ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY | NOVEMBER 2, 2025

THE WEEKLY COMPASS

St. John's Episcopal Church & Parish Day School



St. John's YoPros (Young Professionals) gathered this week for the first Candlelight Compline & Cocktails, a peaceful evening of prayer in the Resurrection Chapel followed by conversation and fellowship at Bouzy in Hyde Park Village. It was a great opportunity to connect with others and build community in a relaxed setting.

PIC OF THE WEEK:

Candlelight Compline (& Cocktails)

Have a Pic of the Week? We'd love to feature it! Email your photo to Mthr. Caroline at cdevitt@stjohnstampa.org.



TRIVIA NIGHT THIS WEEK!

Wednesday, November 5 at 6 p.m.

Get your team together for a fun evening of trivia, food, and fellowship! **Pro tip:** questions and rounds will be intergenerational, so teams with a mix of ages will have the advantage. Spaghetti from the Kitchen Krewe will be provided, so come hungry and ready to play! You won't want to miss out on this night - or the grand prize!

Worship at St. Johns

Sundays: Rite I at 8:00 a.m. | *Rite II at 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School is offered for all ages
**Livestream Options: Website | Facebook | YouTube*
Wednesdays & Thursdays: Holy Eucharist at 12:15 p.m.
The Reverend John R. Peterson Chapel
The Chapel of the Resurrection, located in the courtyard, is open 24/7 for prayer

Need a Nametag?

Wearing your nametag each Sunday helps us connect. Keep it in your car so it's always with you! *If you need one, email Donna Gem at dgem@stjohnstampa.org.*

Choral Evensong

with the combined choirs of St. John's and St. Andrew's

Sunday, Nov 2 • 5:00 p.m.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

All Souls' Day Requiem Mass

November 3, 2025 | 12:15 p.m.



THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, November 27 at 10 a.m.

Make plans for you and your family to join us on Thanksgiving morning as we come together to give thanks to God for the blessings of our lives and community. Begin your holiday in worship and gratitude at St. John's.



Ordination of 'Chaplain HQ'

Miranda Channing Harrison-Quillin, Chaplain to St. John's Episcopal Parish Day School, will be ordained to the Sacred Order of Deacons.

Monday, Dec 1, 2025 • 7:00 p.m.

Cathedral Church of St. Peter, 140 Fourth St N, St. Petersburg

The Rt. Rev. Douglas F. Scharf, presiding.

Your prayers and presence are requested.



Dedications

The Church Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
by Emma Solaun in loving memory of her father, Mauricio Solaun;
and by Pat Ferguson in thanksgiving for God's many blessings.

The Chapel Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
by Claudia Pate Young in loving memory of her grandparents Claudia Ross Lowe and Thomas Jefferson Lowe;
and by Janis Guzzle Chapman and family in memory of Tim Guzzle.

The Candle in the Sanctuary Light is given to the Glory of God
by the Hearing family in memory of John A. Hearing.

To sponsor altar flowers or the sanctuary candle in memory or thanksgiving, contact parish@stjohnstampa.org or call 813.259.1570

Suggested donations: Church Altar Flowers: $50 | Chapel Altar Flowers: $35 | Sanctuary Candle: $20

Available dates: November 9, 16, 23, 30

Welcome Cornerstone Kids Staff!

This morning, we warmly welcome the staff of Cornerstone Kids joining us for the 9:30 a.m. service! These dedicated individuals give their time and care to nurture children ages 5–11 through the after-school program in Tampa Heights. After the service, enjoy refreshments in the Parish Hall and take the opportunity to meet the staff, learn more about their ministry, and discover ways to get involved.



Women's Mid-Morning Bible Study

Tue, Nov 4, 10:00–11:15 a.m., Lowry Room or Zoom.
Reading: 1 & 2 Samuel for Normal People (Higashi). Chapter 4: "David's Fall" led by Sally Wiley. Meets alternate Tuesdays through Dec 2.
Contacts: Sally Wiley wiley48sm@gmail.com | Margaret Brokaw margaretb132@hotmail.com | Pat Wilson patwilson65@tampabay.rr.com | Sharon Stoll harpwings@aol.com

BIKES FROM THE HEART - BIKE MECHANICS NEEDED!

