

The Herald

May 26 - June 2, 2013

Trinity Sunday & 2nd Sunday after Pentecost

From the Rector: Of Being Earnest

My friend and classmate from seminary, Will Carter, died last night. He was diagnosed with stage four pancreatic cancer just ten days ago. The doctors said he could possibly make it four weeks, but Will told his wife it wouldn't be that long. He was in his late sixties or early seventies; young in this day and age. Will was quite a character. He dabbled in Mormonism when he was young. Before seminary he was president of the local Toastmaster chapter. I never really knew what the toastmasters did...there was a chapter in my hometown. Knowing some of the members I gathered that they basically were people who liked to get together and hear themselves talk. Will certainly fit that profile. For his age he was decidedly naive, but he was, to say the least, persistently earnest. In class he was always the first person to raise his hand to ask a question. He would work his way into it until he got himself lost in what he was trying to ask...he would pause, and then say, "Am I making any sense here?" Of course he wasn't, but our professors graciously indulged him and would try to answer the parts of the question they could understand.... Will was always the first person to volunteer for... anything, and he quite often made a fool of himself, but above all else he was delightfully and persistently earnest, and we loved him for it.

Will in his earlier years was an engineer. He could manage numbers, but he never mastered the art of writing, and in seminary that's about all you do: write. He ask me to tutor him during our first year, in which he probably had more papers returned to him to rewrite than any of the other students. But he earnestly persisted. I wasn't much help. His mind just lacked the gift of expressing oneself via the written word. But Will made up for this shortcoming in other ways. He was compassionate to a fault. In Clinical Pastoral Education at St. David's Hospital he visited at least three times the patients the rest of us did. As the rest of us would begin winding down during the afternoons, having a soda in the cafe, we would see Will out of the window pushing a patient along the sidewalk in a wheel chair so that his patient could get some fresh air. We practically had to drag him away, as spent as he was, from the hospital at quitting time.

I suspect Will was a fine priest. His sermons were probably not all that coherent, but through his naively earnest self disclosure, I believe one could see and feel the love so brimful in his heart. I'm sure his congregation will miss him, as will I. Thinking of Will reminds me of some words from our hymnal from #9 *Morning Song*: "to give and give and give again what God hath given thee; to spend thyself nor count the cost; to serve right gloriously the God who gave all worlds that are, and all that are to be."

Some years ago my mother was visiting our house and we were listening to John Rutter's *Requiem*....one of the lines, very familiar to us from the Burial Rite is, "blessed are the dead who die in the Lord for they rest from their labors." I've heard it many, many times. My mother gasped slightly and said , "I now know what that means.... "our labor is not life's burdens," she said.... "our labor is the gift of bearing God's life." Those words have shaped my theology in no small way. We live and we give God's life, which is Love, for and to our world, until it is time to rest. Let us spend ourselves nor count the cost and give and give for the great good of the world. Rest, dear Will... Rest.

On the Calendar:

Tuesday, May 21
6pm Rector's Forum & supper

Wednesday, May 22
9:15am L'Arche (Chapel)
12N Holy Eucharist (Chapel)

Thursday, May 23
Rector on vacation thru 6/1
12N Al-Anon
7pm AA

Sunday, May 26
8am Holy Eucharist
9am Breakfast
9:25am Adult Christian Ed.
10:30am Holy Eucharist
Birthday Reception

Monday, May 27
Office closed: Memorial Day

Wednesday, May 29
9:15am L'Arche (Chapel)
12N Holy Eucharist (Chapel)

Thursday, May 30
12N Al-Anon
7pm AA

Sunday, June 2
8am Holy Eucharist
9am Breakfast
9:25am Adult Christian Ed.
10:30am Holy Eucharist
Reception

Monday, June 3
Rector returns to office

Tuesday, June 4
11:45am All Saints serves @ 15
Place
June Herald sent out

Wednesday, June 5
9:15am L'Arche (Chapel)
12N Holy Eucharist (Chapel)

This is a 2-week Herald! Please pay attention!

