

3 Easter
April 14, 2024
8:00 AM Rite I

The Liturgy of the Word

Book of Common Prayer

The Opening Sentences	P. 323
The Collect	
First Lesson	Acts 3:12-19
Psalm	Psalm 4
Second Lesson	1 John 3:1-7
Gospel Lesson	Luke 24:36b-48
The Homily	The Rev. Adele Hatfield
The Nicene Creed	P. 326
The Prayers of the People	P. 329
The Peace	
The Announcements	

The Holy Communion

The Offertory	
Doxology	
The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer I	P. 333
The Lord's Prayer	P. 336
The Breaking of the Bread	
Administration of the Blessed Sacrament	
The Post Communion Prayer	P. 339
The Final Blessing and Dismissal	

During the Administration of the Eucharist, all baptized Christians are welcome to come forward to receive the Blessed Sacraments.

All persons are welcome to come forward for a priestly blessing.

Prayers of the People

Easter III Year B

Christ, the stone that the builders rejected, God has made the cornerstone of a new community. In that name by which we are founded, let us draw near in confidence, saying: Lord, have mercy.

The risen Christ opened the minds of the disciples to understand the scriptures. May the church find in the scriptures healing, mission, and good news for all. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Christ showed wounded hands and feet to his unbelieving apostles. May we see the risen one in all the wounded of our world. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Christ our cornerstone intercedes for us before God. Let us, and all in authority, heed God's call for justice in the church, in our community, and in the nation. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

That we see God as the Giver of every gift, including the most precious and holy gift of His Son, Jesus Christ, and that God will lead us to be a generous giver of gifts, enabling us to carry out Christ's mission for His Church on earth. Today, we pray for our children at St. Andrews; the preschool and kindergarten, and for the migrant workers seeking refuge through the Episcopal Farmworker Ministry in Newton Grove. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

We are saved by a God who is light, in whom there is no darkness at all. Let us beg for God's light in those places that seem darkest. Let us ask that God enlighten all who inflict darkness on others. Let us ask that God shine on those who are victims of evil. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

In the power of Christ's name we are healed. Let us recall all who need healing or spiritual guidance...we pray also for those who minister to the needs of others, especially long term care caregivers...for this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

We pray for all who have died...May they be at rest in Christ, and may those who mourn, know the healing power of your love. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. For this, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

The celebrant adds the concluding collect.

Loving God, you have glorified your Son Jesus and given him the name by which we are saved. Give us the courage to act in his name. Accept our praise, offered in his name, for we offer this prayer through and with and in Jesus, your Son and our Savior. *Amen.*

3 Easter
April 14, 2024
10:30 AM Rite II

The Liturgy of the Word

Book of Common Prayer

Prelude

Hymnal

203	<i>O Sons and Daughters Let Us Sing</i>	P. 355
	Opening Sentences and Collect	
S- 278	<i>Gloria</i>	
	First Lesson	Acts 3:12-19
	Psalm	4
	Second Lesson	1 John 3:1-7
294	<i>Baptized in Water (Vv. 1-2)</i>	
	Gospel Lesson	Luke 24:36b-48
294	<i>Baptized in Water (V. 3)</i>	
	The Homily	The Rev. Adele Hatfield
	The Nicene Creed	P. 358
	The Prayers of the People	See Center Panel
	The Peace	
	The Announcements	

The Holy Communion

	The Offertory	
	<i>Doxology</i>	
	The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A	P. 361
S-128	<i>Sanctus</i>	
	The Breaking of the Bread	
S-154	<i>Fraction Anthem</i>	
	<i>Organ Voluntary</i>	
	The Post Communion Prayer	P. 365
	The Final Blessing	
182	<i>Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing</i>	
S-175	The Easter Dismissal	
	Postlude	

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*The flowers on the altar
are given to the
Greater Glory of God
By Maria and Ashley Newcomb
In celebration of Abigail's 22nd
birthday*

GOING DEEPER INTO GOD'S WORD

"The Easter stories...tell of a victory. However, it is significant that the description is not of a God who strides through the gates of death as though through a triumphal arch...the One who has been raised from the dead remains the crucified One. And the marks of his dominion which he will forever bear are the scars on his body."

Ederhard Jungle, *Death*, Iain and Ute Nicole, trans., Philadelphia: Westminster Press, 1974, pp. 111-112.

Prayer Requests

Ron	Linda	Annette
Catherine	Jinx	Barbara
Bill	Wayland	Luke
Lisa O.	Teresa	Janet
Chris	John	Bryant
Rains	Frankie	Sophia
Bruce	David	Noah
Blake	Vickie	Beryl
		Ronnie

For those serving our Armed Forces: Sean, Veronica H., Jericca S., Matt K., Eric O., Fletcher, Jonathan K., Will M., Rodney M., Jeffery B., Adam M., James W., and for all Veterans of the United States.

