

CATHEDRAL CONNECTIONS

Readings, Announcements, Schedules | July 30, 2017

Today's Readings

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

The Collect of the Day

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 Genesis 29: 15-28

Then Laban said to Jacob, 'Because you are my kinsman, should you therefore serve me for nothing? Tell me, what shall your wages be?' Now Laban had two daughters; the name of the elder was Leah, and the name of the younger was Rachel. Leah's eyes were lovely, and Rachel was graceful and beautiful. Jacob loved Rachel; so he said, 'I will serve you seven years for your younger daughter Rachel.' Laban said, 'It is better that I give her to you than that I should give her to any other man; stay with me.' So Jacob served seven years for Rachel, and they seemed to him but a few days because of the love he had for her.

Then Jacob said to Laban, 'Give me my wife that I may go in to her, for my time is completed.' So Laban gathered together all the people of the place, and made a

feast. But in the evening he took his daughter Leah and brought her to Jacob; and he went in to her. (Laban gave his maid Zilpah to his daughter Leah to be her maid.) When morning came, it was Leah! And Jacob said to Laban, 'What is this you have done to me? Did I not serve with you for Rachel? Why then have you deceived me?' Laban said, 'This is not done in our country—giving the younger before the firstborn. Complete the week of this one, and we will give you the other also in return for serving me for another seven years.' Jacob did so, and completed her week; then Laban gave him his daughter Rachel as a wife.

Gradual Psalm 105: 1-11; 45b

- O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name,*
 make known his deeds among the peoples.
- ² Sing to him, sing praises to him;* tell of all his wonderful works.
- ³ Glory in his holy name;* let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.
- Seek the Lord and his strength;* seek his presence continually.
- Remember the wonderful works he has done,*
 his miracles, and the judgements he has
 - uttered,
- O offspring of his servant Abraham,* children of Jacob, his chosen ones.
- ⁷ He is the Lord our God;*

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- his judgements are in all the earth.
- ⁸ He is mindful of his covenant for ever,* of the word that he commanded, for a thousand generations,
- the covenant that he made with Abra ham,*
 - his sworn promise to Isaac,
- which he confirmed to Jacob as a statute,* to Israel as an everlasting covenant,
- saying, 'To you I will give the land of Canaan*
- as your portion for an inheritance.'
 that they might keep his statutes and observe his laws.*
 - Praise the Lord!

Second Reading Romans 8: 26-39

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was

raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written,

'For your sake we are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.'

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gospel Reading Matthew 13:31-33; 44-52

He put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.'

He told them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened.'

'The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it.

'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will

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come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

'Have you understood all this?' They answered, 'Yes.' And he said to them, 'Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.'

Summer Adult Forum

The Vocation of Discipleship

In the midst of our busy lives it can be difficult to hear God's call. How do we know what God is calling us to? What does it mean to be a follower of God's call in our life given these worldly demands? What is the relationship between God's call to salvation and to faithfulness in our daily lives?

Join us on Summer Sundays from 9:15 am—10 am on the 3rd Floor of St. Margaret's House.

Choir Call-Out for Sunday, August 6

On Sunday, August 6, we will celebrate both the Feast of the Transfiguration and our patronal feast—the Feast of Saint James—which we are transferring from July 25 (see back page). Our Director of Music, Dr. Steven Wietstock, invites anyone who wishes to sing in the choir for this special occasion to come to rehearsal at 9 am on Sunday, August 6. If you can let him know in advance of your intention to sing in the choir that day, that would be helpful. Come, lend your voice to our special celebration!

IN THE EVENT OF A PASTORAL EMERGENCY

Please contact Fr. Brian Grantz at (574) 340-5150 or Dcn. Anne Wietstock at (574) 286-4215.

Discipleship Groups

for All Ages

Nursery

Infants, Toddlers, & Pre-Schoolers Sundays: 9—11:15 am & Special Events

Catechesis of The Good Shepherd

Preschool—1st Grade
On Summer Hiatus

Sunday School

2nd—6th Grade
On Summer Hiatus

Adult Forum

Open to all Sunday: 9:15—10 am St. Margaret's House, 3rd floor

Youth Group

7th—12th grade Select Sundays, 12—1:30 pm

Brotherhood of St Andrew

For men & boys Sundays as announced

Cathedral Choir

Open to all
On Summer Hiatus

Daughters of the King

For women & girls 2nd Saturdays: 9:30 am

Education for Ministry

By registration only Mondays: 7:00 pm, New Course February 2018

Ecumenical Bible Study

Open to all Monthly on Sundays: 12:00 pm Location varies

Raising Cane

Open to all 2nd & 4th Tuesdays: 10:15 am St. Margaret's House, 3rd floor

Evangelism & Welcome

Cathedral Chapter

Wardens & Vestry

Wardens

Dr. Michael McCrea
Senior Warden

through February 2018

Ms. Jane Hunter
JUNIOR WARDEN

through February 2019

Chapter

Mr. Stephen Drendall Ms. Nancy Noecker Dr. Bunmi Okanlami through February 2018

Mr. Christopher Sallak Dr. Paul Schultz Ms. Erica Vitale Ms. Wendy Wilson through February 2019

