

ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Centered in our love for Jesus, we worship God, reach out to those in need, celebrate our blessings, and love and care for each other. We are inclusive and welcoming of all God's people. Together, we strive to faithfully meet the challenges of a changing world.



The Feast of Ascension May 17, 2026

PRELUDE Moment musicaux #2 in A-flat, D. 780 by Schubert
Please stand in body or spirit

OPENING HYMN The Hymnal 1982 - #215 See the Conqueror *(Please join us. Cont. on the following pg.)*



1 See the Con - queror mounts in tri - umph; see the King in
2 He who on the cross did suf - fer, he who from the
3 Thou hast raised our hu - man na - ture on the clouds to



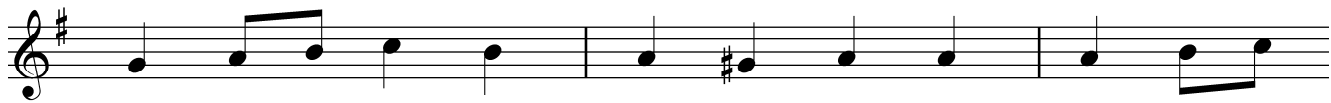
roy - al state, rid - ing on the clouds, his
grave a - rose, he has van - quished sin and
God's right hand: there we sit in heaven - ly



char - iot, to his heaven - ly pal - ace gate!
Sa - tan; he by death has spoiled his foes.
plac - es, there with thee in glo - ry stand.

We ask that you silence any electronics that might make noise during the service.

OPENING HYMN The Hymnal 1982 - #215 See the Conqueror (*Continued.*)



Hark! the choirs of an - gel voic - es joy - ful
 While he lifts his hands in bless - ing, he is
 Je - sus reigns, a - dored by an - gels; Man with



al - le - lu - ias sing, and the por - tals
 part - ed from his friends; while their ea - ger
 God is on the throne; might - y Lord, in



high are lift - ed to re - ceive their heaven - ly King.
 eyes be - hold him, he up - on the clouds a - scends.
 thine as - cen - sion, we by faith be - hold our own.

Words: Christopher Wordsworth (1807-1885), alt. Music: *In Babilone*, melody from *Oude en Nieuwe Hollandse Boerenlities en Contradanseu*, 1710; harm. Charles Winfred Douglas (1867-1944).

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.
People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**
Celebrant Together, let us pray.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE HYMN OF PRAISE The Hymnal 1982—#205 Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing (*Please join us*)



1 Good Chris - tians all, re - joice and sing! Now is the
 *2 The Lord of life is risen to - day! Sing songs of
 3 Praise we in songs of vic - to - ry that love, that



1 tri - umph of our King! To all the world glad news we bring:
 2 praise a - long his way; let all the earth re - joice and say:
 3 life which can - not die, and sing with hearts up - lift - ed high:



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose blessed Son our Savior Jesus Christ ascended far above all heavens that he might fill all things: Mercifully give us faith to perceive that, according to his promise, he abides with his Church on earth, even to the end of the ages; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

Celebrant welcomes the congregation.

Please be seated.

CHILDREN & COMMUNITY HOMILY The Rev. Katie Holeman

Children are welcome to follow teachers to the Godly Play classroom for a lesson.

THE LESSONS & PSALM

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (1:1-11)

In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. "This," he said, "is what you have heard from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."

So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Please pray Psalm 47 responsively by half-verse.

- 1 Clap your hands, all you peoples; *
shout to God with a cry of joy.
- 2 For the Lord Most High is to be feared; *
he is the great King over all the earth.
- 3 He subdues the peoples under us, *
and the nations under our feet.

- 4 He chooses our inheritance for us, *
the pride of Jacob whom he loves.
- 5 God has gone up with a shout, *
the Lord with the sound of the ram's-horn.
- 6 Sing praises to God, sing praises; *
sing praises to our King, sing praises.
- 7 For God is King of all the earth; *
sing praises with all your skill.
- 8 God reigns over the nations; *
God sits upon his holy throne.
- 9 The nobles of the peoples have gathered together *
with the people of the God of Abraham.
- 10 The rulers of the earth belong to God, *
and he is highly exalted.

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Ephesians (1:15-23)

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL HYMN The Hymnal 1982—#210 The Day of Resurrection (*1st & 3rd verse*) *Please join us.*

1 The day of re - sur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad;
 3 Now let the heavens be joy - ful, let earth her song be - gin,
 the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.
 the round world keep high tri - umph, and all that is there - in;
 From death to life e - ter - nal, from earth un - to the sky,
 let all things seen and un - seen their notes to - geth - er blend,
 our Christ hath brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.
 for Christ the Lord is ris - en, our joy that hath no end.