Thanks for all your help with Food Share

this past weekend. Your help is always needed and appreciated! The next Food Share is June 13-15.

Burgers for Beckwith was a **huge** success after church on Sunday! The grillers grilled, the decorators decorated and the “side” makers made delicious slaw and potato salad. And, surprise, the eaters ate!! But the primary purpose for being together was to raise money toward the Special Ministries camp at Beckwith, which has been a ministry of All Saints for over 40 years, and hallelujah, did we raise some money! Almost \$2300 was raised, which will go toward the cost of the bus that takes the campers over and back to Mobile, and toward essentials for all the kids: toothbrushes and toothpaste, disposable cameras, flashlight, beach towels, sunscreen, etc. Thanks to everyone who put this great time together for us, and thanks to all who came out to enjoy it!

The May Birthday Celebration Reception

is this Sunday, May 26. Please be sure to bring something to snack on for the reception after the 10:30 service! As always, those with May birthdays will be recognized at both services with a birthday prayer. Everyone is invited to celebrate!

Where's Jesus?

With so many outreach ministries at All Saints, he could be anywhere! Here he is in the canned goods that go to feed local families through Food Share every month. You can find him in the grateful smiles and heart-felt thanks of those who receive the food as well as those who give it out. If you would like to help with this ministry, watch the Herald for dates and times. It almost always happens on the third Saturday of the month!



This summer, The Herald will be issued

once a month instead of every two weeks as in past summers. If you have information that needs to appear in a newsletter edition, please send it to Mary Robert by the following dates: May 29, June 26, or July 24. In between the monthly publications, updates, reminders, new schedules, etc, will be emailed as necessary. Please feel free to offer your helpful suggestions to asstrector@allsaintsmobile.org.

Our prayers are offered

for Woody Hannum and family at the death of his stepmother, Lib Hannum; and for Marion Elledge, his partner Roger Franklin, and Marion's family at the death of his father, Lamar, on Sunday. *Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

The Rector's Forum & Supper

meets this Tuesday, May 21, at 6:00pm in the Saad Room. This will be the last forum until it resumes in the fall. Please watch the Herald for that date later on.

The Directory Update

is still going on. If you have not yet responded, please do it now. You can email us the changes or say “everything is the same,” send in the form from the Herald, or get a form from the volunteer desk during the week. Put forms in the alms basins Sunday or turn in to the office. Thanks!

The Refugee Pantry

needs non-food staples such as paper towels, shampoo, toilet tissue, toothpaste and toothbrushes, dish and laundry detergent, bath soap, dry cat food, and ant spray. Thank you.

The Rector

will be on vacation from May 23 through June 1. The office will be open during its regular hours: Mon-Th, 9am-4pm and Fri, 9am-12N. For emergencies after hours, please call Mary Robert at 458-8581.

Summertime Checklist:

Summer is upon us and many people go out of town for vacation. Please don't forget to pay your pledge because you're gone! The church still has bills to pay.

If you're away on a Sunday, visit a nearby Episcopal Church and bring back one of their bulletins. It's always interesting to see how much we are alike and how much we differ, just like our own families.

And of course, be safe in your travels, and return to us relaxed and refreshed, ready to carry on the mission in this part of God's kingdom. Shalom!

Farm to Table Tasting and Wine Event!

Reservations for this yummy event are due by May 24! Don't miss the best of all things local!



Details... Details... Details...

When: Monday, June 3, 2013 6-8 pm
Where: 5 Rivers Delta Hall
30945 Five Rivers Blvd. Spanish Fort, AL 36527

RESERVATION REQUESTED by May 24 - \$65 per person
Please make checks payable to: Mobile County Master Gardeners
12915 Dauphin Island Pkwy. Coden, AL 36523
Must be 21 years of Age or Older to attend.

