Announcements

Special Thanks to The Rev. Bryce Wandrey, for being our Supply Priest today.

TODAY:

Corpus Christi
Join us for a covered dish luncheon in the Parish Hall, immediately following the Solemn High Mass!

Saturday, June 9th:

The Carolina Treble Festival Choir will sing Evensong at Holy Communion, at 5:00 PM, as part of the Piccolo Spoleto Festival of Synagogues and Churches. This choir consists of choristers (children) from several churches in North and South Carolina. They meet once a year for an annual Treble Festival. Last summer they sang at the National Cathedral and the Virginia Theological Seminary. The conductor will be Dr. David Arcus, former organist for Duke Chapel and currently serving at St. Matthew’s Episcopal Church.

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The Sanctuary lamp candle is given to the glory of God and in memory of Ella M. Rivers

The Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for Janette Schumann

The Music is given to the glory of God and in memory of Samuel Owens Schumann, Sr.

Ascytles: Tricia Nimocks, Frank Royster, English Calhoun Walpole, Ned Walpole, Eudora Holland, Riley Fischer, Ellison Holland, Thomas Covington, Michael Jones, Ellison Holland, Noll Flynn

Lectors: William Prideaux, Dawn Balsam

M/V: Sarah Covington

Altar Guild: Mary Neale Berkaw, Sherry Royster, Cordez Simmons

Ushers: Kevin Harrell, Terry Moore, David Harris

Greeters: Hunter Jordan, Barbara Smith

Fellowship Host/Hostess: The Fellowship of St. Matthias

Vestry Person of the Day: Dawn Balsam

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June 3, 2018
Corpus Christi

Warm Welcome
We welcome you to the Church of the Holy Communion. Please sign our guest book at either door so that we may be more responsive to your needs.

Church of the Holy Communion confidently proclaims that in the Holy Mass the Bread and Wine become the True Body and Blood of our Risen Savior Jesus Christ. All Christians who have been baptized with water and in the Name of the Blessed Trinity are invited joyfully to receive these Holy Mysteries of His Real Presence.

Those who are not able to receive Holy Communion are encouraged to come forward to the rail for a blessing. Please cross your arms over your chest as a sign to the priest that you wish to receive his Blessing. You are welcome in this Holy Place!

Holy Quiet Before Mass
The fifteen minutes before the Liturgy begins is consecrated for prayer and meditation in the church.

This is a holy time during which we may prepare our souls to hear the Word of God and receive the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. We ask also that you respect this holy time by abstaining from conversation within the church.

Low Mass (8:00 am)
The Liturgy begins on page 249 of the Anglican Service Book (ASB)

Solemn High Mass (10:30 am)
The Liturgy follows the Solemn High Mass booklet (please leave the Mass booklet at the church)
Whither shall I go then from thy Spirit: * or whither shall I go then from thy presence? If I climb up into heaven, thou art there: * if I go down to hell, thou art there also. [Antiphon]

If I take the wings of the morning: * and remain in the uttermost parts of the sea; Even there also shall thy hand lead me: * and thy right hand shall hold me. [Antiphon]

If I say, Peradventure the darkness shall cover me: * then shall my night be turned to day. Yea, the darkness is no darkness with thee; but the night is as clear as the day: * the darkness and light to thee are both alike.

Romans 12:9-16b

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly.

The Gospel

Luke 1:39-57

In those days Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town in the hill country, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary’s greeting, the child leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and exclaimed with a loud cry, “Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me? For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her by the Lord.” And Mary said,