SAINT MICHAEL'S CHURCH

ANGLICAN

Charleston, South Carolina



THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST October 27, 2024

9:00 am Contemporary Service

THE ORDER FOR DAILY MORNING PRAYER & THE SERMON

Access our service online! www.stmichaelschurch.net/members



8:00 am Reflective Service (Church)

8:45 am - 12:15 pm 6 weeks - 23 months *Noah's Nursery* 2 - 4 years

Gospel Corner

9:00 am Contemporary Service (Church)

10:00 am SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL Children

K-2nd grade Room 204 3rd-5th grade Room 203

Youth

6th-12th grade Room 202

Adult Sunday School The Book of Daniel

with Bill Hyer Kinloch Room
Parents Discipleship Belser Chapel
Bible 101 with

Charlie Baldwin Choir Room (3rd flr)

11:00 am Traditional Service with Organ and Choir (Church)

Tonight, October 27th

Confirmation 5-6 pm Belser Chapel

Youth Group 6-7:30 pm Youth Room

Monday October 28th

Alpha

6:30-8 pm Kinloch Room

Bible Study Fellowship

6:45-8:15 pm Belser Chapel

Wednesday, October 30th Super Wednesday 4-8 pm Compline/Evening Prayer Service 5:30-5:45 pm Sanctuary

Friday, November 1st

All Saints Festival Eucharist 5 pm Jazz in the Churchyard, 6:30-8 pm

Sunday, November 3rd

Meet Billy Hyer & Family 5:00 pm Belser Chapel

Welcome to St. Michael's

Welcome home! We're glad you're here!

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- Have Needs?
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Today's Sermon

Title: Church Defeating Evil

Preacher: The Rev. Alfred T.K. Zadig, Jr.

As we turn the page to Daniel Chapter 8, we come to another vision experienced by Daniel. It's so powerful that Angel Gabriel (yes the same angel who announced the birth of John the Baptist and Jesus) has to explain it. The vision paints a picture of a very, very violent and dark future that makes current events look tame. By the end of the sermon today, I will take you into that very terrifying abyss, and simultaneously look at the only solution to fear and terror.



Service adapted from the Anglican Church of North America Prayer Book beginning on page 11.

No cry or laugh is too loud!

Pre-SongJesus is the Answer

Chorus:

Jesus is the answer, for the world today Above Him there's no other Jesus is the way Jesus is the answer, for the world today Above Him there's no other Jesus is the way

If you have some questions in the corners of your mind And traces of discouragement and peace you cannot find Reflections of the old past they seem to face you every day There's one thing I know for sure that Jesus is the way

Chorus

I know you got mountains that you think you cannot climb
I know that your skies have been dark you think the sun won't shine
In case you don't know I'm here to tell you that the word of God is true
And everything that he's promised I tell you He would do it for you Chorus

Welcome, (Standing)

Officiant I was glad when they said unto me, **People** "We will go into the house of the Lord."

Psalm 122:1

The Collect for Purity

All

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..

Prayer for our Children

A11

Almighty God, heavenly Father, you have blessed our congregation with the joy and care of children. Give us courage, patience, and wisdom as we bring them up in the faith that they might never know a day apart from you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

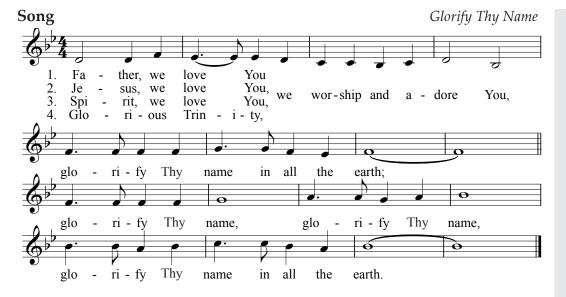
The liturgy begins with the **Acclamation**, which is an "eager expression" of praise.