 For more information:
Call 251-574-8445
Email jda0002@aces.edu
www.aces.edu/Mobile/mg



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Our Database Needs Updating! We need correct information for our record-keeping and the church directory. Please fill out your name, spouse/partner's name, street address, phone #s you want listed and email address(es) you want The Herald and other church communications to go to. Add your birth date, with or without year. For children, please give their full date of birth. For children in college, add their college address if they would like to receive The Herald. If nothing has changed, please let us know that, too! Return the form by mail, by placing in the alms basin on Sunday morning, or dropping it by the church office. **Thanks!**

Your Name _____

Spouse / Partner _____

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Your D.O.B. ___/___/___ Spouse / Partner D.O.B. ___/___/___

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Please mark your calendars right away with the dates you are to serve!

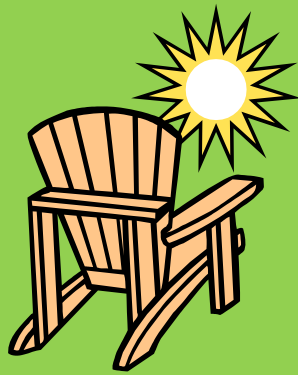
If you cannot be present for the date you are scheduled, please try to get a substitute and let the church office know who it is.
If you can't find a sub, let the office know as soon as possible. 438-2492.

Lay Ministers for June 2013

Date	Time	Lector	Intercessor	Chalice	Acolytes	Ushers	Altar Guild	Flower Guild	Breakfast	Reception
June 2 <i>Pent 2, Prop 4</i>	8am	MH Slaton	J Clearman	S Willcox		F & B South	B Bentley P Reeves C Ryan	B Wilson B Ratcliffe	K Flowers K Gray R Greene C Ryan	
	1030 am	E Browne M Durant	A Barrett	H Callaway B Harris	B, D, D Reeves	M Williams H Caddell J Ayres	Bread: J Clearman B Bentley			
June 9 <i>Pent 3, Prop 5</i>	8am	W Butler	S Willcox	M Taylor		B & B Evatt		C Mackey J Tucker	R Hester L Hallett J Burce E Hughes	
	1030 am	D Foster R Gray	M Harris	B Hardaway M Morrison	D Williams B Foster L Gray	J Hamilton B Hines M Durant				
June 16 <i>Pent 4, Prop 6</i>	8am	J Clearman	J Basenberg	B Ratcliffe		W English M Taylor		K McKenzie R Bradford	J Clearman M Harris S Cleveland B Evatt	
	1030 am	B Harris R Williams	F Rouse	C Ryan N Lancaster	L Ayres C Mosley G Ayres	D Mosley C Conte R Pappas				
June 23 <i>Pent 5, Prop 7</i>	8am	S Willcox	B Evatt	M Taylor		J Basenberg B Case		C Hall B Hardaway	C Kelley C Doyle W Hester J Rivers	
	1030 am	M Nissen SF Greene	B Hardaway	L Wood E Kelley	M Williams K Gray E Gray	L Wood H Callaway M Morrison				
June 30 <i>Pent 6, Prop 8</i>	8am	A Lilly	L Hallett	L Van Dyke		P Mackey H Dodge	B Bentley E Doyle	D Barnett R Feuerlein J & RE Stanbery F South		
	1030 am	M Kelley V Mitchell	M Petithory	L Thomas B Bentley	B Foster L Gray B Reeves	C Doyle D Greene D Greene			Birthday Group	

June Birthdays

1- Rosemary Williams	7- Miller Callaway	16- Valerie Case	24- Kelly Baker	29- Serena Willcox
2- Curt Doyle	10- Katie Anderson	16- Richard Jenkins	24- Pete Wilson	29- Jacob Harkins
2- Tori Cleverdon	10- Kate Nichols	19- Billie Montgomery	25- Caitlin Looney	30- Therese Fuqua
4- Atem Kuot	15- Lister Thomas	21- Jean Alice Basenberg	25- Henry Shields	
6- Edward Caddell	15- Brewer Ayres	22- Liam Ayres	27- Ellen Wingard	



