



ST. ANDREW'S CELEBRATING OUR PAST SHAPING OUR FUTURE



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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Things are gearing up for the next cycle of doing justice in Palm Beach County that will lead to our Nehemiah Action Assembly on April 8, 2019. Our Justice Ministry Team has had their first meeting here at St. Andrew's and will join with other congregation teams on September 10th to make preparations for our House Meetings.

We plan to have five such House Meetings and will be using a new and exciting agenda that will allow for more input from you. I can't encourage you enough to attend one of these meetings and rekindle our enthusiasm for doing justice in our community.

Many of our congregations had a decline in numbers for last year's Nehemiah Action. This will have a negative impact on our ability to move public officials to listen to us and to make needed changes that effect those most vulnerable in Palm Beach County.

It is not always easy to see how these justice issues have an impact on our own lives. It may seem it is someone else's problem. However, these issues that we take on do play a role in the general health and well-being of all who live and work in the county. We also have a Scriptural mandate to do justice and be the voice for those who have no voice in important decisions being made by those in power.

In spite of the fall-off in numbers, we are making progress on our issues. Several cities have signed on to the Community ID Program with financial support and the plan is to have it up and running by this October. We have also met with the County Administrator to plan out the implementation of the 25 million dollars ear-marked for transitional and permanent housing for homeless folk in our county.

This means at the this year's Community Problems Assembly, we will be choosing a new issue for the coming year. Our participation in our house meetings is very important so that we have input into what issue of justice will be chosen.

To all who have worked for justice I give thanks and look for even more of us to take on this vital ministry.

Father Paul+



Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may thy peace which passeth understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 2—Ryan Flynn
- 3—Sergio Palacio
- 4—Doug Randolph
- 11—Orphia Sailsman
Sandy Sternefeld
- 14—Linda Caruso
Ted Jackson
- 15—John Lazet
Sandra Bride
- 17—Charlotte Hamilton
Caleb Rickards
- 19—Anthony Mosca
- 20—Suzanna Rickards
- 23—Jefferson Davilmar
Mohammed Haque
- 24—Margaret May Damen
Colin Dombrowski
- 25—Ann Kreucher
- 26—Ethan Holden
- 27—Linda Valovich
- 30—Glory King

Schedule of Services

Saturdays 6PM—Worship and Communion

Sundays 7:30AM—Holy Eucharist Rite I
10AM—Holy Eucharist Rite II

Wednesday 10AM—Holy Eucharist & Healing.

Thursday Choir Rehearsals at 7pm

Fridays in Lent 6pm: Stations of the Cross

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WAY CAFÉ

It is with great joy that we welcome our feeding program back home to St. Andrew's. Now that our kitchen renovation is complete, Way Café will be feeding folks on Tuesdays at 1PM. We are grateful to Holy Redeemer for allowing us to be there for so long and for their hospitality. Our Way Café volunteers can check with Joy Bayrouly for how the cooking and feeding schedule will work. Joy can be reached at 642-1527. The first meal was served here on Tuesday, July 24th and is going along very well. Welcome Home, Way Café!

CHOIR REHEARSALS RESUME

Choir rehearsals will start up again on Thursday, September 6th at 7PM. We are so grateful for our volunteer choir and for the beautiful way in which they enhance our worship week after week. We are also blessed to have Mark Lynch as Choir Director and Evan Ferrar as our Organist. We are always open to bring on board new choir members. Come help us make a joyful noise unto the Lord.

YOM KIPPUR—KOL NIDRE SERVICE

Rabbi Jenny will officiate at an ecumenical service on Monday September 17th at 7P.M. commemorating the important Jewish holiday of Yom Kippur. This is a powerful service of atonement and forgiveness celebrated each year throughout Judaism. The service is open to all and brings to mind for all of us our need for repentance.

ANNIVERSARIES

O gracious and everliving God, look mercifully upon the couples who are celebrating their anniversaries this month and assist them with your grace, that with true fidelity and steadfast love they may honor the vows they have made through Jesus Christ, our savior. Amen.

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

3—Larry Jordan & Gordon Broom

4—Barbara & Paul Richardson

9—Anthony Mosca & Charles Jackson

16—Charlotte & Bill Hamilton

WAY CAFÉ

The feeding program here at St. Andrew's Church is every Tuesday of each month. We need to have 12 volunteers each Tuesday at 12:30PM in order to serve the meal at 1:00 P.M. We are grateful that this program will continue to feed hungry people in our community. Call Joy Bayrouly if you can help (642-1527).

SEPTEMBER TAIZE WORSHIP

On the third Saturday of September the 15th our 6pm service offers the beauty of contemplative Taize music with healing prayers and communion. All are invited and welcome.

VESTRY NEWS—DEANERY CONVOCATION

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, September 18th at 7PM.

The South Palm beach Deanery will hold its Fall Convocation on Tuesday September 25th at 6P.M. Our convention delegates and clergy will represent St. Andrew's at this meeting where we look at a draft budget for the Diocese for 2019. A reminder that our financials are posted on the Bulletin Board in the Parish Hall hallway each month.

Please remember St. Andrew's in your will/estate planning.