In this Prayer for Purity, we ask God to cleanse our hearts and minds of anything that comes between Him and us, anything that would impede our worship of Him. We offer to Him our whole selves that we might decrease and that He might increase, to the glory of Jesus Christ.



Children's Message and Worship

Children in K-5th grades process out behind the cross to the Kinloch Room for teaching, and return at the Peace.



Officiant: The Lord be with you. All: And with your spirit.

Officiant: Let us pray.

Collect of the Day, standing

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lesson: Daniel 8:15-27, seated After the Reading, the Reader says

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Bible p. 746

The Scriptures teach that much of our spiritual renewal comes from hearing the Word of God, which cleanses our minds and purifies our hearts.

Sermon

Church Defeating Evil The Rev. Alfred T.K. Zadig, Jr

Reflective Music

The Confession, kneeling

Officiant Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

(Reflect silently on those you have hurt and on those who have hurt you)

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.

We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and apart from your grace, there is no health in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare all those who confess their faults. Restore all those who are penitent, according to your

O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare all those who confess their faults. Restore all those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to all people in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of your holy Name. Amen.

In the Confession of Sin and Absolution, our sins, both individual and corporate are confessed, and we are reassured of God's complete forgiveness through Jesus Christ. We begin with a cleansing admission and confession of sin followed by an authoritative pronouncement of God's forgiveness in Christ Jesus, which allow us to move forward int he power of forgiveness.

The Absolution

Officiant The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and remission

of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and

consolation of his Holy Spirit. Amen.

Officiant O Lord, show your mercy upon us;

People And grant us your salvation.

Officiant The Lord be with you. **People** And with your spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

Reflective Music

About *The Prayers*: If God nows everything what's the point of prayer? Clearly prayer is not about "informing God" of anything. In short, prayer is a way of saying "yes, Lord, I want to develop a relationship with

you, receive your life, share my

life."

About the "posture" of prayer: It has been commonly said that Anglicans kneel for prayer, but that is not the rule for posture in any edition of the Prayer Book. Various editions have assumed that standing is the normal posture for public prayer and have directed the people to kneel only for confessions, for reciting the Commandments, etc. However, in this parish it is the traditional discipline to kneel for the prayers. It is a posture of humility, which is something always worth cultivating in us.

The Lord's Prayer: like the Creed this prayer given to us by our Lord is designed to "cover all the bases". It is the basic and essential structure of a complete prayer life.

The Prayers of the People, kneeling

Leader Heavenly Father, thank you for your bride the church. Thank you that

your church, through the Holy Spirit, is the backstop against evil.

Therefore Lord, give us as your church a supernatural boldness to stand

against evil, and stand for the truth of Jesus Christ. Out of that boldness, give us a hunger to tithe so we as a church would make the

highest Gospel impact on our world, defeating evil as we go.

Lord, in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

Leader For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service,

especially Joe, our President, Henry, our Governor, and William, our Mayor, and for all who serve in law enforcement, as well as all first responders, firefighters, and our armed forces, that we would be one nation under God. We, also, pray healing, protection and restoration for all impacted in any way from Hurricanes Helene and Milton.

Lord, in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

Leader For all the blessings of this life, especially for Matthew and Melanie

Wilkinson and their new baby girl. Lord in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

Leader For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other

adversity, especially for Jo Cox. We, also, pray for all those who have

departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection.

Lord, in your mercy:

People Hear our prayer.

