



Welcome home to St. Mary's Episcopal Church

"To build up one another in Christ."

The Order for the Administration of Communion Under Special Circumstances

The Rev. Leanne Beaumont, Rector

Ann Cole, Worship Leader

Jean Gillis, Preacher

Sunday, June 28



The Leader begins the service with the following directions,

Dear friends in Christ, we have come together in the presence of God to offer praise and thanksgiving, to hear and receive the Word of God, to bring before God the needs of the world and to ask for the forgiveness of our sins. Today the bread and wine for our Communion were consecrated as part of a Eucharist celebrated at another time and place. For centuries, the church has reserved consecrated elements in order to include those unable, because of infirmity or distance, to be present at Eucharist, and also to include worshiping communities on occasions when no priest is available to preside.

Processional Hymn *Christ is made the sure foundation* (Hymn 518, vs. 1, 3, 4)

Westminster Abbey

Leader 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**

Collect of Purity

All—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.

Collect for the Day

Leader The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Leader Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Lesson: Jeremiah 28:5-9

Lector: A reading from the Book of the prophet Jeremiah.

The prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the Lord; and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the Lord do so; may the Lord fulfill the words that you have prophesied, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the Lord, and all the exiles. But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the Lord has truly sent the prophet.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18
Lector: The psalm will be spoken responsively by half verse.
1 Your love, O Lord, for ever will I sing; *
 from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.
2 For I am persuaded that your love is established for ever; *
 you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.
3 "I have made a covenant with my chosen one; *
 I have sworn an oath to David my servant:
4 'I will establish your line for ever, *
 and preserve your throne for all generations.'"
15 Happy are the people who know the festal shout! *
 they walk, O Lord, in the light of your presence.
16 They rejoice daily in your Name; *
 they are jubilant in your righteousness.
17 For you are the glory of their strength, *
 and by your favor our might is exalted.
18 Truly, the Lord is our ruler; *
 the Holy One of Israel is our King.

The Holy Gospel

Please remain seated for the gospel reading.

Sequence Hymn *Take my life and let it be* *(Hymn 707, 1,2)* *Hollingside*

The Gospel Lesson: Matthew 10:40-42
Leader: A reading from the Gospel of Matthew.
Jesus said, “Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple-- truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon Jean Gillis, Lay Preacher

As able, all stand
Leader: Let us stand and affirm our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.
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 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.

Prayers of the People, Form II

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 385

Please kneel as you are able.

Leader: Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth; Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Intercessor: I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for the Presiding Bishop Sean, Bishop Russell and Priest Leanne; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people. In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. Matthew's in Chipley, Alabama.

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, and the oppressed.

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 your prayers for those on our prayer list and for anyone who suffers from any grief or trouble.

May they be delivered from their distress.

The altar flowers today are given in loving memory of Kenny Odom.

We give thanks to you, our Lord.

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.

We pray for our own needs. Those that are spoken and those that we hold in our hearts. Have mercy we pray.

Silence

The Leader offers concluding Collect:

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

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

Leader and the people say

**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.**

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

The Peace—*Leader* The Peace of Christ be always with you.

And also with you.

Announcements

Use this QR code as an additional way to give to St. Mary's.



Richard Gillard

Doxology: *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below.
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

All stand as able, Leader says

Leader	Sisters and brothers, the cup of blessing that was blessed
People	is the communion of the Blood of Christ.
Leader	For we were all baptized by one Spirit into one body
People	and all made to drink of one Spirit.
Leader	The Bread that was broken
People	is the Communion of the Body of Christ.
Leader	Because there is One Bread
People	we who are many are one body, for we all share in the One Bread.

The Lord's Prayer

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 364

**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**

All are invited to the rail to receive Holy Communion. Anyone who does not wish to receive is invited to kneel at the rail, cross their arms over their chest to receive a prayer of intercession. If you would like the leader to bring communion to you or someone in the pews, please notify the ushers. You may sip from the cup or intinct (dip) the bread into the wine.