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Mr. Tim Haywood

Greater Cathedral Chapter

The Rev. Jen Fulton Mr. William Wandland through 2017

Mr. Tim McLaughlin The Rev. Clark Miller through 2018



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Table Fellowship Groups						
	Dining Out Group	Pizza Fellowship	Game Night Fellowship			
Next Date	TBD	Tuesday, August 15	Friday, August 18			
Location	TBD	Pie Five 5111 N Main St. Mishawaka	Frank & Karen Gray Residence 3820 Nall Court South Bend			
Time	6:30 pm	6:30 pm	6:30 pm			
RSVP by	TBD	Mon., Aug. 14	Thu., Aug. 17			
Contact	Steven Mast 232-4837 office@ stjamessouthbend.org	Holly Sparks - Henderson hollyissmiling @gmail.com	Karen Gray 231-8002 karenandfrank @comcast.net			

Notes & News

The **flowers** adorning our worship this morning are offered by Gay & Mike McCrea to the Greater Glory of God, and in celebration of Carter and Mike McCrea's birthdays!



Congratulations to all who have graduated high school or college this year! Best of luck in your future endeavors.

HIGH SCHOOL

Naomi Culbertson (Clay), daughter of Hal & Rhonda Culbertson Mary & Matthew Henderson (Marian) children of Chris Henderson Emily Demler (Clay), daughter of Dan and Heather Demler Emma Schultz (Penn Valedictorian), daughter of Paul Schultz & Margaret Forster

COLLEGE

Nicholas Fischbach, JD (Washington University Law School), son of Tom & Susan Fischbach

Christopher Sallak, BGS, Arts & Humanities Concentration; Religious Studies Minor(Indiana University)

Thomas Worns, BS, Software Engineering (Purdue), son of Michael & Laura Worns

Mission & Ministry

Third Quarter Care & Share: \$95 Collected, to Date Episcopal Relief & Development | United Thank Offering



Episcopal Relief & Development (www.episcopalrelief.org) works with Church partners and other local organizations to save lives and transform communities worldwide. We rebuild after disasters and empower people to create lasting solutions that fight poverty, hunger and disease. Working in close to 40 countries, our programs impact the lives of approximately 3 million people around the world. Our mandate is taken from Jesus' words found in Matthew 25.

All of Episcopal Relief & Development's international development programs seek to mobilize local resources and expertise toward sustainable, community-led programs that address poverty, hunger and disease. In our disaster response and recovery work, we seek to build resilience and reduce risk at every stage.



United Thank Offering (UTO) is a ministry of The Episcopal Church for the mission of the whole church. Through UTO, men, women, and children nurture the habit of giving daily thanks to God. These prayers of thanksgiving start when we recognize and name our many daily blessings. Those who participate in UTO discover that thankfulness leads to generosity. UTO is entrusted to promote thank offerings, to receive the offerings, and to distribute the monies to support mission and ministry throughout The Episcopal Church and Provinces of the Anglican Communion.

To learn more about how to participate in the United Thank Offering, please watch the video posted at:

www.episcopalchurch.org/page/united-thank-offering.

