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Welcome!

We are so glad you have joined us today! You are loved by God and loved by us. No matter who you are or where you are in your faith journey, you are welcome here. Please let us know if we can minister to you in any specific ways.

- Fr. Michael Engfer and the All Saints Family

Flowers

The flowers adorning our altar on this Sunday are given to the glory of God by Candace Marshall in loving memory of the one-year passing of Gail Sandra Marshall. All of us miss you every minute of every day. Your sunshine and love is never forgotten. Our love to you always, husband Tyce Marshall, daughters Candace and Amy Marshall, granddaughter Amanda Marshall Hall, and great grandsons Leonidas and Athen.

**NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
THE HOLY EUCHARIST ~ RITE II
JULY 26, 2026 - 10:30 AM**

CALL TO WORSHIP ~ 13 BELLS

VOLUNTARY

Prelude on *Slane*

arr. Gordon Young

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 594

God of grace and God of glory

Cwm Rhondda

The Liturgy of the Word

Presider
People

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

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

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

HYMN OF PRAISE 711

Seek Ye First

Seek Ye First

**Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness,
And all these things shall be added unto you; Allelu, alleluia!**

Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Allelu, alleluia!

**Ask, and it shall be given unto you, seek, and ye shall find,
Knock, and the door shall be opened unto you; Allelu, alleluia!**

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

***People* And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

Silence

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Genesis 29:15-28

A reading from the book of Genesis.

Laban said to Jacob, "Because you are my kinsman, should you therefore serve me for nothing? Tell me, what shall your wages be?" Now Laban had two daughters; the name of the elder was Leah, and the name of the younger was Rachel. Leah's eyes were lovely, and Rachel was graceful and beautiful. Jacob loved Rachel; so he said, "I will serve you seven years for your younger daughter Rachel." Laban said, "It is better that I give her to you than that I should give her to any other man; stay with me." So Jacob served seven years for Rachel, and they seemed to him but a few days because of the love he had for her.

Then Jacob said to Laban, "Give me my wife that I may go in to her, for my time is completed." So Laban gathered together all the people of the place, and made a feast. But in the evening he took his daughter Leah and brought her to Jacob; and he

went in to her. (Laban gave his maid Zilpah to his daughter Leah to be her maid.) When morning came, it was Leah! And Jacob said to Laban, "What is this you have done to me? Did I not serve with you for Rachel? Why then have you deceived me?" Laban said, "This is not done in our country—giving the younger before the firstborn. Complete the week of this one, and we will give you the other also in return for serving me another seven years." Jacob did so, and completed her week; then Laban gave him his daughter Rachel as a wife.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 128

1 Happy are they all who fear the Lord, *
and who follow in his ways!

2 You shall eat the fruit of your labor; *
happiness and prosperity shall be yours.

3 Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine within your house, *
your children like olive shoots round about your table.

4 The man who fears the Lord *
shall thus indeed be blessed.

5 The Lord bless you from Zion, *
and may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life.

6 May you live to see your children's children; *
may peace be upon Israel.

SECOND READING: Romans 8:26-39

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Rome.

The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written,

“For your sake we are being killed all day long;
we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.”

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN 488 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart *Slane*

*Choir and People will sing stanzas 1-2 during the Gospel procession,
then stanza 3 after the Gospel is read.*

GOSPEL: Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus put before the crowds another parable: “The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.”

He told them another parable: “The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened.”
“The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it.

“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

“Have you understood all this?” They answered, “Yes.” And he said to them, “Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.”

Gospeler

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Michael Engfer

A quiet time for reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God,

**the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

**the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

**he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

**On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;**

**he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader Holy God, be in the midst of us now as we pray for ourselves and the world saying Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

We pray for the Church, the body of Christ, that you would be in our midst everywhere we are. Strengthen us, reorient us and send us to be your people to the world.

Silence

Lord in your mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for the health, welfare and legacy of this nation. We pray for the prosperity and needs of our brothers and sisters across our country and around the world. Embolden us to serve the common good and advocate for the needs of all people.

Silence

Lord in your mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader Creator God, bless this planet which you have entrusted to our care. Guide us to tend to its resources and beauty in the same way we would steward our own yard or garden. Bless all your amazing creatures. Thank you for the variety and splendor of each species, each plant, and every season.