Malabar

Joseph Wise

*Your holy people standing washed in your blood; Spirit-filled yet hungry we await your food.
We are poor, but we've brought ourselves the best we could. We are yours, we are yours. (Refrain)*

Post communion Prayer

Book of Common Prayer, pg. 365

Leader Let us pray.

All 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 the spiritual food in the Sacraments 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.

Procession into the World We all are one in mission (from Wonder, Love & Praise, Hymn 778, vs.1,2,4) Nyland

We all are one in mission, we all are one in call.
Our varied gifts united by Christ, the Lord of all.
A single, great commission compels us from above
To plan and work together that all may know Christ's love.

We all are called for service to witness in God's name.
Our ministries are different, our purpose is the same.
To touch the lives of others by God's surprising grace,
So people of all nations may feel God's warm embrace.

Now let us be united and let our song be heard.
Now let us be a vessel for God's redeeming Word.
We all are one in mission, we all are one in call,
Our varied gifts united by Christ, the Lord of all.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia. Alleluia.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia.

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Announcements

Vestry—the Vestry will not meet in June or July.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS AT ST. MARY’S

WEDNESDAYS

Food Pantry Volunteer time—9am—join us in the Parish Hall as we gather to help unload, sort and bag food in preparation for the Thursday distribution. Anyone is welcome to help!

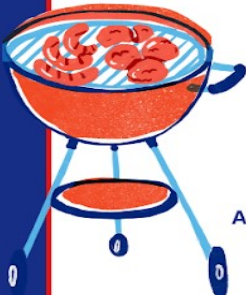
Wednesday Bible Study—Summer time—10:30am The group will continue to meet though the summer. The Book of Isaiah will be discussed. Join us at 10am, in the rectory. All are welcome.

St. Mary’s Choir—The choir meets at 5:30pm in the church. Come sing with us! Call the church office for more information. 850-623-2905.

THURSDAYS

St. Mary’s Food Pantry—The food pantry is open from 8am to 9am in the hall for the community food distribution drive-thru. Volunteering is a blessing and much needed on Thursday mornings (7am). Please contact the office. 850-623-2905.

Join us on the 4th! Please bring a dish to share, the Men's Group will be providing burgers on the grill. All are invited for this special celebration!



LET'S CELEBRATE
ST MARY'S
4th
of July
PICNIC

GATHER • MEAL
5:00PM • 6:00PM

All church members & their families are invited!
Bring a neighbor Bring a friend
Men's Group will grill the meat
Please bring side dishes to share
Bring your own drinks - Lemonade will be available
Gather on the lawn for fireworks provided
by the City of Milton (starts at dusk)
Helpful things to bring: lawn chairs, lawn games,
towel/blanket, cooler, bugspray

Lawn Help
St. Mary's has a newer model riding lawn mower, push mower, and other lawn equipment available to use on our campus. We just need the people power! Thank you!

Lawn Care Help Needed



We are looking for volunteers to help with yard maintenance—specifically grass cutting, edging, and Garth maintenance. If you enjoy being outside and are able to help please contact the office at 850-623-2905. Thank you!





Drawing: Beautiful Handmade Autumn Quilt!

See an ECW member for tickets
or donate online at
stmarysmilton.org

Drawing will be held
Sunday, November 22, 2026
You do not need to be present to win.

Suggested Donation:
\$10 for 1 ticket
or \$20 for 3 tickets



Random ticket drawing for donated hand-sewn top, machine-stitched quilt will be held on Nov. 22, 2026. Holder of the winning ticket will be contacted by phone on the same day as the drawing. Must not be present to win. No purchase or contribution is necessary to enter or win.

Get your St. Mary's Decal — \$5! Proceeds will go towards yarn (hats) and wedding dresses (used for Angel Gowns) for the Santa Rosa Medical Center Labor & Delivery. They will be available from Jane Wilcox or at the church office.



Winterfest planning has begun! Crafters and Vendors register now!

Attention Vendors!

