**Saint George’s Episcopal Church**

*Welcome all visitors to Saint George’s this morning and invite you to join us for refreshments after the liturgy. Please be sure to sign the guest register at the entrance of the church. We are blessed by your presence with us and hope you will consider being a part of this faith community.*

**9th Sunday after Pentecost**

**The Calendar**

*Saint George’s Episcopal Church is a parish in the Diocese of Georgia, a constituent member of the Episcopal Church, USA and the World-wide Anglican Communion.*

The Right Reverend Frank Logue

11th Bishop of Georgia

The Rev. David Lemburg

Rector

The Rev. Craig Dolack

Priest Associate

Dr. Carol Benton

Organist & Choir Director

Ms. Cam Mathis

Senior Warden

Mr. Ed Reames

Junior Warden

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**for the Week of July 25, 2021**

**Sunday 9:30 AM**

**Holy Eucharist**

**Broadcast on Facebook**

**Thursday**

**Holy Eucharist 6:30 PM**

**Communion outside after all Services of Holy Eucharist**

***Whoever you are, wherever you find yourself on the journey of faith there is a place here for you.***

**Music**

Prelude Contemplation on “Hanson Place” (Sewell)

Gradual #455 O Love of God, how strong and true

Offertory #448 O love, how deep, how broad, how high (vs. 1,2,3,6)

Postlude Resounding Praise (Giamanco)

**Announcements**

COVID-19 Please wear a mask, wash hands, and social distance.

The flowers are given to the greater glory of God by Joyce & Pearce Connerat who are thankful for their many blessings.

Names for August’s Prayers of the People can be sent to

Thank you to everyone who helps in and around the church, especially to Fr. Craig, Cam, our Sr. Warden, Claudia who helps the bulletin. Fr. David’s time away was very good for his soul and his family.

**The Collect**

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**First Reading The 2nd Book of Kings 4:42-44**

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, “Give it to the people and let them eat.” But his servant said, “How can I set this before a hundred people?” So he repeated, “Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the Lord, ‘They shall eat and have some left.’” He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the Lord.

**Psalm 145:10-19** *Exaltabo te, Deus*

10 All your works praise you, O Lord, \* and your faithful servants bless you.

11 They make known the glory of your kingdom \* and speak of your power;

12 That the peoples may know of your power \* and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

13 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom; \* your dominion endures throughout all ages.

14 The Lord is faithful in all his words \* and merciful in all his deeds.

15 The Lord upholds all those who fall; \* he lifts up those who are bowed down.

16 The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord, \* and you give them their food in due season.

17 You open wide your hand \* and satisfy the needs of every living creature.

18 The Lord is righteous in all his ways \* and loving in all his works.

19 The Lord is near to those who call upon him, \* to all who call upon him faithfully.

**The Epistle Blessed Paul’s letter to the Ephesians 3:14-21**

I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen

**The Gospel St. John 6:1-21**

Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, “Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?” He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, “Six months’ wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little.” One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother, said to him, “There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?” Jesus said, “Make the people sit down.” Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, “Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost.” So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, “This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.” When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, “It is I; do not be afraid.” Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land toward which they were going.

### Around St. George’s

**Prayers for the Homebound:**

**Audrey Clark** is currently at Savannah Squares.

**Ben & Laura Mayes** are in their home at 19 Bundy Place.

**Jean Pollard** is mostly homebound and would love a phone call or card.

**Pat Cataldo** is recovering at home and would enjoy a call or card.

**Vestry Members:**

Cam Mathis **-**Sr. Warden Ed Reames – Jr Warden

Sheila Meredith Claudia Griffis

Beth Vickers Evelyn Reierson

The Next Vestry business meeting is **Aug 15th.**

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**July Birthdays:**

Jenny King July 2

Will McVay July 5

Luigi Monroid July 8

Matilda Friel July 9

Fr. Parker July 10

Ace Monroid July 25

**July Anniversaries:**

**Ministry Schedule**

Ministries July 25 Aug 1 Aug 8

VPOD Sheila Meredith Beth Vickers

Lector Jeni Swan Sheila Meredith

USHER/ Joyce Connerat BJ Ford

Greeter Claudia Griffis Cam Mathis

PRAYERS Macie Young Debby Thomas

ALTAR Claudia Griffis Sheila Meredith

GUILD

**July Prayer List**

Jean

Louise

Katie

Ellawene

Lauren & Jason

Jade

Patricia

Caroline

Kristin

Addison

Charlotte

Lori

Charlie

Erin

Chris

Leah

Tobin

Jim

Kim

Cami

Lars

Gary

Beth

Craig

Suzanne

Chip

Dave

Zack

Katie

Stacie

Jackson Family

Lee

Leila

Jane

Terrie & Bill

Jeremy & Jamison

Kathie & Matt

Bowers-Young

Family

John & Anne

Liberto & Family

Chris

Reggie

Sandra

Franke

Phillip

Angie

JY

Trish

Pete

Casey

Sam

Courtney

Andrew

Ben

Sheila& Stan

Vicki

BJ

Vicki & Jay

Sara & Jack

Hunni

Mary & Jeff

Callen & family

Coco

Wyatt

Frank

Pressley & Jackson

Hadley & Emily

Marion

Winifred & Pam

Robert