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O Lord, I love the house in which You dwell and
The place where Your glory abides.

Psalm 26: 8

Annual Meeting of the Mississippi Diocesan Altar Guild at St. Alban's Church









Letters of Thanks



To the Lovely Parish
& Parishioners of St. Albans,

On behalf of the Diocesan Altar Guild Board and membership, I would like to express our sincere thanks to you for your wonderful hospitality extended to us as we gathered at St. Alban's this past week. Those of us attending the annual meeting were so warmly welcomed by you.

A special thank you to Harvey and his committee. We appreciate all of your hard work planning, preparing and executing a delightful day in such a beautiful space – not to mention all the delicious food we were fed!

Sincerely,
Ann Milsted
Diocesan Altar Guild President



Dear Altar Guild,

Thank you for a wonderful annual meeting. Your hospitality was wonderful and welcoming. I felt at home the moment I walked in the door.

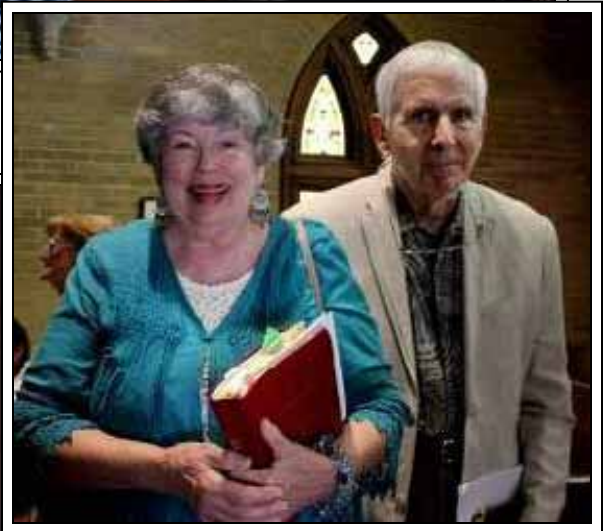
I did not get to attend the workshops, but I have heard great things about them.

The food was excellent!
From wine & cheese to
breakfast and lunch, very
delicious!

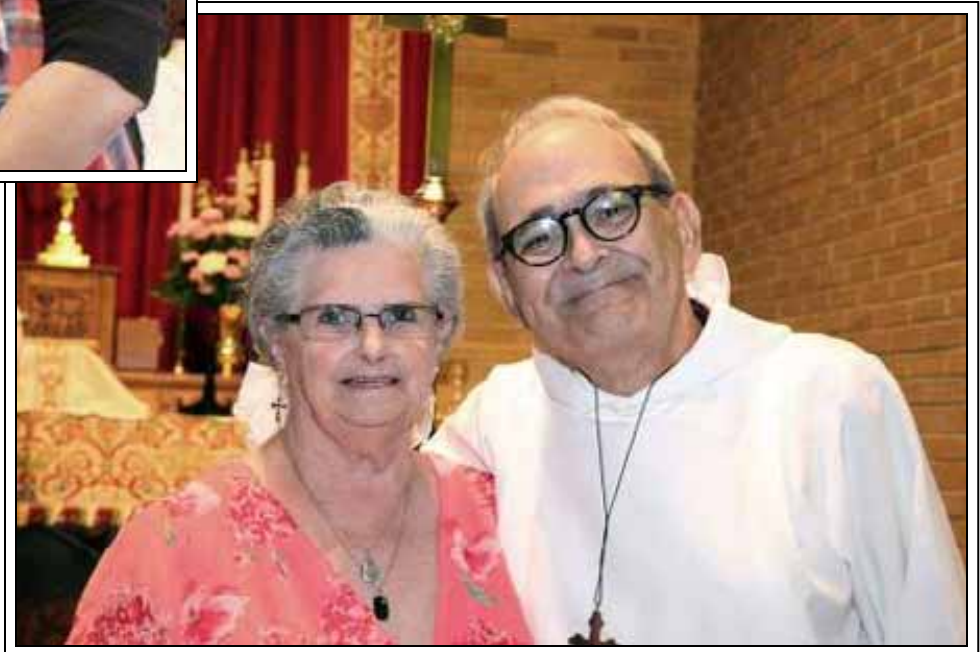
Sincerely,
Anne Heidelberg
Outgoing Diocesan Altar Guild President



