

This Week at



**JUNE
11
2026**

THE PARISH AT A GLANCE

Worship

SUNDAY, June 14: Holy Eucharist, Rite II 10:00 a.m.
The 3rd Sunday After Pentecost

Lay Ministers: Lynn Norris, Charles Norris, Drucye Cox,
Connie Blackmon

Flowers: Alex Garrett & Jim Gilliam

WEDNESDAY, June 17:

Evening Prayer 5:00 p.m.

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- 2026 Capital Campaign
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Upcoming Events

JUN 17: Cookies, Crafts & Conversation 3:00 p.m.

JUN 21: Vestry meets

JUN 24: St. Nicholas Game Day 1:00 p.m.

JUN 29: Last call for Boston Butt Sales

JUN 30: Deadline for pledges to Capital Campaign

JUL 3: Boston Butts pickup (2 - 6 p.m.)

JUL 5: Worship at St. Thomas (more inside)

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IN OUR PARISH

Capital Campaign 2026



	\$73,000 !!!!
	\$66,000
	\$60,000
	\$54,000
\$44,600	\$48,000
	\$42,000
	\$36,000
	\$24,000
	\$18,000
	\$12,000
	\$6,000



Ready? Let's GROW!

Pledge cards are in the narthex, or go to the website and look at the top for "2026 Capital Campaign." Everything you need is there, including FAQs and links to submit your pledge and payments electronically if you so choose.

The deadline to submit your pledge is **June 30**; however, payment does not have to be received until **November 30**. We encourage you to pledge early so the team can assess where we will stand when the time comes to renew or refinance the mortgage.

You can always see Beth Brown or Jim Gilliam if you have questions.

Join the ministry! St. Nicholas has been sending volunteers to **El Refugio**, a hospitality house in Lumpkin that supports detainees at Stewart Detention Center and their loved ones through hospitality, visitation, support, and advocacy. There is a brief online orientation required before you go. See Margaret Zachry for more information.



On **Sunday, July 5**, St. Nicholas will be worshipping at St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Columbus. They have invited us to share their Independence Day worship service beginning at 10:30 a.m. so there will be no worship service at St. Nicholas that day. Steve will be driving a van - sign up in the kitchen pass-through if you need transportation.

Cookies, Crafts, and Conversation: June 17 at 3:00 p.m. Join us for good conversation, (hopefully) delicious treats and coffee or tea - and if you stitch, bring it with! We wrap up at 4:30 to give us time to tidy up for Evening Prayer.

St. Nicholas Game Day: June 24 at 3:00 p.m. (We're still tweaking the start time to give us plenty of time to play and wrap up before Evening Prayer.) We'll be playing Mahjong, Cribbage, and Mexican Train!

The **St. Nicholas Book Club** chose *The Avenue Goes to War* by R. F. Delderfield as their selection for July. This novel, the second of his *Avenue* series, was also adapted for British television.

Years ago, the Great War tore apart the lives of the families living on Manor Park Avenue in South London. Now, as Allie and Axis armies rage across Europe in an even more devastating conflict, the residents of the Avenue struggle to cope with the sacrifices England must make as their nation's place in the world irrevocably changes.

The novel explores how ordinary people in wartime London are connected through shared hardship, sacrifice, and resilience. So, while the book is a work of historical fiction, its setting, themes, and plot are firmly rooted in the events and atmosphere of World War II. The Book Club next meets on July 1 after Evening Prayer.

St. Nicholas Boston Butt Sale 2026

Sales through Monday, June 29



Purchase a 6 lb., choice boneless Boston Butt, smoked to perfection and ready for your table or freezer.

\$55

Pick-up: 2 pm to 6 pm on July 3

St. Nicholas Episcopal Church, 69 Mobley Road in Hamilton.

You may also donate your butt to FOCUS.

How to Purchase

Cash or Check: Call 706-587-3243

See a church member *or* mail in a check to:

St. Nicholas Episcopal Church

PO Box 752

Hamilton, GA 31811

Credit Card: Go to our website:

www.stnicholashamilton.org

or

Use the Vanco app by

following this QR code:



IN OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Prayer Requests

Your prayers are asked for Katherine Johnson, Chris and Andy Butzon, Margaret Zachry, Mary Jane Hartenstine, and Rev. Bob Farrow. Continued prayers and loving thoughts for those who have ongoing needs and struggles: Liz Dixon, Stafford Long, April Moore, Hudson Garrett, Mary Butcher, and Kenny Hall and his family.



We pray for wisdom for those in authority, for guidance for those who feel called to action, and for safety and peace for those who feel fear in these times. We continue to pray for all those in need within our community and those in the world who have suffered due to war and natural disaster.

IN OUR WIDER CHURCH

- **News from the Diocese:** [Click here](#) to catch up on what's happening in our own Diocese of Atlanta, including an Events calendar for the few months.
- **News from The Episcopal Church:** [Click here](#) to read The Episcopal Church Weekly.
- **News from the Episcopal Community Foundation:** [Click here](#) to read the latest news.

IN OUR GREATER COMMUNITY



COMMUNITY POOL PARTY

Friday **JULY 17th** 2026
6-8 PM

sponsored by: **F. D. Roosevelt State Park**

FREE FOOD
Bouncy House Slide & DJ!
FREE School Supplies* while supplies last

Liberty Bell Pool
3676 GA-354, Pine Mtn, GA

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HARRIS COUNTY JUNETEENTH

CELEBRATION



Saturday June 13, 2026

10:00am - 2:00pm

Program begins at 11:00am*

Harris County Community
Center
7509 GA Hwy 116
Hamilton, GA

Demonstrations ~ Arts & Craft Vendors ~ Food ~ Silent
Auction ~ Cultural Showcases.



FREE ADMISSION!!

Benefits the Backsnacks Program
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