

Welcome home to St. Mary's Episcopal Church

"To build up one another in Christ."

The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

The Rev. Leanne Beaumont

October 26, 2025 9:00 am & 11:00 am



Prelude: How can I keep from singing St. Mary's Bell Choir

Robert Lowry

The Word of the Lord

All stand as you are able.

Processional Hymn: Love divine, all loves excelling (Hymn 657)

Hyfrydol

Acclamation

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

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 355

People

And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen

All

The Collect for Purity

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

11:00a.m.—The children are invited to come forward and process to Children's Chapel.

Gloria

Hymn S280

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect for the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you. **People** And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Reading: Joel 2:23-32

Lector: A reading from the book of Joel.

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you.

You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

Then afterward I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit. I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Psalm 65:1-5

9:00 am—Lector: The psalm will be sung responsively by half verse lead by the choir.

11:00 am—Lector: The psalm will be spoken responsively by half verse.

1 You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; *

to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.

2 To you that hear prayer shall all flesh come, *

because of their transgressions.

3 Our sins are stronger than we are, *

but you will blot them out.

4 Happy are they whom you choose and draw to your courts to dwell there! *

they will be satisfied by the beauty of your house,

by the holiness of your temple.

5 Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness. O God of our salvation. *

O Hope of all the ends of the earth and of the seas that are far away.

The Epistle: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Lector: A reading from the second Letter of Paul to Timothy.

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of right-eousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn: Breathe on me, breath of God (Hymnal 508 vs. 1, 3)

Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew,

That I may love what Thou dost love, and do what Thou wouldst do.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, till I am wholly Thine, Till all this earthly part of me glows with Thy fire divine..

The Gospel Reading: Luke 18:9-14

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Nova Vita

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon The Rev. Leanne Beaumont

The Nicene Creed

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 358

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 & 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.

Celebrant

In the season of growth, may our prayers bring us closer to our the Heavenly Father and the knowledge of his care for our lives. **Amen.**

Prayers of the People, Form II—Intercessor

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 385

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Bishop; for this gathering; and for all ministers. **Pray for the Church.**

I ask your prayers for peace; for good will among nations; and for the well-being of all people.

Pray for justice and peace.

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, for those in prison, the staff, officers and their families at Butler County Correctional Facility, Greenville, AL

Pray for those in any need or trouble.

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found by him.

I ask your prayers for the departed.

Pray for those who have died.

I ask you prayers for those on our prayer list , for anyone who suffers from any grief or trouble.

May they be delivered from their distress.

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.

Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

^{*} The word "catholic" means universal or world-wide.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

Celebrant

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles, "Peace I give to you; my own peace I leave with you:" Regard not our sins, but the faith of your Church, and give to us the peace and unity of that heavenly City, where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

Book of Common Prayer, pg., 360

The Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Minister 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.

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

The Peace of God be always with you.

And also with you.

Announcements

All are invited to come forward to receive Communion. Anyone who does not wish to receive is invited to kneel at the rail, cross their arms over their chest to receive a blessing. If you would like the clergy to bring communion to you or someone in the pews, please notify the ushers. All are welcome)

The Holy Communion

Offering

The Offertory Anthem: Love is God's gift
Jean Gillis, Guitar

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Hymn 380 vs 3

Doxology

gy Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise him above the heavenly host, praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving—Eucharist Prayer A

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 361

The people remain standing.

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you. Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **People It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant

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

All

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or knee as they are able.

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 for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and people

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The celebrant continues

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 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.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray;

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, for ever and ever. Amen

The Breaking of the Bread

Alleluia. Christ our passover is sacrificed for us.

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Dennis Jernigan

Ubi caritas eta amor



Celebrant

The gifts of God for the people of God.

Communion Hymn: You are my all in all

You are my strength when I am weak.

You are the treasure that I seek.

You are my all in all.

Seeking You as a precious jewel. Lord to give up I'd be a fool.

You are my all in all

Refrain: Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is your name Jesus Lamb of God, Worthy is your name

Taking my sin my cross my shame.

Rising again I bless your name.

You are my all in all.

When I fall down you pick me up.

When I am dry You fill my cup

You are my all in all (Refrain 2X)

Communion Hymn: Where there is charity

Ubi caritas et amor,

Ubi caritas Deus ibi est

Where there is charity, selfless love,

Where there is charity, God is truly there.

Postcommunion Prayer

Let us pray.

Celebrant 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

Hymn in Procession into the world: Be thou my vision (Hymn 488)

Slane

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Alleluia, Alleluia!

