

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Spring Hill, FL Proclaiming Christ in the heart of Spring Hill since 1971

PARISH



CHIMES NOVEMBER 2013



FROM THE RECTOR

Dear Friends.

I hope you are well. November is already upon us. We had an event-filled October. And we are looking forward to another event-filled month. We will start off the month with a Commemoration of All Faithful Departed on November 2nd in the Memorial Garden. Then we will have a wonderful time honoring our veterans on November 10th. We will have guest honor guards and we will have a Veterans' Day dinner, complete with entertainment! (Dinner tickets are \$10). On November 17th the Right Reverend Dabney T. Smith, Bishop of our Diocese, will be here at 6 PM to preside over our Celebration of a New Ministry. The vestry has asked me to be the fourth rector of St. Andrew's and I have joyfully accepted. The Reverend Canon Ernie Bennett will be bringing the sermon. I have asked the Reverend Robin Murray and the Reverend Shanda Mahurin, along with Fr. Ernie, to share some of their favorite memories of St. Andrew's during the reception. It will be a joyful time; hopefully you will be able to attend. We will be organizing car pools to pick up those members who would like to attend but do not want to drive at night. Please call the church office by November 10th and leave your name if you need a ride or if you are willing to be a driver.

November 10th is also the last Sunday of our Stewardship Campaign. We will ask you to turn in your pledge cards then. Stewardship is an awkward topic for many people. Personally, it doesn't bother me to talk about stewardship because I know that ultimately it is a spiritual issue. God knows we need money to live and survive. God has given some more than he gives others. But all of us need to be able

to give up a portion of that money back to God. If we are unable to do that, then it is an indication that money has too great a hold on our hearts and lives. The portion that Scripture gives us is ten percent. But sometimes for people they need to start at a smaller proportion because they are not used to giving like that. So start at, say, five percent and make it a goal to get to ten percent in a year or so. Pray about it and ask God for guidance.

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God is blessing us here at St. Andrew's. May you experience his blessing in your life as well!

Warmly in Christ,

Fr. Lance+



Sr. Warden's Remarks

Betty Jo McCann, Sr. Warden

Last month my article was a review of what is a vestry and what does it do. In January at the annual meeting we will be electing 3 members for the vestry.

Do you feel you could/would be able to serve on the vestry of St. Andrew's? It is a very rewarding position. You would be required to attend one meeting a month. Occasionally there are additional meetings, but the date and times are always discussed to assure members could attend. There is at least one Saturday workshop – held the first weekend in February. This is to acquaint new members to expectations and duties. Each vestry member is asked to be a liaison between ministries and the vestry. However, you get to state your preference.

If you feel you could/would be able to serve, please respond positively when asked by an outgoing vestry member. Or you could express your interest to any current vestry member – see names below.

We would like to have the names and a short biography by Nov 15th so we can publish these in the December and January Chimes.

Vestry members who will be rotating off are: Pat Trama, John Follansbee, and Harry Calderbank.

Vestry members who will continue to serve: Trish Gardner, Loa Jackson, Ester Marion, Betty Jo McCann, Rick Pederson, and Carolyn Wallner.



FALL WORK DAY

Father Lance and Senior Warden Betty Jo McCann join me on behalf of the entire congregation in thanking these workers who came out on our Fall Work October 26th day, for all the work they did in the name of the Lord. They are:

Izzy Baldwin Tom Beem Richard Davidson Linda Fisher Dave Hamilton Willie Hobbs Miquel Lara Justin Lightburn Vonetta Lightburn Sarah Lillpopp Betty Jo and Dan McCann Gail Neidurmy 12 Altar Guild Members Grant Tolbert Kevina Trapp Rita Trapp Mark and Michelle Traudt Brittney, Samantha, Courtney and Isabella Traudt

Fr. Lance and Diane Wallace Jamison Webster

And special thanks to Boy Scout Troop 433:

Joseph Balcom Matthew Collito Mike Farthing Michael Johnson Sean Roden Jane Soares Owen Turley Darby Turley Kyle Walker

James Walls

Victor Whayman

And many thanks to Cheryl Pederson for feeding the hungry workers!