Leader Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ,

our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the

unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

Officiant: As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

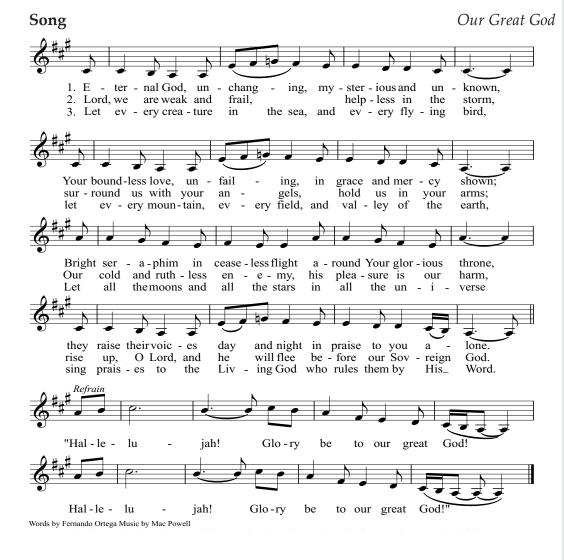
The Lord's Prayer, pray together, kneeling

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 General Thanksgiving, standing

All:

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.



The Peace

Officiant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Then the Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Welcome & Announcements, seated

Visiting? Giving? Questions or prayer requests?

The **Peace** is a particularly good time to welcome visitors and newcomers. Please take a moment to extend God's peace to those around you. That peace, which the world cannot give, comes only through the forgiving of Jesus Christ. This peace is not rooted in our circumstances but in the presence, promise, and power of God and Christ's redeeming work.

- Go to our website at stmichaelschurch.net/signup
- Or text Greg Smith at 843-608-8833
- Connect? Please go to stmichaelschurch.net/signup to sign up for all events
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Officiant:

Walk in Love as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice for the world.

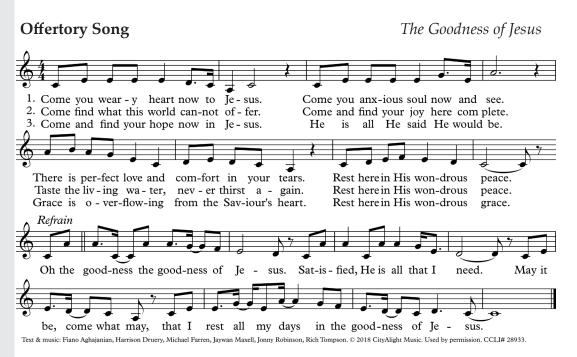
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Stories from the Hurricane Relief Mission Trip, October 18th-20th.

Birthdays & Anniversaries



Doxology Old 100th

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

We have been blessed by being here. Now, at the end of the service, we are reminded that God takes loving delight in blessing us abundantly. We leave in peace, forgiven, fed, and sent out with a purpose to make Christ known in the world.

The Blessing

Officiant

The peace of God, which passes 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 among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*



The Dismissal

Officiant **People**

Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth into the world to transform hearts through Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude

Personal prayer with St. Michael's prayer ministers is available after the service in the Prayer Pews located near the altar area.

Wednesday, October 30th ~ 6:30 pm
The Investiture of the Most Rev. Stephen D. Wood as the new Anglican Archbishop of the Anglican Church of North America Seacoast Church, Mount Pleasant

(due to larger seating capacity)

As the service ends, we are charged to "go forth," a challenge to reach out beyond our own church to the world around us.

Please come to Sunday School!

Check the sidebar on page 2 for a listing of our classes for all ages.

UPCOMING EVENTS / SAVE THE DATES

C.A.R.E.

Can I Get A Witness - Testimony

David Richardson shares his testimony this month (scan the QR code below), and if you have not heard the other six testimonies (Jane Howerth, Audrey Buck, Will Kendrick, Caitlin Watts, Christen Reese and Johnnie Corbett), their audio link is published in the E-Messenger under C.A.R.E.

We believe you will be blessed by their stories about how and when they came to Faith. We believe others in our church family will be blessed by hearing your story too, if you feel called to share. If you would like to share your personal story or know someone that would, contact David at (843) 860-5124.







All Saints' Weekend

Friday, November 1st

5:00 pm Festival Eucharist Service, Sanctuary 6:30 pm Jazz in the Churchyard with Ann Caldwell and the Garden of Memories Band

Come enjoy a little jazz outside in the Churchyard! Feel free to bring along chairs or a blanket, and perhaps a picnic supper or some beverages. Sit back, unwind, and enjoy the music!

