



CELEBRATING 125 YEARS

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

History from our Archives

Cross discussion: On Sunday, March 26 at 11:30am. I will lead a discussion among all parishioners interested in the question of the altar cross in the church. We are in the middle of an experimental year, following renovations to the church last summer. This discussion will contribute to the decision to be made next September. 1995

Locks on the three main exterior doors to the church were replaced in June. Replacement of the locks is being carried out as a normal security procedure as recommended by our insurance carrier. 1995

All parishioners are invited to participate, behind the scenes or onstage, in a major parish production, Benjamin Britten's *Noye's Fludde*. Based on a medieval mystery play about Noah, this colorful short opera has parts for people of all ages and abilities. We need costumers, set designers and builders, instrumentalists, singers, ushers, technicians, make-up artists, publicists and more! This will be a wonderful experience of parish community. Tryouts for singing parts will be Sunday, May 7 and Tuesday, May 9. Please

speaking to Dot Reed if you would like to join the animal chorus. All parishioners 8 years old or older are welcome. Rehearsals will be every Sunday evening for about an hour and a half until mid-November. The performances will be on November 17 and 19.

Many thanks to all who participated in the blessing of the new cloister garden last month. There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex if you would like to make a donation for plantings in memory of or in thanksgiving for a beloved companion, either human or animal. 1995

An "uplifting event" this afternoon for parishioners eager to welcome our new elevator (especially those who find stairs something of a difficulty). We will be gathering in the Harvey Room from 3 to 4pm today. The occasion is a festive tea—a delicious opportunity to applaud recent renovations in our parish hall and church, especially those that make our buildings more accessible to all parishioners. 1995

Do you worry about your children spending more time on-line with a computer rather than interacting face-to-face with people? On February 8, at 4:30pm at M.I.T., Professor Sherry Turkle will discuss "Life on the Screen: Identity and the Internet." For more information call Jane Soyster Gould, M.I.T. Chaplin. 1996

New procedure for coming to the altar rail: those people sitting on the "North Aisle", i.e. to the left of the stone pillars, will come forward first (starting from the back pews) to the back rail. People seated in the transept will follow. The ushers will guide everyone. 1996

This afternoon at 4:00pm in the parish hall there will be an Autumn Tea and Sing-Along. Come visit with old and new friends and then join in a sing-along of old favorites from "Rock of Ages" to "Down by the Old Mill Stream" to "A Bicycle Built for Two." Bring a friend. 1996

Jerusalem Pilgrimage Planned: In April or May 1997, there will be a ten-day pilgrimage to Jerusalem and the Holy Land, led by the rector and other Jerusalem veterans. We hope to offer two tracks. The basic track will be for people who have not been to the region before. It will include visits to holy places in Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth and the Sea of Galilee. The second track will be for people who have been in the region before and who want to be introduced to local people and to the mission of the

Episcopal Church in the area. It will also include some of the Track One elements. The pilgrimage group will meet monthly for preparation beginning in September 1996. We estimate the cost to be roughly \$2000; some scholarship assistance will be available. 1996

Since Holy Week, the large gold cross has been hanging in the newly refurbished Denton Road entry to the parish hall and office wing. This is an experimental placement for one year. We think that this prominent place for a cherished parish symbol gives a dramatic sense of entrance to the Denton Road doorway and speaks of our central identity to many people who use that entry. We continue our search for a processional cross a third larger than the present one (thus more legible) to stand behind the main altar. Please give your comments to us about the placement of the large cross. I appreciate your understanding as we work through differences of opinion and taste among parishioners. You have handled the matter with care and patience, and your sensitivity has been a saving grace. Thank you. 1996

We are grateful every day for the new parish elevator, and especially on Sundays. Please do remember to close the accordion door when you leave the elevator; otherwise the carriage won't respond to the next passenger's call. Please speak to a member of the Staff if you need assistance. Thanks again to everyone who has made this wonderful resource available for our use. 1997

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 22, 2019

Prelude *Wenn wir in höchsten Nöten sein*

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Processional Hymn 390 "Praise to the Lord"

Lobe den Herren

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Collect for Purity

BCP p. 355

Gloria S 280 (front section of hymnal)

Robert Powell

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Together we pray.

People Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson: Jeremiah 8:18-9:1

My joy is gone, grief is upon me, my heart is sick. Hark, the cry of my poor people from far and wide in the land: "Is the LORD not in Zion? Is her King not in her?" ("Why have they provoked me to anger with their images, with their foreign idols?") "The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved." For the hurt of my poor people I am hurt,

I mourn, and dismay has taken hold of me. Is there no balm in Gilead? Is there no physician there? Why then has the health of my poor people not been restored? O that my head were a spring of water, and my eyes a fountain of tears, so that I might weep day and night for the slain of my poor people!

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The congregation is encouraged to sing the psalm.



- 1 O God, the heathen have come into your inheritance;
they have profaned your¹holy¹temple; *
they have made Je¹rusalem a¹heap of¹rubble.
- 2 They have given the bodies of your servants as food for
the¹birds of the¹air, *
and the flesh of your faithful ones¹to the¹beasts of the¹field.
- 3 They have shed their blood like water on every¹side of Je¹rusalem, *
and¹there was¹no one to¹bury them.
- 4 We have become a re¹proach to our¹neighbors, *
an object of scorn and de¹rision to¹those a¹round us.
- 5 How long will you be¹angry, O¹LORD? *
will your fury¹blaze like¹fire for¹ever?
- 6 Pour out your wrath upon the heathen who¹have not¹known you *
and upon the kingdoms that have not¹called up¹on your¹Name.
- 7 For they have de¹voüred¹Jacob *
and¹made his¹dwelling a¹ruin.
- 8 Remember not our past sins;
let your compassion be¹swift to¹meet us; *
for¹we have been¹brought very¹low.
- † 9 Help us, O God our Savior, for the¹glory of your¹Name; *
deliver us and forgive us our¹sins, for your¹Name's¹sake.

Second Lesson: 1 Timothy 2:1-7

First of all, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone, for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity.

This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus,

himself human, who gave himself a ransom for all—this was attested at the right time. For this I was appointed a herald

and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 676 “There is a balm in Gilead,”

Balm in Gilead

Gospel: Luke 16:1-13

Clergy The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to the disciples, “There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. So he summoned him and said to him, ‘What is this that I hear about you? Give me an accounting of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer.’ Then the manager said to himself, ‘What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes.’ So, summoning his master’s debtors one by one, he asked the first, ‘How much do you owe my master?’ He answered, ‘A hundred jugs of olive oil.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty.’ Then he asked another, ‘And how much do you owe?’ He replied, ‘A hundred containers of wheat.’

He said to him, ‘Take your bill and make it eighty.’ And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.

“Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.”

Clergy The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon Rev. Margaret Schwarzer
Nicene Creed BCP p. 358
Prayers of the People

*After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy.
The People reply, Hear our prayer.*

Confession of Sin BCP p. 360
Peace
Announcements

The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Anthem "Laudate Dominum" from *The Solemn Vespers*

W.A. Mozart (1756-1791)

*O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise him, all ye people.
For his merciful kindness is great toward us: and the
Truth of the Lord endureth for ever. Praise ye the Lord.*

Doxology Hymn 380 v. 3 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

Old 100th

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP p. 361

Sanctus S 125 (front section of hymnal)

Richard Proulx

Fraction S 151 (front section of hymnal)

David Hurd

Breaking of the Bread

*Ushers will direct the congregation to communion stations, starting
from the rear of the church and moving forward. Gluten-free wafers are
available. All are welcome to receive communion.*

Communion Anthem *Ave verum corpus*

W.A. Mozart

*Hail, true Body, born of the Virgin Mary, who having truly suffered, was
sacrificed on the cross for mankind, whose pierced side flowed with water and
blood: May it be for us a foretaste [of the Heavenly banquet] in the trial of death.*

Communion Hymn 583 "O holy city, seen of John"

Morning Song

Thanksgiving after Communion

BCP p. 365

Children's Music

Recessional Hymn 594 "God of grace and God of glory"

Cwm Rhondda

Dismissal

Clergy Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude *Alle Menschen müssen sterben*

J.S. Bach



Healing Prayers

The offering of healing prayers is a widespread and ancient tradition within the Episcopal Church, and one that has long been part of the Wednesday morning Eucharist at St. Andrew's. We are eager to extend the reach of these prayers by making them available at our 8am, 10am, and 5pm Sunday services.

The way healing prayers will be offered is as follows. During the time people are receiving communion at the front altar rail, one of the clergy will be on duty at the transept altar to offer healing prayers for anyone who wishes to be prayed with. If you want to have healing prayers, go to the communion rail at the transept altar after you have received communion at the front rail. You are welcome to kneel or stand at the rail.