KAREN'S KIT'N KABOODLE will have a huge, bargain-filled **Christmas Yard Sale** on **Nov. 15th** from 10 am to 4 pm. Decorations of all types and some Christmas clothing will be available. Hope to see you there.

FRIENDS of the LIBRARY

The Friends of the Library met on Tuesday, October 8th. Plans were made to meet each Tuesday at 9:30 am to work in the library for the rest of the month. Our next monthly meeting is November 12th.

The book club will also meet on November 12th, to review "Christmas Thief" by Mary Higgins Clark and Carol Higgins Clark, given by Pat Oberg.

All those who would like to join our group, library or book club or both, please join us on November 12. Library Meeting—12:30 pm/Book Club—1:45 pm.

Submitted by Deb Wilks

Boy Scout Troop 433

St. Andrew's is proud to have Boy Scout Troop 433 as part of our outreach family. They meet on Monday nights in Coulton Hall under the direction of Michael Faustini, their Scout Master. The troop has twelve members and are very active in the Community. They have two Eagle Scouts with another Scout working on his Eagle Scout project. Joseph Balcolm is currently working on his project at Weeki Wachee Springs State Park, a nature trail for hiking and walking.

Victor Whayman also earned his Eagle Scout Badge building a patio area overlooking the Weeki Wachee Springs. This earned the Eagle Project of the Year from the Boy Scouts of America's Gulf Ridge Council.

Erik Carlson earned his Eagle Scout badge working on painting the parking lot lines in St. Andrew's parking lot.

St. Andrew's recently received a check from the troop for our Food Pantry. They will be doing a Scouting for Food Drive in February also for our Food Pantry.

On October 26, they will be holding a wreath sale in our parish hall during coffee hour. They will be taking orders for fresh wreaths and greens to be delivered about two weeks before Christmas.

They will celebrating Boy Scout Sunday at St. Andrew's around the first Sunday in February and will host our coffee hour on that day.

YOUTH GROUP

Earlier this summer many of you graciously donated funds so that 8 of our young people could attend the service camp sponsored by our cathedral in St. Petersburg. They had a wonderful time helping in the community and some wonderful learning experiences there.

Here is what **Samantha Traudt** wrote about her experience:

"The week I was in St. Pete was amazing. There was so much going on and so many new people. My favorite part was when the Lakota Indians shared. They would tell little stories or tell us about their traditions. It was very interesting. Some of the community service was picking up trash at schools. We also picked up trash

along the bay. It was nice to give back to the community."

THANK YOU to all who helped make our first "Trunk or Treat" on October 30th such a success! It was wonderful to see about 75 or so young people from our community come by for treats.

St. Andrew's parishioners arrived as well—we had about a dozen vehicles with decorated trunks. Our youth group appreciates your support and we're looking forward to next year.

Forward Day By Day

The new Forward Day By Day booklets are on the shelf in the back of the church. The new issue covers November, December, and January. We ask for a donation of \$1.00, the cost to us. If that is difficult for you, just take one. It is a wonderful way to start you day.

There are large print copies for \$1.25.



Our choirs are busy preparing for Advent, Christmas and beyond. We are looking forward to sharing our music with our congregation as we praise God through song.

While we appreciate that many of you are moved to applause at times following an Offertory anthem, the music we present at our services is offered as a gift to God, and as such, applause is not appropriate. But, be assured, we hear you rejoicing in our hearts!!

Tunefully yours,

—Jody Bowes, Minister of Music

CHRISTIAN FORMATION & EDUCATION

Christian formation & education is a life-long process and is offered in the Anglican tradition of seeking the truth from diverse view-points, even as our relationship with God through Jesus never wavers. Different viewpoints may be represented at different times.



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Your Journey from Mourning to Joy

Grief Share continues to meet every Tuesday at 3 pm in the library in Krysher Hall. All are always welcome even if you have some misgivings about a group that centers on the grieving process.



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School meets at 10:15 in our classroom in Krysher Hall. Your input is very important to us, so please join us!



