## The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

**Proper 22** October 5, 2025



# Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

"All Baptized Christians, regardless of age or church affiliation, are welcome to take communion"

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### THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

#### Prelude

Postlude

#### The Word of God

Processional: Awake, my soul	Hymnal 11
Opening Acclamation	BCP 355
The Collect for Purity	BCP 355
Glory to God: Gloria in Excelsis	Hymnal S280
The Collect of the Day	BCP 234
The First Lesson	Lamentations 1:1-6
Psalm 137	BCP 792
The Second Lesson	2 Timothy 1:1-14
Sequence Hymn: Strengthen for service, Lord	Hymnal 312
The Gospel	Luke 17:5-10
The Sermon	The Rev. Troy Beecham
The Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People	Intercessor
The Confession	BCP 360
The Peace (All greet one another in the name of the Lo	rd) BCP 360

#### **The Holy Communion**

LEVAS 189
Hymnal 380
BCP 361
Hymnal S130
BCP 364
BCP 364
LEVAS 91
Hymnal 671
BCP 365
Hymnal 551
BCP 366

#### 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

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

#### **Prayer List**

Elizabeth, Jackie, Laura, Zack & Charlotte, Rae & Chris, Lucas, Jeannie & John, Bill, Irene, Lillian, Leo, Shannon, Trez, John, Tom, Alaina, David, Connie, Allison, Bill, Sue, Linda, Liz, Bonnie, Beth, Starr, Anjeli, Farrah, George, Diane, Karen, Emma, and Susan; 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**

10/5 Savannah Sweet 10/7 Cal Beck 10/10 Robin Keith

#### **Anniversaries**

10/6 Scott & Jennifer Hogan10/8 Leo & Sue Tidwell10/9 William & Suzanne McGhee

#### Altar Flowers

The Flowers on the Altar are given to the Glory of God by Linda Cox in Loving Memory of her husband, Glen Cox.

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#### Welcome to Marissa Woodall and our Guest Celebrant

Thank you to Marissa Woodall, our guest musician today; and to Fr. Troy Beecham, our Guest Celebrant. Fr. Troy grew up in Roswell on a farm. After high school, he studied theology and biblical languages. Since 2003, he has been the rector of parishes in Augusta GA, Granite Springs NY, & College Park GA, lived for a brief time as a brother in a monastery in Boston MA, and most recently served as the Dean of St. Paul's Cathedral in Des Moines IA. After a diagnosis of early onset Parkinsonism, he had to leave full-time ministry in 2022, returning back to the area where his family still live.

#### 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. All of the gifts that we have been given are ready to burst forth to serve our neighbors and share our love with a world in need. In the following weeks, you will hear testimonies and stories that 'Tell out' this very message and touch our souls. Please prayerfully consider how you can give of your time, talent and treasure to help ECA further this call to follow him. Stewardship Season ends on All Saints Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, when we will bless the pledges.

Children/Youth CF to meet Today at 9:40am/ Youth Breakfast next Sunday! ECA Children/Youth Christian Formation meets on the first and third Sunday of each month at 9:40am. Youth Breakfast is on the second Sunday of each month. Invite a friend!

**Episcopal Church Women to Meet Today, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> at Noon in Act. Bldg.** Episcopal Church Women meet monthly on the first Sunday of the month in the Activities Building. All Ladies are welcome! Activities and Events are planned throughout the month. Brunch is Thursday, 10/9 at 10:30 Reville, Marietta. See Janice Maxwell to RSVP or learn more.

Finance Committee Meeting Today, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> at Noon in Act. Building All are invited to attend the ECA Finance Committee Meetings typically meeting on the first Sunday of each month in the Activities Building.

Annual Ladies Tea Planning Meeting This Wednesday, Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> at 10am Any ladies interested in helping with the Annual ECA British Tea are invited to attend the planning meeting Wednesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 10am.

#### Journey's Group to Meet Saturday, October 11th at 11:30am

This is a group that offers support, care, and compassion to those coping with grief, loss or any difficult life challenge. If you are seeking support through fellowship, please join us the second Saturday of each month from 11:30am-12:30 in the Activity Building. Please call Suzie Hart at 404.234.5294 for more information.

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!

**ECA Reach Collecting Canned Goods & Personal Care items for Ministries** Papa's Pantry & Never alone need nonperishable food items, and Shady Grove is asking for full sized personal hygiene items (soap, shampoo, razors, etc.) Thanks!

 Each Month we provide our Year-to-Date Financials

 (YTD) Through Aug. 2025
 Actual
 Budget
 +/ 

 Revenues
 \$173,100
 \$184,935
 (\$11,835)

 Expenses
 \$188,027
 \$187,338
 (\$689)

 Net Year
 (\$14,927)
 \$2,403
 \$12,524

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