the way, all of whom live close by. I retired from the New York City Police Department as a Sergeant. I attended seminary for a short time and had to leave unfortunately because of my NYPD scheduling.

#### What do you love about our church?

The church is people, and I feel that we have a warm and welcoming congregation. I love Fr. Lance because he is a people person and certainly knows his Bible.

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Are you able to be present for the Vestry Orientation Retreat the first weekend in February Friday evening and Saturday 9-3?

Yes

#### <u>VESTRY QUESTIONNAIRE:</u> MAUREEN FOLLANSBEE

#### Why do you want to serve as a Vestry member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church?

I have been serving as a Vestry member and would like to continue to do so. This participation in the operation of St. Andrew Church gives me a feeling of a more complete belonging to our church community. I appreciate being able to be active in the church in this capacity, and not only be an attendee.

#### What are your qualifications for this position?

As mentioned I have been serving on the Vestry and am aware of the existing issues we are facing and our plans for the future. I attend services regularly. The qualifications doubtfully require it, but I am a college graduate.

#### Tell us a little about yourself and your faith:

I have a strong belief in the path of Christianity and I try to be a faithful follower of Christ's teachings. On the many occasions that I fall short, I ask God to give me the grace to improve.

The many blessings that I have had are a constant reminder of the thanks I owe to God for my life. Volunteer work takes a high priority for me and has since my days in high school. Giving back and reaching out are endeavors I have always built into my life.

#### What do you love about our church?

Our priest. The services. Our members. The church and property.

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Yes

Are you able to be present for the Vestry Orientation Retreat the first weekend in February Friday evening and Saturday 9-3?

Yes

#### VESTRY QUESTIONNAIRE: HARRY CALDERBANK

#### Why do you want to serve as a Vestry member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church?

I have previously served here on the vestry at St. Andrew's. However, during my last year of service, my wife was very ill and required much of my time. I do not feel that I was able to provide the attention and dedication vestry service requires. Due to her recent passing, I now have the time to attend to those duties and I would like to make amends for my previous shortcomings.

#### What are your qualifications for this position?

My aforementioned prior vestry service included duties as Junior Warden and I was deeply involved in the myriad maintenance and repair issues facing us at the time. I currently serve as a LEM and Lay Reader at the 10:30 service. I have previously served as a greeter and usher at the 8:00 AM service.

#### Tell us a little about yourself and your faith:

I was raised in the Roman Catholic tradition but fell away from church attendance and participation as a young man for a variety of reasons. After many years of religious antipathy, God saw fit to bring me back to light. I came to St. Andrew's one Sunday morning in 2008 to investigate the church where my infant granddaughter was to be baptized and never left. I came, I saw, I submitted.

#### What do you love about our church?

Just about everything: our remarkable rector, our campus, the parish ministries, our beautiful church and, of course, my fellow parishioners, Above all, God! God lives here at St. Andrew's. I feel his presence every time I enter the church. He brings me comfort and strength all the time.

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Yes

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Yes

# We thank Bishop Howe for welcoming our 35 new members (including 1 Baptism and 1 Confirmation) on December 15<sup>th</sup>.











#### EVENT KEY

AF = Adult Formation

 $\mathbf{BP} = \text{Back Packs}$ 

**DOK** = 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 **YM** = Youth Ministry

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Office Closed	2	3 Office Closed	4 4 pm HE II 5 pm AF (SC)
5 8 am HE II 9:15 am AF (SC) 10:30 am HE II 12:30 pm Epipha- ny Potluck Luncheon (KH)	6	7	8 10 am Preschool Reading 10 am HE II & Healing Prayers 4 pm Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (KH)	9:00 am Backpacks 6 pm Choir	Office Closed 9:00 am Men's Group (SC)	11 10:30 am DOK (OF) 4pm Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner (KH) 4 pm HE I 5 pm AF (SC)
12 8 am HE II 9:15 am AF (SC) 9:45 am Jr. I 10:00 am SS Mu- sic (KH) 10:15 am SS 10:30 am HE II	13	14 12:00 pm Friends of the Witt Library (L)  Thrift Shop Bag Sale	15 10 am Preschool Reading 10 am HE II & Healing Prayers 4 pm Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (KH)	16 9 am Backpacks 10 am DOK (SC) 6 pm Choir	17 Office Closed	18 2 pm Belles' Cards and Tasting Party (KH) 4 pm HE II 5 pm AF (SC)
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26 8 am HE II 9:45 am Jr. I 10:00 am SS Music (KH) 10:15 am SS 10:30 am HE II 12:30 pm Annual Parish Meeting (KH)	27	28	29 10 am Preschool Reading 10 am HE II and Healing Prayers 4 pm Bible Study (SC) 6 pm Youth Group (KH)	30 9 am Backpacks 6 pm Choir	31 Office Closed Vestry Retreat	

