

— 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 St. Francis Sunday October 4, 2026 ~ 10AM

PRELUDE Traumerei (from Kinderszenen, Op. 15) by Schumann
Please stand in body or spirit

OPENING HYMN The Hymnal 1982 - #405 All Things Bright and Beautiful

Refrain

All things bright and beau - ti - ful, all crea-tures great and small,
all things wise and won - der - ful, the Lord God made them all.

1 Each lit - tle flower that o - pens, each lit - tle bird that sings,
2 The pur - ple - head - ed moun-tain, the riv - er run - ning by,
3 The cold wind in the win - ter, the pleas-ant sum - mer sun,
4 He gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell

Repeat Refrain

he made their glow-ing col - ors, he made their ti - ny wings.
the sun - set, and the morn - ing that bright-ens up the sky.
the ripe fruits in the gar - den, he made them ev - ery one.
how great is God Al - might - y, who has made all things well.

Words: Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895)

Music: *Royal Oak*, melody from *The Dancing Master*, 1686;

adapt. Martin Fallas Shaw (1875-1958); desc. Richard Proulx (b. 1937)

76. 76 with Refrain

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant welcomes the congregation.

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 1936—#S236 Canticle 13, Glory to God (*Please join us.*)

1. Glo - ry to you, _____ Lord
 God of our fa - thers; _____ you are wor - thy of praise;
 glo - ry to you. _____ 2. Glo - ry to you _____
 _____ for the ra - di - ance of your ho - ly Name; _____ we will
 praise you and high - ly ex - alt you for ev - er. _____
 3. Glo - ry to you _____ in the splen - dor of your
 tem - ple; _____ on the throne of your ma - jes - ty, glo - ry to
 you. _____ 4. Glo - ry to you, seat - ed be -
 tween the Cher - u - bim; _____ we will praise you and
 high - ly ex - alt you for ev - er. _____
 5. Glo - ry to you, _____ be - hold - ing the
 depths; _____ in the high vault of hea - ven, glo - ry to
 you. _____ 6. Glo - ry to you, _____ Fa - ther,
 Son, and Ho - ly Spi - rit; _____ we will praise you and
 high - ly ex - alt you for ev - er. _____

Setting: John Rutter (b. 1945)

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Most high, omnipotent, good Lord, grant your people grace to renounce gladly the vanities of this world; that, following the way of blessed Francis, we may, for love of you, delight in your whole creation with perfectness of joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

CHILDREN & COMMUNITY HOMILY The Rev. Megan Anderson Gartin

THE LESSONS & PSALM

A reading from the book Job (39:1-18)

"Do you know when the mountain goats give birth?
Do you observe the calving of the deer?
Can you number the months that they fulfil,
and do you know the time when they give birth,
when they crouch to give birth to their offspring,
and are delivered of their young?
Their young ones become strong, they grow up in the open;
they go forth, and do not return to them.

"Who has let the wild ass go free?
Who has loosed the bonds of the swift ass,
to which I have given the steppe for its home,
the salt land for its dwelling-place?
It scorns the tumult of the city; it does not hear the shouts of the driver.
It ranges the mountains as its pasture,
and it searches after every green thing.

"Is the wild ox willing to serve you?
Will it spend the night at your crib?
Can you tie it in the furrow with ropes,
or will it harrow the valleys after you?
Will you depend on it because its strength is great,
and will you hand over your labour to it?
Do you have faith in it that it will return,
and bring your grain to your threshing-floor?

"The ostrich's wings flap wildly,
though its pinions lack plumage.
For it leaves its eggs to the earth,
and lets them be warmed on the ground,
forgetting that a foot may crush them,
and that a wild animal may trample them.
It deals cruelly with its young, as if they were not its own;
though its labour should be in vain, yet it has no fear;
because God has made it forget wisdom,
and given it no share in understanding.
When it spreads its plumes aloft,
it laughs at the horse and its rider."

