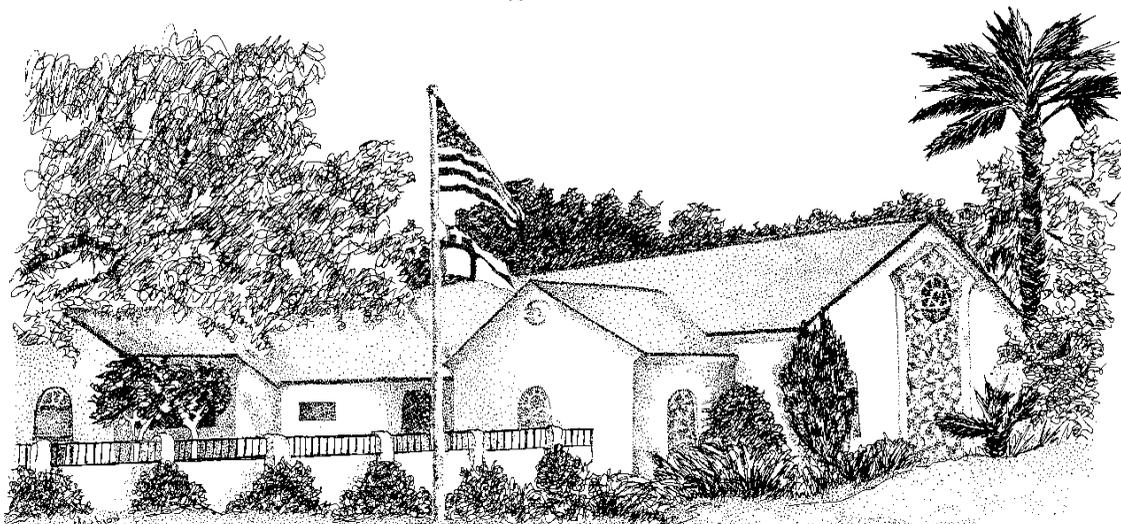


St. Alban's Anglican Cathedral

The Transfiguration of Christ

August 6, 2017



The drawing of St. Alban's Cathedral is the work of Marie Cashion, a member of the parish family.

Welcome!

We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us at St. Alban's. We are blessed by your presence. In this booklet you will find the order of the liturgy. In worship, we use the American Book of Common Prayer, 1928 Edition which is found in the pews. The hymns listed here and on the hymn board in the front of the church are found in the Red Hymnals in your pew. Our Bible readings are provided in this bulletin and Bibles are in your pew if you prefer to look up the passages.

Nursery care is available directly across the courtyard in the middle classroom of our fellowship hall.

PRELUDE

Processional Hymn (Stand) “ <i>Holy God, We Praise Thy Name</i> ”	Insert
Collect for Purity (Kneel)	Book of Common Prayer (BCP)* 67
Decalogue	BCP 68 Service Music*
Introit	
Summary of the Law	BCP 69
Collect for the Transfiguration of Christ	BCP 247
Collect for the Eighth Sunday after Trinity	BCP 199
Lesson: Exodus 34:29-35	Aubrey Clark
Psalm 99:1-9	BCP 462 Insert
Epistle: II Peter 1:13-21	
Gradual Hymn (sing full hymn before Gospel)	Hymnal 153
Holy Gospel: St. Luke 9:28-36	
Nicene Creed	BCP 71
Announcements/Special Blessings	
Sermon Hymn (Stand)	Hymnal 119
Sermon (Sit)	The Rev. David Keller
Offertory Sentences (Stand)	
Offertory (Sit)	

Offertory Music

King of Glory, King of Peace—George Herbert
Sarah Brodrecht, soloist

Presentation of Alms (Stand) (with Alleluias) **Hymnal 139**
Sam: All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.

Biddings: (Kneel) Pray Brethren ... **(R) May the Lord receive this
Sacrifice at thy hands to the praise and glory of His Name,
both to our benefit and that of all His Holy Church. Amen.**

Prayer for the Church (Kneel)	BCP 74-75
Invitation & Confession	BCP 75
Absolution & Comfortable Words	BCP 76
Sursum Corda, Sanctus & Benedictus	BCP 76-77 Hymnal 734 & 798
Canon of the Mass	BCP 80-81
The Great Amen	Hymnal 741
Lord’s Prayer	BCP 82 Hymnal 722
Prayer of Humble Access	BCP 82
Agnus Dei	Hymnal 723
Ecce Agnus Dei: Behold the Lamb of God ...	

