



St. James' Episcopal Church
September 20, 2026
10:30 am
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Wherever you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome at this table.

Please stand as you are able.

The Word of God

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

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Lift high the cross

H473

Descant

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim

Refrain

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim

till all the world a - dore his sa - cred Name.

till all the world a - dore his sa - cred Name.

Led on their way by this tri - um - phant sign,
Each new - born ser - vant of the Cru - ci - fied
O Lord, once lift - ed on the glo - rious tree,
So shall our song of tri - umph ev - er be:

Repeat Refrain

the hosts of God in con - quering ranks com - bine.
bears on the brow the seal of him who died.
as thou hast prom - ised, draw the world to thee.
praise to the Cru - ci - fied for vic - to - ry.

The Collect for Purity

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gloria

Praise, praise, honor and glory

L246

1. Praise, praise, hon - or and glo - ry, Praise, praise, hon - or and glo - ry, Hon - or and glo - ry to Christ, our King.

2. Hon - or and glo - ry, Hon - or and glo - ry to Christ, our King.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the readings.

The First Reading

Jonah 3:10-4:11

Lector A reading from Jonah.

When God saw what the people of Nineveh did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

But this was very displeasing to Jonah, and he became angry. He prayed to the Lord and said, "O Lord! Is not this what I said while I was still in my own country? That is why I fled to Tarshish at the beginning; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and ready to relent from punishing. And now, O Lord, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live." And the Lord said, "Is it right for you to be angry?" Then Jonah went out of the city and sat

down east of the city, and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, waiting to see what would become of the city.

The Lord God appointed a bush, and made it come up over Jonah, to give shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort; so Jonah was very happy about the bush. But when dawn came up the next day, God appointed a worm that attacked the bush, so that it withered. When the sun rose, God prepared a sultry east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint and asked that he might die. He said, "It is better for me to die than to live."

But God said to Jonah, "Is it right for you to be angry about the bush?" And he said, "Yes, angry enough to die." Then the Lord said, "You are concerned about the bush, for which you did not labor and which you did not grow; it came into being in a night and perished in a night. And should I not be concerned about Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than a hundred and twenty thousand persons who do not know their right hand from their left, and also many animals?"

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm

Psalm 145:1-8

I will exalt you, O God my King,
and bless your Name for ever and ever.

**Every day will I bless you
and praise your Name for ever and ever.**

Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised;
there is no end to his greatness.

**One generation shall praise your works to another
and shall declare your power.**

I will ponder the glorious splendor of your majesty
and all your marvelous works.

**They shall speak of the might of your wondrous acts,
and I will tell of your greatness.**

They shall publish the remembrance of your great goodness;
they shall sing of your righteous deeds.

**The Lord is gracious and full of compassion,
slow to anger and of great kindness.**

The Second Reading

Philippians 1:21-30

Lector A reading from the Letter to the Philippians.

To me, living is Christ and dying is gain. If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me; and I do not know which I prefer. I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; but to remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again.

Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God's doing. For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well-- since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Come, Thou fount of every blessing

LEVAS 111



1. Come, Thou fount of ev - ery bless-ing, Tune my heart to sing thy
2. Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer, Hith - er by thy help I'm
3. O, to grace how great a debt - or, Dai - ly I'm con - strained to



1. grace; Streams of mer - cy nev - er ceas-ing, Call for songs of loud-est
2. come; And I hope, by thy good pleas-ure, Sure-ly to ar - rive at
3. be; Let that grace, Lord, like a fet - ter, Bind my wan-d'ring heart to



1. praise. Teach me some me - lo-dious son - net, Sung by flam-ing tongues a -
2. home. Je - sus sought me when a stran - ger, Wan-d'ring from the fold of
3. Thee. Prone to wan - der, Lord, I feel — it, Prone to leave the God I



1. bove. Praise the mount, O fix me on it. Mount of God's un - chang-ing love.
2. God. He, to save my soul from dan-ger, In - ter - posed His pre - cious blood.
3. love. Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it, Seal it from thy courts a - bove.

The Gospel

Matthew 20:1-16

**Deacon
People****The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the laborers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; and he said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.' So they went. When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, 'Why are you standing here idle all day?' They said to him, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard.' When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, 'Call the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.' When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.' But he replied to one of them, 'Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?' So the last will be first, and the first will be last."