<i>Reader</i>	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God.

Please pray The Canticle of Brother Sun responsively by half-verse.

Most high, all powerful, all good Lord!*

All praise is Yours, all glory, all honor, and all blessing.

To You, alone, Most High, do they belong.*

No mortal lips are worthy to pronounce Your name.

Be praised, my Lord, through all Your creatures,*

especially through my lord Brother Sun,

who brings the day; and You give light through him.*

And he is beautiful and radiant in all his splendor! Of You, Most High, he bears the likeness.

Be praised, my Lord, through Sister Moon and the stars;*

in the heavens You have made them bright, precious and beautiful.

Be praised, my Lord, through Brothers Wind and Air,*

and clouds and storms, and all the weather, through which You give Your creatures sustenance.

Be praised, my Lord, through Sister Water;*

she is very useful, and humble, and precious, and pure.

Be praised, my Lord, through Brother Fire, through whom You brighten the night.*

He is beautiful and cheerful, and powerful and strong.

Be praised, my Lord, through our sister Mother Earth,*

who feeds us and rules us, and produces various fruits with colored flowers and herbs.

Be praised, my Lord, through those who forgive for love of You;*

through those who endure sickness and trial.

Happy those who endure in peace,*

for by You, Most High, they will be crowned.

Be praised, my Lord, through our sister Bodily Death,*

from whose embrace no living person can escape.

Woe to those who die in mortal sin!*

Happy are those she finds doing Your most holy will. The second death can do no harm to them.

Praise and bless my Lord, and give thanks,*

and serve Him with great humility. Amen.

GRADUAL HYMN The Hymnal 1982—# 536 Open your ears, O faithful people (*Verse 1*) *Please join us.*

The musical score is written for a single voice part on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of five lines of music. The lyrics are written below the staff, aligned with the notes. The first line ends with a comma, and the second line ends with a period. The third line ends with a period and the word 'Fine' above the staff. The fourth line ends with an exclamation point, and the fifth line ends with a dash. The lyrics are: '1 O - pen your ears, O faith - ful peo - ple, o - pen your ears and hear God's word. O - pen your hearts, O roy - al priest - hood, God has come to you. God has spo - ken to his peo - ple, Hal - le - lu - jah! And his words are words of wis - dom, Hal - le - lu -'.

1 O - pen your ears, O faith - ful peo - ple,
o - pen your ears and hear God's word. O - pen your hearts, O
roy - al priest - hood, God has come to you.
God has spo - ken to his peo - ple, Hal - le - lu - jah!
And his words are words of wis - dom, Hal - le - lu -

jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! God has spo - ken to his peo - ple,
 To - rah o - ra, To - rah o - ra,
 Hal - le - lu - jah! And his words are
 To - rah o - ra, *Da Capo*
 words of wis - dom, Hal - le - lu - jah!
 To - rah o - ra, Hal - le - lu - jah!

“Torah ora” is Hebrew for, “The Law is our Light.”

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PROCLAMATION OF THE GOSPEL Luke (12:13-21)

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

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.” But he said to him, “Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?” And he said to them, “Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.” Then he told them a parable: “The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, ‘What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?’ Then he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, ‘Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.’ But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward 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 God, you call us to be your people and to live in ways that honor you and all people. Give us hearts that cleave to your command to love you and to love our neighbor as much or more than we love ourselves. Hear us as we pray, Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for the church, in the world at this time; that we might be Christ's hands and feet in a world that still cries for deliverance. We especially pray for Archbishop of Canterbury, Sarah Mullally, Sean, our Presiding Bishop, Megan, our Bishop, Megan, Mike, Rod, and Jesse, our clergy. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for our nation, for the health, safety, and peace of all people everywhere. We especially pray for Olivia, our interim head of school, for all the staff, teachers and students of St. Michael's Episcopal Day School and Starr King TK-8. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for the needs of the world; for an end to warfare; for the recognition of rights for all people; and for those who are persecuted, that they may be set free from the bonds of oppression and despair. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for all those affected by disaster, both natural and human caused, that we might find ways to make positive changes for the benefit of all. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for those who suffer from illness, anxiety, depression, loneliness, grief, or hopelessness, that their burdens might be lightened by our compassion and your love. Especially we pray for **Clara, Kyle, Denise, Mary, Rick, Larry, Diane, John, America, Ramiro, Fred, Ellen, Bill, Carol, Holly, Sara, Kathy, Dan, Jon, Sarah, Jennifer, Michael, Andrea, Chris, Mike and Hunter.** Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

