

# The Chimes

of St. John's

The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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## Ice Cream Sunday Today!

After the 10:00am service today, come to Alfriend Hall to enjoy a make-it-yourself ice cream sundae. Ice cream and toppings galore with a cherry on top -- only \$1.00 a bowl.

## Financial Update after Today's Service

As part of our commitment to provide parishioners ongoing updates on St. John's finances, Treasurer Cindy Sessions and Vestry member Jerry McDaniel will review the church's second quarter finances in Alfriend Hall after the 10:00am service today. Enjoy an ice cream sundae and stay informed all at the same meeting.

## Have a Seat at the Welcome Table

Do you enjoy drinking coffee and meeting new people? Are you interested in helping to make St. John's even more welcoming to newcomers than it already is? If you answered yes to one or both of these questions, you're a perfect match for the new WELCOME TABLE ministry. This will be a place where newcomers can drop by and get more information in Alfriend Hall after the 9:00 and 11:15 services beginning this fall. We'd love to have you come by to see us and sign up. We'll be at a corner table in Alfriend Hall today, July 17 after the service. Or you can email us to sign up or ask any questions: Christine at [christineporeba@hotmail.com](mailto:christineporeba@hotmail.com) or Kelley Robinson at [kelly@workshop131.com](mailto:kelly@workshop131.com)

## Save the Date for a Grand Foyers Event

If you have previously participated in a Foyer Group, have thought about participating, or would just like to come see what Foyers is all about, please plan join us on Friday, September 16, for a Grand Foyers Italian Dinner. Foyer Groups are small groups (up to 12 adults) that gather (usually in someone's home) for a simple meal. They typically meet once a month for six months. There is no agenda or study -- just St. John's folks visiting, enjoying a meal, and getting to know each other better. The Grand Foyers on September 16, beginning at 6:30pm, will be in Eve's Garden and will be the kick-off for a new season of Foyer Groups. If you are interested, already know you would like to attend the Grand Foyers, or if you have questions, please contact Dee Crusoe at 668-1083 or [djcrusoe@embarqmail.com](mailto:djcrusoe@embarqmail.com).

## Parish Planner

<b>Today</b>	<b>8:00am, 10:00am</b> Holy Eucharist (Church) <b>11:15am</b> Ice Cream Sunday (Alfriend Hall) <b>11:30am</b> Financial Update (Alfriend Hall) <b>5:30pm</b> Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
<b>Mon. July 18</b>	<b>12:10pm</b> Holy Eucharist (Chapel) <b>7:00pm</b> Centering Prayer (Parlor)
<b>Tues. July 19</b>	<b>7:00am</b> Men's Breakfast (Graham Lounge) <b>12:10pm</b> Holy Eucharist (Chapel) <b>5:00pm</b> Vestry (Bishop's Common)
<b>Wed. July 20</b>	<b>7:15am</b> Morning Prayer (Chapel) <b>1:00pm</b> Circle of Hope lunch (Café) <b>12:10pm</b> Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
<b>Thur. July 21</b>	<b>12:10pm</b> Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
<b>Fri. July 22</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Floor refinishing begins (Alfriend Hall) <b>11:00am</b> Centering Prayer (Parlor) <b>12:10pm</b> Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
<b>Sat. July 23</b>	<b>10:00am</b> Baptism Rehearsal (Cobb Library)

**Monday, July 18 through Thursday, July 21**  
**is blue week in the Lively Café.**

**Note: The floors in Alfriend Hall will**  
**undergo refinishing**  
**from Friday, July 22 to Sunday, July 31.**  
**During this time the Café will be closed.**

### Special

Veggie Lasagne

### Soups

Chilled Tomato Basil  
Oyster Stew

### Desserts

Fresh Fig Cake  
Chocolate Caramel Pecan Bars  
White Chocolate Macadamia Nut Cookies



## Lord, hear our prayer

Rupert Williams, Lucy Hadi, James Stalter, Ed DuMond, Joanne Davenport, Rick Maloy and family, Helen Hunter, Chuck Ball, Chip, Phyllis Sloyer, Bonnie C. Davis and Father Harry Douglas. *Send prayer requests to [sally@saint-john.org](mailto:sally@saint-john.org) or 222-2636.*

## Circle of Hope

The Circle of Hope is St. John's ministry to the unemployed and underemployed in our community. Please join us this Wednesday for the 12:10 Healing Service and lunch afterward.

