

# HOLY TRINITY

*Episcopal Church*



## *The Tempo*

**AUGUST 2021**

Seeking to **Love** with the heart of Christ, to **Think** with the mind of Christ and to **Act** in the world as the Body of Christ.

### **KEEPING THE FAITH: SUZ'S MONTHLY MESSAGE**

#### **WELCOME—CAREFULLY!**

Dear Ones,

August is traditionally a time when we begin to welcome people back to Holy Trinity after summer's relaxed and recreational focus. It is also traditionally a time to welcome people for the first time and to build excitement about the upcoming program year. This year, we are planning a variety of welcoming activities, but they will be somewhat different as we move through the continued concerns over COVID's spread in our area. We still have some members of our parish, primarily our youngest, who are not able to be vaccinated yet, so the leadership of the parish are watching guidelines and recommendations for that group very carefully as we make plans for the fall. At this time, we are making plans a couple of months at a time, so please watch *HT Notes* and *Tempo* very carefully to stay informed.

*Note: due to the spread of the Delta variant in our area and the changed guidance from the CDC, we are asking people to wear a mask for all indoor events for a while.*

This August, we will welcome our Episcopal Day School students and their families, continuing the COVID-19 protocols that we established last year. Following those protocols, with the cooperation of our wonderful teachers and families, EDS avoided any outbreaks of the virus, for which we are very thankful. Our new director, Stephanie LaGuardia, has been working diligently this summer to prepare for a safe, healthy, and happy school year. We are very pleased to welcome Ms. LaGuardia to Holy Trinity!

We will also welcome students to our refurbished Canterbury Student Center in the lower level of the parish hall. That space has been transformed by the opening of an exterior door and the installation of windows looking out onto Trinity Place, as well as fresh paint and new furnishings designed to provide study space, gathering space, and contemplative space for students. Fr. Noah has been gathering names and contact information of incoming students from around both dioceses in South Carolina and is expanding that network to include dioceses in North Carolina and Georgia, as well. Along with our Peer Ministers, Christine Scott and Emma Herrington, Fr. Noah is preparing for a strong welcome for students this month.

On Sunday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, we will welcome Bishop Waldo for his final visitation with us. Bishop Waldo, who is retiring at the end of this year, will celebrate and preach at our 10:30 Holy Eucharist, at which he will also Confirm two adults and 5 youth. We will greet Bishop Waldo and our Confirmands at a luncheon following the service. Box lunches will be provided, so we ask you to RSVP to Sheryl in the church office if you plan to attend.

We will also "welcome" our new organ this month! As of the last week in July, Lincoln Pipe Organ has installed the inner workings of the organ, and we expect the installation to be completed within a couple of weeks. Once Cynthia and the organ have become acquainted with one another, we will plan a concert and welcome the community to come and enjoy our beautiful new instrument.

Of course, we will continue to welcome our online worshipers on Sunday mornings at 10:30 am and each night at 8:30 pm for Compline. With each of these welcomes, we aim to keep Christ at the center of our parish life, because ultimately that is what we are welcoming people into: a Christ-centered life.

As always, take care and stay well! Much love, Suz+

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*Areas of responsibility for Vestry members are in  
italics following the members' names.*

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY #104, BEN!



On July 14, 2021, our own Ben  
Skardon celebrated his 104th  
birthday! What an achievement!!

To the right is Ben's photo from the  
1938 Clemson Yearbook, the *Taps*.



*Lieutenant Colonel*

B. N. SKARDON

*Battalion Commander*

### ACCESSING OUR SUNDAY MORNING LIVE WEBCASTS

We are now streaming the Sunday 10:30 am Holy Eucharist service live to  
both Facebook and YouTube. Here are the ways to connect:

#### — Via Notification:

If you have a Facebook account, and have "liked" our page... **OR** If you  
have a Google account, and have "subscribed" to our YouTube page you  
will receive a popup notification when the livestream begins (typically  
about 10:25 am). Just click the notification to watch.

#### — Via Bookmark:

Bookmark either of these links to view the livestream, or watch any  
previous videos.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/HolyTrinityClemson/videos>

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/c/HolyTrinityClemson/videos>

Please note that you do not need to be a member of Facebook, nor have a  
Google account, to watch the livestream, as they are public. Live  
commenting is available only on our Facebook page, and you must have a  
Facebook account to comment.

