

## PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

**BIRTHDAYS:** Sept 20, Mary Beth Hamm; Sept 21, Juli Valley; Sept 22, Emilia Oysel; Sept 23, Cyndy Taylor, Rusty Wolfard, Matt Wood, Gray Anderson; Sept 24, Charlotte Hamm, Kaylor Baumgardner; Sept 25, Sabrina Hodges, Jenny Cordell

**BIRTH: “Cooper” Catherine Wood**, daughter of Wimberly & Matt Wood and granddaughter of parishioners Paula & Tom Wood. Congratulations!

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Stacey Cordell, Gene Giannini, Gordon Howe, Teresa & Bob Forbis, Bibba Holland, C.K. Hicks, Richard Brose, Anita Coughlin, Jamie Wright, Aisen Cannon, Karen Wimpee, and Brett Nicholson

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., JANICE DOAN, MARY STINNETT, KRISTIN DILL, BARBARA JONES, CHIP HURDLE, HOOPER JONES, MARK WHITE, MAUREEN & BILL, JANE & COLLEEN, FRANNIE SMITH, BILL CORUM, and RICK

## ANNOUNCEMENTS SEPT 19–20

**OUR SOLOIST:** We are glad to have Vernon Di Carlo as our new soloist. Vernon is a native of New Orleans, where he earned his Bachelor of Music in Voice Performance at Loyola and where he performed the Cantor in Dave Brubeck’s mass setting, “To Hope: A Celebration,” with Brubeck himself at the piano. Vernon is also a graduate of the Eastman School of Music, where he completed a Master of Music in Opera Performance. He has had numerous professional engagements in concert and in opera. He is currently pursuing a Doctor of Musical Arts at the University of Memphis, and he sings with Opera Memphis. Before COVID-19, he was a regular soloist at St. Mary’s Cathedral.

**DIOCESAN CONVENTION:** The 39th Convention of the Diocese of West Tennessee will be held by virtual teleconference on Nov 20, 1:00–4:00 PM. Several congregations throughout the Diocese have agreed to serve as host sites; our clergy and delegates will be assigned to a particular site. Only essential items will be covered: (1) voting to fill diocesan offices/positions; (2) passage of 2021 budgets; and (3) an address by the Bishop. We have 3 delegates but need 5 plus a couple alternates. Let us know if you can volunteer.



## ALTAR FLOWERS SEPT 19–20

The altar flowers are given for the continued good health and happiness of Leigh Ann Birdsell in these difficult times. Please keep Leigh Ann in your prayers.

### Daily Office, Year 2, Proper 20, Sept 20–26, BCP 985

<b>Sun</b>	AM Psalm 93, 96 Esther 3:1—4:3	PM Psalm 34 James 1:19-27 Matt. 6:1-6,16-18
<b>Mon</b>	<i>Holy Day, St. Matthew, September 21, BCP 999</i>	
	AM Psalm 119:41-64 PM Psalm 19, 112	Isaiah 8:11-20 Job 28:12-28 Rom. 10:1-15 Matt. 13:44-52
<b>Mon</b>	AM Psalm 80 Esther 4:4-17	PM Psalm 77, [79] Acts 18:1-11 Luke (1:1-4),3:1-14
<b>Tue</b>	AM Psalm 78:1-39 Esther 5:1-14	PM Psalm 78:40-72 Acts 18:12-28 Luke 3:15-22
<b>Wed</b>	AM Psalm 119:97-120 Esther 6:1-14	PM Psalm 81, 82 Acts 19:1-10 Luke 4:1-13
<b>Thu</b>	AM Psalm [83] or 146, 147 Esther 7:1-10	PM Psalm 85, 86 Acts 19:11-20 Luke 4:14-30
<b>Fri</b>	AM Psalm 88 Esther 8:1-8,15-17	PM Psalm 91, 92 Acts 19:21-41 Luke 4:31-37
<b>Sat</b>	AM Psalm 87, 90 Hosea 1:1—2:1	PM Psalm 136 Acts 20:1-16 Luke 4:38-44

**We are still accepting nominations for 2021 vestry members, three of which will be elected at a November church meeting.**