**Deacon
People****The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Christ.****The Sermon**

The Rev. Eileen O'Brien, Rector

The Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit**

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
 and was made man.
 For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
 he suffered death and was buried.
 On the third day he rose again
 in accordance with the Scriptures;
 he ascended into heaven
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
 who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
 who has spoken through the Prophets.
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
 We look for the resurrection of the dead,
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Intercessor	God our Maker, you are gracious and full of compassion. We praise you for the gift of community and heritage as we honor the cultures of Hispanic and Latinx Americans. In Christ Jesus, our redeemer, you knit us together into one Body. Hear our prayers and fill us with your Spirit, that we may reflect your light and love to each other and to the world. We praise you, O Lord,
People	And bless your Name.
Intercessor	We pray for the world and all its peoples. Inspire deep gratitude in our hearts and move us to share what we have with the same immensity of spirit in which it was given. We praise you, O Lord,
People	And bless your Name.
Intercessor	We pray for your church and for this community of St. James'. Make us eager to welcome the unwelcomed, diligent in prayer, and generous in deeds. We praise you, O Lord,
People	And bless your Name.
Intercessor	We pray for the poor and the hungry. We pray for refugees, the imprisoned, and for those in any need or trouble. We pray for those overwhelmed by disaster, especially victims of flooding and fire. Inspire us to work for them with renewed vigor and compassion. We praise you, O Lord,
People	And bless your Name.
Intercessor	Into your generous heart, Gracious God, we offer the cares and thanksgivings of our hearts. For what shall we give thanks today? <i>(Pause to rejoice in thanksgiving with the community.)</i>

Intercessor For whom shall we pray? *(Pause to hear the prayers of others and to offer your own.)*
 Intercessor We give thanks for those who have gone before us. Whom shall we remember and not forget? *(Pause to rejoice in thanksgiving with the community.)*
 We praise you, O Lord,
People And bless your Name.
 Celebrant Good and Gracious God, you made us in your own image and redeemed us through Jesus your Son: Look with compassion upon us. Take away those things that infect our hearts. Break down the walls that separate us. Unite us in bonds of love. And work through us who labor in your vineyards so that, in your good time, all nations and peoples may serve one another in harmony, blessing your Name, through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Confession of Sin

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
In the silence, we are invited to examine the brokenness in our own lives and in the world and to pray that, with God's merciful help, we might set our feet upon paths of repentance.

People Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Please be mindful of each other's varied boundaries.

Announcements and Blessings

Birthday Prayer

People Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Anniversary Prayer

People Eternal God, creator and preserver of all life, author of salvation, and giver of all grace: Look with favor upon the world you have made, for which your Son gave his life, and surround this couple with your love. Grant that their wills may be so knit together in your will, and their spirits in your Spirit, that they may grow in love and peace with you and one another all the days of their lives. Amen.

Offertory



Together as St. James', every gift - large or small-advances our ministry. You can make an offering through the Offering Box in the Narthex/lobby, the QR code or by text (Just text the amount and the word "give" (e.g. 50give) to 512-692-4313)

La Voz de Amor

Carlos Cordero

Translation

The Voice of Love

Juntemos nuestras voces
Aquí, Ahora
Cantemos por un mundo
Cubierto de amor

Let's join our voices
Here, Now
Let's sing for a world
Filled with love

Seamos la voz del amor

Let's be the voice of love

Juntemos nuestros pasos
En este momento
Creemos con abrazos
Un mundo, un hogar

Let's join our steps
In this moment
Let's create with hugs
One world, one home

Seamos la voz del amor

Let's be the voice of love

Con valor
Podemos lograrlo
Compartir un mensaje de amor

With courage
We can achieve it
Share a message of love

Cantemos con fuerza, Amor, y valor
Seamos la voz del amor

Let's sing with strength,
Love, and courage
Let's be the voice of love

Juntemos nuestras manos
Aquí, ahora

Let's join our hands
here, now

Cantemos por un mundo
Envuelto de bondad

Let's sing for a world
Filled with kindness

Seamos la voz del amor

Let's be the voice of love

The Doxology

H 380

*3 Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heaven - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A *BCP* 361

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; for you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

LEVAS 253

Ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

God of pow - er and might,

1. Heav - en and earth are full
2.,3. Bless - ed is he who comes

1. of your glo - ry.
2.,3. in the name of the Lord.

1.,2.
Ho - san - na! Ho - san -

na in the high -

Please stand or kneel as you are able.

Celebrant Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Celebrant Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith

Memorial Acclamation

LEVAS 258

Christ has died. Christ is

ris - en. — Christ will come a - gain.

Celebrant

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

The Great Amen

LEVAS 261

A - men, A - men,

The image shows a musical score for the word 'Amen'. It consists of two systems of staves. The first system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment (grand staff). The vocal line has two measures: 'A - men,' and 'A - men,'. The piano accompaniment has two measures. The second system also has a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has three measures: 'A - men,' 'A - men,' and 'A - men.' with a fermata over the final 'men.'. The piano accompaniment has three measures, ending with a double bar line.