P.E.A.C.E. AND THE NEW YEAR

We are putting together our Justice Ministry Team for the coming year. These team members will be hosting House Meetings in September and October to recruit our Justice Ministry Network members. We will be selecting a new justice issue this year so it is important for us to attend these house meetings. May we all do justice, love kindness and walk humbly with our God.

House Meeting Schedule

Tuesday, September 11th at 5P.M.

Wednesday, September 19th at 7P.M.

Wednesday, October 3rd at 7P.M.

Wednesday, October 10th at 11A.M.

Sunday, October 14th at 1:30A.M.

You will be invited to specific meetings but you can attend the one that is most convenient for you.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND COOKOUT

The Vestry will host a cookout on Sunday, September 2nd following the 10A.M. service. We will supply burgers and hot dogs and drinks and ask you all to provide side dishes. Come help us celebrate Labor day and enjoy fellowship with one another.

COFFEE HOUR

We are always in need of folks to host our coffee fellowship following the 10AM service on Sundays. Hosts can be reimbursed up to \$50 for expenses.

COMING IN OCTOBER

Blessing of the Animals on Sunday, October 7th.

Community Problems Assembly—Monday, October 29th at 7P.M.

Diocesan Convention—Friday and Saturday, October 26th and 27th at St. Benedict's, Plantation, FL

LABOR DAY

Labor Day is dedicated to the social and economic achievements of American workers. It is a national tribute to the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity, and well-being of our country.

INTEGRITY OF PALM BEACH SUMMER HIATUS



Integrity—Palm Beach, a parish activity open to all, invites everyone to join us on the second **Saturday, of each month at 7:00PM.** Integrity-Palm Beach is the first and only chapter of Integrity in Palm Beach County. Throughout its ten years of existence, it has welcomed a number of speakers and guest clergy at monthly meetings.

Integrity has also been a consistent presence in the community, inviting all people into the life of St. Andrew's and thereby fulfilling the parish's stated mission: *To Share the Love of Christ in Word and Deed with all God's Children.*

Our meetings will start up again shortly as the Board works to recruit new members and volunteers.



MEALS ON WHEELS

The Meals on Wheels program is growing in the Lake Worth area and more volunteers are needed. The commitment is to deliver meals to homebound seniors one day a week. Call Debbie Emerick at 561 802-6979 to volunteer or get further information.

YOUTH NEWS

Next Youth Night coming in October.

We continue to be in need of acolytes. Please talk to Debra Carter if you have a child interested in serving in this vital ministry.

Contact Debra Carter at debracarter01@gmail.com for further information.

SAVE GOLF DATE

Just a heads-up that our annual Golf Tournament will take place on Saturday, November 3rd at Atlantis Country Club starting at 8AM.

MONDAY, SEPT. 17, 2018

RABBI JENNY'S 8TH ANNUAL
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MAYA MALAY-BUDDHISM

AND MANY MORE!!!

STARTS AT
7 PM

ALL DONATIONS TO BENEFIT FOR THE CHILDREN, INC. !!!!!

SAINT ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

September 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						<i>1</i> 6pm—HE
2 Pentecost XV 7:30 & 10am—HE 11:15am—Parish Cookout	3 Labor Day	<i>4</i> 1pm—Way Cafe	<i>5</i> 10am—HE & Healing	<i>6</i> 7pm—Choir	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i> 6pm—HE
9 Pentecost XVI 7:30 & 10am—HE	<i>10</i> 7pm—Justice Team Assembly	<i>11</i> 1pm—Way Café 5pm—Justice House Meeting	<i>12</i> 10am—HE & Healing	<i>13</i> 7pm—Choir	14 Holy Cross	<i>15</i> 6pm—Taize HE
16 Pentecost XVII 7:30 & 10am—HE	<i>17</i> 7PM—Kol Nidre Service	<i>18</i> 1pm—Way Cafe 7pm—Vestry	<i>19</i> 10am—HE & Healing 7pm—Justice House Meeting	<i>20</i> 7pm—Choir	21 St. Matthew	<i>22</i> 6pm—12 Step HE
23 Pentecost XVIII 7:30 & 10am—HE	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i> 1pm—Way Café 6pm—SPB Deanery Convocation	<i>26</i> 10am—HE & Healing	<i>27</i> 7pm—Choir	<i>28</i>	29 St. Michael and All Angels 6pm—EP and HE
30 Pentecost XIX 7:30 & 10am—HE						

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FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE

The office is open from 9AM to 1PM Monday through Friday. The deadline for notes and/or announcements for the Sunday Bulletin is Wednesday at noon. If it is after noon, you can leave a message on the church telephone, 582-6609 or leave an e-mail at saepiscopal@aol.com. The bulletin is printed on Thursday and the wonderful "Church Ladies" come in and fold and stuff them on Friday mornings.

Keep in mind that the Prayer request list will begin anew each month. If you want the prayer requests to stay on the list for longer, just indicate that when getting the information to the office.

The newsletter deadline for the October newsletter is September 20th. If you know of any events you would like to put in the newsletter or articles of interest, please e-mail them to the office.

The Altar flower memorial and bequest form is in the Parish Hall. Suggested donation for this is \$60. Thanks to all of you this year for your generosity and dedication for sponsoring the altar flowers.

If you would like to have envelopes for your donations, please let the office know. Writing your envelope number on your check helps the accuracy of our bookkeeping.

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