We remember and offer to you our prayers for the dead, that they might celebrate new life in your kingdom, in your eternal presence. We especially pray for the repose of the soul of Barbara Hulse and for peace and comfort for her family and loved ones. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

On this feast day of St. Francis, we give thanks for all who served Christ in the order of St. Francis. We especially give thanks for the life, love, and witness of Sister Tina Francesca. 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 All this we ask in love, through You, your Son, and the Holy Spirit. **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 Make Me a Channel of Your Peace by Temple arr. Holstein

PRESENTATION HYMN The Hymnal 1982—#400 All Creatures of our God and King (*verse 7*) *Please join us.*

7 Let all things their cre - a - tor bless, and wor - ship him in hum - ble -
7 ness, O — praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Praise God the
7 Fa - ther, praise the Son, and praise the Spi - rit, Three in One:
Refrain
O praise him, O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



The refrain may be sung antiphonally, by phrase; all join in the final Alleluia.
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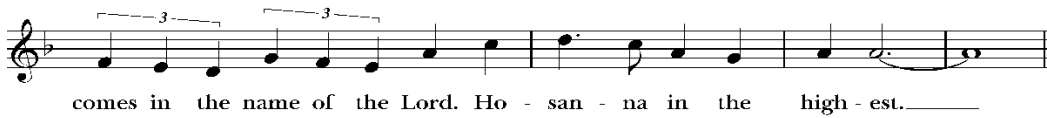
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *Please stand in body or spirit. Eucharistic Prayer Enriching Our Worship 1*

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 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 The Hymnal 1982—S#129 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and
might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who



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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 children, 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

The Hymnal 1982—S#167 Jesus, Lamb of God (*Please join us.*)

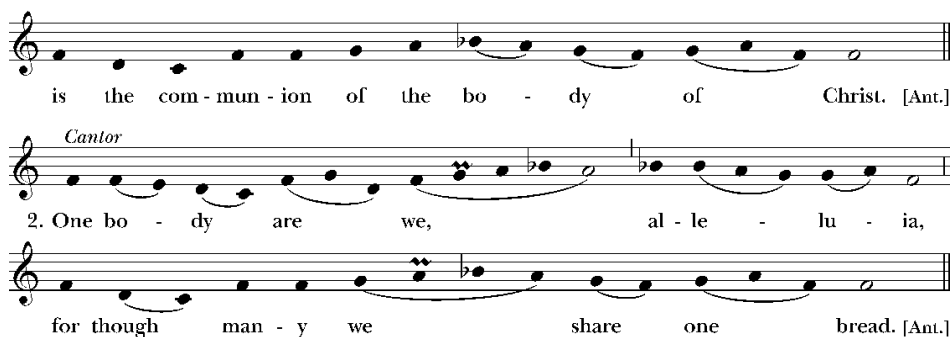
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Antiphon
Cantor; then All



Cantor





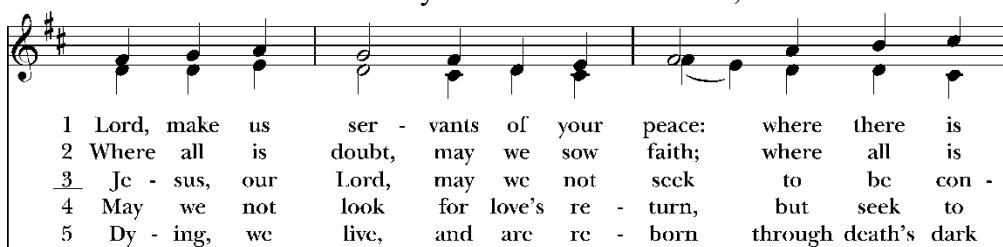
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INVITATION TO COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

All are welcome to receive communion. Communion is offered with gluten free bread, made in a gluten free space, ingredients are listed below. The Bread and Wine is offered around the altar, 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.