**Celebrant
People**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,
Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.
 Wherever you are on your journey of faith,

People **You are welcome at this table.**

Please follow the guidance of the ushers to approach the altar to receive communion. Gluten free wafers are available.

ESTRIBILLO (♩. = ca. 54)

La7 sus4 Re Sol La La7 sus4
 A7sus4 D G A A7sus4

(Español) Pan de Vi - da, cuer - po del Se - ñor,
 (Bilingüe) Pan de Vi - da, cuer - po del Se - ñor,

La7 Mi m Do7M Do#7 La Re
 A7 Em Cmaj7 C#7 A D

san - ta co - pa, Cris - to Re - den - tor.
 cup of bless - ing, blood of Christ the Lord.

Re7 Sol Sol/Fa# Mi m7 Fa#7
 D7 G G/F# Em7 F#7

Su jus - ti - cia nos con - ver - ti -
 At this ta - ble the last shall be

Sim Sim/La Mi7/Sol# Re Re/Do# Mi m7 La7 sus4
 Bm Bm/A E7/G# D D/C# Em7 A7sus4

rá. Po - der es ser - vir, por - que Dios es a -
 first. Po - der es ser - vir, por - que Dios es a -

1-3 a las Estrofas 4
 Re Mi m7 La7 sus4 Sim Sim7/La Mi7
 D Em7 A7sus4 Bm Bm7/A E7 al § y fin

mor. mor. Po -
 mor. mor. Po -

Final **ESTROFAS**

Re Mi m7 La7 sus4 Re Sol
D Em7 A7sus4 D G

dim. e rit. *Fin*



mor. _____
mor. _____

1. So - mos el
2. Us - te - des me
3. No hay es -

1. We are the
2. You call me
3. There is no

Do/Sol Sol Do/Sol Sol La7/Sol
C/G G C/G G A7/G



1. tem - plo de Dios, _____
2. Ila - man "Se - ñor". _____
3. cla - vos ni li - bres, _____

1. dwell - ing of God, _____
2. Teach - er and Lord; _____
3. Jew _____ or Greek; _____

frá - gi - les se - res hu -
Me in - cli - no a la - var - les los
no hay mu - je - res ni
frag - ile and wound - ed and
I, who have washed _____ your
there is no slave _____ or

Re Re/Do Sim Sim/La Misus4 Mi7
D D/C Bm Bm/A Esus4 E7



1. ma - nos. So - mos el cuer - po de Cris - to, Ila -
2. pies. _____ Ha - gan lo mis - mo, hu - mil - des, sir -
3. hom - bres, só - lo a - que - llos que he - re - dan el

1. weak. _____ We are the bod - y of Christ, _____ called to
2. feet. _____ So you must do as I do, _____ so the
3. free; _____ there is no wom - an or man; _____ on - ly

Mi m Fa# m Sol La La7 sus4 La7
Em F#m G A A7sus4 A7



1. ma - dos a ser com - pa - si - vos.
2. vién - do - se u - nos a o - tros.
3. rei - no que Dios pro - me - tió. _____

1. be _____ the com - pas - sion of God. _____
2. great - est must be - come _____ the least. _____
3. heirs _____ of the prom - ise of God. _____

D.C.

Amazing Grace

1. A - ma - zing_ Grace! How sweet the sound, that
 2. Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
 3. The Lord has pro - mised good to me, His
 4. Through ma - ny dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 5. When we've been_ there ten thou - sand years, bright
 6. Praise God...

5
 saved a wretch like me! I
 grace my fears re - lieved; how
 word my hope se - cures; He
 have al - rea - dy come; 'tis
 shi - ning as the sun, we've

9
 once_ was_ lost but now_ am_ found, was
 pre - cious_ did that grace_ ap - pear, the
 will_ my shield and por - tion_ be, as
 grace_ that brought me safe_ thus far, and
 no_ less_ days to sing_ God's_ praise than

13
 blind but_ now I see_
 hour I_ first be - lieved_
 long as_ life en - dures_
 grace will_ lead me home_
 when we'd_ first be - gun_

The Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

People **Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The Blessing

Celebrant Life is short, and we do not have much time to gladden the hearts of those who walk this way with us. So, be swift to love and make haste to be kind; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Lord, you give the great commission verses 1-2, 4-5

H528



1 Lord, you give the great com - mis - sion: "Heal the sick and
2 Lord, you call us to your serv - ice: "In my name bap -
3 Lord, you make the com - mon ho - ly: "This my bo - dy,
4 Lord, you show us love's true mea - sure: "Fa - ther, what they
5 Lord, you bless with words as - sur - ing: "I am with you



