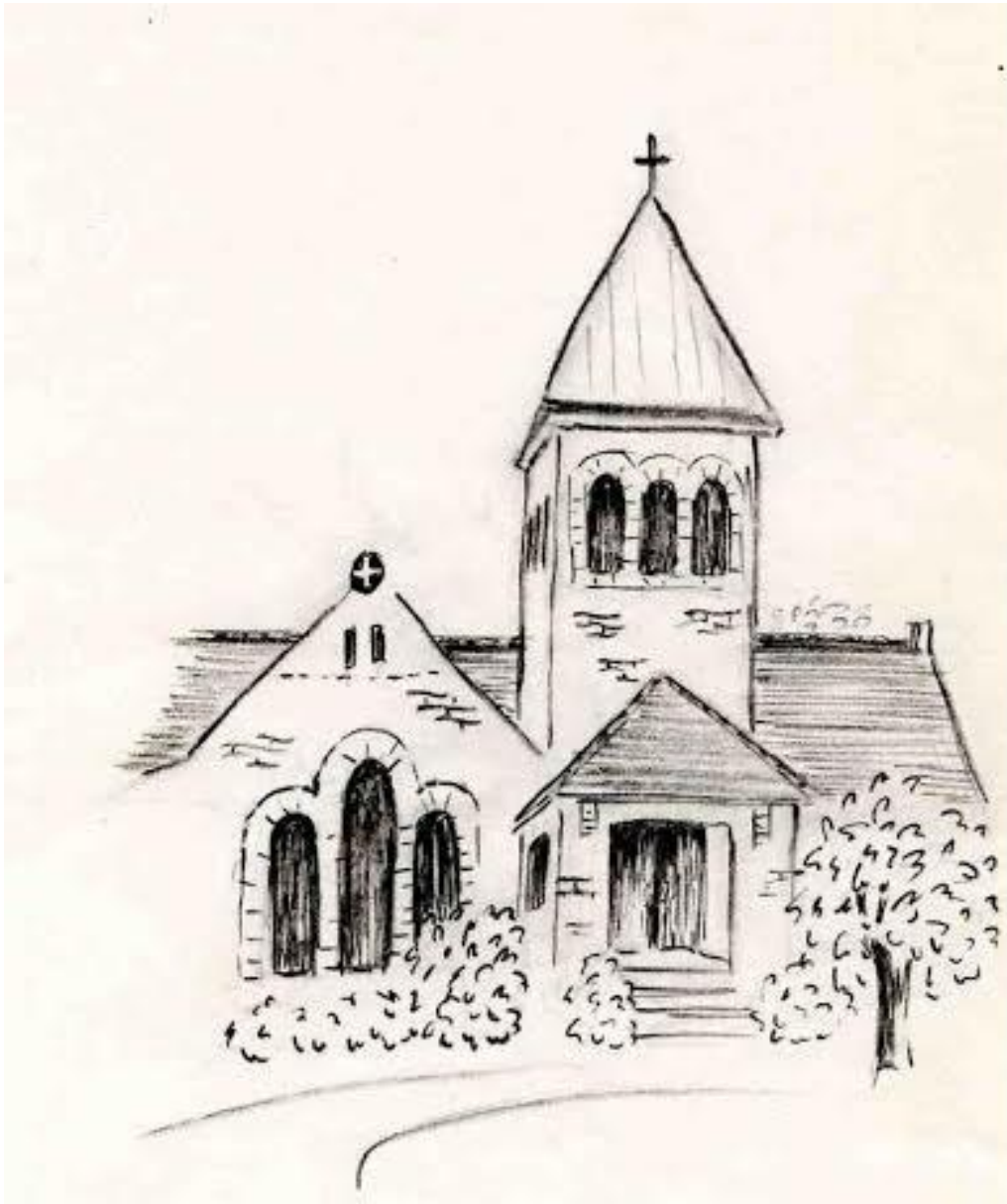


The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd

We are a dwelling place
where loving God and neighbor is embraced and lived.



7 Pentecost – Proper 9

3 July, 2016

We welcome all to our parish church, and hope that,
if you are visiting, you will feel at home in this community of faith.

Please sign the guest register near the main entrance
so we may get to know you a bit better,
and please let someone know if you have questions or comments.

Our celebration of Holy Eucharist is open
to all who desire to participate.

The 8:30 am service begins on page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP)
(the smaller of the two books found in your pew)

At the 10:30 am service we make use of this bulletin, plus the BCP, and the Hymnal 1982.
(the larger of the books in your pew in which many of our hymns may be found.)

