

All Saints Anglican Church

BIBLICAL FAITH + APOSTOLIC ROOTS

March 31, 2024

Easter Sunday, 8:15 am

HOLY COMMUNION

If you are visiting with us today, please take time to let us get acquainted. Pick up a "Welcome bag" from one of our greeters, complete the visitor's card attached, and drop it in our offering plate.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

The congregation stands for the singing of the processional hymn

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Jesus Christ is risen today, Alleluia! Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia! Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia! Suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia! Unto Christ, our heavenly King, Alleluia! Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia! Sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pains which he endured, Alleluia! Our salvation have procured, Alleluia! Now above the sky he's King, Alleluia! Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia! Sing we to our God above, Alleluia! Praise eternal as his love; Alleluia! Praise him, all ye heavenly host, Alleluia! Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Prayer Book, p. 146

- V. Alleluia! Christ is risen!
- R. The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

The congregation kneels

COLLECT FOR PURITY

p. 124

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.

SUMMARY OF THE LAW

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Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Please stand for the Gloria in Excelsis and remain standing for the Collect of the Day

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take away the sin of the world:
 have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
 receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
 Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
 in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

- *V.* The Lord be with you.
- R. And with your spirit.
- V. Let us pray.

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may, by your life-giving Spirit, be delivered from sin and raised from death; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The congregation may be seated for the first lesson

FIRST LESSON: Acts 10.34-43 Pew Bible, p. 919

Please stand for the reading of the Pascha Nostrum which will be said responsively by whole verse.

PASCHA NOSTRUM

Prayer Book, p. 26

1 Cor. 5.7b-8; Rom. 6.9-11; 1 Cor. 15.20-22

Alleluia. Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; therefore let us keep the feast,

Not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia.

Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him.

The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God.

So also consider yourselves dead to sin, and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.

Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

For since by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.

For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The congregation may be seated for the second lesson

EPISTLE: Colossians 3.1-4

Pew Bible, p. 984

Please stand for the singing of the gradual hymn and remain standing until invited to sit by the preacher.

Because He Lives

God sent his son, they called him Jesus; He came to love, heal, and forgive; He lived and died to buy my pardon, An empty grave is there to prove My Savior lives.

Chorus: Because he lives, I can face tomorrow;
Because he lives, all fear is gone;
Because I know he holds the future,
And life is worth the living Just because he lives.

How sweet to hold a newborn baby, And feel the pride and joy he gives; But greater still the calm assurance, This child can face uncertain days because he lives. *Chorus*

789 Gloria tibi

- V. The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint...
- R. Glory to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL: Mark 16.1-8

Pew Bible, p. 853

- V. The Gospel of the Lord
- R. Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Because He Lives

And then one day I'll cross the river; I'll fight life's final war with pain; And then as death gives way to victory, I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know he reigns. *Chorus*

SERMON: Resurrection Power

Fr Michael

The congregation stands for the Nicene Creed

NICENE CREED

Prayer Book, p. 127

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten 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, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit

and 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,
who with the Father and the Son
is worshiped and glorified,
who 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.

All kneel for the prayers and confession

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer Book p. 128

At the conclusion of each petition is said:

Reader Lord, in your mercy: People Hear our prayer.

CONFESSION OF SIN

p. 129

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Silence. The Deacon and People kneel as able and pray

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

ABSOLUTION & COMFORTABLE WORDS

p. 130

The congregation stands for the exchange of peace

PEACE

- V. The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
- R. And with your spirit.

Please be seated for the announcements

OFFERTORY

The congregation stands for the Doxology

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRESENTATION

- V. ... All things come from you, O LORD,
- R. And of your own have we given you.

SURSUM CORDA

Prayer Book, p. 132

- *V.* The Lord be with you.
- R. And with your spirit.

- V. Lift up your hearts.
- R. We lift them up to the Lord.
- V. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- R. It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was offered for us, and has taken away the sin of the world; who by his death has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again has won for us everlasting life. Therefore...

SANCTUS Schubert

Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, (2x) heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

All kneel during the Eucharistic Prayer

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Prayer Book, p. 132

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

p. 133

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The congregation is invited to join in the conclusion of the Eucharistic prayer:

...By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen. 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.

PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

p. 135

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies.

We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy.

Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

AGNUS DEI Janko

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; **Grant us your peace.**

All visitors are welcome to receive Holy Communion who have been baptized with water in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and who receive Communion in their own church.

Children are encouraged to come to the altar rail with their parents and participate in the Lord's Supper if they have been baptized and taught the meaning of Communion; if they are not yet ready to receive, they may cross their arms and receive a blessing.

Those who may have difficulty coming to the communion rail, may speak to one of the ushers and a member of the clergy will bring communion to you in your seat.

Please stand for the singing of the post-communion hymn

Up from the grave He arose

Low in the grave He lay—Jesus, my Savior! Waiting the coming day—Jesus, my Lord!

Chorus: Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes;
He arose a Victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His saints to reign:
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Vainly they watch His bed—Jesus, my Savior! Vainly they seal the dead—Jesus, my Lord! *Chorus*

Death cannot keep his prey—Jesus, my Savior! He tore the bars away—Jesus, my Lord! *Chorus*

Please kneel for the post-communion prayer.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Prayer Book, p. 137

Heavenly Father,

We thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal Kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

EASTER BLESSING

Prayer Book p. 263

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

144 He is risen, he is risen!

He is risen, he is risen!
Tell it out with joyful voice:
He has burst his three days' prison;
Let the whole wide earth rejoice;
Death is conquered, man is free;
Christ has won the victory.

Come, ye sad and fearful-hearted, With glad smile and radiant brow: Lent's long shadows have departed; All his woes are over now, And the passion that he bore; Sin and pain can vex no more.

Come, with high and holy hymning, Chant our Lord's triumphant lay; Not one darksome cloud is dimming Yonder glorious morning ray, Breaking o'er the purple east, Symbol of our Easter feast.

He is risen, he is risen!
He hath opened heaven's gate;
We are free from sin's dark prison,
Risen to a holier state; and a brighter Easter beam
On our longing eyes shall stream.

DISMISSAL

- V. Let us go forth in the name of the Risen Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.
- R. Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

No Morning Prayer This Week

Monday, April 1

Church Office Closed in observance of Easter

Tuesday, April 2

8:30 a.m. SonSetters Callaway Garden Outing

Wednesday, April 3

No Evening Programs

Thursday, April 4

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study Youth Room

Saturday, April 6

8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast TBD

Sunday, April 7

8:15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Chapel
8:30 a.m.	Sunday Morning Intercessory Prayer	Sanctuary
9:15 a.m.	Youth and Adult Sunday School	Sanctuary

9:15 a.m. Adult Confirmation Class10:30 a.m. Holy Communion

** Nursery available in the Church Office

Chapel Sanctuary

ANNOUNCEMENTS



SonSetters Callaway Gardens. The Son Setters will travel to Callaway Gardens Tuesday, April 2nd, departing ASAC promptly at 9 am. First stop will be the Overlook to

stretch out from the drive and then on to Casons Gardens to view the kaleidoscope of colors of the tulips. We will have lunch at Country Kitchen at 11:30 (included in the trip price). Following lunch, we will return to the Gardens to visit the Butterfly followed by the Discovery Center and culminate our time there to Memorial Chapel to view the azalea bowl. We plan to be back at ASAD by 4pm. PLEASE assemble at the church between 8 and 8:45 am as the bus lights departing at 9 am. Please call Fr. Don if you have questions.

Brunch Bunch. Ladies Brunch Bunch will meet on Tuesday, April 9th at Bistro Hilary (21 Barnes Street, Senoia) at 11:30. RSVP to Cathy Therrell at **cat.therrell@yahoo.com** Confirmation only, no regrets necessary.

<u>Unsung Hero Movie Matinee.</u> Join us for another All Saints Anglican Movie Outing with a private showing of "Unsung Hero" at NCG Theater in Sharpsburg, on Sunday, April 28th at 1:45 pm arrival for 2:00 pm movie start. The cost is \$20 per ticket which includes popcorn and drink. Make check payable to All Saints Anglican Church with "movie" in the memo line, or envelope with case. Make sure to include a name and how many tickets you would like. Place the envelope in the basket at church or give it to Missy in the office.