June 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 <i>2nd Sun. after Pentecost</i> 8a Holy Eucharist 9a Breakfast 9:30a Adult Christian Ed 10:30a Holy Eucharist Reception follows	3	4 11:45a All Saints serves @ 15 Place	5 9:15a L'Arche –chapel 12N Holy Eucharist	6 12N Al-Anon 7p AA, Smith Rm	7	8 10:30a PFLAG
9 <i>3rd Sun. after Pentecost</i> 8a Holy Eucharist 9a Breakfast 9:30a Adult Christian Ed 10:30a Holy Eucharist Reception follows	10	11 5p Murray House Board Mtg	12 9:15a L'Arche –chapel 12N Holy Eucharist	13 9am Food Share delivery 12N Al-Anon 7p AA, Smith Rm	14 5:30p Food Share packing	15 8am Food Share distribution
16 <i>4th Sun. after Pentecost</i> 8a Holy Eucharist 9a Breakfast 9:30a Adult Christian Ed 10:30a Holy Eucharist Reception follows	17 6p Vestry mtg 6p 15 Place Board	18	19 9:15a L'Arche –chapel 12N Holy Eucharist	20 12N Al-Anon 7p AA, Smith Rm	21	22
23 <i>5th Sun. after Pentecost</i> 8a Holy Eucharist 9a Breakfast 9:30a Adult Christian Ed 10:30a Holy Eucharist Reception follows	24	25	26 9:15a L'Arche –chapel 12N Holy Eucharist	27 12N Al-Anon 7p AA, Smith Rm	28 Special Ministries Camp begins at Beckwith	29
30 <i>6th Sun. after Pentecost</i> 8a Holy Eucharist 9a Breakfast 9:30a Adult Christian Ed 10:30a Holy Eucharist Birthday Reception						

Sunday, May 26, 2013

Trinity Sunday

The Lessons

[Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31](#)

[Psalm 8](#)

[Romans 5:1-5](#)

[John 16:12-15](#)

The Collect of the Day

Holy Trinity, you are neither monarch nor monologue but an eternal harmony of gift and response: through the Uncreated Word and the Spirit of Truth, include us and all creation in your extravagant love; through the Wisdom of God, who raises her voice to call us to life. Amen.

Those Who Serve

Altar Guild: Melanie Petithory, Kim Gray, Gretchen Thiel, Bruce Rockstad

Bread Bakers: Beth Hardaway, Lillian Carsten

Flower Guild: Kathrine Butler, Suzanne Drew

Breakfast: Carol Mackey, Valerie Case, Besty Schneider, Kim Kelly, Don Mosley

Reception: May Birthday group

8:00am

Lector: Larry Hallett

Intercessor: Serena Willcox

Chalice: Lee Van Dyke

Ushers: Renee Dillard, Woody Hannum

Greeter: Renee Dillard

10:30am

Lectors: Wyll Lewis, Melanie Petithory

Intercessor: Valerie Mitchell

Chalices: Nancy Lancaster, Lister Thomas

Acolytes: Brewer, Liam & Gillian Ayres

Ushers: Ricky Bradford, Henry Brewster, Louie Wood

Music

Voluntary Jean Langlais – *Trois méditations sur la Sainte Trinité (Le Père)*

Processional Hymn 362 *Nicea*

David Hurd S-277 *Gloria in Excelsis Deo (New Plainsong)*

Jerome Meachen (Simplified Anglican Chant) – *Psalm 8*

Sequence Hymn 500 *Surrey*

Jeffrey Rickard – *The Nicene Creed*

Offertory Anthem Gerre Hancock – *God the Sculptor of the Mountains*

Presentation Hymn *How Shall I sing that Majesty (Coe Fen)*

David Hurd S-124 *Sanctus & Benedictus qui venit (New Plainsong)*

David Hurd S-161 *Agnus Dei (New Plainsong)*

Communion Hymn 324 *Picardy*

Communion Hymn 366 *Grosser Gott*

Post Communion Hymn 512 *Mendon*

Processional Jean Langlais - *Trois méditations sur la Sainte Trinité (Le Saint Esprit)*



The Episcopal Church welcomes you

Sunday, June 2, 2013

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

The Lessons

[1 Kings 18:20-39](#)

[Psalm 96](#)

[Galatians 1:1-12](#)

[Luke 7:1-10](#)

The Collect of the Day

Searching God, finding faith in unexpected places: free us from the contempt of what is familiar and the horror of what remains foreign, that we might celebrate your presence intimate and other and wholly alive; through Jesus Christ, friend of strangers. Amen.