The clergy person will ask you quietly and discreetly what you wish to pray for. To be clear, requests for healing prayers are not just for health issues. In fact, they are usually for non-physical challenges that an individual may be facing: family, work, relationship difficulties, etc. You can request a prayer for yourself or for someone else. For example, someone might say, "please pray for my husband facing a difficult time at work," or "please pray for my mother facing an operation," or "please pray for my son having a tough time at college." In response, the clergy will quietly and discreetly offer a healing prayer for the situation. One point I do wish to make is that the introduction of healing prayers will not add any time to the length of the service. Once everyone has received communion the service will continue as normal even if there are still people receiving healing prayer at the Transept Chapel.

Again, healing prayer is an ancient Episcopal tradition, and by making it more widely available at St. Andrew's we will be joining Christians down through the ages who have prayed in this way for God's healing presence to be with them. If you have any questions about healing prayer please do not hesitate to speak with me or one of the other clergy.

Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole



Please join us for fellowship after the 10am service.

**Flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of the lives of
Joseph & Ellin Onorato**

Serving St. Andrew's this week

Altar Guild Jo Dermer, Linda Gallo, Blair Glennon, Sarah Harris,
Wendy Haering, Pam Henrikson, Carol Jankowski, Donna Kell,
Debbie Lorenz, Pat MacKinnon, and Linda Reineman
Flower Guild Frances Antonelli and Katie Barrack

Serving at 8am

Lay Reader/Chalice Bearer Nancy Echlov
Usher Harriet Thompson

Serving at 10am

Acolytes Crucifer: Annika Svedlund; Torch: Miles Olivetti;
Torch: Cameron Cowperthwaite; Gospel: Henry MacKinnon; Banner: Conor Donahue
Chalice Bearers Paul Criswell, Elspeth Grant Pruett, Joe Hamilton, and Suzy Littlefield
Greeters the Martin family
Lay Readers Michael Kemp, Karen Pekowitz, and Mary Scanlon
Ushers Steve Beach, Harry Condon, Greg Hunter,
Scott Jones, Peter Lull, and Jeff Waldron

Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Parishes of the North Shore Deanery,
Wyman Memorial Church of St. Andrew, Marblehead,
St. Michael's Church, Marblehead,
St. Mary's Church, Rockport
Congregations: Secretaries and Administrators



About the Readings

From *Preparing for Sunday* http://standrewswellesley.org/worship_reading.html

Jeremiah 8:18–9:1 Jeremiah introduces us to the personal anguish of a spokesman for God. He proclaimed God's way of life to a community on its way to death. They were unwilling to listen and had no desire to hear and heed God's word. His powerful poetic images and personal prayers match the unimaginable and devastating reality of God's judgment on the kingdom of Judah. In today's reading, Jeremiah's sadness overwhelms him because he knows the people's idolatrous affront to God admits of no easy solution. There is no quick fix, no medicine that can restore the people to health. God's judgment is certain and will be devastating.

Psalms 79:1-9 The psalmist invites the people to reflect upon their past history and learn from their mistakes in relation to God. Though God chose to make a covenant with them, the people have forgotten God's commands and rebelled. They cannot afford to do this any longer so they must be more dedicated to learning God's ways.

1 Timothy 2:1-7 Today's reading begins a section on Church order (2:1–3:15), focusing on prayer. First, prayer is to be offered for all people. The assertion of the

universality of God's grace may be aimed at those who taught that only the enlightened few would be saved. Second, prayer is to be offered for civil leaders. Prayer for pagan authorities was part of Jewish worship and the early Church prayed for the civil authorities as guarantors of the social structure within which the Church's mission could be pursued in tranquility. Finally, prayer is to be offered as an outgrowth of unity in the community.

Luke 16:1-13 The parable of the dishonest manager has often puzzled interpreters. Many scholars teach that the main point is the steward's quick and resolute action in establishing a new life for himself. Thus it is a parable of crisis, stressing the need to make a decision about Jesus and to act on it. Recently another approach has been taken, based upon the economics of the time. The bills probably represented goods received by the debtors on credit. The amount by which the steward reduced the bills may have been interest on the cost of the goods. Such interest was illegal, but was common in commercial transactions and justified in such cases by some rabbinic interpreters. Or the amount may have

represented the steward's own commission on the transaction. Thus, the steward gives up the profit (his own or the rich man's) in return for the debtors' gratitude. In verses 10-13, Luke supplies three sayings of Jesus that give clues

about how to unravel this parable. These guidelines reflect the attitudes of fidelity and trust that servants ought to display in their commitment to service of their master.