2024 Easter Lílies The lílies decorating the church are presented by the following families:

<u>Presented by:</u> <u>In Memory of:</u>

Fran Plunkett Older brothers Bill Bost 2-5-24,

David Bost 1-6-24

David, Kim & Alex Hickmott Our parents: Nancy & Jim Hickmott

and Stephen Tatkovsky,

Tim & Cathy Therrell Our parents: Donna, Jack, Bradford,

Winkie

Mike, Bess & Loren Davis George & Nelly Bonville

Greg & Sarah Moon Our parents: Ben & Hilda Simmons,

Clarence & Rita Moon

RC & Ellie Rover Rob & Kay Graver; Craig & Bea Rover

Vince & Pauline Bonura Vince & Leona Bonura; Herman, Hannah Zimmerman; Vicky Wall,

Rosemarie Paeth, Charlene Lepianka

Randy Cardoza

Suzi & Mike Albritton

Kappy Cardoza

Ken Albritton

Mike & Suzi Albritton Mrs. Opal Albritton

David Barrett, Gene Barrett,

Marvin & Carol Thrasher, Tina Thrasher, Mike & Margaret Jellison

Ofili Family Mr. Christian Ebom Ofili (Patriarch)

Alma Thompson Clifford & Estelle Thompson

Karen Harris My parents: William & Lillian Adams

Ugbajah Family Mr. & Mrs. Alexander Ugbajah

Connie Berger Quinn and Connie

Sandi Miles Robert Miles

Charles & Diane Gardner Jean Thompson Richard & Jennifer Jones

John & Brenda Ekdahl

Presented by:

Pam & George Danz RC & Ellie Rover

Vince & Pauline Bonura

Dozier & MaryWall Hood Ray & Robin Spratlin Obiageli Ofili Ofili Family

Ugbajah Family

Connie Berger Sandi Miles Charles & Diane Gardner Jean Thompson Richard & Jennifer Jones

French & Ginger Bell Caren & Steve Moran Joe & Jan Lindsay Ed & Louanna Haworth John & Brenda Ekdahl Shirley Valentine Our dearly departed family members Ray Thompson Our grandparents& Richard's stepfather – James Davenport Katie Ruth Lightsey & Eva Pearl Burton

In Thanksgiving for:

Our loving daughters, Amy & Sue Rick, Angie, Jackson, Morgan, Andrew, Rob, Shannon, AJ Our children & grandchildren and church family Our boys, Russell, Charles & Wainwright Our recent anniversary Kelechi Egwuogu's 24th birthday Our Matriarch Phlorence Grace Ofili's 80th birthday, 3-21-24 Our children: Chisom, Oluchi, Arinze, Chiuma Many Blessed Easters ASAC Family Our family & our church family My children and grandchildren Our children, Hannah, Luke & Matthew and our grandson, Asher All Saints Clergy and Staff Our All Saints Family Our grandchildren **Brooks Conrad Haworth** Sonia Taylor Bill Valentine





HAPPY BIRTHDAY

to those Parishioners born in the month of April If we missed your birthday, please call the Church Office.

April 1-Mimi Gentilini April 2-Julia Kate Langley; Amy Zaring; April 5 - Sharon Waldrop April 7 - Ethan Harris April 8 -Booker Farmer April 9-Allene Jones; Steve Shackelford April 11 - Charis Williams, Angela Ugbajah; **Christy Mahoney**; Katie Mahoney April 12 – Alma Thompson; Prince Thomas; **Kylee Greiner** April 13 - Richard Carbuccia April 14 – Mary Ellen Adair; Tony Filippelli **April 15–Betty Johnson** April 16 –Bella Macaluso April 20 – Lori Small April 21 – Bill Baker April 23 – Lana Whitaker April 26-Mike Meyers; Fred Smith;

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Arinze Ugbajah April 29–Nick Whitaker April 30 – Brenda Ekdahl

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