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

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Announcements

<u>SUNDAY</u>—Children's Ministry—Children are invited to attend <u>Children's Sunday School</u> in the hall at 10:15am for activities between services. <u>Children's Chapel</u> will be at 11am, starting in the church service. The children will follow the cross from the church to the hall for lessons and fun!

WEDNESDAYS

Centering Prayer, 10:15am, in the church. Contact Caroline Thompson for information-cthompson57@gmail.com or 850-572-6130.

Adult Bible Study, 11:00am, in the rectory. All are invited to the Bible study. Please join us! **Midweek Holy Eucharist, Prayer & Healing Service**, Noon, in the church, all are welcome! **Youth Group**, 5:30pm-7pm, in the rectory. All youth ages 13 to 18, and Jr. Youth ages 9 to 12, are invited to attend—bring along a friend! Dinner will be provided.

St. Mary's Choir & Bell Choir, The choir meets at 5:30pm, in the church. The bell choir meets at 6:30pm in the church. Come sing & ring! 850-623-2905

<u>THURSDAYS</u>—**St. Mary's Food Pantry**—Distribution every Thursday from 8am-9am. Volunteering is a blessing and much needed.

Volunteer hours are Monday & Wednesday starting at 9am in the hall to help unload. Thursday volunteers begin to arrive at 7am to prepare for the food giveaway starting at 8am. Helping an hour or one day a month will help! Please contact the office, 850-623-2905.

PARADE OF COSTUMES

Today! Next Week!



Join us at 10:00am for a delightful breakfast provided by our Vestry and Daughters of the King!



Join us at 10:00am for a delicious breakfast provided by The Men's Group







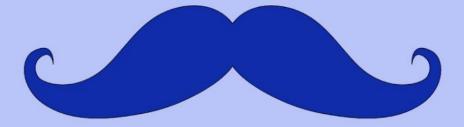


RECTORY PARTY! Bring your family, grand children, & friends October 31st (4:30pm) at the Rectory! We will hand out candy to any local children who come to the door for trick or treating and we will have a fun time in fellowship together.



Men of St. Mary's—register now for the retreat. Use the link or contact the church office to be registered. https://StMarysMensRetreat.eventbrite.com

Men's Retreat at St Mary's



Join your brothers in Christ for a men's retreat at St Mary's on Saturday, November 8th 8:30am-noon.

Breakfast

Special Guest Speaker Joe Taylor will speak on the power of prayer.

Special Clergy Speaker The Rev Ted Kirchharr will

speak on men's unique role as Christians.

Wing Fry and Sauce Competition

Special Event: Wing Sauce Competition!

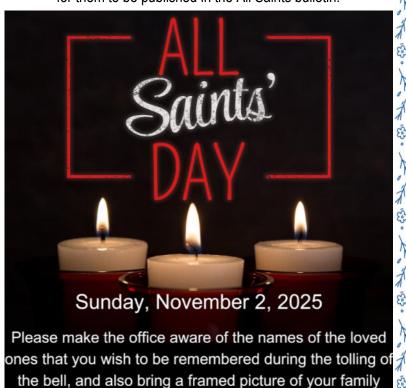
Bring your secret homemade wing sauces (enough to share)

for a friendly competition!

Special prizes will be given to first, second, and third place winners.

Please contact the St Mary's Office for more information. Bring a friend!

Please submit names of loved ones to the office by Oct. 29th, for them to be published in the All Saints bulletin.





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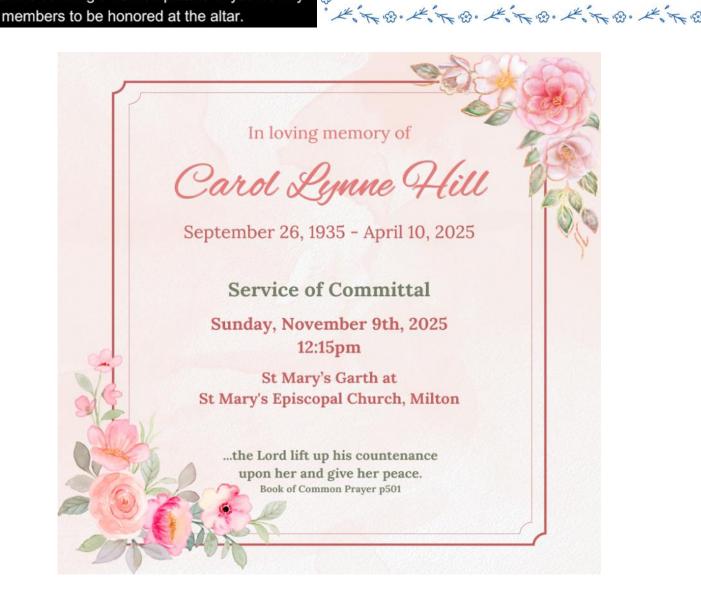
Prayer and Service for the Spread of Christ's Kingdom

Ladies,

The Daughters of the King will hold the first class of this discernment period on Sunday, November 2nd at 10:10am in the Rectory.