Notices & Announcements

Blessing of the Animals

Join us **Sunday, September 29, at 5pm** for the annual blessing of the animals, in honor of the feast of St. Francis of Assisi. Creatures of every species are welcome to come for a blessing! — Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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Informal Service

Our next informal service will take place **tonight, September 22, at 5pm**. The service takes place in the parish hall. The service includes contemporary music, a shorter and less formal structure, and a discussion rather than a sermon. Communion is passed from parishioner to parishioner.

— Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

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College Care Packages

The high school youth group is putting together care packages for our college-age St. Andrew's young adults this fall. Contact me if you think your kid would like one!

— Rev. Mia Kano

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9am Christian Learning

Join us **today, September 22, at 9am** in **Room 2. *The Three Herods of the New Testament (3 Evil Generations)***. Most of us think there is only one Herod in the Gospels, but there were three. Come learn about their

ruthless rule and their role in our sacred story. On **Sunday, September 29**, join us for ***Leonardo da Vinci's Last Supper: Tradition and Innovation in Italian Renaissance Paintings***. The presenter will be Lilian Armstrong, Mildred Lane Kemper Professor Emerita of Art, Wellesley College. All are welcome. — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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Junior Choir

The Junior Choir is looking forward to welcoming new and returning choristers on any given Sunday **at 9am in the parish hall**. All children grades K through eighth grade are welcome, especially if you like singing, making friends, and having fun! If you have any questions, please contact me! — Amanda Kern

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Firearm Safety Task Force

The Firearm Safety Task Force will meet **today, September 22, at 11:30am in the Harvey Room**. We'll be reviewing our minutes from the July meeting and discussing our plans for the fall. We'll also discuss the actions that have been taken in recent weeks following the mass shootings in Texas and Ohio and what more we can do to prevent gun violence both locally and nationally.

— Megan Burns

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Confirmation Class

All eighth graders are invited to join the St. Andrew's youth confirmation class. The first gathering of the year will be **today, September 22, from 5 to 6:30pm.** — Rev. Mia Kano

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High School Youth Group Cookout Kick-off!

The first high school youth group gathering of the year will be a cookout **tonight, September 22, from 6:45 to 8pm.** Let us know if you plan to attend (via email, text, Snapchat, or Instagram)! We will meet in the parish hall. — Rev. Mia Kano

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125th Anniversary Gala

Join us for a gala at Wellesley Country Club on **Saturday, November 2, from 6:30 to 10:30pm.** We'll begin the night with dinner and drinks then dance the night away. Replies are a must to this event (\$50/adults, \$30/seniors). Look for the link to register on the homepage of our website or send a check to St. Andrew's with "Gala November 2" in the memo line. We look forward to kicking off 125 more years of worship, fellowship, and community with you! Contact Jenny Sawyer • jennysawyer10@gmail.com or Lynda Sperry • lksperry@gmail.com for more information.

Turkey Trot

Sign up online to be a part of Team St. Andrew's in Wellesley's annual Turkey Trot. Last year over 70 of us signed up and we had a fabulous time. Pound down the

streets with us or sign up to serve water to the 2,000 plus runners that morning. Places are going fast; 50% the spaces for the race are already gone! — Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

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Review of 2019 Mission to El Hogar

Some members of the 2019 Honduran mission team will talk about their experience on **Sunday, September 29.** Their presentation will be in two parts: during the sermon at **both the 8am and 10am services, and at coffee hour after the 10am service.** There will be an opportunity to chat with the participants about their experiences. Please come hear about the mission. Members of the team: Bianka Eichelberger, Joe Hamilton, Heidi Harper, Joanna Horoban, Elizabeth Martin, Adrian Robbins-Cole, and Becky & Steve Taylor. — Becky Taylor

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Kids' Place Family Coffee

Our Kid's Place Coffee of September 29 will be postponed to a later date in the winter. Please stay tuned for a new date in the early winter. — Rev. Mia Kano

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Nametags

Get to know folks and help everyone feel welcome by wearing a nametag. The membership committee offers reusable magnetic nametags for all members. If you would like a new or replacement nametag, contact Becky Hamlin • dbhamlin@comcast.net

