



Welcome home to St. Mary's Episcopal Church

"To build up one another in Christ."

Holy Eucharist Rite II
The Last Sunday of Pentecost

The Rev. Leanne Beaumont

November 23, 2025

9:00 am & 11:00 am

For I know that my
Redeemer lives.
Job 19:25, NKJV



Christ the King
Sunday

Prelude: Sam Klauss, piano

The Word of the Lord

All stand as you are able.

Processional Hymn: Jesus shall reign (Hymn 544)

Duke Street

Acclamation

Celebrant Blessed be God; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 355

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, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Lector: A reading from the prophet Jeremiah.

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the

Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Canticle 16- The first song of Isaiah.

9:00 am—*Lector: The canticle will be sung responsively by half verse lead by the choir.*
11:00 am—*Lector: The canticle will be spoken responsively by half verse.*

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; *
he has come to his people and set them free.

He has raised up for us a mighty savior, *
born of the house of his servant David.

Through his holy prophets he promised of old,
that he would save us from our enemies, *
from the hands of all who hate us.

He promised to show mercy to our fathers *
and to remember his holy covenant.

This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham, *
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

Free to worship him without fear, *
holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High, *
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,

To give his people knowledge of salvation *
by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God *
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, *
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The Epistle: Colossians 1:11-20

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

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers-- all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Reading: Luke 23:33-43

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. The people stood by, watching Jesus on the cross; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews."

One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

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.**

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

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 Wilcox County Detention Center, Camden, Alabama.

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.

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: *Jim Beaumont, Guitar*

Doxology

Hymn 380, vs 3

***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.

Celebrant and People

Sanctus

Land of Rest, American Folk Tune

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 kneel 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

Book of Common Prayer, pg., 364

Alleluia. Christ our passover is sacrificed for us.

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Fraction Hymn: Take, O take me as I am

John L. Bell



Celebrant

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 Hymn: Shine, Jesus shine (Lord, the light of your love is shining)

Graham Kendrick

Lord, the light of Your love is shining; in the midst of the darkness, shining.

Jesus, light of the world, shine upon us; set us free by the truth you now bring us.

Shine on me, shine on me.

Refrain: Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory.

Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.

Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy.

Send forth your word, Lord, and let there be light.

Lord, I come to your awesome presence from the shadows into your radiance.

By the blood, I may enter your brightness; search me, try me, consume all my darkness.

Shine on me, shine on me. (Refrain)

As we gaze on your kingly brightness, so our faces display your likeness.

Ever changing from glory to glory; mirrored here, may our lives tell your story.

Shine on me, shine on me.

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: Crown him with many crowns (Hymn 494, vs.1,2,3)

Diademata

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

SUNDAY—Children's Ministry—Children are invited to attend Children's Sunday School in the hall at 10:15am for activities between services. Children's Chapel 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!

Nursery—The nursery is available at the 11am service for children 0-4 years of age and is located behind the church. See an usher or Charlie Reese, Nursery Director, for questions or further assistance.

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

THURSDAYS—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.

Today:

JOIN US FOR A DELICIOUS
BREAKFAST



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

Next Sunday: Support the Youth of St. Mary's!

**YOUTH
GROUP
EVENT**

**BREAKFAST
FUNDRAISER!**

JOIN US AT 10:00AM IN THE HALL

DONATIONS ACCEPTED

HELP OUR YOUTH EARN FUNDS
FOR THEIR PROGRAM



St. Mary's served over 115 people for the Thanksgiving food distribution. Thank you to all who donated food, sorted food, bagged food (including the YOUTH!), and helped distribute the food! It was an amazing Thursday morning of BLESSINGS!! Thanks be to God!



Thank you to the Cusack's for supplying pizza & sodas for the Youth Group last Wednesday! The youth served in the Food Pantry packing and sorting over one hundred food bags to give out!