Those Who Serve

Altar Guild: Betty Bentley, Paula Reeves, Clayton Ryan

Bread Bakers: Jeff Clearman, Betty Bentley

Flower Guild: Becky Wilson, Burl Ratcliffe

Breakfast: Katharine Flowers, Kim Gray, Renea Greene, Clayton Ryan

Reception: TBA

8:00am

Lector: Mary Hunter Slaton

Intercessor: Jeff Clearman

Chalice: Serena Willcox

Ushers: Fred & Barbara South

Greeter: Renee Dillard

10:30am

Lectors: Eric Browne, Martha Durant

Intercessor: Andi Barrett

Chalices: Henry Callaway, Ben Harris

Acolytes: Boone, David & Dustin Reeves

Ushers: Mark Williams, Hank Caddell, Jim Ayres

Music

Voluntary J. S. Bach – *Ich ruf zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ*, BWV 639

Processional Hymn 408 *Mit Freuden zart*

David Hurd S-277 *Gloria in Excelsis Deo* (New Plainsong)

Jerome Meachen (Simplified Anglican Chant) – *Psalm 96*

Sequence Hymn 706 *Halton Holgate*

Jeffrey Rickard – *The Nicene Creed*

Offertory TBA

Presentation Hymn 372 *Leoni*

David Hurd S-124 *Sanctus & Benedictus qui venit* (New Plainsong)

David Hurd S-161 *Agnus Dei* (New Plainsong)

Communion Hymn 321 *Rockingham*

Communion Hymn 634 *Ich ruf zu dir*

Post Communion Hymn 607 *Llangloffan*

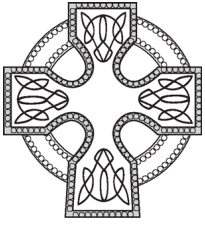
Processional J. S. Bach – *In dir ist Freude*, BWV 615

Please keep in your prayers:

✚ For healing for: the White family, Susan Hannum, Katie Burlison, Sharon, Mary Gardiner Tims, Buck Belmore, Sara Martin, Alan Grubbs, Joe O'Shea, Annette Sanders, Stella Vaughn, Katie Hammond, Skip Shirah, Becky Price, Amanda, Achol Guet, Barbara Blum-Barnett, Caroline Fletcher, Dorothy Clark, Mackenzie Petersen, Tom Wilson, Glenda Bazzel, Nancy Hartley, Shannon Lord, Mit Kopf, Francis Argulewicz, Nancy Golson Smith, Charlie Myers, Trinity Church, Nancy Quittmeyer, Regina Slayton, Julie Tadlock, David Leff, Steven Bodiford, Walter Sims, Mitch Price, Austin Brown, Barbara Deming, John Stephens, Heather and family, Martha Collier, JoAnn Pappas, Dunn Chandler, Scott Podstata, Abraham Kuol, Roy Muth, Jane Arnau, Jessica Montalvo-Lopez, Evina Valera, Ed Givhan, Sharon Cleverdon, Patsy Childress, Anna Marie Brown, Laura

✚ For those who serve in the armed forces, especially: Spencer Abbot, Matt Abbot, Jonathan Carter, DeMario Snead

✚ For those who have died, especially Elizabeth B. Hannum, Lamar Elledge and Donna Wamhoff



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Service Schedule

Sundays	8:00 am Holy Eucharist
	9:00 am Breakfast
	9:30 am Christian Education Classes (during school year)
	10:30 am Holy Eucharist
Wednesdays	12 Noon Holy Eucharist (Chapel)