## Reception for Mother Phoebe

Next Sunday, July 24, Mother Phoebe will perform a baptism in the 10:00am service, after which there will be a reception to honor her ministry. The reception will be held in Eve's Garden, as the floors in Alfriend Hall will be undergoing refinishing. All are invited!

## Barbecue Chicken Dinner Fundraiser

Grace Mission is hosting a delicious Barbecue Chicken Dinner fundraiser on Monday, July 18 from 5-7pm. Dinner includes two leg quarters, baked beans, potato salad and roll, all for only \$5.00. Take out is available also, so come on down to 303 W. Brevard St. and enjoy a great dinner.

## Inter-Faith Book Club Forming

Temple Israel, St. John's Episcopal Church and the Holocaust Education Resource Council are partnering to form an inter-faith book club. Called *Lessons from the Holocaust: an Inter-Faith Book Club*, this group will read and discuss both fiction and non fiction related to the Holocaust. The purpose of the club is to foster understanding and good relations between the two congregations and to keep alive the memory of the Holocaust.

The first meeting will be held at St. John's in Carter Chapel on September 15 at 7 p. m. The meeting place will alternate between St. John's and Temple Israel with the second meeting being at the Temple on October 13 at 7 p.m. At this point only the first two books have been chosen for reading and review. They are *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak and *Sarah's Key* by Tatiana deRosnay. Both books will be available for sale at the St. John's Bookstore. At the first meeting we will discuss the overall structure of the book club and will take suggestions for future books. Reviews will be done by book club members unless a special speaker is asked to review. study.

The book club is open to members of both congregations as well as interested friends. For additional information, please call Virginia Perkins at 385-5713.

## Bookstore News

We are at the Atlanta Gift Mart this week shopping for new merchandise for the store. To make room for new gifts, we are selling at 50% off our porcelain and ceramic decorative pieces as well as the cake plates and teapots. All of our colorful cotton scarves and collegiate jewelry are also reduced 50 % .

At your request we have added some leather and leatherette journals, in brown with a cross and in red and blue. These books would make a wonderful gift for someone who journals.

## Are You in 6<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> Grade?

Are you going to be in the 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade this fall? Have you ever wondered how you might be able, as a youth, to serve GOD in HIS church? You might consider becoming an ACOLYTE. Acolytes are the kids you see every Sunday lighting the candles, or carrying the crosses in the processions, or lighting the Gospel book with the brass torches. The acolytes help the priests, the LEMs, and choir, in leading the congregation in worship. The only requirement is that you be in the 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade – we will train you in everything else. If you think you might be interested or would like to know more, call or email Mr. Kummer, acolyte coordinator: 933-1620, [james.kummer@freshfromflorida.com](mailto:james.kummer@freshfromflorida.com) We will be glad to hear from you.

## Grace Mission Coordinator Needed

Grace Mission has a special need for a volunteer coordinator to set up groups for our Awana Club Thursday night dinner. If you are interested, please call Pastor Amanda at 224-3817.

## Sock Hop Month

July is Sock Hop Month at Grace Mission. Please donate white athletic socks for hot summer feet. Donations may be taken to Grace Mission or dropped off at the church office.

## Deadline and Contact for *The Chimes*

Submit articles by noon Tuesday to [carol@saint-john.org](mailto:carol@saint-john.org)

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## Pastoral Care at St. John's

Pastoral care is a priority for St. John's clergy. Please call St. John's office at 222-2636, ext. 10, during office hours. For pastoral emergencies during other hours, please call the pastoral care phone number, 510-3812.