**FROM FR. NOAH, ASSISTANT TO THE RECTOR****WHY DO WE DO THAT? THE FEAST OF SAINT MARY THE VIRGIN**

If you talk to me long enough, eventually you will hear about my favorite painting: Henry Ossawa Tanner's depiction of Gabriel appearing to Mary to tell her of God's favor in asking her to be the mother of the Messiah. Mary is a young woman in this painting, really a teenager, gazing with uncertainty and curiosity at her mysterious visitor.



I think most of us focus on this version of Mary, the “Christmas Mary,” content to dwell on the parts of her story that have to do with the birth of Jesus. Fair enough. Mary appears precious few other times in the New Testament, probably in her 40s by the time Jesus begins his public work. There's the incident in Jerusalem when Jesus stays behind at the Temple as a boy. She's at the wedding in Cana, telling the servants to listen to her son. John the Beloved tells us that he was with her at the foot of the cross. She stays with the disciples in the upper room as they await the day of Pentecost. Mary also appears a few times in the Church's cycle of feasts, all of them focused on the first part of Mary's story too, the feast days that are really trying to tell us something about Jesus and the importance of the incarnation. That's as it should be; one of the jobs of the saints is to point us to Jesus, and no one does it better than Mary. But what about the woman herself? What did she do after Pentecost? What is it about Mary that not only singled her out to be the one to bring the Son of God into the world, but has captured the hearts and imaginations of theologians and artists and musicians and generations of simple faithful followers of her son?

On August 15, we observe a day simply called “the feast of Saint Mary the Virgin,” traditionally considered the day her earthly life ended. This, like most saints' days, offers us an opportunity to contemplate and celebrate her in her fullness, instead of only one event or moment in her life. The Church remembers her as a woman who had the clarity of mind and the courage to say yes to the risk and uncertainty of God's plan, who is singularly responsible for giving us the means of salvation through Jesus, and as someone with a special concern for the poor, the oppressed, the forgotten, and the perplexed. She is the counterpart to Eve, whose yes to God echoes through the ages to begin to heal the damage done in Eden at the dawn of time. As the mother of the body of Christ, she too is our mother as we are mystically joined together to be the Body of Christ today.

The Gospel reading on that Sunday will be the passage known as the Magnificat, or simply the Song of Mary (*Luke 1:46-55*). This is perhaps the greatest insight that scripture gives us into the kind of person she was, giving voice to her sense of what the implications of her incredible pregnancy would be: a world where God acts through the most unexpected people and brings about a world where we all enjoy the flourishing that God intends for us. It is one of the Church's oldest hymns, and has been sung as part of daily prayer in churches around the world since at least the 5th century; in Anglicanism it is especially an important part of Evening Prayer and hundreds of musicians have set it to music over the years (my personal favorite was written by Herbert Murrill in 1946). Broderick Greer, an Episcopal priest in Denver, has wondered whether this song became a lullaby that she sang to Jesus. Marion Hatchett, one of the editors of the 1979 Prayer Book, wrote, “As the song of Mary it is the song of the Church” - again pointing to Mary's role as the first person to bring Jesus into the world.

As we prepare to celebrate this feast and give thanks for God's presence in Mary's life and in her “yes,” perhaps you can spend some time praying with her through her song. Go online and listen to the wide range of musical styles and cultures who have sung this song. I hope you'll join us in church on August 15 as we join our voices to hers in praise to the God who is turning everything right side up.

*Fr. Noah Stansbury*



## CARE OF PEOPLE

*Love with the Heart of Christ*

### BISHOP WALDO TO VISIT HOLY TRINITY



Bishop Waldo will come to Holy Trinity on August 22<sup>nd</sup> to celebrate the Holy Eucharist, preach, and Confirm several parishioners at our 10:30 am service. It will be his final visitation with us before his retirement at the end of this year, so please plan to join us in person or online to hear his message to us and to witness the Confirmations of Andrew Baker, Roger Brown, Ashley Crouse, Mason Johnstone, Jack Purkerson, Greyson Tindal, and Shelby Wallace.

There will be a luncheon in the Parish Hall following the service. Please RSVP to Sheryl in the church office if you plan to attend, so that we can plan for an adequate number of box lunches.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING

The chalice is back! We need Eucharistic Ministers to administer the chalice. The technique is a bit different, but the reverence and grace of this ministry are still a blessing to all who worship with us. We will hold a training session at 11:45 am on Sunday, August 8, in the Nave. If you are currently licensed or would like to be licensed for this ministry, please plan to attend this training.