Mother's Day







Children's End-of-School Picnic



† Billie's Corner

“Prayer”

*Lord, I was ever greedy of life, my attention always
straining toward the parts of it that had not yet come...toward
what was about to be, or might be, or hopefully would be, and
especially toward those things that, by
Your mercy, might turn out
not to be after all.*

*I panted with longing to suck each segment of life dry of its pleasures.
I plotted, with myself but despite myself, about tomorrow...
about the “later” that was constantly morphing into now.
You know how I worked, Lord, recklessly but
prayerfully, to set time's courses and, in
Your name, to sculpt them to my intention,
to my definition of good.*

*But, I am old now, Lord, and my prayers grow
old as well. So it is that daily I am drawn, as here, to pray,
“Deliver me, My Lord, from this my great sin, and
take me, free of doubt and other longings,
into Your good plan.”*

By Phyllis Tickle

In Peace

Billie+

† Josie's Journal

Come Holy Spirit Come

Do you hesitate to ask the Holy Spirit to fill your heart? Well, ask in prayer as you talk with Jesus, and then wait for the answer. The unsureness, butterflies and anticipation will strengthen you and your prayer life.

Once the Holy Spirit enters our hearts, we are never the same again. The confidence and knowledge that we are loved unconditionally by our Father—although imperfect and broken—makes us stronger. Remember, *Jesus is the Potter and We are the Clay*. It is up to God to mold and sanctify us as we journey through this earthly life.

Brother Geoffrey Tristram, *Society of Saint John the Evangelist*, admonishes us to be sincere in our thoughts and prayers: “Be careful what you ask for. Do not pray, ‘Come Holy Spirit, my soul inspire’ unless you mean it! Don’t pray, ‘Breathe on me breath of God’ unless you are prepared for the consequences. Those first disciples had their lives turned upside down by the divine power invading them. For them the gift of the Holy Spirit changed their lives forever.”

As we start the day, may we seek Jesus through the power of prayer. May we be ever grateful for another day on earth, the place that we temporarily call *home*. And, as we move through life, may we entrust ourselves to God—always remembering the presence of His love.

Come, Holy Spirit, I need you. Come, sweet Spirit, I pray. Come in your strength and your power. Come in your own gentle way. Come Holy Spirit Come.

Christ Peace,

Josie+

Schedule of Events

Weekly Activities & Services

Church Office Hours

Monday–Wednesday: 9:00 AM–4:00 PM

Sunday

Eucharist, 8:30 & 10:00 AM

Wednesday

12 Steps to Spiritual Wholeness Meeting, 7:00 AM

Centering Prayer Support Group, 8:30 AM

Healing Service & Eucharist, 6:00 PM

Thursday

Cursillo Grouping, Parish House, Noon

Bible & More Discussion Group, Parish House, 6:00–8:00 PM

Wednesday, June 1—First Wednesday Quiet Day, 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Sunday, June 12— **No Eucharist or Morning Prayer**

Sunday, June 19—Father’s Day Reception following the 8:30 AM & 10 AM Services

ST. MARY’S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
AND
THE RIGHT REVEREND BRIAN R. SEAGE
INVITE YOUR PRESENCE AND PRAYERS FOR A
CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

THE MOST REVEREND MICHAEL BRUCE CURRY
PREACHER AND CELEBRANT

THE COMMEMORATION OF JAMES CHANEY AND HIS
COMPANIONS, THE MARTYRS OF PHILADELPHIA
SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016
AT 11:00 IN THE MORNING

VICKSBURG CONVENTION CENTER
1600 MULBERRY STREET
VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI

June Birthdays

1 Theo Williams	21 Lawson Selby
10 Josh McCarthy	22 Jimmy Jones
12 Cassandra Price	Mary Ruth Jones
13 Kerri Williams	24 Amanda Monti
16 Sally Southall	25 Deborah Lee
14 Mike Beiser	26 Laura Beiser
19 Megan Davis	28 Eleanor Price
Sebastian Panelo	29 Heaven Leigh Merritt
Olivia Arseneau	30 McKinley Gayle
21 Ashleigh Ford Holliday	

