

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Proper 23
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Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

*“All Baptized Christians, regardless of age or church
affiliation, are welcome to take communion”*

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HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

Prelude

The Word of God

Processional: <i>The head that once was crowned with thorns</i>	Hymnal 483
Opening Acclamation	BCP 355
The Collect for Purity	BCP 355
Glory to God: <i>Gloria in Excelsis</i>	Hymnal S280
The Collect of the Day	BCP 234
The First Lesson	Jeremiah 29:1,4-7
Psalm 66:1-11	BCP 673
The Second Lesson	2 Timothy 2:8-15
Sequence Hymn: <i>Now thank we all our God</i>	Hymnal 397
The Gospel	Luke 17:11-19
The Sermon	The Rev. Paul McCabe
The Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People	Intercessor
The Confession	BCP 360
The Peace <i>(All greet one another in the name of the Lord)</i>	BCP 360

The Holy Communion

Offertory Music: <i>I love the Lord</i>	LEVAS 67
The Presentation Hymn: <i>Praise God, Vs.3</i>	Hymnal 380
The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer A	BCP 361
Sanctus: <i>Holy, Holy, Holy Lord</i>	Hymnal S130
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP 364
Communion: <i>Father, we praise thee, now the night is over</i>	Hymnal 1
Communion: <i>Help us, O Lord, to learn</i>	Hymnal 628
Post Communion Prayer & Blessing	BCP 365
Recessional <i>O bless the Lord, my soul!</i>	Hymnal 411
Dismissal	BCP 366
Postlude	

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

The Collect

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through 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, Bill, Irene, Lillian, Leo, Shannon, Trez, Connie, Allison, Bill, Sue, Linda, Liz, Bonnie, Beth, Starr, Anjeli, Farrah, George, Diane, Karen, Susan, Shelly, Joy; for our Vestry; for those in the armed forces especially Donnie, Geoff, Bob, Lawrence, Matt, Paul, Tod, Ryan, Mark, Josh, and Michael; and for any unspoken prayers.

Birthdays

10/12 Suzanne McGhee	10/15 Hayden Harrison
10/15 Jackie Collopy	10/15 Lindsay Stinchcomb
10/16 Abigail Wilson	10/17 Cheryl Farr
10/17 John Capawana	10/18 Geof Myers

Anniversaries

10/17 Benjamin & Heather Arnotti

Altar Flowers

The Flowers on the Altar are given to the Glory of God by Ron & Connie Sedgley with Thanksgiving for their children and grandchildren.

All Saints Sunday name Dedications to Remember our Loved Ones

All Saints Sunday is quickly approaching (11/2). This is a day we set apart to remember our loved ones who have passed on. "The day is set aside to remember and commend the saints of God". Email your All Saints names to be printed in the bulletin to ecaparish@gmail.com or fill out a form in the Narthex on Sunday.

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.*

The sending out of Eucharistic ministers is a Lay ministry that takes Holy Communion after church to those who are ill and infirm and cannot make it to church for a long period of time. Please contact Fr. Paul, George MacDonald, or the church office and let us know if you desire this ministry.

It's Stewardship Season! This year's theme is "Tell Out my Soul"

Did you ever have news that was so exciting that you could not wait to share it with others? The Good News that fills our spirits with joy is about the radical abundance, abiding love, and healing power that Jesus shares with us when we respond to his call to follow him. Please prayerfully consider how you can give of your time, talent and treasure to help ECA further this call to follow him. Our campaign ends on All Saints Sunday, Nov. 2nd, when we will bless the pledges.

Christian Formation Updates: *Note changes in schedule for all classes*

ECA Children/Youth Christian Formation will meet this Sunday and include the Youth Breakfast. Note that Youth CF will not meet next Sunday, October 19th. Bible Challenge and Current Topics CF will not meet today. Will resume next week.

ECA Reach Ministry to meet today at Noon in Activities Building

Come see what in-reach and out-reach ministry is all about at ECA. Typically meeting on the Second Sunday of each month after the 10:30am Service.

October Food Drive for Cathy's Closet is Here!

Every October, ECA Reach hosts a food drive in honor of Cathy Norris. All food items collected will benefit Papa's Pantry and Never Alone. Please find a flyer with a list of items needed on the door of the church. Thank you for giving!

'Triple F': Octoberfest This Wednesday, Oct. 15th at 6:30pm

What are your prayers of the people? Join us for an Octoberfest themed Faith, Food & Fellowship this month with a meal followed by a program where you will learn to write your own unique Prayers of the People. You won't want to miss it! Wed., Oct 15 at 6:30pm in Activities Bldg.

Cultured Pearls Book Club to Meet this Thursday, Oct. 16th at 2pm

Cultured Pearls Book Club meets on the third Thursday of each month at 2pm. Contact Lillian Stanton for more information. Books listed on the ECA calendar.

Altar Guild training on Saturday, October 18th in two different Training Times

If you are interested in joining the Altar Guild, or even just want to find out what it involves, please join us. There will be two 90-minute sessions offered: 9am-10:30, and 11am-12:30. You would only need to attend one of the sessions. All current members need to attend one of the training times listed. If unable to attend due to a conflict, a make up day will be scheduled so that all new and current members can receive continued training in this important worship ministry. Thank You!

Altar Flowers: Many Dates Still Available in Oct & Nov! Sign up in Narthex

We have multiple dates still available for Altar Flowers. Help support our Altar Guild by dedicating flowers 'in Memory of', 'or with Thanksgiving for' someone special. Forms and chart in the Narthex. Thank You!

Each Month we provide our Year-to-Date Financials

(YTD) Through Sep. 2025	Actual	Budget	+/-
Revenues	\$190,718	\$210,873	(\$20,155)
Expenses	\$204,014	\$207,634	(\$3,619)
Net Year	(\$13,296)	\$3,240	\$16,536

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