1 preach the word." Lest the Church ne - glect its mis - sion
2 tize and teach." That the world may trust your prom - ise,
3 this my blood." Let your priests, for earth's true glo - ry,
4 do, for - give." Yet we hoard as pri - vate trea - sure
5 to the end." Faith and hope and love re - stor - ing,



1 and the Gos - pel go un - heard, help us wit - ness to your
2 life a - bun - dant meant for each, give us all new fer - vor,
3 dai - ly lift life hea - ven - ward, ask - ing that the world a -
4 all that you so free - ly give. May your care and mer - cy
5 may we serve as you in - tend, and, a - mid the cares that



1 pur - pose with re - newed in - teg - ri - ty;
2 draw us clos - er in com - mu - ni - ty;
3 round us share your chil - dren's lib - er - ty; with the
4 lead us to a just so - ci - e - ty;
5 claim us, hold in mind e - ter - ni - ty;



Spi - rit's gifts em - power us for the work of min - is - try.

The Dismissal of the Community

Deacon Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People Thanks be to God.

Prayer List

The Prayer List is prayed on a regular basis by our Monday night Intercessory Prayer Group. We invite you to incorporate praying the list into your own prayer practices. To add a name to the prayer list, email prayerbox@stjamesaustin.org. Prayer requests from the website will be auto-forwarded to the pastoral care ministry and the office.

We pray for (3 weeks list): Star Ashbaugh, the Segura family, Robert, Carla, Ken Dawson, Jenny, Joaquin, and Gregorio Gutiérrez Ortega.

We also pray for those with long-term needs: Desiree, Vonnie, Melissa, Jeff, Houston, Barrett, Dora Luz Reyes-Franco, Lorenza and the Ramirez family, Fred and Kathy, Monika Taylor, Betsy Pilkington, David Ruffin, Pam Moses, Kyra Kerr-Fitzgerald, William Fitzgerald, Jean Germain, Luis Fernando Cabrera, Richelle Easley, Carolyn Cook, Jasmine Means, Eden Poon, Vicki Carruthers Hall, Dennis Neil Robertson, Tiffany, Brendolyn Bacy, Levi, Carrie, Brian Burns, Bill Graf, Patrick Bresette and his wife Debbie, their children and grandchildren, Cristela and her family, Shahin, Artemis, Elizabeth Spear, Kara Daniels, Mehdi Moradi, Glenda Leifeste, Juan Jones, Joe Tave, Gilbert and Susan Cuadra, Bill Newchurch, Arlene Williams, David Kent Pfahler, III and his family, Rachel Kraus, Cara Ann Cummins, and her partner Kenneth, Fletcher Michael Francis and his family, Scott Alfano and family, Rene Beteille, Arlene Youngblood, Emma McPherson, Joann Darr, the Rev. Dr. Sondra Coleman, Cliff Keeling, Geneva Elliott, Larry Schanki, Amy, Horace Bledsoe, Jeremy and Shelby, Jimmy Alexander, Mahealani, Robin Clough Powell, Melinda King, John Baxton, Michele Bondy, Jeremy Alexande, Donna Plowman, Judy Jenkins, Nancy Gabin, Michael Hughes, Paula, Anget, Susan Gunn, BJ Taylor, Russel Taulli, Pedro E., Robin Fuller, Kisa Niewenhuis, Jacob Schumacher and his family, Shirley Gordon, Bowen W., Vanessa Williams, Jim Burgess, Cindy, Jason and Jalen Castillo, Niesha Jones, Jerry, Marty, Pat, Kamilah Myrie, Tom and Dee Esquivel, Sammie A. Eppright, David Batty, Samuel Carothers, Anna Pecorino, John White, Brigitte Rhedin, Kirk Richter, Cecilia Harris, Lily Thomas, Sandra Gilkey, Leslie Rose, Sean Calloway, Miles Calloway, Carrie Eppright-Givens, Clayton Givens, Joy Roswell, Gaye Evans, Rose Watley, Carolyn Caffrey, Joseph Naranjo, Margaret Ann Bledsoe, Mrs. Lakeysha Brown, Stephanie Smith, Elizabeth Sherar Gammon and Steven Sherar, Rebecca Kary, Sherry Ward, Carrie Schumacher, William Collier, Adrian Spears, Mark Werner, Myrna, Evelyn Marie Taylor, Nellie White, Gail Jackson, Richard Ezell, Edith Conde and family, Jacob Blake, John Paul Guajardo, Richard White, Andre Watkins, Jana Murphy, Justin Howell and his family, Bruce Blackwell, Doug Lawrie, Tara Turner, Gertrude Fowler, Claudette Milne, Frankie Scott, Kési Anderson, Rev. James Palmore, Cleo B., Jason A., Reed B., Angelina, Mike C., Diane Hoffman, Brian M, Joyce, Ganelle, Noah, Thor, Troy, Allissa, Charlene Moore, Eugenia Hayes, Tim and Shalmah, Carol Daughtry, Rebekah, Diane Neill, Cecile, Mildred Grimble, Margie Lawson, Melvin Alfred, Natrice Harding, Anne Osbourne, Patricia Harding, Brandon Williams, Marvin Sykes, Max and his mother, Paul Gill, Samuel Kraemer-Dahlin, Jacquelyn Ferrell Mccadden, Ursula Ferrell Jackson, Ronnie Yarmuck, Bertha Malone, Samah Al Adawi, Hazel Livingston, Arthur Shelton; and for all who are incarcerated and for their families, and all the refugees throughout the world. God of hope, comfort and restore all who suffer in body, mind or spirit.