Online Cathedral Connections



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stjamessouthbend.org



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Serving Our Parish

	July 30	August 6	August 13	August 20		
Altar Guild	Patty Hans	Randy Colburn Paul Hochstetler Kathy Kallenberg	Holly Sparks- Henderson	Cherryl Andries		
Altar Linens	Cherryl Andries For Friday, August 4	Mary Lehman For Friday, August 11	Becky Ballentine For Friday, August 18	DeDe Guth For Friday, August 25		
	8:00 am					
Chalice	Jay Love	Bill Brennen	Tracy Rose-Love	Duncan Thompson		
Lector	Tracy Rose-Love	Kate Lee	Charlotte Thompson	Max Thompson		
Usher	Bob Sones	Harold Means	Bob Sones	Bob Sones		
	10:15 am					
Acolytes	Abby Gray Anne Gray	Matthew Worns POSITION OPEN POSITION OPEN	Tim Gray Cherryl Andries	Kirk Philippsen Anne Gray		
Chalice	David Matthews Joe Ross	Nan Noecker Tracy Rose-Love	Steven Mast Betsy VanderBurg	Tracy Rose-Love Betsy VanderBurg		
Lectors	Julie Martindale Doug Martindale	Margaret Kenney Joe Ross	Dan Demler Tamisyn Grantz	Feranmi Okanlami Bunmi Okanlami		
Greeters	Laura & Michael Worns	Yvonne Furman Kim Gray	Elaine & Wyatt Mick	Peg Swadener POSITION OPEN		
Ushers	Keith LaPierre Matthew Worns	Mike McCrea Tony Molnar	Mike McCrea Erica Vitale	Mike Swadener Erica Vitale		
Hospitality	Nan Noecker	Tina Velthuizen	Rhonda Culbertson	Lisa Philippsen		
Eucharistic Visitors	Betsy VanderBurg	Gail & Fred Buechner	Stephen Drendall Nan Noecker	David Matthews		
Counters	Harold Means Elaine Mick <i>Tuesday, August 1</i>	POSITION OPEN Betsy VanderBurg Tuesday, August 8	Dale Engles Peg Swadener <i>Tuesday, August 15</i>	Harold Means Bob Sones <i>Tuesday, August 22</i>		
Folders	Gay McCrea Mike Swadener <i>Friday, August 4</i>	POSITION OPEN DeDe Guth Friday, August 11	Joni Carlson Gay McCrea <i>Friday, August 18</i>	Tony Molnar POSITION OPEN <i>Friday, August 25</i>		

For Your Prayers

PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER

30 Michael & Catherine Wraight, Emmett, Wyatt, Harriet, Landrie Mattern; Danae & Michael Yankoski, Maggie; Don & Rosemary Zigler; 31 The Greater Cathedral Chapter; Family members of all who attend this Cathedral 1 Jessica & Scott Ambrose; Jeff Ambrose; Cherryl Andries; Dave & Myra Anthony; Becky Ballentine; Christine & Peter Barrett; Nathaniel, Caleb, & Sadie; 2 Terri & Tim Bays; Elizabeth, Rachel; Jamie & Mimi Bilbrey, Joely; 3 Bill Bissell; Ginger & Richard Bitner; Bill Brennen; Kay Brubaker; Fred & Gail Buechner; Jenny Burkhart-Miller; Tom & Elizabeth Burman; 4 Pete Buttigieg & Chasten Glezman; Mary Jo Campbell; Stephanie & Will Campbell; Joni Carlson; David & Wendy Chapman, Corin, Padraig; 6 Jim & Sharon Cohen; Randy Colburn & Paul Hochstetler; Hal & Rhonda Culbertson, Naomi; Andrew & Catherine Craker, James, Matthew

FOR HEALING

Rick Bakos; Sheri Basta; Deb Biek; Steve Bizarro; Blake; Duke Brockschmidt; Fred & Gail Buechner; Ed Carlson; Russ Cartwright; George Cuccia; Norm Dales; Erika; David Farrow; Gary Ferguson; Tim Goodrich; Benjamin Haywood; John Illes; Morgan Jackson; Mike Jaworski; Linda Jones; Julie; Aunt Katie; Margaret Kenney; Joyce Marchant; Elaine & Wyatt Mick; Edie Minks; Nancy; Laura Pankow; Sanya Phillips; Shirley Riffell; Janie Rudolph; Kris Schrage; Fr. Jim Slack; Fr. Robert Smith; Richard Sobczak; Dana Sparks; Patti Stoelting; Terry; Carlos Wheeler

FOR GUIDANCE & STRENGTH

The Basta family; Gail Buechner; Joni Carlson; Cathy; the Dales Family; Helene Dauerty-Randles; Fenton DeWeese & family; the Duke family; the Ellis family Pam Ewald; the Farrow family; Joseph Fekete Family; Doris Gregory; the Hans family; the Harnish family; Pam Harris; Beth Hasz & family; the Hoover & Furman families; Erika Jackson; Karen; Karen Kimbriel; Doug Knox; the Kresser family; Marshall & Morgan; Steven Mast; David Matthews & Family; Sharron McGowan; the Mick & Worns families; Dcn. Janice Miller & family; Jack Moore; New Happenings Ministry; Mike Nemeth; the Okanlami family; Funnke Olugboji; Patty; the Rose-Love family; Joe Ross; the Pitre & Swadener families; Karen Slack; Chantelle Snyder; the Velthuizen family; the Vitale-Richards family; the Warne family; Victoria Whitfield; Steve Wietstock's family; Mary Beth Wright