Bikes from the Heart is looking for volunteer bike mechanics to help repair and refurbish bicycles for our neighbors in need. No experience necessary—training and tools are provided!
This is a great opportunity for all who enjoy bikes, fixing things, and helping others. Join us Tues–Thurs, 10 a.m.–2 p.m. at *The Shop* (3515 N. Florida Ave).
We've already refurbished over 2,200 bikes and are also collecting used bicycles—demand is high!
Learn more at shfa.org/bikes or contact Jack Wyatt at jwyatt613@gmail.com.



Advent Wreath Making

Sunday, December 7

Join us after the 9:30 a.m. service for Advent Wreath Making! All supplies will be provided—just bring your creativity and enjoy this meaningful way to prepare your hearts and homes for the season of Advent.

ADULT FORMATION

Tue. Zoom	CWBS (Contemporary Women's Bible Study)	tampasal@gmail.com	06:00 PM
Wed. Zoom	Wednesday Adult Formation	parish@stjohnstampa.org	03:30 PM
Thurs. Lowry Room	Men's Bible Study	dlrnertpa@verizon.net	11:45 AM
Alternate Tue. Lowry Room	Women's Mid-Morning Bible Study	patwilson68@tampabay.rr.com	10:00 AM

EYC & MISSION TRIP REVEAL TONIGHT!

Mission Trip Reveal:
4:30-5 p.m.
EYC:
Middle School (6th–8th) 5–6:30 p.m.
High School (9th–12th) 6–7:30 p.m.

Holiday Tent Sign-Up:

Stay up to date with our newsletters:

Youth: *Children:*

SERVE WITH METROPOLITAN MINISTRIES

Join St. John's at the Metro Ministries Holiday Tents!
<< Sign up using the QR Code
-Children/Families (ages 8+) – Saturday, November 15, 11 a.m.–2 p.m.
-Youth (6th–12th graders) – Sunday, December 21, 2:30–6 p.m.

SAVE THE DATES

All Souls' Day	All Parish Trivia Night	Celebratio 2025	Thanksgiving Day Mass	Cornerstone Christmas
Nov 3 | Church Join us at 12:15 p.m. for All Souls' Day Mass, with the reading of the parish necrology as we remember the faithful departed and commend them to God's eternal care.	**Nov 5 | Parish Hall** Fun, fellowship, and friendly competition for all ages.	**Nov 14 | Palma Ceia Golf & Country Club** Day School fundraiser with dinner, auctions, entertainment, and dancing Tickets: *qtego.us/l/stjohneagles/tickets/event-tickets*	**Nov 27 | Church** Join us at 10:00 a.m. for Thanksgiving Day Holy Eucharist as we give thanks to God for his many blessings.	**Nov 9 |** The 13th Annual Giving Tree Name Distribution. Look for the tree in the courtyard between/after services. You will choose a child to buys gifts for, wrap those gifts, and return them to the office. OR, you can buy $20 Wal-Mart gift cards for their parents. OR, food and paper products for their hot, afternoon meals are also welcomed. Contact MC Jenkins with questions 813-503-4605.

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Blessing of a Child

Parents of newborns may schedule this brief service of thanksgiving (BCP p.439). The Newborn Celebration Ministry also delivers gift baskets to families with newborns—please notify the office of any births. Contact: *parish@stjohnstampa.org* | Lois Smith: *rstlrsmom2@aol.com*

Stay Connected

Weekly Email – Subscribe to *The Weekly Scroll* by emailing Mthr. Caroline at *cdevitt@stjohnstampa.org*

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Sermons – Watch weekly sermons on YouTube, Facebook, or via the link in our Instagram bio

Pastoral Care

If you or a loved one is hospitalized or preparing for surgery, please let us know. Hospitals cannot contact us due to privacy laws.

To notify us or request pastoral care:

Parish Office: 813.259.1570 | *parish@stjohnstampa.org*

Pastoral Emergencies: 813.726.3108

Fr. Chris: 917.822.9741

Fr. Andrew: 713.302.6262

Mthr. Caroline: 941.320.6686

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Fr. Goodheart: 321.446.4934

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