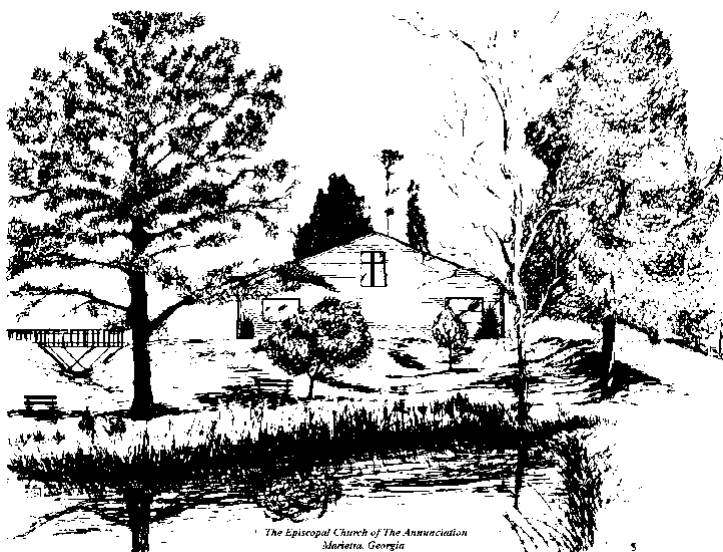


The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Proper 11
July 19, 2026



Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

*"Our Mission is to bear witness to God's love and invite,
encourage, and prepare God's people to share that grace with others."*

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DAILY MORNING PRAYER: RITE II

Prelude

The Word of God

Processional: <i>Come, thou almighty King</i>	Hymnal 365
The Opening Acclamation	BCP 78
The Confession of Sin	BCP 79
The Invitatory and Psalter	BCP 81
The Venite	BCP 82
The First Lesson	Isaiah 44:6-8
Psalms 86:11-17	BCP 710
The Second Lesson	Romans 8:12-25
Sequence Hymn: <i>Praise to the living God!</i>	Hymnal 372
The Gospel	Matthew 13:24-30,36-43
The Homily	Foster Peterson
The Apostles' Creed	BCP 96
The Prayers - Suffrage B	BCP 98
Prayers of the People	<i>Intercessor</i>
The Collect of the Day	BCP 231
Collect for Sundays	BCP 98
Collect for Peace	BCP 99
The Peace <i>(All greet one another in the name of the Lord)</i>	
Offertory Music: <i>We are climbing Jacob's ladder</i>	LEVAS 220
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 97
The General Thanksgiving	BCP 101
A Prayer of St. Chrysostom	BCP 102
<i>May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing through the power of the Holy Spirit.</i>	
Recessional: <i>Lord dismiss us with thy blessing</i>	Hymnal 344
The Dismissal	BCP 102
<i>Presider</i> Let us bless the Lord.	
<i>People</i> Thanks be to God.	

Welcome to Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

If this is your first time with us, we hope you will join us for coffee hour after the 8:30 or 10:30AM services for fellowship & refreshments. Please sign the guest book or fill out a guest card so we can answer any questions you may have about ECA. Thank you for joining us today.

Collect of the Day

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Prayer List

Elizabeth, Jackie, Laura, Zack & Charlotte, Rae & Chris, Lucas, Jeannie & John, Irene, Jan, Tom, John, Tom, Shannon, Piper, Darryl, Dawn, Bill & Sue, Bella, Dianne, Betsy, Craig, Diane, Joann, Bob, Teresa, Brad, Shawn, Lawrence, Pattie, Phil, Brenda, Walt, Riner; for our Vestry; for those in the armed forces especially Donnie, Geoff, Bob, Lawrence, Matt, Paul, Les, Tod, Ryan, Mark & Josh; and for any unspoken prayers.

Birthday

7/20 Paul Fanelli 7/24 Jane Whisler
7/22 Dana Godfrey 7/24 Olivia Myers

Anniversaries

7/22 Jack & Jane Whisler

Altar Flowers

The Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Irene Griggs
in Loving Memory of Tom Griggs.
&

The Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Ken Phair in
Loving Memory of Betty Ann Phair.