**(R) Lord, I am not worthy that Thou shouldst come under my roof,
but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed. (3 times)**

*Book of Common Prayer can be found in Pew Racks
Eucharist Booklet Service Music = C

Communion Music

Communion of the Faithful (Kneel)

Communion Hymn (Kneel)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Gloria in excelsis (Stand)

Dismissal and Blessing (Kneel)

Recessional Hymn (Stand)

Hymnal 204

BCP 83

BCP 84

Hymnal 724

BCP 84

Hymnal 367

PRELUDE

Please join us for coffee and conversation in Grundorf Fellowship Hall (across the courtyard) after Mass.

PRAYER LIST

PARISHIONERS—Tom R., Fr. Boyd, Don and the Fielding family, Albert and Valda, Fr. Dane, Randolph and Norma, Joyce M., Eric and Martha, Sidonie, June, Ginny M., Ed and Norma, Sue S., Joan W., Andene, Marcia, Sarah E. and child, Ivy, Geraldine, Cathy, Scott R., Dorrett, Vivienne., Vicki, James L., Gretchen, Sabrina, Una, Don K., Ray S., Jordan S., Dutchie, Larry and Mary, Libby, Linda T., Linda P., Stephanie, Bert, Nancy, Hunt, Eva B., Paul, Jackie and Carlton, Jessie, Mary Ann, Joseph, Marie W., Lance, Terry, Gary G., Kathleen, Marilyn, Char, Anna, Marie C., Doris W., Karen, Barbara G., Olga, Virginia S., Ben, Jennie, Bill H., Robert, Doris B., Richard, Dione, Vilma and George, Sybil, Dale, McKenzie, Caroline, Savannah, Jordan.

FAMILY, FRIENDS & OTHERS—*Gary, Footie, Ainsely, Erika, Victoria B.*, Julia, Tyler, Mike and Patty, Sheila and George, Judi and Angie, David, Jean, Steve, Lee, Sarah L. and child, Jennifer, Denise and David, Jill and Peter, Rick, Sarah, Jenny and child, Anthony, Kathy, Caroline, Tyler, Catherine, Bill III and Maggie, Sonia, Michael, Maurice, Lorraine, Pat, Maureen, Barbara, Don, Omar, Rohan, Gil, Cecilia, Glynis, Geraldine, Elizabeth, Charles, John, Danielle, Christopher, Anna, Angela, Kef, John, Jennifer, Steve and Gina, Peter and Ellie, Susan, Janet.

TRAVEL—Tim, Don and Denise, the Burns family, Aaron and Barbara, Janet A., Bruce and Robbie, Sheila H., Norbert and Gabby, Joel and Martha, the McLean family, and Susan K.

ARMED FORCES—All those serving our country and especially those serving overseas: Michael and family in Korea; Sara, Sandra, and Scott in Afghanistan.

RIP—Bob Knott and Bertie Decker (family friends of Bill and Marilyn Hodgson).

New additions this week in *italics*; Hospital/Rehabilitation Facility in **bold**.

PRAYER LIST REQUESTS—Please **renew** any continuing prayer requests for family and friends by the **first week of each month**. Requests not renewed on prayer lists will be removed.

The Transfiguration of Christ

Exodus 34:29-35

When Moses came down from Mount Sinai, with the two tablets of the testimony in his hand as he came down from the mountain, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. Aaron and all the people of Israel saw Moses, and behold, the skin of his face shone, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them, and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses talked with them. Afterward all the people of Israel came near, and he commanded them all that the Lord had spoken with him in Mount Sinai. And when Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil over his face. Whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would remove the veil, until he came out. And when he came out and told the people of Israel what he was commanded, the people of Israel would see the face of Moses, that the skin of Moses' face was shining. And Moses would put the veil over his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Psalm 99:1-9

BCP 462

II Peter 1:13-21

I think it right, as long as I am in this body, to stir you up by way of reminder, since I know that the putting off of my body will be soon, as our Lord Jesus Christ made clear to me. And I will make every effort so that after my departure you may be able at any time to recall these things. For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased," we ourselves heard this very voice borne from heaven, for we were with him on the holy mountain. And we have something more sure, the prophetic word, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts, knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

Luke 9:28-36

Now about eight days after *Jesus foretold his death and resurrection*, he took with him Peter and John and James and went up on the mountain to pray. And as he was praying, the appearance of his face was altered, and his clothing became dazzling white. And behold, two men were talking with him, Moses and Elijah, who appeared in glory and spoke of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and those who were with him were heavy with sleep, but when they became fully awake they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. And as the men were parting from him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good that we are here. Let us make three tents, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. As he was saying these things, a cloud came and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, “This is my Son, my Chosen One; listen to him!” And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God; in thanksgiving for their wedding anniversary by Godfrey and Ventrice Jackson; in loving memory of their daughter's father-in-law, Bob Knott, by Bill and Marilyn Hodgson; and in loving memory of Wilson Malcolm Clayton by Dr. George Starks.