Words: John of Damascus (8th cent.); tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt. Music: *Ellacombe*, melody from *Gesangbuch... der Herzogl. Württembergischen katholischen Hofkapelle*, 1784, alt.; adapt. *Katholisches Gesangbuch*, 1863; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889); desc. Cyril Winn (1884-1973)
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PROCLAMATION OF THE GOSPEL Luke (24:44-53)

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said to his disciples, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you-- that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."

Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; and they were continually in the temple blessing God.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON The Rev. Rodney Davis

THE NICENE CREED *Please stand in body or spirit.*

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is
seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the
living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism
for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Deacon Holy Christ, we praise you and give thanks for your presence with the father and your intercessions on our behalf, offering our prayers in humility and hope as we say, saying Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Leader You have built and empowered your church to continue your ministry, commanding us to carry your example into the future, grant us discerning hearts that we might fulfill your commandments in faith and humility. We especially pray for Archbishop of Canterbury Sarah Mullally, Sean, our Presiding Bishop, Megan our Bishop, Megan, Katie, Mike, Rod, and Jesse, our clergy. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Be with the leaders of the nations, bend their hearts that they may work together to pursue peace and human thriving. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Form in us hearts of love that we might serve our neighbors with generosity and without fear. We pray especially for Christine, our head of school, for all the staff, teachers and students at St. Michael's Day School and Starr King TK-8. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We offer thanks for the abundant glory of creation, incline our hearts to respect the natural world and give us wisdom to use its resources sustainably. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Let your healing presence be felt by all who suffer in body, mind or spirit. Bring healing to the sick, courage to the oppressed, and hope to the dispirited. We pray especially for **Tyson, Ramiro, Jeff, George, Jackie, Perry, Jane, Fred, Ellen, Jim, Bill, Carol, Dave, Holly, Sara, Kathy, Dan, Jon, Sarah, Jennifer, Michael, Andrea, Chris, Mike, Hunter, and Billie.** Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

You have invited all to the feast of the new kingdom, grant that we all may thankfully respond with a resounding Yes! That we and all whom we love but see no more may arise in your heavenly kingdom. We especially pray for the repose of the souls of Liz Glad and Lesle Rea, and for peace and comfort to their families and loved ones. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For what else or whom else shall we pray? (*A time of silence is kept.*) Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Celebrant Holy God, you have empowered us to be Christ's body in the world, through us may the world know the loving embrace of Him, who with you and the Holy Spirit live and reigns, now and always. **Amen.**

THE PEACE AND OFFERTORY *Please stand in body or spirit.*

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, BLESSINGS

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Celebrant Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM The Heavens are Telling (from The Creation) by Haydn

PRESENTATION HYMN Gather—#20 Celtic Alleluia *Please join us.*

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! _____



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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *Please stand in body or spirit.*

Eucharistic Prayer Enriching Our Worship 1

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life. Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

THE SANCTUS Wonder Love & Praise—#858 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord (*Please join us. Continued*)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and
might, heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. * Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Music: American folk melody; arr. Marcia Pruner, harm. Annabel Morris Buchanan (1889-1983).

Please stand or kneel in body or spirit.

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with Michael, your archangel, and all your angels and saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come,
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF BREAD and THE INVITATION

FRACTION ANTHEM The Hymnal 1982— S#154 Jesus, Lamb of God (*Please join us.*)

This setting is not used in Lent.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;
there - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Music: From *New Plainsong*; David Hurd (b. 1950). Copyright © 1981 GIA Publications, Inc.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

All are welcome to receive communion. Communion is offered with gluten free bread that is free of the top 8 allergens. The Bread and Wine is offered at the altar rail, and grape juice is offered at the back of the altar. Communion will be taken by eating the bread and sipping from the cup. If you do not feel able to sip from the cup please allow it to pass by. We believe that if you have received communion in one kind (bread only) you have received a full communion. Cross your arms over your chest if you wish to receive a blessing in place of consuming. Baptism from any Christian tradition is anticipated for those regularly receiving. Let an usher know if you need to receive at your pew. Ingredients are listed in the back of the bulletin.

This is the table of the Lord. It is made ready for those who want to know and love Christ, all are invited to come and meet Jesus here. The Gifts of God for the people of God.