FOR THOSE WHO ARE TRAVELING

The Grantz Family; Danielle Martindale; Ed & Helene Randles

FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

John Dales; Charles Dauerty; Eugene Harnish; Dan Martindale; Audrey Yakes

FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES AT HOME & ABROAD

Romeo Carvin; Will Cook; John Jarrett; Marvin Walters; Nathan Whitfield; Brittany Wilson

FOR THOSE WHO ARE HOMEBOUND

Kay Brubaker; Nancy Demler; Dion Duke; Enid Fisher; Joy Harnish; Clayton & Elizabeth Henderson; Yolanda Illes; Hal Marchant; Randy Marchant & Kathy Milbourne; Mary Miller; Laura Pankow; Nina Postle; Wilma Velthuizen

FOR THOSE CELEBRATING MILESTONES

7/30 Dan & Jodi Kallenberg; Alexia Rose; Adam Willows; 7/31 Helene & Ed Randles; 8/1 Kim Gray; 8/2 Naomi Lambelet; Bob Sones; Steven Wietstock; 8/4 Susan Fischbach; Jessica McCrea; Mary Means; 8/5 Richard Bitner

FOR THOSE PREPARING FOR HOLY MATRIMONY

Stephanie Gherardi & Will Campbell (8/5/17); Aaron Rose & Nicole Skudlarek (9/16/17); Caitlin Smith & Oyekola Oyekole (12/20/17); Andrew Hillman & Christopher Sallak (3/17/18); Leah Philippsen & Karl Ehlhardt (TBD 2018)

Around the World

The Anglican Communion

- 30 Pennsylvania; Pittsburgh The Episcopal Church
- 31 Polynesia

 Aotearoa NZ & Polynesia
- 1 Port Elizabeth Southern Africa
- 2 Popondota; Port Moresby Papua, New Guinea
- 3 Port Sudan Northern Sudan
- 4 Portsmouth Canterbury, England
- 5 Pretoria
 Southern Africa

Close to Home

Diocese of Northern Indiana

- 30 Licensed & Non-Parochial Clergy
- 31 Retired Clergy; Postulants & Candidates
- 1 Bishop Doug Sparks Diocesan Staff Youth & Camp Staff South Bend
- 2 Holy Family Angola
- 3 Saint George's Berne
- 4 Saint John of the Cross Bristol
- 5 Saint Francis Chesterton



Sunday, August 6, 2017

The Feast of the Transfiguration is a major feast in the Christian year appointed for observance on August 6.

The Feast of Saint James, our patron, is appointed for observance on July 25. Due to vacation schedules, it has become our habit to move our Feast day to the nearest convenient Sunday.

This year we get to do both on the same day.

We will celebrate the Holy Eucharist: Rite One at 8 am.

Choir rehearsal for our pick-up choir begins at 9 am.

At 10:15 am, our celebration of the Holy Eucharist will take place in five movements featuring Scripture, Song, Prayer, and Juggling.

Yes, juggling.

After the 10:15 service, join us for a special hospitality hour If you can, please bring finger food hors d'oeuvres, vegetables, crackers & cheese, and desserts to share.

Then...

Juggler LaMar Yoder will perform a full show. (40-45 minutes)

A free will offering will be taken up for Mr. Yoder. His normal fee is \$750, so please be generous.

Invite your family, friends, and neighbors!

Calendar

Worship, Meetings, Programs

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

8-3:30 Tue, Wed, Fri Fr. Brian on vacation through Wednesday, August 2

JULY 2017

30 8TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Holy Eucharist 8a Adult Forum 915a Holy Eucharist 1015a Hospitality 1130a

AUGUST 2017

- 1 Morning Prayer 9a
- 2 Evening Prayer 515p
- 4 Staff Meeting 830a Holy Eucharist 1205p Gherardi/Campbell Wedding Rehearsal 6p
- 5 Gherardi/Campbell Wedding 4p
- 6 FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION/ SAINT JAMES SUNDAY Holy Eucharist 8a Adult Forum 915a Holy Eucharist 1015a Hospitality 1130a
- 8 Morning Prayer 9a Raising Cane 1015a Finance Committee 5p Chapter Meeting 630p
- 9 Holy Eucharist 515p
- 11 Holy Eucharist 1205p
- 12 Daughters of the King 930a Swintz Vow Renewal 1130a
- 13 10th Sunday After PentecostHoly Eucharist 8aAdult Forum 915aHoly Eucharist 1015aHospitality 1130a
- 15 Morning Prayer 9a Pizza Fellowship 630p