Sunday, November 3rd

5:00 - 6:00 pm Come meet the Billy Hyer & Family (son of Bill & Michelle Hyer)

Belser Chapel, Hors d'oevres provided

Come hear their stories about responding to God's calling to be missionaries to the Philippines. All families are welcome! Hosted by the Mission Task Force.







FALL 2024 LINEUP

4:00-4:40 pm

- Children's Choir (3rd-5th grade)
- Super Wednesday Kids (4K-2nd grade)

4:00-5:30 pm

• Ladies Bible Study with Kim Incampo

4:40-4:50 pm

• Snack Break/Class Change

4:50-5:20 pm

- Children's Choir (4K-2nd grade)
- Super Wednesday Kids (3rd-5th grade)
- Super Wednesday Youth (6th-12 grade)

5:15-7:45 pm

Nursery, ages 6 weeks-3 years

5:30-5:45 pm

• Compline/Evening Prayer, Sanctuary

5:30-6:25 pm

Dinner, Kinloch Room

6:30-7:30 pm

- Super Wednesday Kids (4K–5th grade)
- Super Wednesday Youth (6th-12th grade)
- Daniel Study
- Healing Prayer/Family Discipleship
- Adult Choir

DIOCESAN

The Rt. Rev. Charles F. "Chip" Edgar III, Bishop www.adosc.org

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The Rev. Gregory M. Smith, Associate for Evangelism & Connections
The Rev. Dr. Martha Toney, Deacon for Pastoral Care & Healing Aaron Schnupp, Priest - Elect, arriving December 2024
The Rev. Bill Hyer, Associate for Mission & Discipleship and Scholar in Residence
The Rev. Edward T. McNabb, Jr., Michaelmas Institute

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The Rev. Canon Douglas Peterson, Volunteer Clergy
The Rev. Dr. Tabitha Wang, Volunteer Clergy

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*part time

New to St. Michael's? Want to get connected? Let us Know!

Email Greg Smith at greg@stmichaelschurch.net or use the QR code:



Serving Today

9 am

ALTAR & FLOWER GUILDS: GROUP III

Greeters: Tim Driver, Laura Gruber Ushers: Dan Williams, Jason Lott Acolytes: Lucy & Benjamin Williams Readers: Lucy & Benjamin Williams

Prayer Ministers: Mary Lois & Truman Kemp

Verger: Greg Smith

Looking Ahead

Sunday, October 27th

Confirmation Class and Youth Group 5:00-7:30

Monday, October 28th

Alpha, 6:30-8:00 Kinloch Room

Bible Study Fellowship, 6:45-8:15, Belser Chapel

Friday, November 1st

All Saints Day Festival Eucharist Service, 5 pm, Sanctuary

Jazz in the Churchyard, 6:30 pm, Churchyard

C.A.R.E.

PLEASE call the church office at 843-723-0603 if you know of anyone in your immediate family or hear of anyone in your Church Family who may need personal attention from our C.A.R.E. Team.

Or just jot us a note here and drop it in the offering plate or by the church office.

Your Name:			

Phone or Email:

Who needs C.A.R.E.?

We have Assisted Listening Capability!

We recently installed Listen Everywhere Cloud Service. It is easy. Just borrow one of our listening devices with earphones or download the app on your own cellphone to use your personal earphones/earbuds (Bluetooth and Telecoil Compatible with Hearing Aids and Cochlear Implants). To get started, just tell any usher that you would like to use our Listening Capability and they will begin getting you connected. - We want you to hear The Word!

Sunday Parking Options

- 1. **Street parking** is free on Sunday.
- 2. Park at **85 Queen Street Garage** (the one by the County Courthouse). Show your bulletin to an employee in the first floor office by 1 pm to get free parking.
- 3. Park at **91 Queen Street Garage**. Use this barcode for 3 hours free parking on Sundays.

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