



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader In the waters of baptism, we are called to be God's children and to minister to one another. Let us pray to God for the needs of the church and the world, saying: Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader We pray for the mission and ministry of the Church; for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Jennifer our Diocesan Bishop; for the Diocese of St. Alban's, Canterbury, Bedford, and Hertford, England; for our companion diocese of Brasilia and their bishop, Mauricio; for the Diocese of Haiti, and St. Andre's, Mithon; and for the shared ministry of St. Luke's, Shelbyville and St. Thomas, Franklin, that the Church will continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers. Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for those who are blessed of God: the poor in spirit, those who mourn, the meek, those who hunger for righteousness, the pure in heart, the peacemakers, and those persecuted for the sake of justice. We pray that, with the whole Church, we will persevere in resisting evil and repent whenever we do fall short of God's dream for us. Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for this Church community; for St. John's Pastoral Care Ministries; for our clergy, Bob, Bradley, and Hilary; for the staff, vestry, and wardens; and for all who find community here including those we name together: **George and Nancy Dandrow, Mary Louise Davis, Shawn Deignan and her children Paul, Colleen, and Connor, April Delancy, Colin Dell, Dennis and Kristin Dell, and Tyler Dell;** that each member of this community will proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ. Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader We remember those commended to our prayers, Including those we name together: **Arliss Jeffries, Barbara Bower, John Howland, Dotty Gist, Faye Groves, Mona Quinn, Annie Schreiber, Jim and Barbara Hess, Linda Meyer, Jean**

Hicks, Karen Lauterbach, Dean Hunter, Paul and Peggy Lawson, Pequita Behrndt, Debby Lindenlaub, Sally Hastings, Anne Lommel, Barbara Penney, Shirley Curry, Patty Barrett, Carolyn Speer, Mary Louise Davis, Dee Mitchell, Karen Schoenhals, Nancy, Lisa, Bess and Baher, Mary and John, Wendy and John, Rob, Sue, Robert, Laura, Beth, Betsy, Gary and Jean Ann, D.J., Peter and Karen, Neal, Senora, Joe, Tylor, Chuck, Kimberly, Burr, Jim, Terry, Neil, James, Sharon, Paulie, and their families, and those we name now either silently or aloud.... We pray also for the people of Mexico, North Korea, Syria, and of our own nation, especially the people of Puerto Rico and Las Vegas; and we pray that we will seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving our neighbor as ourselves. Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for the leaders of every nation, for Donald our President, and for Eric our Governor; and we pray for the safety of those who serve our country and those who protect our communities, including those we name together: **James, Gabby, Janet, Joe, Naomi, Aaron, and Matthew,** that we will strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being. Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader We pray for those who have gone before us in the faith and all who have died, for Dennis, Bob, Tom, those killed in the attack in Las Vegas, those buried in the St. John's Memorial Garden, and others we name now either silently or aloud.... We pray also for those who grieve that they might find comfort. Let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Presider Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever.

People **Amen.**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The prayers for the sick have been “reset”. Please remember to update the parish clergy or to email the office at stjohns@stjohns-laf.org to have people included on the prayer list.

Healing Prayer—Next Sunday, October 15th at both the 8 and 10:15 a.m. services, we will include a time of healing prayer in our services. After the sermon, the presider will bless oil to be used for anointing during those services as well as during services throughout the year at St. John’s. Special prayers of healing will be said by the congregation. All are invited to come forward for anointing and for a time of prayer. As the invitation says, everyone is invited “whatever your sickness of spirit, mind or body.” For more information, contact Bradley Pace at bradleypace@stjohns-laf.org.

Our Faith, Our Future Campaign Kick-off—The Capital Campaign will kick-off this fall with a special free event for the whole St. John’s family on **Sunday, October 22nd at the Trails in West Lafayette.** Please save the date and look for an invitation in the mail this week. If you have any questions about the campaign, please contact the Capital Campaign Co-Chairs Rachel Ravellette at rmrose@purdue.edu or Charlie Shook at cshook@shook.com.



Jubilee Christmas will be celebrated on December 9th. Precut stocking kits are available in the Commons. Please help the cause by taking a kit or two to sew.

Working for Justice Together: Community Organizing Training for Episcopalians—Tuesday, October 10th, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church, Indianapolis. Learn how to have important conversations with others in your parish about pressing social issues and how to engage one another to bring our faith to those concerns. Many parishes are already involved with the work of IndyCAN, an interfaith organizing group, and we want to develop a network of leadership teams in the parishes throughout our dioceses with community organizing skills and interest in bringing their faith into the public realm. We will focus both on how to galvanize your own parish to do this work through small, intentional conversations among parishioners and involvement with the larger IndyCAN network of interfaith congregations. If you are interested, please RSVP to Mother Suzanne Wille at rector@allsaintsindy.org.

Church Women United—Would someone from St. John’s like to represent the church at the monthly meeting of Church Women United (CWU) in Tippecanoe County and serve as the liaison between St. John and CWU? If you are interested, please contact Charlene Watson by the end of October at 765.474.9101 or cel.watson@comcast.net. Thank you for considering this opportunity.

TODAY’S MINISTERS OF WORSHIP

Ushers 8:00 a.m. Ginny Hull, Gayle Ennis
 10:15 a.m. Rachel Shook, Steve Shook
 Lectors 8:00 a.m. Charlene Watson, Ross Watson
 10:15 a.m. Peter Hulen, Linda Kirchubel
 Acolytes 8:00 a.m. Jim Marciniak
 10:15 a.m. Bruce Johnson
 Eucharistic Ministers 8:00 a.m. Randy Brist
 10:15 a.m. Nolie Parnell, Kathy Johnson
 Oblations 10:15 a.m. The Buzzard-Cooke Family
 Master of Ceremonies 10:15 a.m. Maggie McClure
 Altar Guild Marylin Howland Ross,
 Kaye Kleine-Ahlbrandt, Gaye Matthews,
 and Jane Thompson.
 Refreshments 8:00 a.m.
 10:15 a.m.

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S

*For the full schedule of Outreach meetings,
 please see www.stjohns-laf.org.*

Today **Diocesan EWM Fall Retreat**
 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
 9:15 a.m. Godly Play
 9:15 a.m. St. John’s Choir
 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist
 12:00 p.m. **Youth Group**

Monday **Eagle Deadline**
 6:30 p.m. Monday Evening Bible Study
 6:30 p.m. EfM Discussion Group

Tuesday 10:00 a.m. Tuesday Morning Bible Study
 12:00 p.m. Healing and Holy Eucharist
 1:00 p.m. **Staff Meeting**
 6:00 p.m. **BIG Questions: Discipleship**

Wednesday 12:10 p.m. **Lunchtime Concert**
 5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Thursday 12:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
 7:15 p.m. St. John’s Choir

Friday 5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Saturday

Next Sunday – October 15
 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
 9:15 a.m. Godly Play
 9:15 a.m. St. John’s Choir
 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Lunchtime Concert: This Wednesday at 12:10 p.m. is the beginning of our lunchtime concert season. The concert will feature the Varsity Singers from Jefferson High School. The 50-member choir is one of the finest high school ensembles in the state of Indiana. Latin American, gospel, and classical American selections will be performed.