

some common characteristics of households and other kinds of associations/communities in the Greco-Roman world, their place in the overall concept of the polis (the greater community), and how these classical concepts contribute to our present-day concept of the church (local and beyond the local) as a community. Meridith describes herself as a practical theologian “most interested in faith in action, faith on the ground.” She came to Sewanee in 2010 and is the executive director of Education for Ministry and associate director of the Beecken Center. She is the designer and managing editor of the latest curriculum in the Education for Ministry program.

**October 16 Forum:** “Monastic Communities”—Sr. Madeleine Mary

**Nursery services:** Infants and toddlers through three year olds are invited to gather on the playground to form relationships with one another and have fun on Sunday mornings from 8:30 to noon. The nursery will be held at the playground of St. Mark and St. Paul, or in the child care classroom at the lower level of Claiborne Hall.

**Sunday at 4pm, please join St. Mark & St Paul and St. James Church** for a Blessing of the Animals service. The service will take place at St. James Church in Midway.

**St. Mark & St. Paul office and the CAC will be closed Monday, October 10 in observance of the federal holiday.**

**CAC serves those in need** with food and in other ways 9 to 11am, Monday through Friday. Please call 931-598-5927.

**Home Communion** is available from the clergy and lay Eucharistic Visitors; please contact Deacon Betty Carpenter at [deacon@stmarkstpaul.org](mailto:deacon@stmarkstpaul.org).

**The mission of the Parish of St. Mark & St. Paul is**

to worship God,  
to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ,  
to serve the world for which Christ died,  
to educate and nurture our community,  
and welcome all.

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**The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

October 9, 2022

*Masking is optional indoors according to the latest CDC level. (Low)*

*The 8:30 service is open to those who have been vaccinated for COVID; the 11:00 am service is open to all.*

*Rest rooms are available in Claiborne Parish House, the building directly behind the church.*

**Prelude**

**Hymn 405** (*blue book*): “All things bright and beautiful” (*Royal Oak*)

**Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity** Prayer Book (red) page 355

**Song of Praise:** Hymnal, S-280

**Collect of the Day** (*insert*)

**First Reading: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c** (*insert*)

**Psalms 111** (*insert*)

**Second Reading 2 Timothy 2:8-15** (*insert*)

**Sequence Hymn 524:** “I love thy kingdom, Lord” (*St. Thomas [Williams]*)

**Gospel: Luke 17:11-19** (*insert*)

**Sermon** Thomas DuMontier

**Nicene Creed** page 358

**Prayers of the People, Form VI** page 392

**The Peace** (*maintaining distance between households*) page 360

**Announcements**

**Offertory Hymn, WLP 740** (*green book*) “Wade in the water” (*Carl Haywood*)

**The Great Thanksgiving** (Eucharistic Prayer A)

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**Sanctus, Hymnal, S129**

**The Lord’s Prayer** (Contemporary)

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those  
who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.

**At the Breaking of the Bread:** Hymnal, S-155

**Communion of the People**

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion. Anyone may come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms across your chest. Gluten-free wafers are available; simply ask the priest. You may choose to receive the consecrated wine from the common cup to your left or from a chalice to share within your household to your right (placing the empty chalice on the table near the piano.)*

**Sending Forth of Eucharistic Visitors** (*when needed*)

*(in unison)* In the name of this parish, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ’s body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

**Postcommunion Prayer**

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**Hymn 396:** “Now thank we all our God” (*Nun danket alle Gott*)

**Blessing**

**Dismissal**

**Postlude**

The arrangement at the altar today is in thanksgiving for our Adult forum organizers and speakers, our Lectionary Class leaders, Godly play teachers and our church volunteers who graciously give of their time and talent.

**Vestry of the Day** — Lynn Stubblefiel

**Bread Baker** — Julia Bates

**Altar Guild**—Robin Bates, Julia Bates, Lynda Gotko

**Flowers**—Cheryl Lankhaar

**Tellers**— Alex Bruce

**Coffee Hour** — Ann Seiters

**8:30 am service**

**Server** — Robin Bates

**Chalice Bearer** — Robin Bates

**Readers**—Robin Bates, John Solomon

**Intercessor** — Tom DuMontier

**Audio/video**—Tom DuMontier

**Acolytes** —

**Usher(s)** — Bruce Baird

**11:00 am service**

Lucas Crossland

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Kathryn Bruce, Alex Bruce

Lucas Crossland

Shea Gatta, Nora Jane Elrod

Kathryn & Alex Bruce

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** The Church of the Province of Central Africa

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** Church of our Saviour, Gallatin

**Prayer Requests:** Peggy Bonds, Paul Cahoon, Leigh Ann Campbell, Corky Carlisle, Bill Davis, Dennis Faber, Ed Hawkins, Sue Hawkins, Armeda Holmes, David Kearley, Pat Kirby, Waring McCrady, John Noland, Evelyn Raines, George Ramseur, Leah Rhys, Sarah Margaret Roberts, Craig Scott, Michelle Gompper Spear, Jennifer Sturgis–Cummings, Greg Taylor, Freddie Tucker, those suffering from COVID-19, the people of Ukraine and victims of Hurricane Ian.

**Departed:** David Green, those killed in the mass shooting in Thailand, and Sam Piazza

**Birthdays:** Aden Rung, Jim Pappas, Charles Houston Beaumont, Sam Howick, Donny Rung

**Birth:** Ruth Suzanne Cook

**8:30 am Holy Eucharist in the church** for those that have been vaccinated. **The 8:30 am service is also livestreamed** on our [Facebook page](#) and remains available there afterward.

**11:00am Holy Eucharist** open to all.

**Connections for Parents:** All parents and caregivers are invited to gather for conversation on Sunday mornings while the children have Sunday school. The class will meet on the front porch of Brooks Hall for fellowship, support, and reflection on the hopes we have for our children. This will include discussion of short passages from *Looking for God in Messy Places: A Book About Hope*, by the Rt. Rev. Jake Owensby. The book is available for purchase at the University Book Store or on Amazon. The Rev. Giulianna Cappelletti Gray, Priest Associate, is the facilitator for the meetings.

**Youth Sunday School:** 9:45-10:45am on the upstairs porch of Brooks Hall and/or in the upstairs youth room. Please bring a mask. This Sunday Lauryl Tucker and Tom DuMontier—“Troubles in the Wilderness.”

**Godly Play for Children:** Two Montessori-based classes meet 9:45-10:45am in the Godly Play rooms or outdoors, depending on weather and Covid risk. Please bring a mask.

**This Sunday in Godly Play:**

GP 1—“The Exile and the Return”—Teacher: Barbara Prunty; Doorkeeper— Wendy Howard

GP 2—“The Ark and the Tent”— Teacher—Beth Wiley, Doorkeeper— Aaron Elrod

**The Sunday Forum** – 9:45 –10:45, Kennerly Hall. This Sunday Karen Meridith will deliver a lecture called “Oikos: Community in the Greco-Roman World.” When we say, “We receive you into the household of God,” at an Episcopal baptism, we are echoing the Greco-Roman concept of oikos (household), the model for organizing early Christian communities. We will look at