Silence

Lord in your mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for this congregation, give us hearts that long for you and hands that serve others in your name.

Silence

Lord in your mercy,

***People* hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for those who are sick, suffering, anxious, hopeless, imprisoned, persecuted or alone. We pray for those who are ill and for those who provide them care. Especially we pray for Mark, Chris, Celia, Bob, Jon, Kaino, Daphne, Deb, Loretta, Nana, Noah, Issa,

Kerron, Lou, Irmgard, and those we now name either silently or aloud.

Silence

Lord in your mercy,

People *hear our prayer.*

Leader Be with the dying, comfort the grieving and hold us in your heart, this day and always.

Silence

Lord in your mercy,

People *hear our prayer.*

Presider Lord, you have promised to be with us whenever we gather in your name, be with us now. Hear and respond to our prayers. Show us the path to be your people more perfectly. All this we ask in Jesus' name.

People *Amen.*

HEAR OUR PRAYER: PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FOR THE REVISED COMMON LECTIONARY

John White and Lisa Graves, Church Publishing, 2024

CONFESSION OF SIN

Presider Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Presider and People

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

ABSOLUTION

The Presider stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

All stand

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The peace is then exchanged.

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

We invite your offerings for All Saints' ministry of sharing God's love with the world. You may place your offering in the plates passed by the ushers or scan our QR code to give online.



OFFERTORY SOLO

Lead Me, Lord

arr. Mark Hayes

Madison Gause, Mezzo Soprano

*Blessed are the poor in spirit, longing for their Lord,
for God's coming kingdom shall be theirs.*

*Blessed are the sorrowing for they shall be consoled,
and the meek shall come to rule the world.*

*Refrain: Lead me, Lord by the light of truth to seek and to find the narrow way.
Be my way; be my truth; be my life, my Lord, and lead me, Lord today.*

*Blessed are the merciful, for mercy shall be theirs,
and the pure in heart shall see their God.*

*Blest are they whose hunger only holiness can fill,
for I say they shall be satisfied.*

*Blest are they who through their lifetime sow the seeds of peace,
all will call them children of the Lord.*

*Blest are you, though persecuted in your holy life,
for in heaven, great is your reward.*

DOXOLOGY

Old 100th

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Presider

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS S 129

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and

might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est._____

The People sit, stand or kneel.
The Presider continues.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Presider and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Presider And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Presider and People

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy Name,

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

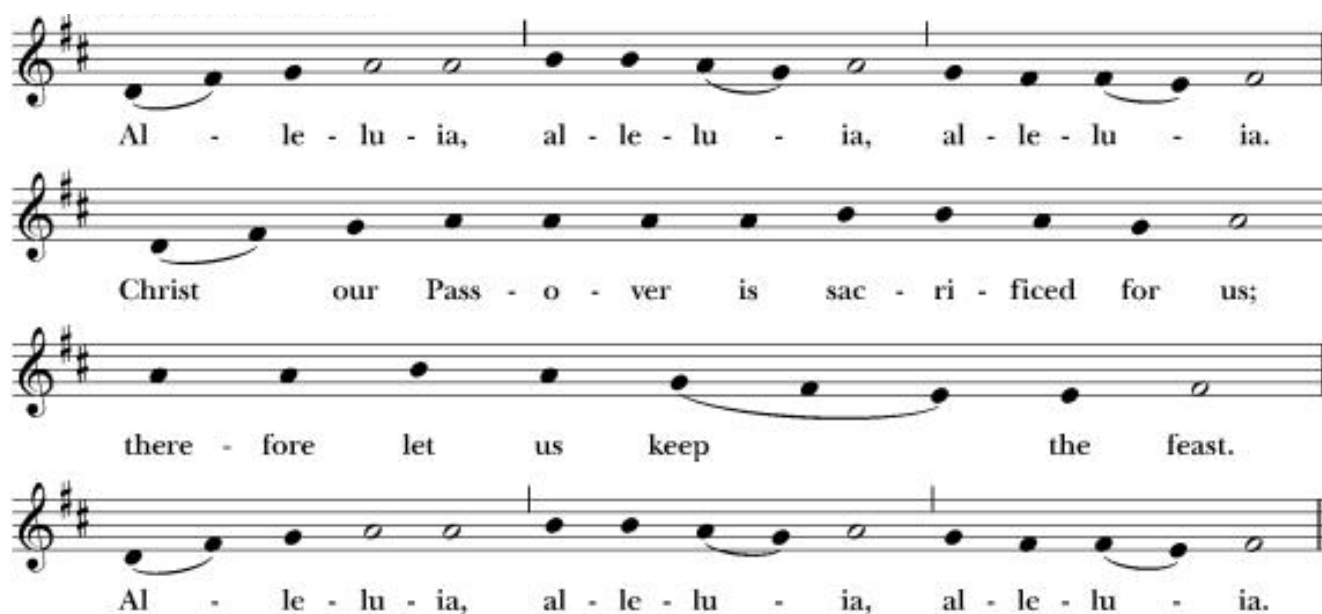
Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Silence