To request prayers for those in need of prayer both within and beyond our parish community, please send your prayer requests to:

thewallners@hotmail.com



Just a reminder to every lady in our church. The Order of the Daughters of the King is open to you. The mission of the Order is the extension of Christ's Kingdom through prayer, service and evangelism. Our group is friendly, laid back, and we invite you to join us. We meet the 2nd Saturday of the month from 10:30 to 12:00. Come and see.

Betty Audette



ORDER OF ST. LUKE

The Order of Saint Luke, our outreach healing ministry, will meet on Sunday, November 3, 2013 at 12:30pm in the Krysher Hall Library.

Membership in The Order of St. Luke is open to anyone who feels drawn to this ministry of anointing, laying on of hands, and prayer.

Come join us either at our Wednesday morning Healing Service (10am in the church) or at our monthly meeting.

James, the brother of Jesus, encouraged us to pray over the sick and anoint them with oil for healing. (James 5: 14-16 NIV)

Praise the Lord!

Pastoral Care Ministry

The Pastoral Care Ministry is 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. This follows the tradition of the earliest Christians bringing bread and wine from services to those unable to come.

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 are also able to anoint for healing. That being said, it is not necessary to be or do either.

As previously mentioned, 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 consist of delivering flowers from the altar, bulletins, newsletters, cards and small gifts, prayer and just a short friendly visit.

We provide visits to the homebound, hospitalized, those in rehab or extended care facilities. In 2012, 419 visits were made. We meet bimonthly during the regular church year. 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.

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

LOCATION KEY:

C = Church

CH = Coulton Hall

KH = Krysher Hall

L = Library

TS = Karen's Kit 'n Kaboodle Thrift Shop



EVENT KEY

AF=Adult Formation BP=Back Packs

DOK=Daughters of the King FOL=Friends of the Library GS=Grief Share

SS=Sunday School YI=Youth Inquiry YM=Youth Ministry

HC=Holy Communion

OSL=Order of St. Luke

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
					OFFICE CLOSED	4pm HC 5pm AF 2 pm Service of Remembrance
3 24th Sun. Pent. Bam HC 9:15 AF 10:15 SS 10:30 HC 12:30 Order St. Luke	4	5 12 pm FOL 3pm Griefshare (Library)	6 10:00 am Healing/HC 1:30 pm Bible Study 6:00 pm Bible Study 6pm Youth Group—Game Night & Pageant Reh.	7 4:30 Back Pack 6:15 Choir	8 OFFICE CLOSED	9 10:30 Daughters of the King Mtg.
10 25th Sun. Pent. Stewardship Ingathering Bam HC 9:15 AF 10:15 SS 10:30 HC Noon-Veterans Day Dinner Bpm Atria-Evergreen Wds	OFFICE CLOSED Schools Closed	3pm Griefshare (Library) 12 noon FOL	13 10:00 am Healing/HC 1:30 pm Bible Study 6:00 pm Bible Study 6pm Youth Group—Faith & Mission / Pageant Reh.	14 4:30 Back Pack 6:15 Choir	0FFICE CLOSED	16 4pm HC 5pm AF
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.0:15 SS .0:30 HC Spm Celebration of New Ministry		3pm Griefshare (Library) 6pm Vestry	6:00 pm Bible Study 6pm Youth Group—Music & Pageant Rehearsal	6:15 Choir Chimes Deadline	OFFICE CLOSED	5pm AF
24 Last Sun. Pent. Bam HC 9:15 AF 10:15 SS 10:30 HC	25	26 3pm Griefshare (Library)	27 10:00 am Healing/HC 6pm Youth Group (Movie/DInner) 12 noon Pastoral Minis	28 THANKSGIVING DAY 9 am HC	6:15 Choir Rehearsal	30 4pm HC

NOVEMBER Birthdays & Anniversaries



- 1 Clair Eriksen
- 2 Linda Magee
- 3 Maurice Stewart
- 3 Salvador Mendoza
- 4 Adele Ruggiero
- 4 Carol Fuller
- 5 Evelyn Windsor
- 6 Peter (Pete) Jackson
- 7 Reginald (Reg)
 - Williams
- 7 Luther (Lou) Clifton
- 11 Nellie James
- 12 Fred Lewis
- 13 Eileen Stone
- 13 Trish Gardner
- 13 Geddy Emerson
- 14 Marjorie Convery
- 15 Harry Calderbank

