



ST. ANDREW'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

**Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost**  
**August 21, 2022**

*Masks are optional at St. Andrew's. We are livestreaming the 10am service.*

Prelude

Processional Hymn 624 "Jerusalem the golden"

*Ewing*

**The Word of God**

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Collect for Purity

BCP p. 355

S 278 Gloria in excelsis (front section of hymnal)

*William Mathias*

*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

*Celebrant* Together we pray.

*People* Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## First Lesson: Jeremiah 1:4-10

The word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you, Do not be

afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord."

Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

## Psalm 71:1-6

BCP p. 683

*The psalm is said responsively by verse.*

- 1 In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; \*  
let me never be ashamed.
- 2 In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; \*  
incline your ear to me and save me.
- 3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; \*  
you are my crag and my stronghold.
- 4 Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, \*  
from the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor.
- 5 For you are my hope, O Lord God, \*  
my confidence since I was young.
- 6 I have been sustained by you ever since I was born;  
from my mother's womb you have been my strength; \*  
my praise shall be always of you.

Second Lesson: Hebrews 12:18-29

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death." Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear.") But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that

speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven." This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of what is shaken-- that is, created things-- so that what cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

*Reader*        The Word of the Lord.

*People*        Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 685 "Rock of Ages, cleft for me"

*Toplady*

Gospel: Luke 13:10-17

*Clergy* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work

ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

*Clergy* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon Rt. Rev. Dr. Keith Riglin, the Bishop of Argyll & The Isles

Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

Prayers of the People

*After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy.*

*The People reply, Hear our prayer.*

Confession of Sin BCP p. 360

Peace

Announcements

# The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Hymn 699 "Jesus, Lover of my soul"

*Aberystwyth*

Doxology Hymn 380 v 3 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

*Old 100th*

*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.*

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP p. 361

S125 Sanctus (front section of hymnal)

Richard Proulx

Breaking of the Bread

*Celebrant* Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

*All are welcome to receive communion. Ushers will direct the congregation.*

Thanksgiving after Communion

BCP p. 365

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 493 "O for a thousand tongues to sing"

*Azmon*

Dismissal

*Clergy* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!

*People* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

Postlude

**We welcome and thank guest organist Ross Wood.  
Please join us for coffee hour.**





**Serving St. Andrew's this week**

*Altar Guild* the Altar Guild

*Flowers* the Flower Guild

**Serving at 8am**

*Lay Eucharistic Minister* Cam McCormick

**Serving at 10am**

*Broadcast Tech Volunteer* Rob Brandt

*Lay Eucharistic Minister* Joanna Horobin

*Lay Reader* Lisa Howe

**Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

*Parishes of the Neponset River Deanery*

Christ Church, Medway

St. Michael's Church, Milton

Grace Church, Norwood

St. John's Church, Sharon

Jubilee Ministries



# Notices & Announcements

*Note: all staff email addresses are on the second to last page.*

*Deadline for written materials is noon on Tuesdays.*

## New Transept Icon Prayer Station

Many of you are familiar with the spiritual practice of lighting candles in personal prayer before icons. There is a long tradition of this practice in the Episcopal, Roman Catholic, and Orthodox tradition and we are introducing this practice to St. Andrew's.

The icon prayer station is at the transept altar where, before or after services, parishioners can light a candle and say a prayer.

There are two icons at our station. One is a permanent icon of Christ. The other represents the diversity of the Christian faith down the ages and across the globe. This icon will be changed frequently and will have a card describing the saint or image. Our aim is to build up 52 icons so we can have a different icon each week. We have a list of the icons we would like, some of which have been purchased. We are hoping that parishioners will want to purchase an icon from the list. The icons are reproductions and cost about \$50 each. If you would like to sponsor an icon, please let me know.

Our hope is that this icon prayer station offers an opportunity for prayer for those parishioners who find this a helpful spiritual practice. If you have any questions about the icons or this tradition, please do not hesitate to contact me. Adrian

## Summer Hours and Contact Info

For the month of August, the building is open **Monday through Thursday, 9am to 12pm**, and **Saturday until noon**. **Friday the office is closed**. Staff is working in the office in the mornings, **Monday through Thursday**. If you'd like to come into the building in the afternoons, you can depend on the church being open on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Currently, **the clergy work Sunday through Thursday**; their "weekends" are Friday and Saturday. If you would like to contact a clergy person, please feel free to contact them on their cell numbers.

## Homecoming Sunday

Our new program year will begin on **Homecoming Sunday, September 11**, with the return of the choir and the start of church school. It will be an opportunity to welcome Margaret Schwarzer back from her sabbatical, and to celebrate the addition of Sarah Robbins-Cole to our clergy team as our interim associate rector for youth and family.

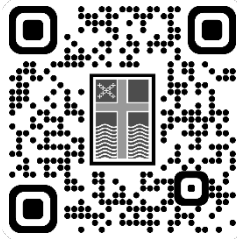


## Dedication of the Budney Doors

**On Homecoming Sunday, September 11,** we will dedicate the Budney Doors, the new front doors to the church sanctuary. The Budney doors were given in honor of parishioner Albert J. Budney Jr. by WEC Energy Group on his retirement from their board. The Budney doors were installed as part of our sanctuary renovation during the pandemic. As we emerge from the pandemic, now seems a fitting time to dedicate them.