FRACTION ANTHEM S 154



Presider

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

COMMUNION SOLO O Lord, Whose Mercies Numberless *G. F. Handel* Madison Gause, Mezzo Soprano

*O Lord, whose mercies numberless o'er all Thy works prevail,
Though daily mankind Thy laws transgress, Thy patience cannot fail, no, cannot fail.
If yet our sins remain before Thee, let Thy love our lives control.
Now, Lord, within us repentance see, and come to heal each soul,
each wounded soul.*

A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Said by the Presider and intended for use by those watching our livestream.

Holy One, though I am unable to be physically present today with the worshipping community at All Saints Church, I have prayed with them as the Holy Eucharist has been celebrated. In my heart I feel connected to those worshipping at All Saints with Christians throughout the world. Though I am unable to receive you sacramentally today, I know you are always spiritually present in my heart, in my soul, and in my every breath. For this I give you thanks and praise. **Amen.**

SENDING FORTH OF THE LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Presider [N.N.] we send you out to share Communion this week with [N.N.]

People **May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's presence.**

Presider May they who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in that community which we have together in Christ.

People **Amen.**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Presider Let us pray.

Presider and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN 615

"Thy kingdom come!" on bended knee

St. Flavian

DISMISSAL

Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People **Thanks be to God.**

VOLUNTARY

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

arr. David Lowe

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Announcements



FORMATION HAPPENINGS



ADULT FORUM

Please join **Gerry Iacullo** today as we continue our journey through the history of the *Book of Common Prayer*—from its medieval roots, through the English Reformation, to the Prayer Book that continues to shape Episcopal worship today. Together, we will explore how centuries of history, prayer, and reform gave rise to one of the Anglican tradition's greatest treasures. Along the way, we'll reflect on why the *Book of Common Prayer* remains at the heart of our common worship, shaping our faith, connecting us with Christians across generations, and reminding us that *praying shapes believing*.

Meet us at **9:15am** in **Neaverson Chapel**. If you're joining us for the first time, please introduce yourself.



CONNECTION HAPPENINGS



PRAYER REQUEST SUBMISSION

We believe in the power of prayer and would be honored to pray for you or someone you love.



Prayer requests may be shared in person with a member of the clergy or by emailing prayers@allsaintsfl.org. All requests are received with care and held in confidence unless you request otherwise.



BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Please join us in celebrating those in our parish family who have birthdays and wedding anniversaries this week, **Jul 26 – Aug 1**.



Birthdays: Andy Li, Carlos Barrera, Dennis Fitch, Gordon Cotton, Jim Hughes, Jim Rothgeb, Michael Engfer, Nancy Eliot, Rocky Pe Benito

Anniversaries: Walter Sherman & Rick Vaughan, Dennis & Heather Glenn, Terry & Patty Robinson, Lorraine Michels & Joan Van Ness