LOCATION KEY

C =Church

CH = Coulton Hall KH=Krysher Hall

 $\mathbf{L} = \text{Library}$ 

TS = Thrift Shop SC = Chapel/Class

Room in Narthex

MG = MemorialGarden

**OF**—Office Conf Room

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### JANUARY EVENTS

Sunday, January 5 12:00 pm Epiphany Potluck Luncheon

Friday, January 10 9:00 am Men's Group

Saturday, January 11 4-7 pm Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner

Tuesday, January 14 12:00 pm Friends of the Witt Library

Saturday, January 18 2:00 pm Belles' Card Playing and

**Tasting Party** 

Sunday, January 19 12:00 pm Vestry

Wednesday, January 22 12:00 pm Pastoral Care Mtg

Friday, January 24 9:00 am Men's Group

Sunday, January 26 12:00 pm Annual Parish Meeting

Friday, January 31 Vestry Retreat

#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Saturday, February 1 Vestry Retreat

Sunday, February 2 Souper Bowl Sunday

12:30 pm Order of St. Luke Meeting

Friday, February 8 9:00 am Men's Group

Sunday, February 10 Scout Sunday

Tuesday, February 11 12:00 pm Friends of the Witt Library

1:00 pm Belles' Discussion Group

Friday, February 22 9:00 am Men's Group

## January Lectionary

#### January 5

2nd Sunday after Christmas

Jeremiah 31:7-14

Ephesians1:3-6, 15-19a

Matthew 2:1-12 Psalm 84:1-8

#### January 12

First Sunday after the Epiphany

Isaiah 42:1-9 Acts 10:34-43 Matthew 3:13-17

Psalm 29

#### January 19

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

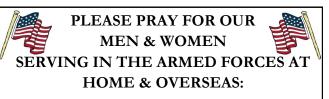
Isaiah 49:1-7 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 John 1:29-42 Psalm 40:1-12

#### January 26

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Isaiah 9:1-4

1 Corinthians 1:10-18 Matthew 4:12-23 Psalm 27:1, 5-13



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



### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

John Follansbee, Treasurer
As of November 30, 2019

	This Month	Year to Date	2018 Budget	
Revenues				
Core Church	22,036.70	309,551.96	375,098.66	
Thrift Shop	4,428.33	41,454.16	55,400.00	
Total Revenues	26,465.03	351.006.12	430.498.66	
Expenses				
Core Church	48,207.39	381,904.89	404,886.36	
Thrift Shop	3,572.67	17,716.02	16,943.37	
Total Expenses	51,780.06	399,620.91	421,829.73	
Net Gain/Loss				
Core Church	(26,170.69)	(72,352.93)	(29,787.70)	
Thrift Shop	855.56	23,738.14	38,456.63	
Total	(25,315.03)	(48,614.79)	8,668.93	
Investments		Bank Accounts		
SSGA	109,899.97	Sun Trust		
Alliance Bernstein	36,389.65	Unrestricted	(51,486.80)	
		Restricted	199,294.12	
		Discretionary	635.45	
Total	146,289.62	Total	148,442.77	

December Attendance						
Week Ending Sat./Sunday	* Other Services	Sat. 4 pm	Sunday 8 am	Sunday 10:30 am	Total	
Nov. 30/Dec. 1		43	49	113	205	
December 7/8		54	45	109	208	
December 14/15	*20	38	47	240	345	
December 21/22	*100	46	42	112	300	
December 28/29	*330	42	30	83	485	
AVERAGE	*150	45	43	132		

### 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

Hot dogs

Thanks so much for helping our community families.