## All-Parish Picnic

Please plan to attend the picnic at the home of Luisa Hunnewell at 845 Washington Street **after the 10am**



**service on Sunday, September 18.** This fellowship event will be a wonderful way to reconnect with the parish community after the summer. There will be food, fun, and the return of the **ice cream man!** Casual attire is encouraged at both church and the picnic. Volunteers are needed to help with baking, setup, serving, parking, and cleanup! Please sign up here. Feel free to contact **Jenny Sawyer** with questions.

## Database/Directory Changes

We are excited to announce St. Andrew's will be upgrading our current database technology! It's called Realm, and it is specifically designed for churches—to serve the administrative needs of our clergy and staff, and to offer some wonderful opportunities to support the many ways each of our parishioners is involved with St. Andrew's.

## Second Quarter Statements

The office has been working with Realm, the new database technology. While the staff has been training and using the new system, the congregation has not yet seen it “in action.” That changes with the upcoming mailing of statements. Second quarter statements will be mailed this week with a whole new look which I hope you will find cleaner and clearer. Please reach out with any questions.  
—Joanne Butler, financial administrator

## Renewal Works Spirituality Initiative

**On Sunday, September 24** we will welcome the Rev. Jay Sidebotham, the director of the *Renewal Works* Initiative as our guest preacher. We will be launching the *Renewal Works* Spirituality Initiative as part of our discernment of God's future at St. Andrew's at the beginning of this program year. You may remember that Rev. Sidebotham came to speak to us at the beginning of 2020 when we were about to undertake the initiative just when the pandemic fell upon us. You will be hearing more about the details of *Renewal Works* over the next few weeks.

## *common cathedral*

You can continue to support our *common cathedral* neighbors by donating digitally to their wish lists

### **BostonWarm Wishlist**

### **common art Wishlist**

### **Blick Art Material Gift Cards**

## 9am Christian Learning

St. Andrew's will begin our 9am Christian learning classes **on Sunday, September 25**, the first Sunday after our parish picnic. We will be considering the cultural dynamics between *Science and Faith*, offering a series on *Prayer Practices*, and inviting Boston College professor Dr. Jim Weiss to reflect on the spiritual power of our *Episcopal Liturgy*. Get ready to pray the psalms, learn about icons, experience the scientific and spiritual power of light, and other soulful adventures. Join us in person or online (Zoom) every Sunday of our fall term. —Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

## Food Insecurity Doesn't Take a Break in the Summer!

Our friends at St. Stephen's Church in Boston's South End continue to rely on donations of non-perishable groceries. Our B-LOVE collections are vital to alleviating food insecurity among the families served by the church and by the St. Stephen's Youth Programs. Many are still not recovered from pandemic job losses and grocery prices are climbing. Could you purchase some items from this list and deposit them in the large box in our parish hall?

- Honey Nut Cheerios
- fruit in individual cups
- applesauce in individual cups
- peanut butter
- rice
- box of macaroni and cheese

- marinara sauce, no glass
- pasta
- black beans
- crackers

**Please use this link for details on dates and sizes/containers.** They will be so appreciative of these valuable outreach efforts.

## Summer/Fall Read: *The Language of God* by Francis Collins

Our adult formation committee is excited to offer a summer read that is written in a breezy style but packs a wallop. In this book, Collins, the head of the Human Genome Project and recent Director of the National Institutes of Health, talks about his life as a scientist and an active Christian. The subtitle says it all: *A Scientist Presents Evidence for Belief*.

Collins uses C.S. Lewis as his guide but also says some fresh things about living a life of science and faith. We will explore this book in our **October 9am** Christian learning classes. To purchase a book, email Lorna Ruby at Wellesley Books at [lorna@wellesleybooks.com](mailto:lorna@wellesleybooks.com) and mail a check for \$14.50 made out to St. Andrew's to Margaret at St. Andrew's. Please write "science book" in the memo. Lorna will email you and tell you when you can pick up the book at the bookstore. —Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

# Vestry

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# Staff

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- In an emergency, please contact Adrian on his cell phone, 603/831-4938. Additional clergy cell phone numbers are: Margaret Schwarzer, 617/733-0661, and Sarah Robbins-Cole, 603/831-4711.
- The clergy are available to assist you if you email or call them if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited.
- Please let the clergy know of names that should be added to our prayer list.

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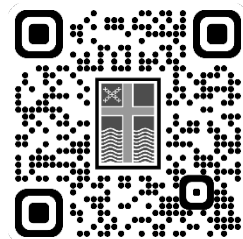
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**Assistant Sexton** Bill Clover

# Weekly Calendar

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- The **Holy Eucharist** is currently celebrated on **Sundays at 8am and 10am** (*also online*). These services will continue through August. **Morning Prayer** online is offered **Monday through Thursday at 8:30am** on our website, our YouTube Channel (*use the QR code for a link to our YouTube channel to watch the recording after the service*), and on Facebook, unless otherwise noted.
- **The building is open Monday through Thursday, 9am to 12pm**, (August summer hours) and on **Saturday until noon**. **Friday the office is closed**. Staff is in the office in the mornings, and remote in the afternoons **Monday through Thursday**.
- **12-Step Programs** Men's AA, Wednesdays, 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays, 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30am.



**Sunday, August 21**

11am Coffee Hour

**Sunday, August 28**

11am Coffee Hour



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