✓	COFFEE HOUR SUNDAYS Join us after each service (8:00am & 10:30am) for Coffee Hour in Jensen Courtyard, weather permitting, or Neaverson Hall. We'd love to spend time visiting with you! If you're unable to join us in person, then worship with us online at our 10:30am service (https://www.facebook.com/asecfl) and stay afterward for our Virtual Coffee Hour on Zoom. Meeting ID: 893 8616 0774 Passcode: 814195
✓	SNAP IT → SHARE IT Stop by the All Saints Photo Board in the Narthex to view the latest photos and see what's happening in our parish community. We'd love for you to share your favorite pictures from church events and activities by emailing photos@allsaintsfl.org to be printed and added to the Photo Board. Thank you for helping us celebrate and share the life of our All Saints family!
	OUTREACH HAPPENINGS
✓	LAUNDRY LOVE Laundry Love met at Laundromax Sunrise, 201 West Sunrise Blvd on Tuesday, July 14th from 3:00pm-5:30pm to serve the community by helping 12 guests with funds, detergents and softeners for the laundry machines. Their assistance enabled guests to wash and dry 30 loads of dirty clothing and bedding. We want to recognize our 4 volunteers who came to help our guests: Gregg, MaryAnn, Tom, and Jaqui. We meet every 2nd Tuesday of the month, so join us next month on August 11th to volunteer. We also recognize each of you who support this outreach ministry with cash contributions, miscellaneous donations or by volunteering at our events. Many individuals, families and children feel the impact of your generosity because they benefit from having nice clean clothes. To volunteer or make contributions, contact Rich Markiewicz at laundrylove@allsaintsfl.org.
✓	STOP LIGHT PACKETS Join Jon and Cynthia Floria and the team on Sunday, August 2nd to pack nutritious snack packs that are provided to the homeless men and women who panhandle at the crossroads in Broward County. Protein



products, peanut butter cups, fruit cups, salty items, candies, are provided in quart size plastic bags along with info on where to get help in the county. This event will take place **after the 10:30am Coffee Hour** in **Neaverson Chapel**. Rather than money, we provide them with some food for the day. Our goal is to pack 150 bags. We do this every 3-4 months so please join us on August 2nd.

Once the bags are packed, they are sold in the **Narthex** (jar honor system) to parishioners who then distribute them at intersections while stopped at a red light to those who ask for "Help". We also distribute these bags when someone comes to the church office requesting food.



WORSHIP HAPPENINGS



MIDWEEK WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

In-Person & Livestream

St. Luke's Chapel or online at <https://www.facebook.com/asecfl>

✝ Wednesday Healing Service with Holy Eucharist at 12:05pm

✝ Thursay Vespers (Evening Prayer) at 6:30pm

Online Only

Join us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/asecfl>

✝ Daily Compline (Prayers at End of Day) at 8:30pm (except Thursdays)



OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE OUR LIVESTREAM MINISTRY

All Saints' Livestream Ministry Is Growing — We Need Your Help!

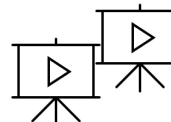
We livestream Sunday 10:30am Eucharist, Wednesday 12:05pm Eucharist with Healing Prayer, nightly Compline, and Vespers.

- **Sunday Audio/Visual Team - 10:30am livestream**

We are looking for volunteers to assist with our Sunday 10:30am livestream **once a month**. No experience is necessary! Training is provided. Contact **Michael Lee** at streaming@allsaintsfl.org.

- **Evening Compline Team - 8:30pm livestream**

Help lead our nightly livestream of Compline one evening each week, if you can, or as often as you can at 8:30pm. This peaceful ministry lasts just 10–15 minutes and offers a meaningful way to end the day in prayer. To learn more, contact **Rick Vaughan** at rickvaughan9778@hotmail.com.





ADMINISTRATION HAPPENINGS



BULLETIN SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Please submit all bulletin information or announcements by **Tuesday at 4:00pm**. Late submissions may be held for the following week.



THIS WEEK HAPPENINGS

- **Monday - Friday:** Easier Softer Way AA Mtg, 8:00am, Neaverson Chapel
- **Wednesday**
 - Holy Eucharist with Healing Prayer, 12:05pm, St. Luke's Chapel
 - AA Women's Group, 6:00pm, Neaverson Chapel
- **Thursday:** Vespers, 6:30pm, St. Luke's Chapel
- **Sunday**
 - 8:00am Holy Eucharist
 - 9:15am Adult Forum, Neaverson Chapel
 - 10:30am Holy Eucharist, Coffee Hour following service.



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