Please RSVP Melodie Rowland at musicodiemel@gmail.com or (850) 291-4694, or contact the church office if you are able to attend.

We hope to see you there!







In the spirit of Thanksgiving,

during October & November, we will collect the following food items for our patrons:

Boxed mashed potatoes
Stuffing mix in a box
Cream of mushroom soup
Canned ham

Cans of gravy
Corn bread mix
Crispy Fried onions
Canned sweet potatoes

Your donations are deeply appreciated.

Support the Youth of St. Mary's by supplying a Wednesday meal for Youth Group.
Some of their favorites; tacos, pizza, burgers, fried chicken tenders. Donations of chips/snacks and Soda/water are also greatly appreciated!



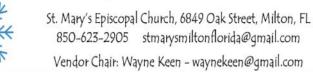
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ARTS & CRAFTS FESTIVAL

Friday, Dec. 5 11:00am to 5:00pm Saturday, Dec 6 9:00am to 2:00pm

- Gifts "A Festival of Vendors" Jewelry, candles, handcrafted items, woodcrafts, Direct sales, holiday gifts & much more!
- ►Bake Sale
- >Vendors inside the parish hall & on the lawn
- Lunch sold burgers (Men's Grill) & Food Trucks







Ministers in Sunday Service

October 26, 2025 Parade of Costumes —

Vestry/DOK host breakfast Ushers: 9am—Joel Hamilton

11am—Ted Reese &

Liam Zandikarimi

Lector: 9am—Heather Lindsay

11am—Angel Zandikarimi

Intercessor: 9am—Lori O'Gara

11am—Daniel Savage

Acolyte: 9am—Neil Rowe

11am--Julie Hotmer-Drao

EM: 9am—Jim Beaumont 11am—Neil Rowe

Nov. 2, 2025 -All Saints-

Men's Group host breakfast

Ushers: 9am—Melodie Rowland & Maureen

O'Donnell

11am—Neil Rowe/Vicki Whitfield

Lector: 9am—Lori O'Gara 11am— Jean Gillis

Intercessor: 9am—Linda Hamilton 11am—Paula Presnell

Acolvte: 9am-

11am—Angel & Liam Zandikarimi

EM: 9am—Caroline Thompson 11am—Julia Hotmer-Drao

The Rev. Leanne Beaumont, Rector prieststmarys@gmail.com

Heather Lindsay, Vestry, Sr. Warden Don Thompson, Vestry, Jr. Warden

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Choir: Mary Starr, Mark Starr, Jean Gillis, Alice Grillo Rudman Stevens, Heather Lindsay, Jack Bilbo, Susan Bilbo

Bell Choir Director: Jean Gillis

Bell Choir: Angel Zandikarimi, Caroline Thompson, Heather Lindsay, Mimi Hamilton, Mary Starr, Norgee Thompson, Jane Wilcox, Mark Starr

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Prayer Requests

Family Ann Cole Bonda Leins Bobbie Polk Dawn Joyce Polk Ray Polk Judy Charles Glennda Artinger Jack Bilbo Jessica Morawski Jim Longshore Jesse & Jennifer Reeves Janette Grey-Chsack Lillian Mary & Anna Raymond Robert Lenzo Sam Harris Scott DeLoatch Shelly Sonny & Ron Sylvia Stern Tyler Vicki Blackmon Waylon Our Friends

Amy Knowling
Charles Lertch
George Morado
Kelley & Pam Eddings
Luann Getchell
Mary Raisler
Todd
Travis Preece
Rhonda Watson
Thomas Atwell

Military Bradley James Cade Campbell Gabriel Bustillo Caleb Parks Christopher Vance Edward Estrada Fischer Morgan Lay Gage Kevin Murphy Lena Ryan Leo Lou Andrade Joshua Krause Nick Rinaire Phillip Holmes Taylor Emerson Tyler Hart Tom Ryan