- 15 Michelle Traudt
- 16 Charlene Fales
- 17 Carolyn Hearns
- 17 Brandon Bethoney
- 18 Hailey Anderson
- 19 Dennis Crisfield
- 22 Joseph Frederick
- 23 Sarah Bedrosian
- 24 Patricia Trama
- 25 Nancy Koehle
- 25 Patricia (Pat) Spencer
- 27 Rosamond Stewart
- 27 Linda Kline
- 28 Wayne Emerson
- 29 Robert Mohl
- 30 Robert Lee
- 30 Jaymie (JJ) Short



- 7 Robert & Mary Ward
- 12 James & Carolyn Hearns
- 20 Dave & Carla Newman
- 23 Robert (Bob) & Betty Tober
- 25 Larry & Paula Harrelson
- 29 Lou & Norma Clifton

The Parish Register

COMMITTAL

Winnifred Quinn

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Nov. 10: Salute to Veterans

12:30 p.m. lunch & entertainment

\$10.00 /adult \$5.00 /child under 12 yrs of age

Sun. Nov. 17: Celebration of New Ministry

The Reverend Lance Stephen Wallace 6pm, Reception following in Krysher Hall

Sun. Dec. 1: First Sunday in Advent

Sun. Dec. 8: Christmas Pageant—

10:30am Service & 3pm Atria / Evergreen Woods

Sun. Dec. 15: Bishop Smith visits for

Confirmation, Reception & Baptism

Sun. Dec. 22: Fourth Advent – regular services

Tues. Dec 24: Christmas Eve Services -

5:30 pm & 10:30 pm: Caroling / Holy Eucharist

Wed. Dec 25: Christmas Morning – Rite I, 9 AM

Sat. & Sun. Dec 28/29: Christmas Lessons &

Carols at all 3 services

NOVEMBER LECTIONARY

November 2/3

24th Sun. after Pentecost

Proper 26

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

Psalm 119:137-144

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Luke 19:1-10

November 16,17

26th Sun. after Pentecost

Proper 28

Isaiah 65:17-25

Canticle 9

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Luke 21:5-19

November 9,10

25th Sun. after Pentecost

Proper 27

Haggai 1:15b-2:9

Psalm 98

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5; 13-17

Luke 20:27-28

November 23/24

Last Sun. after Pentecost

Proper 29

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Canticle 16

Colossians 1:11-20

Luke 23:33-43



Altar Guild News

Working with our new priest and his wife Diane has been a privilege for the altar guild. Many of you do not know that Diane volunteered on Altar

Guild while they were at seminary. She is an excellent seamstress and has been repairing many of our linens.

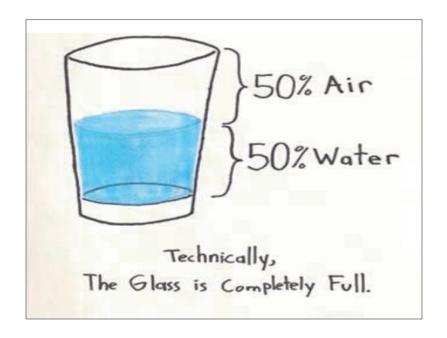
Our flower and/or presence light fund has been depleted. If you would like to honor a loved one, give thanks for a special event (anniversary, etc) or many of God's gifts, sponsoring the flowers or presence light is a great way to do this. You can put your offering in one of the envelopes found in the rack in the back of the church. Merely select your preferred date, enter your information and drop it in the offering plate. Be sure to write "flowers" or "presence light" in the memo line of your check. Suggested amount for flowers is \$40. Suggested amount for presence light is \$10.

During Advent there will be only greenery in our flower vases --no flowers. However, greenery is also expensive.