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 HYMN The Hymnal 1982 - #593 Lord, Make Us Servants of Your Peace (*Please join us*)



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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.

*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.*), Baking Powder, Salt, brown sugar, honey, olive oil, evaporated milk and water. If you have any allergy concerns, contact Rev. Megan.

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—#400 All Creatures of Our God and King (*Please join us.*)



- 1 All crea - tures of our God and King, lift up your voic - es, let us
 *2 Great rush - ing winds and breez - es soft, you clouds that ride the heavens a -
 *3 Swift flow - ing wa - ter, pure and clear, make mu - sic for your Lord to
 4 Dear mo - ther earth, you day by day un - fold your bless - ings on our
 5 All you with mer - cy in your heart, for - giv - ing o - thers, take your
 *6 And ev - en you, most gen - tle death, wait - ing to hush our fi - nal
 7 Let all things their cre - a - tor bless, and wor - ship him in hum - ble -



- 1 sing: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Bright burn - ing
 2 loft, O — praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Fair ris - ing
 3 hear, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Fire, so in -
 4 way, O — praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! All flowers and
 5 part, O — sing now: Al - le - lu - ia! All you that
 6 breath, O — praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! You lead back
 7 ness, O — praise him, Al - le - lu - ia! Praise God the



- 1 sun with gold - en beams, pale sil - ver moon that gen - tly gleams,
 2 morn, with praise re - joice, stars night - ly shin - ing, find a voice,
 3 tense and fierce - ly bright, you give to us both warmth and light,
 4 fruits that in you grow, let them his glo - ry al - so show:
 5 pain and sor - row bear, praise God, and cast on him your care:
 6 home the child of God, for Christ our Lord that way has trod:
 7 Fa - ther, praise the Son, and praise the Spi - rit, Three in One:

Refrain



O praise him, O praise him, Al - le - lu - ia,



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

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Please stand in body or spirit.

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE Make Me a Channel of Your Peace by Temple

Serving Today

The Rev. Megan Anderson Gartin Celebrant & Children's Homily
The Rev. Rodney Davis Preaching & Deacon
Laura Quené, Jackie Linn & Patty Green Altar
Guild The Acolyte Team
Laura Quené, Renée Pierce & Sue Corbin Readers
Kate Muris, Kathy Hopner, Renée Pierce & Mary Ellen Ferguson Eucharistic Ministers

Dawn & Tyson Wright, Terry Bridges & Molly Hoever Ushers
Angela James Greeter
The Chancel Choir
Dr. John Cozza Music Director
Gail McMichael (Clean out Sunday) Coffee Hour Hosts

Please note the bulletin formatting has changed slightly due to our previous formatting program being discontinued. We will be working to keep this as consistent as possible in the coming weeks but may need to look at alternative options for printing music etc. We appreciate your patience and understanding during this process.

Celebration of Life Service for Jim Dodds on Saturday, October 17, 2026 at 11am

*St. Michael's Stewardship—Faith & Giving—*Welcome to stewardship season! Over the next month you will be hearing from fellow parishioners about the wonderful ministries at St. Michael's and how you can support this community with your treasure and time. Your financial pledge helps us forecast our 2027 ministry year together.

St. Michael's Ingathering Sunday - October 25 at 10am wrapping up this year's Stewardship. We will gather in Johnstone and Parish Hall immediately following the service for a luncheon. All are welcome.