St Mary's Episcopal Church's

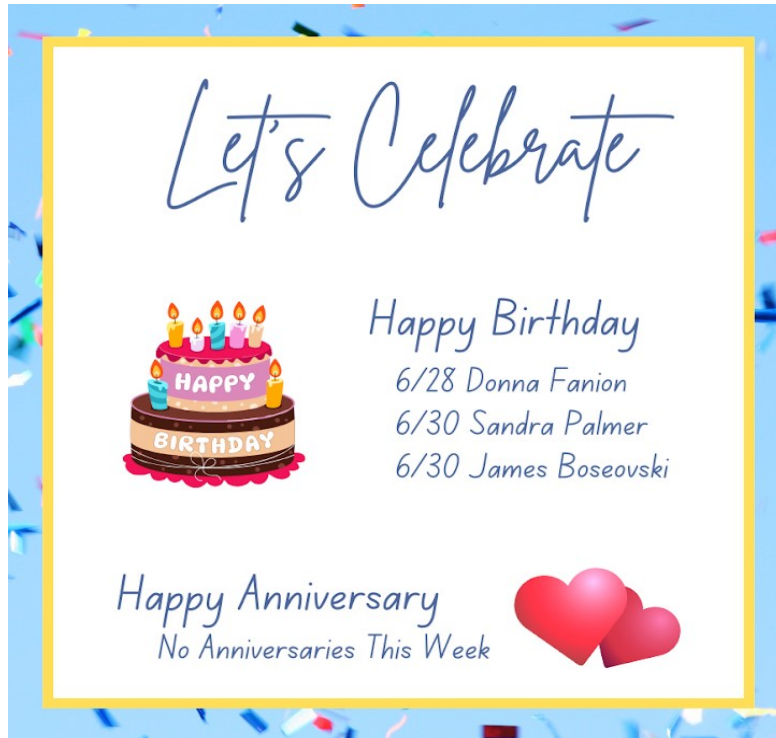
2026 Winterfest

December 4th & 5th



Registration for the 2026 Winterfest is now open.

Please visit our website at www.stmarysmilton.org and click on the Winterfest tab, or contact our Vendor Coordinator, Paula Rogers at paularogers00@gmail.com or the church office at stmarysmiltonflorida@gmail.com, for a registration form.



Rector: The Rev. Leanne Beaumont—prieststmarys@gmail.com

Vestry Sr. Warden: Heather Lindsay—dragonflypuma@gmail.com

Vestry Jr. Warden: Joel Hamilton—jhamilton237@gmail.com

Organist: Carol Culton

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

Guitar: Jim Beaumont, Jean Gillis, Mark Starr

Flute: Jennifer Reeves

The Episcopal Church has three supplemental hymnals available for us to use with the “Hymnal 1982”; “Wonder, Love and Praise” (*WLP*) hymnal, “Lift Every Voice and Sing” (*LEVAS*) hymnal, and “Songs of the People of God” (*SOPOG*). Hymn 778, from *WLP*, is used in today's service.

Sunday Ministers in Service.

June 28—Communion Under Special Circumstance

Eucharistic Ministers: (9am) Neil Rowe (11am) Angel Zandikarimi

Lectors: (9am) Adam Willis (11am) Alice Grillo

Intercessors: (9am) Lillian Robertson (11am) Neil Rowe

Ushers: (9am) Joel & Mimi Hamilton (11am) Cliff Emerson & Julie Hotmer-Drao

July 5

Eucharistic Ministers: (9am) Ann Cole (11am) Candy McGuyre

Acolytes: (9am) Neil Rowe (11am) Julie Hotmer-Drao

Lectors: (9am) Adam Willis-Meche (11am) Daniel Savage

Intercessors: (9am) Heather Lindsay (11am) Heather Lindsay

Ushers: (9am) Melodie Rowland/Maureen O'Donnell (11am) Angel & Liam Zandikarimi

July 12

Eucharistic Ministers: (9am) Jim Beaumont (11am) Heather Milliron

Acolytes: (9am) Ann Cole (11am) Wayne Keen

Lectors: (9am) Heather Lindsay (11am) Jack Bilbo

Intercessors: (9am) Jean Gillis (11am) Angel Zandikarimi

Ushers: (9am) Charles & Adam Willis-Meche (11am) Wesley McCray/Vicki Whitfield

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