### PRAYER LIST

You will now be able to access the prayer list each week through the *Everything You Need for Sunday* email, which goes out each Sunday morning at 7:00 a.m. If you do not normally receive it, please contact Sheryl Shankles.

### CHILDREN'S CHAPEL COMES TO YOU

Mtr. Suz and Fr. Noah are now providing a weekly Children's Chapel Service online. This brief service will include prayers, a reading from the lectionary, and a children's message. Go to

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sKev46Zae5Q>

or view it from the Sunday email later, so that you can access it at a time that works for your family's schedule. We hope that these 10-12 minutes of chapel will be a blessing to you and your family.





# FORMATION

*Think with the Mind of Christ*

## INTRODUCING OUR 2021-22 CANTERBURY PEER MINISTERS!

I am very pleased to introduce you to our Peer Ministers for the upcoming academic year. In our diocese, every Canterbury ministry has one or two student leaders who are responsible for recruitment, program planning, and collaborating with clergy advisors on spiritual formation. In the 2020-21 academic year this position was held by Christine Scott '21, and she returns to that role for the fall semester as she prepares for graduation in December. Emma Harrington '23 will also serve as a Peer Minister for both the fall and spring semesters. Christine and Emma are both known to some of you, and I hope that you will take a moment to say hello when you see them around the parish this year!

--Fr. Noah

### Christine Scott

**Class Year:** 2021

**Major:** Construction Science and Management

**Home Parish:** St Bartholomew's, North Augusta, SC

I have been coming to Canterbury since I transferred to Clemson three years ago and have loved it ever since. My dog, Copper, also has loved Canterbury since his first visit as a little puppy and continues to join me for the occasional Canterbury Wednesday night activity. The peer minister position was offered to me last year and I was more than excited to be in charge of the community that means so much to me. Being in this position has allowed me to learn and grow in my connection with God and my community. I am excited to see what this year brings for Canterbury!



### Emma Harrington

**Class Year:** 2023

**Major:** Bioengineering

**Minor:** French Studies

**Home Parish:** St. John's, Charlotte, NC

I'm really excited to be leading Canterbury this year with Christine! In my free time, I enjoy reading, writing, and hanging out with my friends. I love the small community that is Holy Trinity and its Canterbury group - I feel like it's so easy to get to know people here.



**Canterbury of Clemson**  
Episcopal Campus Community

We are taking sign-ups for parish members to provide meals for the Canterbury. To sign up, go to

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d4ba8ae2ea0f94-canterbury9>

Contact Sue Smink at [ssmink55@gmail.com](mailto:ssmink55@gmail.com) with questions. All slots are currently open between 8/25 and 12/8. Please help feed our Canterbears!



# FORMATION



## THRIFT SHOP

We are closed for the summer after another great year and will reopen Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>. Thanks so very much to everyone who helped – either through working or donations.

If you have donations this summer, contact Diana Manly (722-5112), Wendy Longo (722-5477) or Sally Mathiasen (654-1733) to arrange a drop-off time.

## LINCOLN PIPE ORGAN

Lincoln Pipe Organ is onsite last week and this week, finishing the installation of the inner workings of the organ and putting up the decorative panels for the reredos (the housing structure of the new organ).

The picture on the right is from August 1. The installation may not yet be completed, but this will be something to see on Sunday! You can check it out in person or online.



## LEMONADE ON THE LAWN



Volunteers are needed for Lemonade on the Lawn (or more accurately, lemonade under the bell tower). This is a weekly hospitality activity that immediately follows the 10:30 am indoor service. Participants can enjoy lemonade and cookies as they fellowship with others of the church family. We need volunteers for set up and clean up beginning now and continuing through the summer.

Please contact Cindy Thackham at [Cdjpt@att.net](mailto:Cdjpt@att.net) or call 864-280-0539 with questions.

## MASKS RETURN



We have been watching with great consternation the increasing numbers of cases of the Delta variant of the Covid virus. We have appreciated the steps we have been able to take toward a less restrictive existence this summer. Much of this was the result of people getting vaccinated. With the drop-off in vaccinations and the rise of the Delta variant, cases are once again on the rise. Consequently, the CDC issued new guidelines calling for everyone to wear masks indoors in counties where the risk of infection is high or substantial. On that day, Pickens, Oconee, Anderson, and Greenville were identified as being at substantial risk of infection. Since then, three of the four counties have been moved to the high risk classification. As a result, we now ask that everyone wear masks indoors until the rate of infections decreases in this area to bring county risk classifications below the threshold indicated in the CDC guideline—that is, below the classification of substantial risk. We will be wearing masks as we lead worship because we believe it is the right thing to do.

