

MORNING PRAYER

8:30 am

Morning Prayer begins at the bottom of p. 6. The psalms for today are Psalm 139 and 140, beginning on p. 514. The canticles after the lessons are the *Te Deum*, p. 10 and the *Benedictus Dominus*, p. 14.

HOLY EUCHARIST

9:00 am

This service follows the order of the 1928 Book of Common Prayer (page 67 and following) with Minor Propers from the Anglican Missal.

11:00 am

Opening hymn, *Crucifer* **Insert**
Collect for Purity BCP 67
Summary of the Law BCP 69

Introit (*Choir*)

WORTHY is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom and strength and honour. To him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Give the King thy judgements, O God ; and thy righteousness unto the King's son. Glory be.

Kyrie, eleison, ninefold (Hymnal 710)

Collect for Christ the King

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who hast exalted thy beloved Son to be King over all worlds, and hast willed in him to make all things new : mercifully grant that the kindreds of the earth which are wounded and dispersed by sin ; may speedily be knit together under his gracious sovereignty. Who liveth and reigneth with thee.

Commemoration of Trinity XX BCP 217

Epistle, Colossians i. 12.

Gradual & Alleluia (*Choir*)

HIS dominion shall be from the one sea to the other : and from the flood unto the world's end. All kings shall fall down before him : All nations shall do him service. Alleluia, alleluia. His dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away : and his kingdom that which shall not be destroyed. Alleluia.

Gospel, St. John xviii. 33.

Nicene Creed BCP 71

Sermon.....Father Athanaelos

Offertory sentence (*Choir*)

Desire of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance : and the utmost parts of the earth for thy possession.

Offertory hymn, *Diademata* **Hymnal 352**

Presentation of alms & Doxology (Hymnal 139)

Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church BCP 74

Bidding to Confession & General Confession BCP 75

Absolution & Comfortable Words BCP 76

Sursum corda (Hymnal 734) BCP 76

Preface of Christ the King

BECAUSE thou hast anointed thine only-begotten Son Jesus Christ our Lord with the oil of gladness to be a Priest for ever, and to be King over all mankind ; that when he had rendered himself a spotless sacrifice of peace upon the Altar of the Cross, he might fulfill the mystery of our redemption ; and having brought all creatures under his governance, might present unto thine infinite Majesty, a kingdom universal and everlasting; a kingdom of truth and life ; a kingdom of sanctity and grace; a kingdom of justice, love, and peace. Therefore, etc.

Sanctus & Benedictus qui venit (Hymnal 797)

Prayer of Consecration (Canon of the Mass) BCP 80

Our Father..... BCP 82

Fracture, Pax & Embolism & *Agnus Dei* (Hymnal 712)

Prayer of Humble Access..... BCP 82

Holy Communion

Communion hymn (kneel), *St. Helen*..... **Insert**

Communion sentence (*Choir*)

THE Lord remaineth a King for ever : the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

Thanksgiving..... BCP 83

Gloria in excelsis (Hymnal 713)

Postcommunion Collects

WE BESEECH THEE, O Lord ; that we, who have here received the food of everlasting life, may so glory to fight under the banner of Christ our King ; that we may be made worthy to reign with him for ever on his throne in heaven. Where he liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity. GRANT, O Lord, that the power of thy healing may mercifully cleanse us from all our perversities : and make us ever to cleave stedfastly unto thy commandments. Through.

Dismissal: *Depart in peace*. Response: *Thanks be to God*.

Blessing (kneel) BCP 84

Closing hymn, *Quiting Power*..... **Insert**

The readings and propers for today are for the Feast of Christ the King as found in the People's Missal, beginning on page 421.

✠ ✠ ✠ ✠

The flowers this morning are given by Lexi Alexander and Jeff Ellis to the Glory of Almighty God and in memory of Lexi's parents, Jim and Betsye Alexander.

Thursday, November 2 is the **Feast of All Souls**. A Requiem Mass will be offered at 8am. A remembrance sheet is available in the narthex for listing your departed loved ones.

Welcome to St. Stephens! If you are a first time visitor, please pick up a white folder at the church entrance and join the rector and church members in the parish hall for coffee and fellowship following the 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. services. **We're glad you are here!**

Pastoral Care: If you would like a visit from the clergy, or if you know of someone who is sick or shut in, or if you would like someone put on the parish prayer list, please contact the Church office at 706 543.8657.



Sunday Schools for all ages meet every Sunday at 10 am. The adult class meets in Lewis Hall. The children's class meets in the lower level of the church.

The **Archbishop's Bible Study** will **NOT** meet this week, but will resume on Wednesday, November 8th at 6 pm in the Church office and be preceded by Evening Prayer at 5:30 pm.



Please pray (BCP 597, For a Birthday) for those with known **birthdays** this week: Kathleen LePain (11/2) and Ginky Budd (11/3).

Prayers and best wishes to him from all parish family.

Year's Mind: Please pray for the repose of the souls of Jan Hannon (10/31) and Margaret Kline (11/2) on this her year's mind.

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

Please remember the following parishioners and friends of St. Stephen's in your **daily prayers:** Hildegard, Elaine, Bill, Lena, Victoria, Dot, Olivia, and Jen.



Upcoming Events

Wednesday, November 1	All Saints' Day Mass, noon & 6pm
Thursday, November 2, 8am	All Souls' Day Mass
Sunday, December 3, 10 am	Bishop's Annual Visit, followed by "Brunch with the Bishop"

Please silence your cell phones...thank you

Saint Stephen's Church

*A Parish of the Anglican Catholic Church
& Pro-Cathedral of the Diocese of the South*



800 Timothy Road, Athens GA
www.ststephensathens.org

The Very Rev. Nicholas C. Athanaelos
Rector and Dean

The Feast of Christ the King

October 29, 2017

*The Holy Eucharist this week will be celebrated
on Tuesday at 12 noon, **Wednesday at 12 noon and 6pm,**
Thursday at 8 am, and Friday at 12 noon.*