We pray for all who have died, including Precioso Gabrillo, Jr., the father of Rick Gabrillo; Roland Brown, the husband of De Sellers; Sylvia Williams White; and Liliana Segura.

Announcements

Tuesday, September 22, 7-8 pm: Mueller Tuesdays

Join us for Bible Study at the Cork Room in the Overture (4818 Berkman Dr, Austin, TX 78723). For more information, contact Rob Corcoran at robcorc@gmail.com.

Thursday, September 24, 7-8:30 pm in Founders Hall: St. James' Young Adults Gathering **Theme: "Let Me Put You On"**

Everyone gets 3–5 minutes to give a funny, interesting, or passionate presentation on basically anything—favorite movie, conspiracy theory, hobby, travel destination, niche interest, Bible topic, terrible dating story, “why my favorite team is actually going to win,” etc. For more info, contact Rev. Addison at addison@stjamesaustin.org.

Epsicobasics: New to St. James'? Want to learn about the Episcopal Church? Interested in Confirmation, Reception or Adult Baptism?

Join us on Saturdays, September 25 and October 3, from 12-3 pm for EpiscoBasics! Lunch is provided. Interested? Contact Rev. Eileen at rector@stjamesaustin.org.

Sunday, September 27: Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month

On this Sunday, we welcome The Rev. Nancy Frausto, Director of Latinx Ministries at the Seminary of the Southwest. Join us from 12-1 pm in Founders for coffee and conversation with The Rev. Nancy Frausto as we observe Hispanic Heritage Month.

Saturday, October 3, 9:30 am -10:30 am: The Blessing of the Animals

Join us as we gather on the grove (the area between the sanctuary and the school) for a brief service of blessing and follow-up festivities. You will want to be on time or a bit early, because it is a blessedly short service. If your animals are not crowd-friendly or easy to transport that's okay. Bring a picture! Stuffed animals are also welcome. Not able to attend? Send us a picture of your pets to office@stjamesaustin.org and we will share on the St. James's bulletin board on October 4.

Saturday, October 17, 10:30 am: A Celebration of the Life of Roland Brown

Please join us as we celebrate the life of Roland Brown. Notes and letters of condolence for De Sellers and family will be collected by the St. James' office, so bring them by or send them to 1941 Webberville, Austin, TX 78721.

Sunday, October 25, 2 -4:30 pm: Serve at Trinity Center

We will gather to serve our neighbors at the Trinity Center at 2pm. Trinity Center is in the basement of St. David's Church downtown. We'll set up the chairs for the service and begin preparing the food. Neighbors will come in at 3pm and begin the service. The service is pretty quick (30 min?) and everyone is encouraged to be together and participate in the service. After the service, we'll rearrange the chairs, add some tables, and start serving the food. We'll clean up after the meal and typically be done somewhere between 4 and 4:30. Questions? Contact Will Clark at will.clark.jr@gmail.com.

November 13-15: 32nd Annual Jazz at St. James'



Invite friends. This year's festival will feature the Grammy Award-winning jazz vocalist, Carmen Bradford, alongside up-and-coming artists from the Austin jazz community. Use the QR code to purchase your tickets.

Volunteer with Neighbor to Neighbor



Come see for yourself how fun it is to build community in service at Neighbor to Neighbor. Each first and third Tuesday of the month, volunteer teams pack and share over 5,500 pounds of food, serving more than 400 neighbors. Everybody gives, everybody receives, and the laughter is wonderfully contagious. Details, dates and sign up are available using the QR code or tiny.cc/welcometable.