

8 am

Rite I

12 Pentecost, August 31, 2025

Book of Common Prayer

(Black).

Liturgy of the Word

Opening Sentences

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Collect: (See Insert)

First Lesson: (See Insert)

Psalm: (See Insert)

Second Lesson: (See Insert)

Gospel: (See Insert)

Homily: Deacon Susan Shrader

Nicene Creed

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Confession & Absolution

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Offering

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Post Communion Prayer

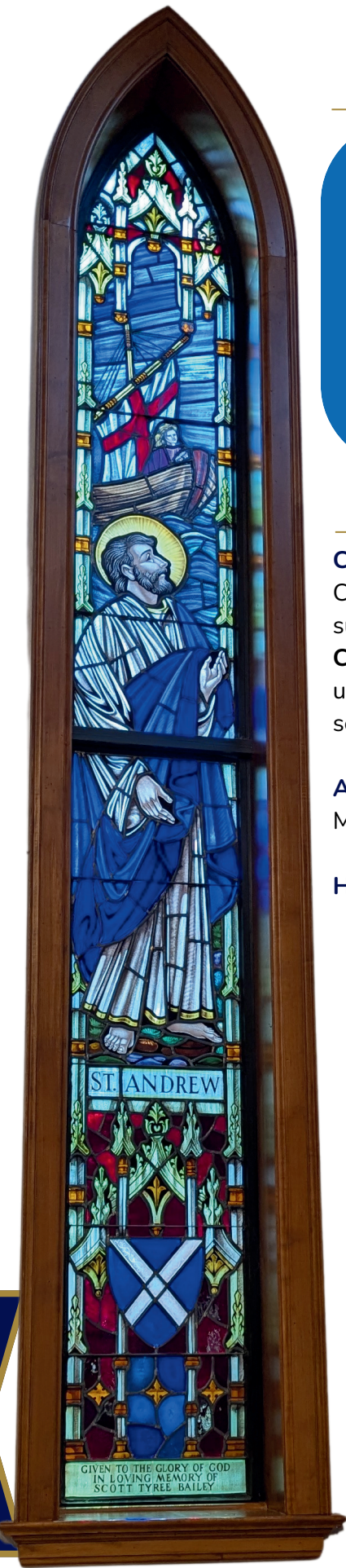
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Blessing

Dismissal




The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God by Terry and Mike Pitt in celebration of Taylor's birthday—and thanksgiving for our families



Are You New?

We are SO glad you are here!



Please fill out one of our cards (or use this QR Code) so we can let you know how happy we are to meet you.

St. Andrew's is a warm community just waiting to love you. If you like, you will definitely find good friends here.

Basic Information

Children's Chapel/Sunday School/Nursery

Children are always welcome in worship at St. Andrew's! To support our families, we do offer **nursery care** (0-PreK), and **Children's Chapel** (Elementary Age) during the service. Ask an usher and they will tell you where to drop off your kids prior to service. They will join you for Communion.

Adult Sunday School

Meets at 9:15am in the Conference Room. Join Us!

Holy Communion

- All baptized people are invited to receive communion with us. If you prefer you can come forward for a blessing.
- If you don't want to come forward feel free to pray and sing in your seat.
- If you have a gluten sensitivity, Gluten free wafers are available on request.
- If you have mobility concerns tell an usher and we would be happy to bring Communion to you.

On for Next Sunday? (check it out here)

8 AM

10:30 AM

LAY: Dick Arnow

LAY: Paul Stone

LEM: Forrest Mericle

LEM: Lisa Stone

Food Pantry

Omari Ansong

Betty Bunn

Acolytes: Walker Wells

Tom Jenkins

Jack Lea

Dotsy Royal

Ushers: Angela Reid and Tom Jenkins

Elizabeth Mosley

Greeters: Dotsy Royal

Tom Jenkins

Rite II

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Liturgy of the Word

Prelude: There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

493 Processional Hymn: O For a Thousand Tongues

Salutation and Collect

BCP 355

S-278 Hymn: Glory to God

First Lesson: (See Insert)

Psalm: (See Insert)

Second Lesson: (See Insert)

510 Gospel Hymn: Come Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove

Gospel: (See Insert)

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Nicene Creed

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Prayers of the People & Confession

BCP 392

The Peace & Announcements

Holy Communion

Offertory

Music: Andante

380 v3 Doxology

Eucharistic Prayer C

BCP 369

Sanctus

Fraction

Communion Music

Post Communion Prayer

BCP 365

Blessing

421 Recessional Hymn: All Glory be to God on High

Dismissal

BCP 366

Postlude: Voluntary 3





# Announcements

## Bible from the Beginning: Creation Stories

Saturday, September 27  
9-11:30 Am

Have you ever found the Bible hard to read? Are you not sure where to begin? Then, this is the class for you.

Join Rev. Les as he explores the two different stories of creation in the bible. Discover what unique perspective each gives and learn why there would be two in the first place. This journey reveals how the Bible was written and put together so it is a great foundation for future study.

Register now on the church app!



## Mission Outreach Opportunities Episcopal Farmworker's Ministry

Bags go out September 7th and return September 14th.

Men's sizes Medium and Large, new underwear and socks, gently used lightweight long sleeve shirts, pants, work boots or shoes, and toiletries - soap, deodorant, shampoo, and shaving cream.

Lighthouse Thrift Store has packed boxes for us for purchase. It is \$10 a box. Please bring your money to the office to buy a box.

Church Office closed on Monday, September 1st.

Children's Chapel will resume on Sunday, September 7th at the 10:30am service in the Parish Hall.

Book Club  
Tuesday, September 9th  
10am in the Parlor.

We will be discussing the books, Amor Powles: Rules of Civility and A Table for Two. It is best to read them in order. We look forward to seeing everyone!

Vestry meeting  
Tuesday, September 9th  
6-8pm in the Conference Room

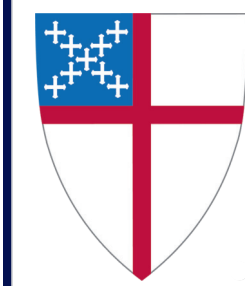
## Let Us Pray for...

Catherine Tracy	Clark	For those serving in our Armed Forces:
Lisa Dustin	Jeffrey	Sean Fletcher Adam
Chris Danny	Ray	Veronica Jonathan James
Jinx Bennie	Allen	Jericca Will Thomas
Wayland Jay	Cindy	Matt Rodney Austin
Teresa Candice	Zach	Eric Jeffery Landon M.
Zanetta Dennis	Joan	All Veterans
George Wayne	Roger	
Pris Valerie		
And the Deceased:		

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# St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

12 Pentecost  
8.31.25



**B**elieve  
**B**ecome  
**B**elong

**Led by the Spirit, we lovingly serve God** through worship, fellowship, spiritual growth, and ministry.

## "Looking Down the Ladder"

*Title for Today's Homily  
Preacher: Deacon Susan Shrader*