COMMUNION ANTHEM Veni Sancte Spiritus by Hendl

POST COMMUNION PRAYER *Please stand or kneel in body or spirit.*

Celebrant Together, let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

The peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be amongst you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN The Hymnal 1982—#460 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus! (*Please join us. Music continued on the following page.*) *Please stand in body or spirit.*

1 Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! his the
*2 Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans are we
3 Al - le - lu - ia! bread of Hea - ven, Thou on
4 Al - le - lu - ia! King e - ter - nal, thee the
*5 Al - le - lu - ia! sing to Je - sus! his the

1 scap - ter, his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia! his the
2 left in sor - row now; Al - le - lu - ia! he is
3 earth our food, our stay! Al - le - lu - ia! here the
4 Lord of lords we own; Al - le - lu - ia! born of
5 scap - ter, his the throne; Al - le - lu - ia! his the

1 tri - umph, his the vic - to - ry a - lone; Hark! the
2 near us, faith be - lieves, nor ques - tions how: though the
3 sin - ful flee to thee from day to day: In - ter -
4 Ma - ry, earth thy foot - stool, heaven thy throne: thou with -
5 tri - umph, his the vic - to - ry a - lone; Hark! the

CLOSING HYMN The Hymnal 1982—#460 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus! (*Continued.*)

1 songs of peace - ful Zi - on thun - der like a
 2 cloud from sight re - ceived him, when the for - ty
 3 ces - sor, friend of sin - ners, earth's Re - deem - er,
 4 in the veil hast en - tered, robed in flesh, our
 5 songs of ho - ly Zi - on thun - der like a

1 might - y flood; Je - sus out of ev - ery
 2 days were o'er, shall our hearts for - get his
 3 plead for me, where the songs of all the
 4 great High Priest: thou on earth both Priest and
 5 might - y flood; Je - sus out of ev - ery

1 na - tion hath re - deemed us by his blood.
 2 prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er - more?"
 3 sin - less sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.
 4 Vic - tim in the eu - cha - ris - tic feast.
 5 na - tion hath re - deemed us by his blood.

Words: William Chatterton Dix (1837-1898). Music: *Hyfrydol*, Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-1887).

Deacon Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Resurrection.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE The Church's One Foundation, arr. Purifoy

Serving Today

The Rev. Mike Ferrito Celebrant
The Rev. Rodney Davis Preaching
The Rev. Katie Holeman Deacon & Children's
 Homilist
Tammy Murray, Dianne Robbins, Eileen Thomas
 Altar Guild
Mary Ellen Ferguson Flowers
The Acolyte Team

**John McEntyre, Jennifer Franz & Catherine
 Curran** Readers
**Sue Davis, Harriet Wharton, Dave Decker & Mary
 Ellen Ferguson** Eucharistic Ministers
Rick Larkey & Lennie Silva Ushers
Sue Corbin Greeter
St. Michael's Chancel Choir
John Cozza Music Director
Coffee Hour Hosts Catherine Curran

Announcements

Worship

10am Sunday Morning Worship Eucharist & Choir
Godly Play & Nursery available

5pm Sunday Contemplative Service on Zoom

9am Morning Prayer – Zoom, Monday—Thursday

8:30am Friday Morning Contemplative Eucharist

May 24 - Pentecost Sunday– Join us!

This year our Pentecost Sunday will be a little more special since it is both the first Sunday back for Rev. Megan after her maternity leave and we will be celebrating the admission of Marilu Fresquez to our Daughters of the King chapter as well as Rev. Megan's installation as the chapter's Chaplain during the 10am service! If you would like to bring a treat for Coffee Hour, please contact Mary Ellen or Sue Davis. P.S. don't forget to wear red!

Celebration of Life Services

We will be having a Celebration of Life Service for **Joan Conklin on Saturday, June 6, 2026** at 11am at the church with a reception immediately following in Parish Hall.

St. Michael's Learn & Connect

St. Michael's Episcopal Church Scholarship Application

St. Michael's has a tradition of offering Scholarships to college and trade school students since 2002. These grants assist the student with tuition, books, and/or supplies. Applications, details & criteria can be found on our website or the weekly messenger. Applications due May 31st.

St. Michael's Cont. Studies—

Healing Circle - 3rd Saturdays 11am in Friendship Center.

Sacred Circle - Last Wed. of the month 6pm on zoom.

Centering Prayer - Mondays in Friendship Center at 9:00am & Thursdays on Zoom at 7pm.

St Michael's Reads Genesis- Tuesdays at 6:30pm on Zoom, Reading Plan, Scripture in Context Handout available in the messenger

Education for Ministry 2026—2027

EfM is a program of theological study provided by the School of Theology of the University of the South in Sewanee, Tennessee only offered by accredited mentors

EfM Classic—The 50-year-old program of four years, one year at a time, is rebranded as “EfM: Classic.”