The Christmas season is fast approaching. Again we will have a beautiful array of poinsettias in the church. If you would like to donate one of the poinsettias, the cost of one potted plant is \$15. Envelopes will be in the back of the church after Thanksgiving.

It has been my pleasure working with our Altar Guild and all of the church family.

Gail Niedurny, Altar Guild director





HOW COME THE WAITRESS GETS 15% AND GOD ONLY GETS 10%?

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GOOD NEWS

A very talented artisan in our parish responded to our need for a new Presence Light. He has designed and hand-crafted one to match our existing chandeliers. He has donated his time, talent, and all the materials needed.

The new Presence Light will be hanging in the sanctuary in time for Bishop Smith to bless it when he comes for Fr. Lance's installation on November 17th.



TREASURER'S REPORT FOR MONTH ENDING September 30, 2013

Month ending 09/30/2013			YTD as of 09/30/13 YTD Ex-				
	Revenues	Expenses	Net	YTD Rev	pense		YTD Net
Church	\$ 25,957.93	\$ 23,363.87	\$ 2,594.06	\$ 213,866.06	\$ 226,482.87	\$	(12,616.81)
Thrift Shop	\$ 3,448.61	\$ 1,177.37	\$ 2,271.24	\$ 52,779.98	\$ 12,683.37	\$	40,096.61
Pre-School	\$ 12.50	\$ -	\$ 12.50	\$ 41,099.43	\$ 57,117.09	\$	(16,017.66)
Total	\$ 29,419.04	\$ 24,541.24	\$ 4,877.80	\$ 307,745.47	\$ 296,283.33	\$	11,462.14

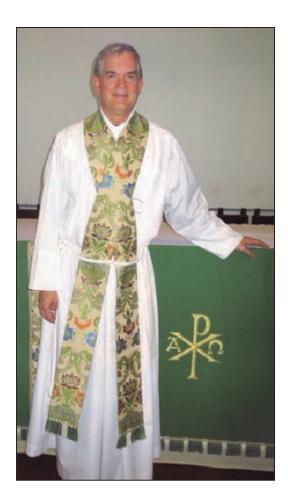
Krysher Hall Mortgage Balance \$ 78,778.84

Total Endowment

Alliance Berstein \$29,007.36
Wells Fargo \$625.06

SSGA \$90,713.97
Total Endowment \$120,346.39

	Septe	mber 201	3 Attendance)
	Sat	Sun 8	Sun 10:30	Total
8/31, 9/1	35	23	109	167
Sep 7/8	41	19	142	202
Sep 14/15	43	19	123	185
Seep 21/22	52	21	132	205
Sep 28/29	45	16	131	192
Average	43	20	127	189



Celebration of New Ministry

The Reverend Lance Stephen Wallace

As Rector

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Sunday November 17 6 pm

Reception to follow in Krysher Hall

The Right Reverend
Dabney T. Smith,
Presiding



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YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE

As we welcome visiting clergy and more new members to St.
Andrew's, remember:
THEY DON'T KNOW YOUR
NAME!

To help everyone feel more comfortable please WEAR YOUR NAME TAG.

Thanks and God Bless!

p.s. If you need a name tag please sign the clipboard in the Narthex



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Worship & Formation Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm Holy Eucharist

Second Sat. 10:30 am Daughters of the King

Sunday 8:00 am Holy Eucharist
9:15 am Adult Formation Class
10:00 am Youth Inquirers' Class
10:15 am Sunday School
10:30 am Holy Eucharist
12:15 pm Cantata Choir Rehearsal

Nursery available Sundays 10:00 am—Noon

First Sun. 12:30 pm Order of St. Luke (Sep-Jun)

Tuesday 3:00 pm GriefShare

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Second Tues. 12 noon Friends of The Library &

Book Club (Oct-Apr)

Wednesday 10:00 am Holy Eucharist &

Healing

1:30 pm Bible Study (Sep-May)

6:00 pm Youth Ministry

6:00 pm Bible Study (Sep-May)

Thursday 6:15 pm Sanctuary Choir Reh.

(Aug—May)

Grief, Divorce and Recovery support is available.
Please call us for current meeting schedules.