The practice of our faith requires sacrifice, a willingness to “bear one another’s burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ” (Galatians 6:2). Our life as a Christian community is grounded in the love of Jesus, who calls us to love one another as he loves us (*John 13:34*). This call to love holds true when we are comfortably at peace with one another, and we are particularly called to this love in the midst of our anxiety and frustration. The current situation will not last forever, but it is necessary for us to respond to it here and now.

Much love, Suz+ and Noah+



# FORMATION



## SEEKING SINGERS....COME JOIN US!!

The Chancel Choir is recruiting new members for our new season beginning in August. We are a friendly group that enjoys learning together and takes pride in providing a music ministry for Holy Trinity. Drop by for a visit anytime; sing with us for the season or the whole year. There is no cost to participate and no experience is required.

Minimum age requirement is 15.

Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings from 6:00—7:30 p.m. We will resume on August 11<sup>th</sup>.

“Serve the Lord with gladness; come before his presence with singing.” Psalm 100:2

For more information, please contact Rebecca Bowman at 864.506.2382 or Cynthia Spejewski at 864.650.8480

## UPDATED DIRECTORY

Holy Trinity needs an updated pictorial directory and we are anticipating putting one together for the congregation after the first of the year. But, to tide you over until then, here's a link where you can download a secure document containing our members' information from



[www.holytrinityclmson.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/HTC-Pictureless-Directory.pdf](http://www.holytrinityclmson.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/HTC-Pictureless-Directory.pdf)

Just post it on your computer or, better yet, save it to your smart phone and you'll always have what you need.



## PEACEBUILDING ONLINE PROJECT BEGINS AUGUST 1<sup>ST</sup>

The Episcopal Peace Fellowship (an organization with The Episcopal Church) will host a series of online one-hour presentations the first Sunday of each month starting in August, focusing on different aspects of and approaches to peacebuilding,

both with others and within ourselves. The group will first meet (via Zoom) at 4 pm on Sunday, August 1.

Please plan to attend as many of the monthly gatherings as you can to hear inspiring voices and discover resources for going deeper. This is an opportunity to connect with Episcopalians from around the country, if you are interested.

To learn more about each month's offering, and to register for any and all, go to:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/o/episcopal-peace-fellowship-33346431403>

## ST. ANDREWS TAIZÉ SERVICE

Saint Andrews will hold “Prayer in the Style of Taizé” services on the last Thursday of every month. They're at 10 am and 7 pm in the little chapel on the corner (Saint Andrews's old chapel.) Jamie Dean accompanies the refrains on harp or piano, and sometimes they might have a flute player and sometimes a violinist join them. We have an open invitation to join them at any service.



# CHURCH AND THE WORLD

*Act in the World as the Body of Christ*

## SINGING ROOSTER SPECIAL OFFER

For a limited time only, your Singing Rooster sales force is offering a back to school, nearing-pandemic-end special to the regular coffee drinkers of our parish.

**You can now special order a fresh 5 pound bag of delicious coffee for a mere \$50!**

That's 25% off the regular price saving not only money but packaging as well. Contact Harry Morse (email: [hgmorse@gmail.com](mailto:hgmorse@gmail.com) or text) before Labor Day weekend to place your order.

Remember, these beans are now harvested from the hillsides of our adopted Haitian village, Bois Joli. They are sold "fair trade" and any profit at our end goes to support our university students in Port au Prince.

***A good deal all the way around!!*** A price more than competitive with Starbucks for a far superior premium coffee, mountain grown in the Central Plateau of Haiti.



## FOOD SERVICE PROTOCOLS

Several leaders of hospitality ministries at Holy Trinity met recently to develop and plan for safe procedures for food service at Holy Trinity this fall. Contributing to the discussion were: Mary Bowman and Judy Eidson, representing the Pasqualies; Robbie Grider, representing breakfast teams and Engagement/Fellowship (Jan Cribb was unable to join us, but contributed ideas in writing), and Beth Kunkel, who manages our kitchen. Each group that offers food service will receive the guidelines developed at this meeting and should plan to follow them.

