

Announcements

Save The Date!

All Saints' Sunday, November 7, 2010

ALL SAINTS' DROP IN!

at The Hardaway's

4:00 pm to 8:00 pm

404 North Street

Bring something to share.

St. Catherine's Guild

The Ladies of St. Catherine's Guild will meet on Monday, November 1, 2010. The meeting will be held in the parlor at 2:00 p.m. The hostesses this month are Libby Christeson and Nancy Lewis. A guest speaker will be featured. All ladies are welcome.

Christian Formation News

Christmas Pageant planning under way. If you can serve on the organization team, please see Lyn Merchant. Sign up sheets for children wanting to participate will be in classrooms after mid November.

We will have Family Advent activities in the parish hall each Sunday in Advent. November 28th will be the Wreath making and opening of the Peaceable Kingdom exhibit. Enjoy family, food and festivities. **EYC will meet on TODAY 5-7.**

National Donor Sabbath - November 12-14- Beau Langer will have further information Sunday the 14th in the Cloister.

Practicing Truth—Barbara Brown Taylor
November 9, 2010 7:00 p.m. Grace Episcopal Church

Pilgrimage Presentation—By Father Jack

Friday night, November 5, Oconee State Park -The Annual Foothills Trails Conference and Sunday Morning, November 7th –9:15 a.m. Grace Episcopal Church.

Those Who Serve:

Vestry: Jerry Powell **Lectors:** Hugh Osburn, Ellie Cooper
Intercessor/Chalice Bearer: Al Sloan, Dianne Peeler
Presenters: Jeff, Talin, Warren & Lucine Hohn
Ushers: Lawrence Campbell, Don Shaver, Tom Hancock, Jerry Welch
1st Crucifer: Ben Hardaway **Server:** Garrett Whiffen
Torchbearers: Frances Hardaway, Anna Woodson
Linen Guild: Phyllis Crosby
Altar Guild: Pat Larsen, Frances Mack
Coffee Hour Hospitality: Rebecca & Brett Dixon
Newcomer Ministry: Vylene Purvis, Jo Zeffiro

Prayers

Pray for healing and comfort

Doni Rhinehart
Julie Kent
Stuart M. Barnes-cancer
John Bostater
Karlann Bostater -chronic leukemia,cancer
Tippy Anderson-cancer
John Josey
Leif Jacobsen
Anna May Jacobsen
Barb Flagel
Rebecca Veeck-health issues
Jennifer Gaffney-health issues
David Rutledge
Betty Ward-cancer
Wesa Lund
Sabra Nickas
Josh Faller-coma
Wilma Eady –health issues
Camilla Dick-widow
Danny Jennings-health issue
Pam Nichols Whitfield-health issues
Al Osteen-cancer
Rick Fletcher-cancer
Ross Hutcheon-back surgery
Jesse Cheek-health issues

Expectant Families: Kelly & Jared Mize

Requested by

Hugh Osburn
Kathy Bostater
Kathy Bostater
Melissa Langford

Greta Jacobsen
Greta Jacobsen

Ellie Cooper
Ellie Cooper
Anne Radnor
Al Sloan

Ellie Cooper
Billy Croy
Baillie Brown
Ellie Cooper
Linda Hoffman
Lawrence Campbell
Dudley Jenkins
Nancy Welch
Family



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October 24, 2010

10:30 A.M.

The Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome to Grace Church!

We invite your participation in our life and ministry. Please fill out a visitor card and drop it in the offering plate so we can contact you. All baptized Christians, including children, are invited to share in Holy Communion. The ushers will direct you to the altar rail. Hold your outstretched hands to receive the bread. Please help guide the chalice to your lips. If you do not desire to receive the sacrament, please cross your arms across your chest, indicating you desire a blessing. Thank you for worshipping with us!

This Week's Events October 24-30		
Sunday	8:00 am	HE Rite I
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	HE Rite II
	11:30 am	Coffee Hour
	5-7	EYC
Tuesday	10:00 am	Staff Meeting
Wednesday	11:00 am	Women's Bible Study
	5:30 pm	NO Children's Choir
	6:00 pm	NO Supper
	7:00 pm	Adult Choir
Thursday	12:00 Noon	Men's Prayer Group
Saturday	5:00—8:00 pm BBQ	

WE GATHER

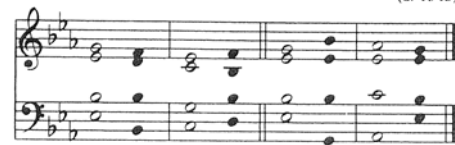
Voluntary	Bill Ducworth, Organist/Choirmaster
The Procession	<i>How firm a foundation</i> Hymn 636
The Liturgy Begins	Book of Common Prayer 355
Song of Praise—Gloria	S-278

Collect of the Day: 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.

WE LISTEN

First Reading Joel 2:23-32
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.

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Robert Knox Kennedy
(b. 1945)

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Psalm 65

- 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.

- 6 You make fast the mountains by your power; *
they are girded about with might.
- 7 You still the roaring of the seas, *
the roaring of their waves,
and the clamor of the peoples.
- 8 Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your marvelous signs; *
you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy.
- 9 You visit the earth and water it abundantly;
you make it very plenteous; *
the river of God is full of water.
- 10 You prepare the grain, *
for so you provide for the earth.
- 11 You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; *
with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.
- 12 You crown the year with your goodness, *
and your paths overflow with plenty.
- 13 May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, *
and the hills be clothed with joy.
- 14 May the meadows cover themselves with flocks,
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; *
let them shout for joy and sing.

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

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 righteousness, 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.

Gospel Hymn

Lead on, O King eternal

Hymn #555

The Gospel

Luke 18:9-14

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."

Sermon

The Rev. Jack Hardaway

WE RESPOND

The Nicene Creed
Prayers of the Peoples-Form V
Confession of Sin
The Peace

Book of Common Prayer p. 358
Book of Common Prayer p. 389
Book of Common Prayer p. 360
Book of Common Prayer p. 360

WE OFFER UP

Offertory Anthem	<i>I danced in the morning</i>	Simple Gifts arr.carter
The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer A		Book of Common Prayer p. 361
"Holy, Holy, Holy"		Hymn #S-128
The Lord's Prayer		Book of Common Prayer p. 364
The Fraction Anthem		#S-154

WE ARE FED

The Communion Hymns	<i>Bread of the world, in mercy broken</i>	Hymn #301
	<i>Let thy blood in mercy poured</i>	Hymn #313

Sending out of Lay Eucharistic Minister

Celebrant: In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to Phil and Pat Leigh that they may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

All: We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

The Post-Communion Thanksgiving	Book of Common Prayer p. 366
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The Blessing

The Procession	<i>Stand up, stand up, for Jesus</i>	Hymn #561
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WE ARE SENT OUT

The Sending Forth	Book of Common Prayer p. 366
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Organ Voluntary

Having been fed the body and blood of Christ we are compelled to go out into the world to proclaim the Good News of God in Christ, to seek and serve Christ in all persons, to strive for justice and peace among all people, and to respect the dignity of every human being.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School meets 9:15-10:10. Adult options are **The 39 Articles of Faith**, led by Rob Elsner meeting in the parlor, and the **Visual Bible's Book of Matthew** in the library (located behind the church office).

BBQ—Saturday, October 30, 2010— Information see Joe Maxwell or Melissa Langford