For those who have died: Perry Hall

Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. We are pleased you are with us this morning as we worship and praise the Living God.

Having been fed through God's Word and Sacrament, join us for refreshments in the Commons following the service, so that we may introduce ourselves and our faith community to you.

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Welcome to St. Andrew's on this Third Sunday in the Easter Season. If you are visiting this morning, please sign our *Guest Book* on the welcome table in the Commons. Also located there are Visitor's Packets and our parish newsletter, *The Call*.

Quarters In! Paddles Up!
St. Andrew's School Quarter Auction
Saturday, April 27, 2024—door opens at 5:15pm for dinner and auction begins at 6:00pm.

Tickets are only \$15 (includes dinner and auction paddle)

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT ST. ANDREW'S PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN

Scott Bailey Scholarship

If you are an entering Freshman, Senior or anything-in-between college student from Nash or Edgecombe County, we encourage you to apply for the Scott Bailey Scholarship. Email or call Sarah (443-2070) in the church office for an application.

Deadline is May 1, 2024.

Coming Up:

April 17 - Vestry 6pm
April 23 - Homeowners Meeting 4:30pm
April 25 - Holy Folders 9am
April 27 - Quarter Auction 5:15pm

Current Financial Status

Contributions Rec'd
the week of: 4/07 \$6,654
Avg. Wkly. Contributions
needed:\$6,343
Received YTD:\$163,414
Spent YTD:\$80,616

If you are behind in your pledge, please consider catching up. If you have a question about your pledge, or wish to pledge, please contact Rosemary Clark our bookkeeper on Monday or Thursday afternoons, 443-2070.

Hudgins' Fundraising Meeting
St. Andrew's is teaming up with friends from Enfield and surrounding area to raise funds to assist Bill and Kitty Hudgins with all expenses. And organizational meeting will be held on April 15 at 5:30 in the committee room. A tremendous amount of manpower is needed to make this drive successful. If you have ideas and suggestions and are interested in helping, please attend the meeting! See Gaye Mucci or Pete Armstrong if you have questions.

Serving next Sunday, April 21

LAY: 8am: Tim Knapp **10:30am:** Sandy Suggs
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Acolytes: The Mericle Family
Greeters: TBD
Ushers: Angela Reid and Jim Royal
Elements: Keeter Family
Pantry Volunteers: Mary Ann Crawford, Diane Dunstan, and Marie Inscore

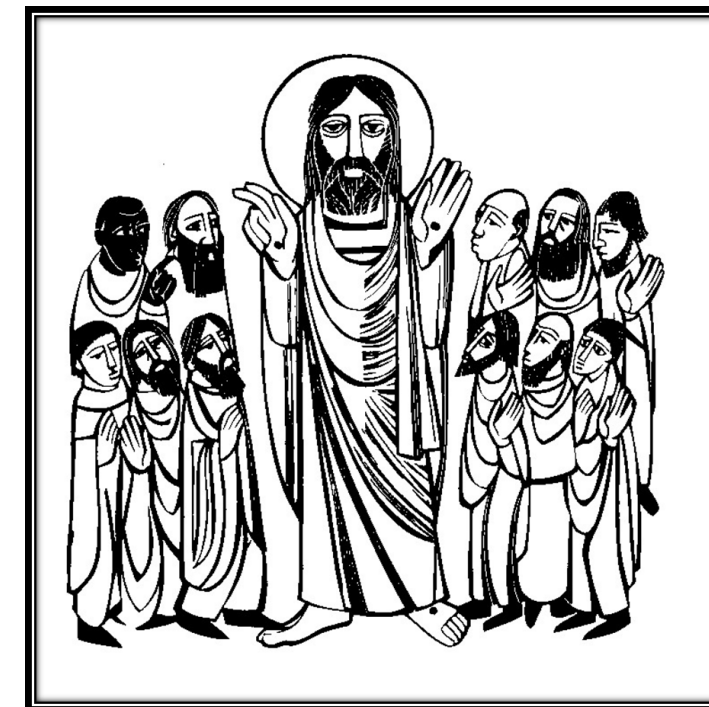


"For God is not unjust, he will not overlook your work and the love that you showed for his sake in serving the saints, as you still do." Hebrews 6:10

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Led by the Spirit, the mission of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church is to lovingly serve God through worship, fellowship, education, and ministry.

The church and its missions are as relevant as we make them.