St Mary's
Youth Group

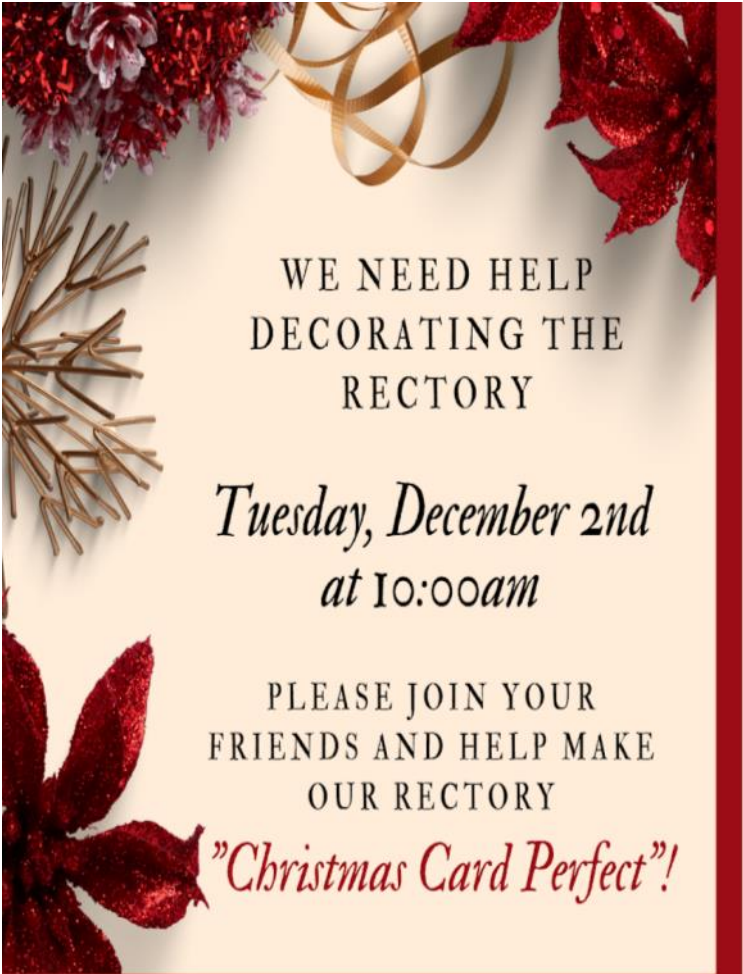
Wednesday Evenings in the Rectory

**Please Sponsor a Meal for the Youth—
contact the church office.**

5:30pm dinner
6:00pm-7:00pm Youth Group

Food*Fun*Formation

Contact Mother Leanne for more information
prieststmarys@gmail.com



WE NEED HELP
DECORATING THE
RECTORY

Tuesday, December 2nd
at 10:00am

PLEASE JOIN YOUR
FRIENDS AND HELP MAKE
OUR RECTORY

"Christmas Card Perfect"!

Feeding the

5,000

In the spirit of Christmas,
through December 14th, we will collect the
following food items for our patrons:

Boxed mashed potatoes

Stuffing mix in a box

Cream of mushroom soup

Green Beans

Cans of gravy

Corn bread mix

Crispy Fried onions

Canned sweet potatoes



Your donations are deeply appreciated.

WELCOME HOME TO ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS AT

St Mary's Episcopal Church

6841 Oak Street, Milton, Fl 32570

We invite you to join us at this Most Holy Time

November 30th @ 9:00am & 11:00am - Advent 1 Worship Services - HOPE

December 5th and 6th - Winterfest

December 7th @ 9:00am & 11:00am - Advent 2 Worship Services - PEACE

December 13th @ Noon - 2:00pm Christmas Open House at the Rectory


December 14th @ 9:00am & 11:00am - Advent 3 Worship Services - JOY

December 21st @ 9:00am Advent 4 Worship Service - LOVE

@ 11:00am Children and Youth Christmas Pageant

December 24th @ Noon Christmas Eve Service

@ 5:30pm Christmas Eve Service





WINTER FEST



at St. Mary's

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



St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 6849 Oak Street, Milton, FL
850-623-2905 stmarysmiltonflorida@gmail.com

Vendor Chair: Wayne Keen - waynekeen@gmail.com

Please pick up a flyer and post them around in the area where you live, in businesses or stores to help with advertising.