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

#### December 2019

Transfers in: 0 Transfers out: 0

Deaths: Mary Holmes 12/8/19 Jeffrey Meyers 12/8/19 Susan Bruno 12/16/19

Funerals: Mary Holmes 12/15/19 Jeffrey Meyers 12/21/19

Baptisms: Malachi Toppin 12/15/19

Confirmed: Deven Carlsen 12/15/19

Received: 33 Weddings: 0

Anointings: 56

## **Bulletin Board**

Meetings, Event News, etc.

If you would like more information about our ministries please pick up a copy of the Serving Opportunities

#### A note to those attending the 10:30 service:

One of the reasons that many of us attend the 10:30 service is because of the music. And one of the particularly wonderful parts of our music is the preludes that Jody our organist plays before the service. During this time, please do not try to talk with her because it disrupts her concentration—our organ is a difficult instrument to play. If you need to communicate with her during this time, write a note and place it either beside her or on her music stand (not on her music) and she will look at it as soon as she can. Thank you!

# JANUARY Birthdays

1 Corey Fitch 17 Calvin Ingram 1 Edna Jarvis 17 Britney Smart 1 Henry Mehl 18 Brandon Meissner 1 Paul Wilks 19 Lea Dubiel 4 Al Arnold 19 Janice James 4 Larry Nash 19 Katherine Ward 5 Brian Parks 21 Dewey Woodworth 7 Bill Wiquist 24 Marisa Hamblin 7 Audrey Collins 24 Carolyn Melber 7 Janet Guyadeen 25 Diana Seminerio 9 Ward Price 26 Irving Melber 11 Charles Allen 26 Jan Nash 11 Helen Muir 26 James Smart 13 Bob Hicks



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# JANUARY Anniversaries

28 Patricia McNeil

28 Malachi Toppin

29 Ariel Bethoney

30 Anita Curtis

3 Maureen & John Follansbee

6 Fr. Don & Joanne Lillpopp

11 Fred & Milia Julian

14 Brinda Mendoza

14 Aneita Porter

15 Glenn Clarke

15 Brenda Reisen

11 Ron & Jeanie Fedoryk

25 Jan & Larry Nash

25 Robert & Donna Sievers

31 Lea & Cliff Dubiel

#### **AARP Tax Prep Locations:**

Start date is Feb 3, 2020 ends April 15, 2020

Hours are 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Need to be there before 12 noon.

Monday: Hernando County Mining Assoc. Enrichment Center, 800 John Gary Grubbs Blvd., Brooksville

Tuesday: First United Methodist Church, 9344 Spring Hill Dr., Spring Hill

Wednesday: High Point Clubhouse, 12249 Clubhouse Rd., High Point Community, Brooksville

Thursday: Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 6193 Spring Hill Dr., Spring Hill

Friday: Brookridge Clubhouse, 8150 Hampton St., Brookridge Community, Brooksville

# St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

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The Rev. Lance Wallace, Rector Cell 352-515-8657 Email: Fr.Lwallace@gmail.com

#### **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
4 pm Adult Bible Study
6 pm Youth Ministry

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon.-Thurs. 9:30 am - 2:30 pm (Closed Friday)

#### **Diocese Website**

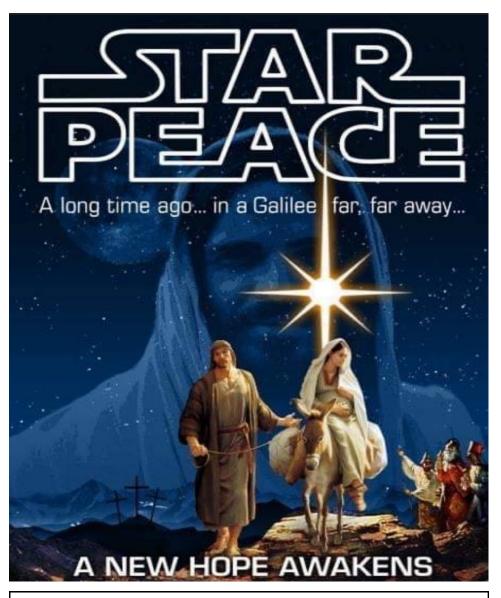
www.episcopalswfl.org

#### **The Parish Chimes Editors**

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## **Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner**

Saturday, January 11

4-7pm

Tickets are \$8.00—includes dinner, salad, bread, dessert, and drink.

Tickets available in the office and at the door.