Vestry Investor Spotlight This Week: Wanda Ziembinski

Wanda has been a member at ECA since 2012. Wanda was a member of the Vestry during the trying Covid years and has served as Senior Warden. She is a regular at the 8:30 service, Wanda often serves as Lector and Usher. She has also been actively involved in the Building and Grounds Committee, served as a chairman, as well as working on the Finance Committee. She is also heavily invested in the English Tea committee, and currently serves as the chair, as well as providing delicious eats, and hosting a table. Wanda also delivers food collected by our congregation to the food ministries that we serve. She was also instrumental in getting the Yamaha Grand Piano donated to ECA in loving memory of her Friend. Thank you, Wanda, for all the innumerable ways you contribute and invest in the life of ECA!

The Sunday Commissioning

In the name of Christ Jesus, and through the family of Church of the Annunciation, we send you out bearing these holy gifts for God's holy people that those who will receive them with us may experience the majesty and mystery of His presence. We who are many are one body

People: Because we all share one bread and one cup.

No Southern Comforters Meeting Today, Will resume next month!

Southern Comforters will not meet in July. This ministry will resume in August. Southern Comforters invites you to fellowship with others who knit and crochet to make blankets for children in difficult circumstances, and prayer shawls for our parishioners and friends. This ministry meets on the third Sunday of each month after services in the activities building.

ECA Reach is Serving at Shady Grove Wednesday, July 22nd at 4:30pm

All are invited to join the ECA Reach ministry in preparing and delivering a meal to the homeless population every 4th Wednesday of the month at Shady Grove Baptist Church. We meet at the church at 4:30pm to prepare then carpool down. Travel Sized toiletries are also being collected for this outreach.

Volunteers Needed to serve at Emmaus House on Thursday, July 23rd

Reach is serving lunch at Emmaus House for their Freedom School End of Summer program. Volunteers are needed to help at 11am. See Cindy Lippert to Volunteer.

ECA Reach Collecting Canned Goods for the Ministries we Support

ECA Supports Must Ministries, Never Alone & Papa's Pantry by donating canned goods and non-perishables. Please bring donations on Sunday and place them in the baskets provided. Thank you for serving our community.

Cultured Pearls Book Club to Meet July 23rd at 11am in the Activities Building

The Cultured Pearls Book Club meets on the Fourth Thursday of each month at 11am. A new book is chosen for each month (see the ECA calendar online for the schedule). All are welcome to join. Contact Helene Freese to learn more.

Garden Gnomes meets Friday, July 24th at 9:30am: It's a brunch!

Thank you to all who help keep our grounds looking fantastic. This event will be a celebratory brunch in appreciation to all those who serve with the Garden Gnomes. If you would like to get involved, contact Cheryl Farr to learn more.

Music Under the Pavilion July 25th with "The Loose Shoes Band" 6-9pm

The ECA Concert Series Continues with "The Loose Shoes Band", a mix of classic rock. Invite a friend! Tables are available for a donation, contact the church office, or bring your own chairs and/or blankets for free general seating. Don't miss it!

Mark Your Calendar: ECA 40th Anniversary Events all through Fall 2026

Join us in celebrating our 40th year as ECA! Activities and Events are scheduled throughout the year. All are invited to join us on Aug. 23 for a Family Service & Fun Day at Lake Allatoona. There will be an Anniversary Cruise on Royal Caribbean (5 Night Western Caribbean) Sep 21-26. We will be apple picking and wine tasting in North Georgia (transportation available) on October 3rd. Other events include an Investors Dinner on January 30th, an ECA cookbook and 40th Celebration service on April 24th with all-day events to follow. We Hope you will enjoy the festivities!

Each Month we provide our Year-to-Date Financials

Through June 2026	Actual	Budget	+/-
Revenues	\$129,058	\$147,080	(\$18,020)
Expenses	<u>\$136,000</u>	<u>\$145,534</u>	<u>\$9,534</u>
Net Year	(\$6,942)	\$1,546	(\$8,486)

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