A Solemn High Mass is celebrated with great festivity and full ritual, ceremonial, and musical adornment. Solemnities are festivities, so we might think Festive High Mass as another expression. We employ the solemn (festive) rite which includes a deacon, sub-deacon, incense, additional chanting and change of musical setting, to underscore the special significance of the day. Certainly, we see this on the highest ranking feast days on the liturgical calendar, including Christmas, Maundy Thursday, Easter, Pentecost, and Trinity. But the Transfiguration is no less important. Contemporary culture attempts to reduce all religion to ethics, but in Jesus' transfiguration we see that the final purpose of our religious devotion is not that we just become nice people, but rather we become transfigured as sons and daughters of God.

WELCOME VISITORS—We welcome all our visitors this morning! Please join us in Grundorf Hall (across the courtyard) after Mass for coffee and fellowship. You are invited to complete a Welcome Card, located in the pew rack, and place it in the alms basin so we may contact you, if you would like.

ADULT FORUM—Adult Forum continues **today** in **Kimsey Hall Parish House**. We begin at **9:15 am sharp**. Fr. Ralph is teaching a series on the seven deadly sins and their seven remedial counterparts, virtues.

THE TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY will resume weekly meetings on **Tuesday, August 29**. Our class meets from **9:00-11:00 a.m.** in Kimsey Hall Parish House library with **childcare provided** in the nursery. To begin our year, we will be studying Paul's letter to the Galatians using Brendan Byrne's *Galatians and Romans* published by Liturgical Press. It is available new, used, and for Kindle on Amazon. We welcome women of all ages to join us for study, prayer, and fellowship. This year's leader is Amy Clark. To sign-up or for questions, call, text or email Amy at 407-920-4365 or amy@stlukesattic.com.

FAMILY CHOIR SUNDAYS: August 20, 27, and September 3. Meet Michael Miller in the balcony at **9:30 a.m.** to prepare music for the 10:15 a.m. service. All ages and abilities are welcome!

CATHEDRAL CHOIR will resume rehearsals on **Wednesday, September 6, 7:00-8:30 p.m.** New members are always welcome! Please speak to Michael Miller, our organist and choir director, if you are interested in participating in this ministry.

CHORISTERS will resume rehearsals after Labor Day. If you are interested in having your child participate, please contact Michael or Wendy Miller for further information.

IN APPRECIATION—“Words cannot express the gratitude for the many who attended and helped in the funeral celebration for Sandy. I lost the love of my life, my children and grandchildren lost a loving and caring mother and grandmother. Many others lost a true and loyal friend. As Christ promised all who believe in him and his gift of everlasting life, we will be reunited with Him and our loved ones in His Heavenly kingdom. I lost a wonderful angel but God gained one. Again thanks for your help in making it such a special tribute to Sandy. I know she was gratified by all the love.” *The Fielding family*

FLOWER GUILD HELP—Our altar flowers are provided by our Flower Guild to enhance the beauty of our church and worship. The Flower Guild always welcomes new volunteers! No experience needed; other Guild members will help you learn how to create lovely arrangements. Please consider participating in the loving ministry. If you are interested, please see Fr. Ralph.

THANK YOU—A big thanks to all those who volunteered at Grace ‘N Grits preparing and serving dinner to the homeless at the Sanford Civic Center this past Wednesday. Your service was greatly appreciated.

SAVE THESE DATES

St. Alban’s 40th Anniversary 70s Dance - Saturday, November 4. Nursery will be available. All parishioners welcome; it will be a fun evening for all ages!

Blessing of the Animals - Saturday, November 11.

St. Alban’s 40th Anniversary Founders’ Recognition/Celebration - Sunday, November 19. Special service, annual parish meeting, and a Founders’ Dinner in conjunction with our annual Parish Thanksgiving dinner.

More details, including times, to come for all these events, but please mark your calendars as you won’t want to any miss them!

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Mission: To bring people to Jesus Christ and to incorporate them into the community of faith through our historic Anglican tradition.

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CLERGY AND STAFF

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The Rev. David Keller, *Assisting Priest*

The Rev. Bartol F. Stone, *Assisting Priest*

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Bonnie Stanich

STANDARD WEEKLY SERVICES AND EVENTS

SUNDAY

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

9:15 am Sunday School

9:15 am Adult Forum

10:15 am Holy Eucharist (Sung)

Nursery available at 10:15 am service

6:00 pm Youth Group *(on hiatus for summer)*

TUESDAY

9:00 am Women's Bible Study

nursery provided

(on hiatus for summer)

WEDNESDAY

6:00 pm Holy Eucharist

nursery provided

THURSDAY

10:30 am Women's Bible Study

(on hiatus for summer)

12 Noon Mass

(on hiatus for summer)

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