- Year 1: Hebrew Scriptures (Old Testament)
- Year 2: Christian Scriptures (New Testament)
- Year 3: Church History
- Year 4: Christian Ethics and Spirituality

EfM: Wide Angle—This new class is a 1 year offering for those who wish to have a “taste of all four years in one year.” Wide Angle participants join with the EfM: Classic group.

For more info, please contact Janice Bowdler, janbowdler@comcast.net , or Ellen Cehand, harbawe1961@gmail.com.

Pentecost Activity & Practice—Sunday May 24

During the season of Pentecost, the church not only commemorates the arrival of the promised Holy Spirit, but invites the Holy Spirit's ongoing transformation, healing, and instruction. Join us on 5/24 during coffee hour to create a small craft and pick up a printout with a simple practice you can use to encounter the Holy Spirit during the season.

Opera Aria Recital—Today at 2pm

Our former choir soprano section leader **Kailey Diggs** will be singing in an opera aria recital as part of the Sacramento Community Concert series this coming Sunday 5/17 at 2pm at Northminster Presbyterian Church (3235 Pope Avenue--less than 10 minutes away from St. Michael's!).

St. Michael's Serves in the Community

St. Michael's Annual Diaper Drive- May 10 - June 14

Our 9th annual diaper drive benefitting the clients at River City Food bank runs until Father's Day, June 14. Box(es) of diapers can be dropped in the baskets at the back of the church on Sundays or delivered to the church during office hours. Checks or cash can be mailed or dropped in the collection plate on Sundays (please note Diapers in the memo) or online donations can be made. As always thank you for your care & support for our neighbors in need.

St. Michael's INDOOR YARD SALE is scheduled for: June 13, 2026 at 8 A.M. Donations will be accepted Sunday June 7 through Friday June 12. More info on dates and times to come. For more info or if you would like to volunteer contact Marcie or see her in Coffee Hour.

Regular Outreach opportunities

River City Food Bank Center at St. Matthew's -

Distribution Prep every Tuesday—Friday
& Distribution every Wednesday & Friday

Carmichael HART Carmichael Presbyterian Church -
Lunch program every Thursday & the Shower Ministry every Saturday

God's Helping Hands Laundry at Mega Wash on Fair Oaks Blvd. at El Camino. Volunteers are needed every 3rd Saturday of the month, and donations are appreciated.

***Communion Bread ingredients:** Gluten Free Flour (*Rice Flour, Whole Grain Brown Rice Flour, Sorghum Flour, Tapioca Starch, Potato Starch, Cellulose, Vitamin and Mineral Blend [calcium carbonate, niacinamide (vitamin B3), reduced iron, thiamin hydrochloride (vitamin B1), riboflavin (vitamin B2)], Xanthan Gum, Cellulose Gum.*), Water, Avocado Oil, Honey, Baking Powder, Salt.

Additional details on the announcements can be found in this week's Messenger and on our website.

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Sunday May 17—Feast of Ascension

Holy Eucharist 10am with Livestream
Nursery & Godly Play 10am
Coffee Hour 11:15am Parish Hall
Contemplative Prayer Service 5pm Zoom

Monday May 18

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Centering Prayer 9am Friendship Center
Executive Meeting 4pm Zoom

Tuesday May 19

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Staff Meeting 9:30am Friendship Center
EfM 6:30pm Zoom
St. Michael's Reads Genesis 6:30pm Zoom

Wednesday May 20

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom

Thursday May 21

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Finance Meeting 5:30pm Friendship Center
SMEDS Open House 6pm
Centering Prayer 7pm Zoom

Friday May 22

Contemplative Eucharist Prayer Service 8:30am

Sunday May 24—Feast of Pentecost

Holy Eucharist 10am with Livestream
Nursery & Godly Play 10am
Coffee Hour 11:15am Parish Hall
Contemplative Prayer Service 5pm Zoom

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SAVE THE DATE

Sunday May 31—Baccalaureate Sunday

Saturday June 13—Indoor Yard Sale—Flyers &
Information available at Coffee Hour

Sunday June 14—Acolyte Sweets & Treats

Sunday July 5—Sundae Sunday

Sunday July 19—Vitalant Blood Drive

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The Rt. Rev. Megan Traquair Bishop,
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The Rev. Megan Anderson Gartin Rector
The Rev. Katie Holeman Associate Rector
The Rev. Rodney Davis Associate Priest
The Rev. Jesse Vaughan Associate Priest
The Rev. Mike Ferrito Associate Priest
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