In general, the guidelines eliminate self-service buffet lines, either by providing for pre-packaged or plated food or by calling for volunteers to serve food, minimizing the possibility of contact transfer of germs. These guidelines also limit the number of people working at the kitchen, as well as the traffic in and out of the kitchen. With these guidelines in place, we hope to resume some of our fellowship activities in the months to come—safely and with thanksgiving!







# CHURCH AND THE WORLD



## Holy Trinity Bazaar & Artisan Market



### HOLY TRINITY'S BAZAAR AND ARTISAN MARKET IS BACK!

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, October 16!** The date is early this year, but it will be here before we know it, and there will be lots to enjoy that day from **10 am until 2 pm**. We are hoping for good weather so some vendors can be outside on our new Trinity Place green space.

Bill Purkerson and his incredible crew will be serving lunch. Holy Trinity's Caring Crafters will have – among other items – their usual selection of fantastic doll clothes. Our handmade church mice and angels will be out in full regalia, including their friends, the cheerleaders. We still have just a few of our stained glass window ornaments available. Of course, the beautiful gift baskets that Iris Reed creates will be featured. There will be baked goods, jams and preserves, and frozen meals available for purchase, as well as plants and seedlings. St. Paul's Thrift Shop will display special items reserved specifically for this event.



And the silent auction will feature its usual variety, which includes this hand-knit wool afghan (pictured above). The most important part – something that keeps so many of us involved – is that **all of Holy Trinity's bazaar profits are donated to local charities!**

Years ago a devoted parishioner reminded all of us, "Without people attending, the bazaar cannot be a success!" This is a day the Tigers will not play football, so do plan to come!

### FOOD BOOTH

I want to remind those canning and pickling to consider making a some extras for the bazaar October 16th! Also, be thinking of what you can contribute to the food booth for the bazaar-we have some talented and terrific bakers at Holy Trinity! Thanks! Call 864-280-0539 or email [Cdjpt@att.net](mailto:Cdjpt@att.net) with questions.

*Cindy Thackham*

### ADVERTISING

You can help us **advertise the upcoming Bazaar!** Go to [HolyTrinityClemson.org](http://HolyTrinityClemson.org) where you will find an ad inviting artisans to take part in the Holy Trinity October 16<sup>th</sup> bazaar. You can let all of your social media contacts know about it and ask them to send it to all of their contacts so that we will have vast community participation. Please encourage any crafters or artisans you know to register for a table where they can display their beautiful work. Help us make this year's bazaar the best one yet!





# CHURCH AND THE WORLD

## UPDATES FROM CANGE AND BOIS JOLI, HAITI

Several of our fellow parishioners have expressed concern in recent weeks for the safety and security of our brothers and sisters in Haiti. As most of you know, Haiti has been embroiled in a political crisis for almost a year now brought on in large part by economic stresses of the pandemic and suspicion of financial malfeasance around a petroleum deal with Venezuela. Gang violence, kidnappings, and paralyzing street demonstrations became the norm. Divisions in the parliament led to its dissolution as the embattled president did what he could to govern an increasingly ungovernable country. Things came to a head in early July as Covid cases were surging (both Father Lafontant and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court died of Covid-19 the last week in June) when President Jovenel Moise was assassinated in his home on July 7. By the constitution, he should have been succeeded by the Chief Justice who has recently passed so a power struggle ensued between the current Prime Minister and his designated successor. A veneer of calm was restored when Dr. Ariel Henry was recognized as Prime Minister and defacto leader of the government. The first shipment of 500,000 Moderna mRNA vaccines arrived last week donated by the U.S. through the WHO COVAX program. This will provide for the first vaccines available in country and will allow for long overdue vaccination of 250,000 front line healthcare workers.



In the midst of this maelstrom of health and civil unrest, our students, healthcare workers, and longtime coworkers living in Port au Prince and the Central Plateau have soldiered on. I have heard from several of our students, all of whom so far have stayed safe and have kept up with their academics thanks to our scholarship support. Our dedicated Community Health Workers in Cange and the surrounding nine villages, including Bois Joli, have continued to treat our hypertensive patients, monitoring their blood pressures and providing our prescribed medications. In June, a 12-month supply of HCTZ, amlodipine, and enalapril arrived safely in Cange from Amsterdam, funded by our diocese through our World Missions Committee. The water system in Cange has continued to provide high quality potable water to the village and hospital thanks to the efforts of Clemson trained local Haitian technicians with regular consultation from the Clemson Engineers for Developing Countries (CEDC) advisors coordinated by our fellow parishioner, David Vaughn. Tilapia farming continues in Lake Peligre, agricultural training and support (including now chickens and goats!) continues through our vocational school in Corporant improving food security in the Central Plateau. Excellent coffee beans are being harvested from the hillsides near Bois Joli and are marketed "fair trade" by our friends at Singing Rooster. Summits Education, under the direction of Father Lafontant's daughter Marie Flore with Dr. Earl Burch serving on their board, continues to operate 40 primary schools in rural villages (among them Bois Joli!). This in addition to providing administrative support to around 50 university students, many of whom are funded through our Holy Trinity Outreach Committee and several individual parishioners.

