

### PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

**BIRTHDAYS:** Nov 1, Pamela Lindsley, Joe Lee Rape, Keena Meinhart; Nov 5, Field Norris; Nov 6, Betsy Hall

#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Gene Giannini, Teresa & Bob Forbis, Barbara Jones, Abbey Hale, Frannie Smith, Diana L., The Smith Family, Leonard Herron, The Tansil Family, Nat Baxter, Denise & Jim, Sherri Ligon, Rosemary Paden, The Brown Family, The Russell Family, Susan, Jerry, Linda & Jim Cantrell, and Marilyn Grivich

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE ON OUR PRAYER LIST, REMEMBERING TODAY: OUR PASTORAL CARE TEAMS, ASHLEY STRANGE, T.I. DAVIS, NIKKI SKILES, BRIAN CLEMMER, STUART SKILES, JUNE MILLWOOD, BUTCH PORTER, DANA NELSON, ED, JAMES, KURT B., MARY STINNETT, KRISTIN DILL, CHIP HURDLE, BRETT NICHOLSON, BILL NICHOLS, DAVID, BUCKY, BILL CORUM, PAUL HYDE, JOSH PARTLOW, JACK & GAIL BOBICZ, MIKE PHARR, GRAHAM CLAYTON, YVONNE, and JULI VALLEY

# & ALTAR FLOWERS &

Given to the glory of Almighty God and in thanksgiving for all the Faithful Departed of this congregation

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ROSARY GROUP:** Praying the Rosary is scheduled for Monday, Nov 1, at 5:30 PM in the church. Everyone is invited.

**ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP FOCUS:** The deadline is drawing near for returning pledge cards for 2022 giving. If you misplaced your mailing or didn't get it, we have extras in the office. Please return your pledge cards by Oct 31 or as soon as possible thereafter so that our financial group can create a realistic 2022 budget. Also, be sure to update any personal information that has changed. Thank you for your love and faithfulness in supporting the ministry of Saint Andrew's.

**THANKSGIVING DAY HOLY EUCHARIST:** Thursday, Nov 25, at 10:00 AM. We need a <u>Reader</u>, a <u>Lay Eucharistic Minister</u>, and an <u>Usher</u> for that service. If you can serve that day, please let Cynthia know – call the office or send her an e-mail (cynthia@standrewscollierville.org). Thank you.

**SAINT ANDREW'S NIGHT:** Our annual meeting and potluck dinner is planned for <u>Tuesday</u>, Nov 30, at 6:00 PM at the VFW (347 S. Center Street). Three new Vestry members will be elected, and Fr. Jeff will give his "State of the Parish" address. Sign-ups for that night are on the white table near the front door of the church — sign-ups for attendance/food item to share and for helpers to move and prepare everything that afternoon. Please sign up so that we will know how many tables to prepare at the VFW. We hope you can join us for a wonderful evening celebrating the Saint Andrew's family on the actual Holy Day of Saint Andrew. Nursery will be available at the church.

**SAINT ANDREW'S PARISH DIRECTORY:** In a few weeks, we'll order a new parish directory to be printed (text only). But before that, for a few weekends we are leaving current copies on the white table near the front door of the sanctuary so that everyone can either <u>proof</u> their current entry or <u>add</u> their information via the info forms that are on the table. Give us your family birthdates if you wish to be on our "Happy Birthday" lists. We want everyone to be included who desires to be included in the directory. If you wish to be <u>removed</u>, just cross out your current entry. You need proof only <u>one</u> copy. Cynthia will collect all the information from all the copies and input everything. Thank you for helping with this project!

#### EYC MISSION STATEMENT

Our goal as a youth group is to be an all-inclusive community of young believers who set an example for other Christians in speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity (1 Tim 4:12).

#### **EYC ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- EYC Bible Study has started back in person on Wednesday nights from 6:00–7:00 PM in the basement. If you cannot come in person and want to Zoom in, ask Julie for the link.
- EYC will gather in the parish hall on Sunday, Nov 14, from 5:30-7:30 PM. We will have dinner, games, and planning.
- EYC will go to lunch after the 10:30 service on Sunday, Nov 21. Bring \$ for your lunch.
- If you have any questions or you want to be added to the list to get texts about EYC events, get in touch with Julie at 901-240-6189.

**MEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY:** The men are studying **The New Testament in Antiquity**, by Gary M. Burge and Gene L. Green (found at: <a href="http://masterlectures.zondervanacademic.com/new-testament-in-antiquity">http://masterlectures.zondervanacademic.com/new-testament-in-antiquity</a>).

The New Testament in Antiquity skillfully develops how Jewish, Hellenistic, and Roman cultures formed the essential environment in which the New Testament authors wrote their books and letters. You will learn how understanding the land, history, and culture of this world brings remarkable new insights into how we read the New Testament itself. All men are invited to attend on Mondays in the parish hall at 10:00 AM.

**LADIES' TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY:** The ladies' study group is in the midst of a 12-week course on **Slaying the Giants in Your Life**, by David Jeremiah. The group meets on Tuesdays at 10:00 AM in the parish hall.

FR. JEFF'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Fr. Jeff is leading a study of Genesis on Wednesdays in the parish hall at 10:00 AM. The study picks up with materials posted on Facebook and the church website (look under Worship/Reflections), with additional insights from the Church Fathers of the Christian faith. It is a slow-motion study, trying to honor the depth to be found therein. Study notes are provided on the church website for those who want to use them as a guide. Go to menu headings Parish Life/Adults/Adult Formation and you will find Bible Studies on the Adult Formation page. In the description of the Wednesday study is a link to the notes. They can also be found under Parish Life on the church's mobile app. Everyone is invited to join the class.

FR. CHRISTIAN'S THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY – DANIEL & ESTHER: Daniel was among the first of the captives taken by the Babylonians. Although he lived in a culture opposed to God, he was always faithful to the Lord, even in the face of death, and ultimately was able to influence kings and rulers. Esther was in exile during the time of the Persian Empire. Like Daniel, the Lord also placed her in a position to influence those in power. God also called her to step out in faith and risk her life to foil a plot against her people. As a result of her bold actions, the entire Jewish race was saved from annihilation. The group will explore *Life Lessons* with Max Lucado in a series of twelve lessons with intriguing questions, inspirational stories, and poignant reflections to take you deeper into God's Word. Like Daniel and Esther, Christians are also in exile in this world and need to stay faithful and true to their Heavenly Kingdom. Everyone is invited to attend on Thursdays at 10:00 AM in the parish hall.

## SOLO: BE THOU FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH

Cavatina (No. 40) from the oratorio *Paulus* (*St. Paul*), Op. 36, by Felix Mendelssohn Rev. 2:10b; Jer. 1:8

Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give to thee a crown of life.

Be not afraid, be not afraid, My help is nigh.

## Daily Office, Year 1, Proper 26, Oct 31-Nov 6, BCP 990

**Sun** AM Psalm 24, 29 PM Psalm 8, 84 Neh. 5:1-19 Acts 20:7-12 Luke 12:22-31

Sun Eve of All Saints, BCP 1000 PM Psalm 34 Wisdom 3:1-9 Rev. 19:1,4-10

Mon Holy Day, All Saints' Day, Nov 1, BCP 1000

AM Psalm 111, 112 2 Esdras 2:42-47 Heb. 11:32—12:2

PM Psalm 148, 150 Wisdom 5:1-5,14-16 Rev. 21:1-4,22—22:5

**Mon** AM Psalm 56, 57, [58] PM Psalm 64, 65 Neh. 6:1-19 Rev. 10:1-11 Matt. 13:36-43

**Tue** AM Psalm 61, 62 PM Psalm 68:1-20(21-23)24-36 Neh. 12:27-31a,42b-47 Rev. 11:1-19 Matt. 13:44-52

**Wed** AM Psalm 72 PM Psalm 119:73-96 Neh. 13:4-22 Rev. 12:1-12 Matt. 13:53-58

**Thu** AM Psalm [70], 71 PM Psalm 74 Ezra 7:(1-10)11-26 Rev. 14:1-13 Matt. 14:1-12

Fri AM Psalm 69:1-23(24-30)31-38 PM Psalm 73 Ezra 7:27-28, 8:21-36 Rev. 15:1-8 Matt. 14:13-21

**Sat** AM Psalm 75, 76 PM Psalm 23, 27 Ezra 9:1-15 Rev. 17:1-14 Matt. 14:22-36