June Anniversaries

3 David & Anna Selby	14 Terry & Beth Guynes
4 James & Sherry Horan	15 Sergio & Eva Panelo
5 Chad & Robin Price Toups	17 Matthew & Lauren Guynes
9 James & Cassandra Price	Ross & Jeanne Abraham Lunz
13 Carroll & Beth Sojourner	21 Dan & Mary Carleton

Prayers for the People

For those Sick or in Need:

Ann Hanks	Glenda Ferguson	Millie Gassaway
Aryana T. Strawn (infant)	Hallie Jo Ragsdale	Norma Jones
Barbara Ramsay	Jackson Monti	Parker Ramsay
Bertha Kolb	Jim & Sherry Horan	Rachelle Ferris
Betty Biedenharn	Jim Dantin	Randy Wright
Bill & Liz Curtis	Jimmy O'Neal	Rebecca Clark
Brenda Winters	Jimmy & Mamie	Rose Akers Kellum
Charlie Brantley & Family	Larry Lambiotte	Ruth Green
Christine Frisbee	Libby Malloy	Sara Margaret Porter & Family
Dale Gibson	Linda & Jim Dooley	The Allen Family
Dalton Glatt	Lucas Guynes	The Selby Family
Damion Hansford	Margie Scott	Trey Engelhart
Dan & Mary Carleton	Mary Ruth Jones	Walker Biedenharn
Dorothy Grady	Martha Benson	
Eleanor Price	Martha Day	

Liturgical Schedule—Sundays in June

	June 5	June 12	June 19	June 26
	Third Sunday after Pentecost	Fourth Sunday after Pentecost	Fifth Sunday after Pentecost	Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
First Reading	1 Kings 17:8-16 (17-24)	1 Kings 21:1-10, (11-14), 15-21a	1 Kings 19:1-4, (5-7), 8-15a	2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14
Psalm	Psalm 146	Psalm 5:1-8	Psalm 42	Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20
Second Reading	Galatians 1:11-24	Galatians 2:15-21	Galatians 3:23-29	Galatians 5:1, 13-25
Gospel	Luke 7:11-17	Luke 7:36-8:3	Luke 8:26-39	Luke 9:51-62
Lay Worship Leader		Presiding Bishop's Visitation	Children's Eucharist	
8:30 a.m.	Theo Williams		Ann Tompkins	Harvey Smith
10:00 a.m.	Richard Price	No Eucharist or Morning Prayer at St. Alban's	David Pruett	Herb Jones
Master of Ceremonies	Susan Price		Betsy Selby	Jennifer Normand
Eucharistic Minister	David Pruett		Herb Jones	Ed Shelnut
OT Lector				
8:30 a.m.	Bitsy Segrest		Bitsy Segrest	Bitsy Segrest
10:00 a.m.	Rymn Parsons		Lawson Selby	Ed Shelnut
Epistle Lector			Canada Stewart	
Crucifer & Acolyte	Susan Price Canada Stewart		Beth Guynes Mary Ellen Dunaway Brantley Dunaway	Koury Collins
Gospel Bearer	Deacon Josie		Gabby Rushing	Deacon Josie
Torch Bearers			Sam Hall Gloria Hall	
Prayers of the People	Bruce Carleton		Deacon Josie	Sharon Hanks
Oblation Bearers	Anita Collins Becky Drake		Heaven Leigh Sunny Faith	Rymn and Joan Parsons
Ushers & Greeters	Allan Leese Peter Meyers		Josh Artman Jonah Artman	Sara Margaret Porter Dalton Thames
Lord's Prayer			Peter Williams	
Altar Guild	Mary Ann Wright Margo Massey		Kerri Williams Judy Morrissey	Cassandra Price Beth Guynes
Coffee Host	Butch Mitchell Ann Tompkins		Father's Day Reception	Rymn and Joan Parsons Betty Rushing
Children's Chapel	No Children's Chapel		No Children's Chapel	No Children's Chapel
Offertory Counters	Rymn Parsons, Janice Herrington Herb Jones		Rymn Parsons, Ann Tompkins Sharon Hanks	Rymn Parsons, Ann Tompkins Theo Williams
Healing Service	June 8 Tommy Skinner	June 15 Theo Williams	June 22 Ann Tompkins	June 29 Tommy Skinner