To summarize, life in Haiti continue to be difficult but our 40 year partnership with our Haitian brothers and sisters continues to make a sustainable and palpable difference. Thanks be to God for the opportunities we've had and continue to have to "Act in the World as the Body of Christ."

Please continue to keep our beloved Haiti in your thought and prayers.

Harry Morse

## STEWARDSHIP

Winston Churchill said

*"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give".*

Ponder that statement. Isn't that one of the major considerations behind Christian Stewardship? The correct "mindset" for forming our individual stewardship goals, an approach which results in blessings both outward and inward.



### AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Carmen Purkerson III	08/01
Don & Marjorie Campbell	08/20
Harold & Libby Woodell	08/22

This page of *Tempo* lists the wedding anniversaries and birthdays of parishioners. If you would like to have your anniversary or birthday included, email

[htchurch@holyltrinityclermson.org](mailto:htchurch@holyltrinityclermson.org)

### FLOWER LIST



If you would like to provide altar flowers in honor/memory of a loved one during 2021, you may do so by sending Sheryl an email with the date, the name of the person to be remembered/honored and any specific directions you may want (example: type or color of flowers). I will get it in the book and you will be billed directly by Tiger Lilly Florist. Please use the email [htchurch@holyltrinityclermson.org](mailto:htchurch@holyltrinityclermson.org)

These flowers are divided up each week and taken to parishioners. If you know of someone who needs some sunshine in their life, please let Mtr. Suz know.

### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

David Johnstone	8/2	Sharon Lane	8/16
Judy Surak	8/2	Crawford Robb	8/16
Robbie Hughes	8/3	Serena DuBose	8/18
Julie Lewis	8/3	Melanie Beddow	8/20
Jane Hamilton	8/6	Eric Crouse	8/20
Carl Redd	8/6	Nancy Pate	8/24
Amelia Linvill	8/8	Nanine Hartzenbusch Fox	8/25
David Robb	8/10	Louise Shipps	8/25
Frank Johnson	8/11	Byron Harder	8/26
Barbara Lewis-Witmer	8/11	Terri Mayberry	8/26
Libby Woodell	8/11	Daniel Smith	8/26
Jack Davis	8/12	Muriel Kaye	8/27
Jack Elam	8/12	Keri Anderson	8/28
Bill Hurst	8/14	Rowan Evans	8/28
Cindy Thackham	8/14	Jean Jameson	8/30
Tah-Teh Yang	8/15	Nigel Kaye	8/31
Beth Carney	8/16		



August Birth Flower:  
*Gladiolus*



August Birthstone:  
*Peridot*

### Operating Fund

#### Financial Update as of July 29, 2021

Income \$44,542.38  
Expense \$41,256.85

**\$3,285.53**

#### First Citizens Bank Note Payables as of July 29, 2021

**\$1,547,705.54**

# CALENDAR

# AUGUST 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 8 am Holy Eucharist Rite I 9:30 am Backpack Blessing 10:30 am Holy Eucharist 11:15 am Lemonade on lawn 11:30 am Zoom Coffee Hour 4 pm Backpack Blessing 5 pm Holy Eucharist, St. Paul's	2	3 11 am Bible Study	4 10 am Holy Eucharist at the Downs 2 pm HT Notes deadline	5	6	7 10 am Liz Halpin Funeral at St. Paul's 11:30 am Liz Halpin Reception at HT
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22 <b>Bishop Waldo's Visitation</b> 8 am Holy Eucharist Rite I 10:30 am Rites of Initiation 11:15 am Lemonade on lawn 11:30 am Zoom Coffee Hour	23	24 11 am Bible Study	25 2 pm HT Notes deadline 6 pm Canterbury	26	27	28
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