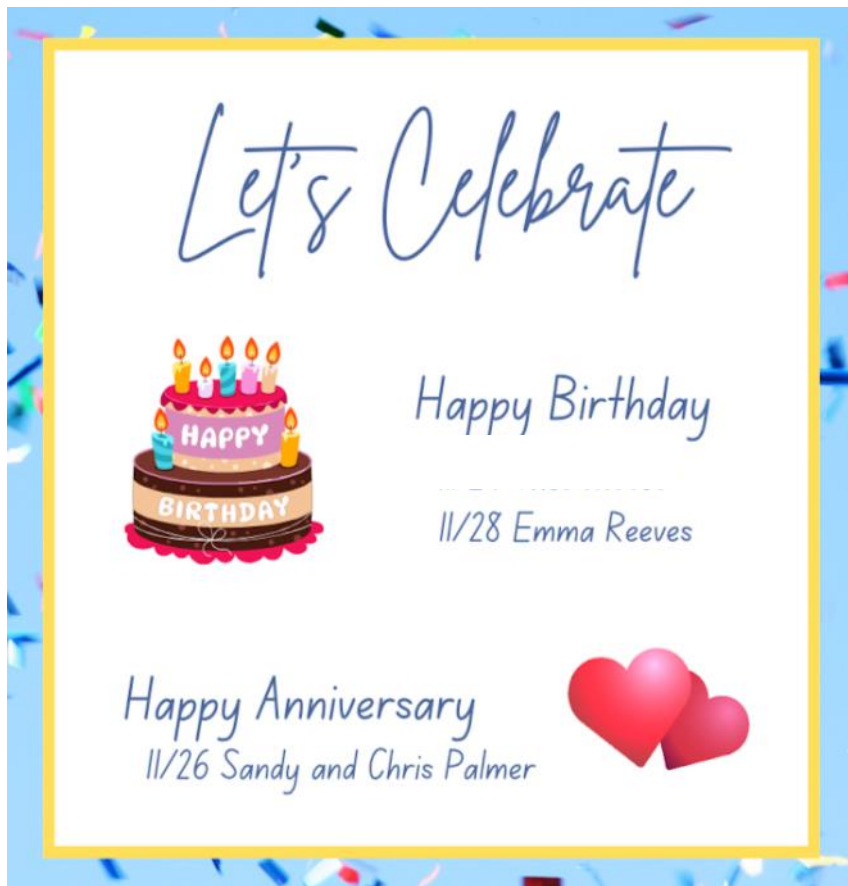
Please take home a YARD SIGN to put in your yard (available at church next week) and flyers to post – this will help with advertising.

Volunteers will be needed for providing baked goods for the ECW bake sale, Men's Group will need helping hands under the grilling tent, to help vendors unload, assist with parking directions, and we all will need volunteers to help with clean up at 2pm, Saturday.

ECW contact (Bake Sale): Candy McGuyre candymcguyre@gmail.com

Men's Group contact (Grill & vendor unloading/Parking): Jim Beaumont wakulla187@gmail.com

Church office: stmarysmiltonflorida@gmail.com



Prayer Requests

Family

Barbara Johnson
Beverly Younce
Bonda Leins
Glennnda Artinger
Gina Braswell
Henry Green
Jim Miller
Jack Bilbo
Jessica Morawski
Jim Longshore
Jesse & Jennifer Reeves
Janette Grey-Chsack
Linda Nolan
Lou
Mary Benson
Robert Lenzo
Sam Harris
Scott DeLoatch
Shelly
Steven C.A.
Sylvia Stern
Vicki Blackmon
Waylon

Our Friends

Amy Knowling
Charles Lertch
Jim & Bonnie
George Morado

Kelley & Pam Eddings
Luann Getchell
Mary Raisler
Sammy
Todd
Travis Preece
Rachel Kaiser
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

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

Heather Lindsay, Vestry, Sr. Warden

Don Thompson, Vestry, Jr. Warden

Organist/Choir Director: Sam Klauss

Choir: Mary Starr, Mark Starr, Jean Gillis, Alice Grillo

Rudman Stevens, Heather Lindsay, Jack Bilbo, Susan Bilbo

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Ministers in Sunday Service

Nov. 23

Ushers: 9am—Joel & Mimi Hamilton
11am—Ted Reese, Vicki Whitfield

Lector: 9am—Lori O'Gara
11am—Neil Rowe

Intercessor: 9am—Linda Hamilton
11am—Dan Savage

Acolyte: 9am—Neil Rowe
11am--Liam & Angel Zandikarimi

Eucharistic Minister: 9am—Ann Cole
11am—Julie Hotmer-Drao

Nov. 30—Youth Fundraiser Breakfast!

Ushers: 9am—
11am—Paula Presnell, Wayne Keen

Lector: 9am—Brendan O'Gara
11am—Mark Starr

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

Acolyte: 9am—Ann Cole
11am—Liam & Angel Zandikarimi

Eucharistic Minister: 9am—Neil Rowe
11am—Candy McGuyre