Coventry Suppers Sign-up

Coventry Suppers are small group sharing simple meals at each other's homes. It is a casual evening in which members contribute dishes, create fellowship and make connections on a new level. Once you sign up, by **Sunday, September 29**, the fellowship and membership committee chairs will form small groups of 8-10 people and distribute the lists in early October. A *first convener* will be designated and the group can then discuss how often to gather during the year. Sign up to participate on paper in the narthex, or on the website: go to SERVE and then VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP. — Linda Lull

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Day of Service: Meal Packing

On **Saturday, October 19**, our Day of Service will be packaging 12,500 dried meals to distribute to Pearl Street Cupboard & Café in Framingham. That's 100 meals for each of the 125 years that St. Andrew's has been in Wellesley! The best part is, we will do this in just one hour. We need 80+ volunteers at **9:30am** that day (and a few before and after for set up and cleanup), and we welcome volunteers from age 5 up. So, sign up today from the homepage of the website: look for the Day of Service, for your whole family to join this simple yet meaningful service opportunity. Organized by Al & Zebby Dubé, Greg Hunter, Nancy Jones, Cam McCormick, and Doug & Lois Mizzi.

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Rite-13 Overnight Lock-In

Rite-13 (sixth and seventh grade) youth are invited to an overnight lock-in on **Friday, October 4**. We'll meet at church on Friday night at **6pm**; pickup time is Saturday morning at 8am. Parents, join us as chaperones, or help out with dinner or breakfast!

- Rev. Mia Kano
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Summer Mission Trip 2020

Our summer mission trip with Appalachia Service Project will **most likely** be the week of **Saturday, June 21 through Saturday, June 28** (finalized date coming soon). If you or your teen are hoping to serve with us, contact me. We are also looking for folks with construction experience who'd enjoy passing on their skills at our pre-trip trainings! — Rev. Mia Kano

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B-READY Cooking

Please join us on **Sunday, October 6, right after the 10 am service**, in our kitchen. We will be cooking casseroles, using an easy macaroni and cheese recipe, which will be delivered to our sister church, St. Stephen's in Boston's South End. They will serve it at their after-school program, B-READY, during the early part of the week. We usually are finished by 12:30pm, and would love to have you join us, young or not-so-young! Please email Cam McCormick if you can help out. • cammccormick@earthlink.net

October 13 Community Service

Church School will be meeting all together at **9:45am Sunday, October 13, in Room 22 opposite the choir room**, to create cards and items for our care package ministry to St. Andrew's kids and foster care youth. We'll learn about foster care and what makes college challenging for some students. If you are interested in helping out, contact Mia. – Rev. Mia Kano

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The Book Circle is back!

Join the discussion on **Tuesday, October 17, at 7pm in the Harvey Room**. As it's the season of Halloween let's observe the holiday with some creepy treats, libations, and a scary book: *New England White* by Stephen L Carter. Questions? Contact Betsy Millane

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Gratitude

B-SAFE July 2019

A huge thank you to the amazing volunteers who made our support of B-SAFE possible this past July, 2019. We supported this important summer academic and enrichment camp at St. Stephen's church with healthy snacks, lunch meals and a field trip to Carson Beach. We had more than 50 terrific helpers who shopped, cooked, served and planned, including several first-time volunteers. Thank you so much!

Bonnie Akins, Christine Beach, Laura Brown MacKinnon, Victor Calcaterra, Marga Dieter, George Dummer, Nancy Echlov, Heidi Harper, Cynthia Hunt, Greg Hunter, Carol Jankowski, Ann Johnson, Ingrid Kainen, Mia Kano, Donna Kell, Margarethe Kulke, Isabella MacKinnon, Michael Mahlenkamp, Steve Mahoney, Herb Manning, Cam McCormick, Llynda McFarlane, Gail Musikavanhu and her children, Lisa Onorato, Debbie Osborn, Terri O'Toole, Caren Parker, Karen Pekowitz with Alexa and Julia, Nora Tracy Phillips, Sandy Rigney, Jenny Sawyer, Mary Scanlon, Margaret Schwarzer, Cynthia Scott, Paul Shackford, Charlene Smith, Lynda Sperry, Ellen Staelin, Sue Stewart and her children, Becky Taylor, Harriet Thompson, Michael Vanin, Sandy Warren, Fred Wright, and Margaret Zusky, along with our amazing staff at St. Andrew's.

