

wanee, is currently writing about “poetry and silence,” which is heavily informed by her Studies in Poetry course, “Apprehensions of the Sacred.” She is also a practicing poet, and her poetry has appeared in multiple venues.

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.

Shrove Tuesday will be celebrated with a Mardi Gras-themed pancake supper 5:00 -6:30pm on Tuesday, February 21. There is no charge, donations are welcomed. **On Ash Wednesday, February 22, the Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes** will be offered at 12:15p and 7:00pm. The public is warmly invited to both.

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

Home Communion is available from the clergy and lay Eucharistic Visitors; please contact Deacon Betty Carpenter at deacon@stmarkstpaul.org.

Please join us for the CAC Community Meal at noon on Friday, February 24 in Kennerly Hall. Come enjoy a wonderful meal and great fellowship.

The office of St. Mark & St. Paul and the CAC will be closed Monday, February 20 for Presidents’ Day.

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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Lynn Taylor, Senior Warden
Beth Wiley, Treasurer



Last Sunday after the Epiphany

February 19, 2023

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 542 (blue book): “Christ is the world’s true Light” (*St. Joan*)

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Song of Praise: Hymnal, S280

Collect of the Day (insert)

First Reading: Exodus 24:12-18 (insert)

Psalm 99 (insert)

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-21 (insert)

Sequence Hymn WLP 756 (green book): “Lead me, guide me, along the way” (*Doris M. Akers*)

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9 (insert)

Sermon The Rev. Julianna Cappelletti Gray

Nicene Creed page 358

Prayers of the People, Form V page 389

Confession of Sin page 360

The Peace page 360

Announcements

Offertory Hymn 490: “I want to walk as a child of the light” (*Houston*)

The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer B)

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Sanctus, Hymnal, S-129

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. The consecrated wine is available from a chalice to share with in your household.

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 460: “Alleluia! sing to Jesus!” (*Hyfrydol*)

Blessing

Dismissal

Postlude

The arrangement at the altar today is given to the greater glory of God by Rachel and Mickey Suarez in loving memory of Susan Suarez Brown.

Vestry of the Day — Tom Phelps

Bread Baker — Jim Pappas

Altar Guild— Beth Wiley, Dorothy Gates

Flowers— Ann Aitken

Tellers— Alex Bruce

Coffee Hour — Lynn Stubblefield

8:30 am service

Server — Robin Bates

Chalice Bearer — Robin Bates

11:00 am service

Michael Thompson

Michael Thompson

Readers— Sue Moseley, Alec Moseley

Intercessor — Tom Phelps

Acolytes—

Usher(s) — Tom Phelps

Kathryn Bruce, Alex Bruce

Michael Thompson

Kathryn & Alex Bruce

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. Philip’s Church, Nashville

Prayer Requests: Paul Cahoon, Bill Davis, Sue Hawkins, Carl P. Hill, David Kearley, Pat Kirby, Joe Monti, Tom Papura, Evelyn Raines, George Ramseur, Bob Roberson, Freddie Tucker, Gretchen Tucker, those suffering from COVID-19, the people of Ukraine, the people of Turkey and Syria

Departed: those killed in the earthquake in Turkey and Syria, those killed in the shooting at Michigan State University.

Birthdays: Tim Nelson, Amy Neubauer, Maddie Van de Ven, Jett Fisher, David Kearley, Thomas Macfie, Liz Camp

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. Masking encouraged.

Connections Winter Book Study: All parents and caregivers are warmly invited to join us for conversation on Sunday mornings, 9:45-10:45 in Brooks Hall. We are reading Brené Brown’s book, “The Gifts of Imperfection.” Contact Giulianna Cappelletti Gray, Priest Associate, for more information. We will take a break on March 5 & March 12.

Youth Sunday School: 9:45-10:45am on the upstairs porch of Brooks Hall and/or in the upstairs youth room. Masking is encouraged. This Sunday—“Stories of the Kingdom of Heaven” with Tom Phelps & Alex Bruce.

Godly Play for Children: Two Montessori-based classes meet 9:45-10:45am in the Godly Play rooms. Masking is encouraged.

This Sunday:

Godly Play 1: “Parable of the Deep Well” Teacher—Cara Kitzrow, Doorkeeper—Colin Rice

Godly Play 2: “Parable of the Good Samaritan” Teacher Julia Bates, Doorkeeper—Aaron Elrod

The Sunday Forum – 9:45 –10:45, Kennerly Hall. The Sunday Forum – 9:45 – 10:45, Kennerly Hall. This Sunday Jennifer Michael, John Gatta, & Diane Jones present “Creativity in the Community.” The Forum will focus on how the arts both nourish and are nourished by the community.

Diane Jones, who has a BFA from Stephen F. Austin State University, has been practicing calligraphy and graphic design as a self-employed freelance artist since moving to the Sewanee Community in 1984. During that time she has completed projects for the University of the South and other institutions, local businesses and organizations, and numerous individuals.

John Gatta is a professor emeritus of English, both at the University of Connecticut and at Sewanee. With numerous books on the environment and its intersection with the sacred, he will be talking about the 18th century Puritan poet Anne Bradstreet as one who imagined “the community of creation.”

Jennifer Michael, a former Rhodes scholar and a specialist in British Romantic poetry at Se-