St. Michael's Learn & Connect

St. Michael's Cont. Studies—

Healing Circle – will be held Saturday, October 10 at 11am in Friendship Center so members can attend Jim Dodds Celebration of Life without conflict. Will return to 3rd Saturdays in November.

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

Centering Prayer - Mondays in Friendship Center (or the Sanctuary) at 9:00am & Thursdays on Zoom at 7pm.

Thursday Bible Study—Thursdays at 9:45am in Friendship Center & on Zoom led by John McEntyre.

Welcome Table & Realm Directory Sign-up— Begins today during coffee hour. This will be your point of contact for visitors, new and existing members to find connection with our various ministries, learn about upcoming events and programs, or connect you to the office or clergy. We will also be helping our members build a Log-in/profile in Realm for our online Directory. Please stop by the Welcome Table at coffee hour or contact the office for more info.

Trunk or Treat—Join us for a night of Fun, Friendship & Food for our annual Trunk or Treat **Thursday, October 29 - 6 to 8pm**. See messenger for more info.

St. Michael's Serves in the Community

Parishioner Guided Grants 2026—Applications due October 16, 2026. Available online and on Sundays. For more information contact Terry Bridges.

Socktober Sock Drive

We are partnering with the sixth grade class at St. Michael's Day School for a sock drive for Loaves and Fishes. We invite you to bring in new socks for women, men, and children for the next three Sundays. On **Sunday October 18**, we will bless the socks before they are sent to Loaves and Fishes.

Plastic Film Collection Have you noticed the new addition in Parish Hall by our garbage and recycling bins? St. Michael's is now a collection point for all of your clean plastic film and bags. Check out the messenger for more info. Contact Laura Quené with questions.

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

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



ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday October 4—The Feast of St. Francis

Holy Eucharist 10am with Livestream
Coffee Hour 11:15am Parish Halls
Contemplative Prayer Service 5pm Zoom

Monday October 5

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Centering Prayer 9am Friendship Center

Tuesday October 6

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Staff Meeting 9:30am Zoom
EfM 6:30pm Zoom

Wednesday October 7

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Daughters of the King 1:30pm Zoom

Thursday October 8

Morning Prayer 9am Zoom
Bible Study 9:45am Friendship Center & Zoom
Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm
Centering Prayer 7pm Zoom

Friday October 9

Rock the Block 8am off-site
Contemplative Eucharist Prayer Service 8:30am

Saturday October 10

Rock the Block 8am off-site
Healing Circle 11am Friendship Center

Sunday October 11—The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist 10am with Livestream
Coffee Hour 11:15am Parish Halls
Contemplative Prayer Service 5pm Zoom

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SAVE THE DATE

Sunday October 25—Ingathering Sunday

Thursday October 19—Trunk or Treat

Sunday November 1—All Saints Day

Clergy, Staff & Volunteers

The Rt. Rev. Megan Traquair Bishop,
Episcopal Diocese of Northern California
The Rev. Megan Anderson Gartin Rector
The Rev. Rodney Davis Associate Priest
The Rev. Jesse Vaughan Associate Priest
The Rev. Mike Ferrito Associate Priest
Andy Chamness Sexton
John Cozza Music Director
Michelle Falcu Parish Administrator
Jack Cozza Videographer
John Quené Treasurer
Kate Muris Bookkeeper
**Diane Rehner-Salisbury, Eileen Thomas,
Sue Corbin, Renée Pierce, Mary Ellen
Ferguson** Office Volunteers

Vestry

Greg Dewey Senior Warden
Sue Davis Junior Warden
Elizabeth Dolezal Clerk
Harriette Carr Member
Mary Ellen Ferguson Member
Mary Kessler Member
Rick Larkey Member
Christina Manning Member
Suzanne Phinney Member
John Rojek Member
Todd Stone Member
Holly Yue Member

John Quené Treasurer
Constance Weichert Music Director
Emeritus