

MORNING PRAYER

8:30 am

Morning Prayer begins at the bottom of p. 6. The psalms for today are Psalm 110, 111, 112, and 113, beginning on p. 482. The canticles after the lessons are the *Benedictus Es*, p. 11, and the *Benedictus Dominus*, p. 14.

HOLY EUCHARIST

9:00 am

The 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, <i>Fortunatus</i>	Hymnal 87
Collect for Purity	BCP 67
Summary of the Law	BCP 69
Introit. <i>Quasi Modo</i> . 1 St. Peter. 2	
AS newborn babes, alleluia : desire the sincere milk of the world, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Sing we merrily unto God our strength : make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob. Glory be, etc. As newborn babes, etc.	
<i>Kyrie, eleison</i> , ninefold (Hymnal 710)	
Collect for Easter I.....	BCP 170
Commemoration of S. George, M.	
Epistle, 1 St. John v.4	BCP 170
Alleluia	
IN the day of my Resurrection, saith the Lord, I will go before you into Galilee. Alleluia. After eight days, the doors being shut, Jesus stood in the midst of his disciples, and said : Peace be unto you. Alleluia.	
Gospel, St. John xx.19	BCP 170
Nicene Creed	BCP 71
Sermon.....	Father Athanaelos
Offertory sentence	
THE Angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and said unto the women : He whom ye seek is risen, as he said, alleluia.	
Offertory hymn, <i>St. Albinus</i>	Hymnal 88
Presentation of alms & Doxology (Hymnal Supplement 822)	
Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church.....	BCP 74
Bidding to Confession & General Confession	BCP 75
Absolution & Comfortable Words	BCP 76
<i>Sursum corda</i> (Hymnal 734)	BCP 76
Preface of Easter	BCP 78
<i>Sanctus & Benedictus qui venit</i> (Hymnal 797).....	BCP 77
Prayer of Consecration (Canon of the Mass).....	BCP 80
Our Father.....	BCP 82
Fracture, Pax, Embolism & <i>Agnus Dei</i> (Hymnal 712)	
Prayer of Humble Access.....	BCP 82

Ecce, Agnus Dei

Holy Communion

Communion hymn, <i>Eisenach</i>	Hymnal 93
Communion sentence	
REACH hither thy hand, and behold the print of the nails, alleluia : and be not faithless but believing, alleluia, alleluia.	
Thanksgiving	BCP 83
<i>Gloria in excelsis</i> (Hymnal 713)	BCP 84
Postcommunion collects	
GRANT, we beseech thee, O Lord our God : that these holy mysteries which thou hast given unto us for the assurance of our salvation, may both in this life and that which is to come be profitable unto us for the healing our our souls. Through.	
Dismissal	
	
♩ De - part in peace. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - - - lu - ia.	
♫ Thanks be to God. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - - - lu - ia.	
Blessing (kneel)	BCP 84
Closing hymn, <i>Ellacombe</i>	Hymnal 96

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The **flowers** this morning are given by Kenny Garbee to the Glory of Almighty God and in honor of her son, Kent Crosby Raines.

We welcome our **visitors and guests** this morning. We are glad you are with us today. Please **fill out one of the guest cards** (located in the pew) and drop it in the offering plate. There are visitor's packets containing information about St. Stephen's and the Anglican Catholic Church in the narthex. You are invited to join us for Sunday School after the 9 am liturgy or for coffee hour after the 11 am liturgy.

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.

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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 while the youth class meets in the lower level of the Fowler Building.

The **Archbishop's Bible Study** is in recess until May 3rd.

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Please pray (BCP 597, For a Birthday) for those with known **birthdays** this week: Helen Herringdine Lynn and Karen Larsen Starkweather (4/24) and Chris Davis and Paul Verde (4/27).

Please pray for those with known **anniversaries** this week: LeAnne and Frank Berry (4/28).

Prayers and best wishes to them from all their parish family.

Year's Mind: Of your charity pray for the blessed repose of the souls of Dorothy Robertson (4/23), James O. Mote, Bishop, and Tyus Butler (4/28) and Everett Millican (4/29) on this their 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:** Dodie, Hildegard, Betsye, Christiane, Elaine, Bill, Lena, Victoria, Anna, and Brad.

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We ask you to consider participating in the **Holiday Charities** campaign benefiting the Ark. Donations will be accepted through April 30th. You can participate by placing a check in the collection plate marked for the campaign. The Women's Guild thanks everyone who has participated to date.

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Upcoming Events

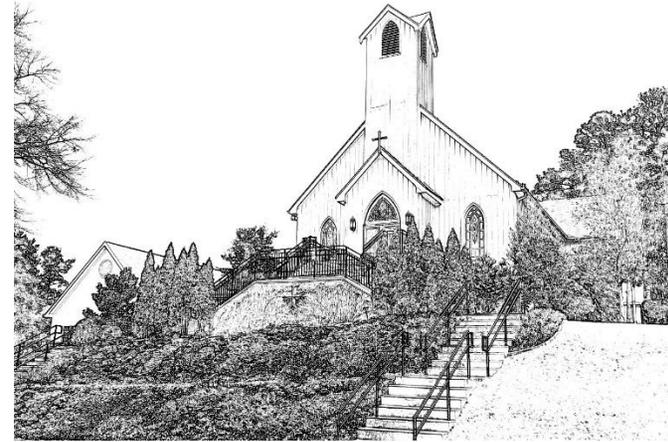
Wed-Fri, Apr 26-28
Wednesday, May 3, 6pm
Tuesday, May 9, 7am
Tuesday, May 9, 10:30am

DOS Synod, Orange Park, FL
Archbishop's Bible Study
Men's Morning Prayer/Breakfast
Women's Guild Meeting

Please silence your cell phones...thank you

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**The Very Rev. Nicholas C. Athanaelos
Rector and Dean**

The First Sunday after Easter
Commonly Called Low Sunday
April 23, 2017

*The Holy Eucharist this week will be celebrated on
Tuesday at 12 noon **ONLY.***