Parish Picnic

A heartfelt thank you to everyone involved in helping to make the parish picnic a big success. It was a beautiful day filled with fun and laughter with parishioners (and yellow jackets) buzzing about! Over 50 volunteers helped to make sure that everything from greeting, parking, serving, lawn activities, setup, and cleanup ran smoothly.

A very special thank you to Luisa Hunnewell for hosting this

wonderful event. We are so grateful to have spent such a lovely fall Sunday at her home. Thank you also to Emily and Frank Hunnewell for their work with the preparations, with a big shout out to Emily for managing our recycling efforts.

It was a great day to connect with old friends and welcome new families to the parish, and we thank you all for coming!

Confirmation Service

Hosting a confirmation service is a considerable undertaking and involves the support of many people and ministries. We would like to thank the many people who gave so generously of their time and talent to help with the service last Sunday. Thanks to all those who served as acolytes, eucharistic ministers, and lectors. Thank you to the altar guild and the flower guild for helping to prepare the church for the service. Many thanks to the choir for their beautiful music. Thanks also to the ushers for helping with the smooth flow of the service. Thank you to all those from our receptions ministry who undertook to organize and host the reception following the service.

Congratulations to the Confirmands

Michael Peter Alpers, Charles Alexander Bacon, Gwendolyn Leigh Brown, Sofie Shiona Isobel Cole, Kathryn Isabella Cunningham, Alexander Hudson Dehn, Benjamin Jameson Dehn, Garrett William Dobos, Clara Ann Eikeboom, Owen Nicolas Graves, Grayson Kepner Houghton, Sophie Hunnewell, Sophie Margaret Hunter, Caroline Louise Jolley, Gabrielle Corinne Lazaro, Henry Brown MacKinnon, Madison Leigh McCaslin, Sophie O'Sullivan, Julia Brotherhood Pekowitz, Taylor Ann Read, Coley Michelsen Schaefer, Robert Paul Stasiukevicius, Elizabeth Lee Stevenson, and Jeffrey Arthur Carl Young

Congratulations to C. Madison Riley III

Congradulations to Madison, who was received into the church on Saturday, September 14.

Vestry

Adult Formation Peter Fergusson

Clerk Sarah Harris

Communications Terri Rawson

Fellowship Linda Lull

Finance David Osborn

Human Resources Frank Hunnewell

Membership D.D. Alexander

Outreach Heidi Harper

Property Jim Blackwell

Stewardship Allen Jones

Treasurer Arnout Eikeboom

Wardens David Hamlin

Paige Manning

Worship Cynthia Scott

Youth Formation Jen Martin

Staff

- **In an emergency, please contact Adrian on his cell phone: 603/831-4938.**
- The clergy are available to assist you if you email or call them if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited.
- Please let us know of names that should be added to our prayer list.

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Assistant Sextons Bill Clover and Matthew Killeen

Weekly Calendar

- The **Holy Eucharist** is celebrated on **Sundays at 8am, 10am and 5pm**, and every **Wednesday at 7:30am**—we offer healing prayer at these services; **Silent Contemplative Prayer** is also offered weekdays at **8:50am**, unless otherwise noted.
- **Senior Choir** rehearsal is on **Thursdays at 7:30pm**, and **Sundays at 9am** beginning; **Junior Choir** rehearsal is on **Sundays at 9am**.
- **Parish Office hours** are Monday through Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and Friday, 9am to 12pm.
- **12-Step Programs** Al-Anon, Tuesdays, 7:30pm; Men's AA, Wednesdays, 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays, 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30am; Step Sisters, Saturdays, 10:30am.

Sunday, September 22

Family Promise host week begins

9am Christian Learning
9:45am Kids' Place, Church School,
& Rite-13
10am *common cathedral*
11:30am Firearm Safety Task Force
5pm Confirmation Class
5pm Informal Worship
6:45pm High School Youth Group

Monday, September 23

7:30pm Finance Meeting

Tuesday, September 24

5pm Dinner Volunteers at Pearl Street
Cupboard & Café
7:30pm Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, September 25

5:30pm Communications
7:30pm Meal planning

Saturday, September 28

11am Marina Kluter Service

Sunday, September 29

9am Christian Learning
9:45am Kids' Place, Church School,
& Rite-13
11:30am Kid's Place Coffee
11:30am Property Meeting
5pm Blessing of the Animals



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