**** For Today's Collect, Psalm, and Lessons, see the insert.**

The Lessons are from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible.

Children are welcome always! -
the sound of children is precious to God.

Sunday School will resume in September

Restrooms
are located in the hallway between the church and Jewett Hall

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Donna Noller**



Please join us in Jewett Hall for Coffee Hour.

8:30 AM

Holy Eucharist - Rite 2

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OPENING ACCLAMATION	Book of Common Prayer (BCP), page 355
COLLECT FOR PURITY	BCP p.355
THE GLORIA	BCP p.356
THE COLLECT OF THE DAY	Insert
The First Lesson: 2 Kings 5:1-14	Insert
Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20	Insert
THE SECOND LESSON: Galatians 6: (1-6), 7-16	Insert
THE HOLY GOSPEL Luke 10:1-11, 16-20	Insert
THE SERMON	The Rev. Ann Markle
THE NICENE CREED	BCP, p. 358
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM III	BCP, p. 387
THE PRAYER FOR TRANSITION:	

Ever-present God, you call us to a journey to a place we do not know. We are not where we started. We have not yet reached our destination. Be among us, we pray. Calm our fears, save us from discouragement, and help us to stay on course. Open our hearts to your guidance so that our journey continues as a journey of trust. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN	BCP, p. 360
THE PEACE	
ANNOUNCEMENTS AND BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS	

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B	BCP p. 367
<i>All who desire communion are invited to receive communion, or you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing, just cross your arms across your chest to indicate you desire a blessing rather than communion.</i>	

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER	BCP p.366
THE BLESSING	
THE DISMISSAL	

10:30 am

Holy Eucharist – Rite 2

PRELUDE: Improvisation	Alec Rowley
OPENING HYMN 525 “The Church’s one Foundation”	Aurelia

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OPENING ACCLAMATION	
COLLECT FOR PURITY	BCP p.355
THE GLORIA: HYMNAL S-280	Robert Powell
THE COLLECT OF THE DAY	INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON: 2 Kings 5:1-14	INSERT

Psalm 30

Exaltabo te, Domine

Jerome Webster Meachen
(b. 1930)



- 1 I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up *
and have not let my enemies triumph over me.
 - 2 O Lord my God, I cried out to you, *
and you restored me to health.
 - 3 You brought me up, O Lord, from the dead; *
you restored my life as I was going down to the grave.
 - 4 Sing to the Lord, you servants of his; *
give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness.
 - 5 For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, *
his favor for a lifetime.
 - 6 Weeping may spend the night, *
but joy comes in the morning.
 - 7 While I felt secure, I said, "I shall never be disturbed. *
You, Lord, with your favor, made me as strong as the mountains."
 - 8 Then you hid your face, *
and I was filled with fear.
 - 9 I cried to you, O Lord; *
I pleaded with the Lord, saying,
 - 10 "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit? *
will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?"
 - 11 Hear, O Lord, and have mercy upon me; *
O Lord, be my helper."
 - 12 You have turned my wailing into dancing; *
you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy.
- (Second half of chant)
- 13 Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; *
O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever.

THE SECOND LESSON: Galatians 6: (1-6), 7-16
SEQUENCE HYMN 528 "Lord, you give the great commission"
THE HOLY GOSPEL Luke 10:1-11, 16-20
SERMON
THE NICENE CREED
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
THE PRAYER FOR TRANSITION

INSERT
Rowthorn
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OFFERTORY HYMN 718 "God of our Fathers, whose almighty hand"

National Hymn

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B
SANCTUS HYMNAL S-129
THE LORD'S PRAYER
THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD
INVITATION TO COMMUNION

BCP, p. 367
Robert Powell
BCP, p. 364
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ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE TABLE OF THE LORD!

COMMUNION HYMN 321 "My God, thy table now is spread"

Rockingham

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, p. 366

CLOSING HYMN 719 "O beautiful for spacious skies"

Materna

THE DISMISSAL

Postlude: *Fanfare -Procession*

T. Frederick H. Candlyn





PRAYERS

For those who are ill or in need: Norma Haym, Esther, David Noller, Ben, Jessica, Susan, Veronica, Chuck H, Chuck B, Ruth, Art, Liz and Jarrett, Ben B, Marie G, Doug, Louie, Vince, Sophia, Kim, Liga, Ken, Bruce Aikman, Billy, Sue Winter, Michael and all those affected by the Shootings in Orlando.

For God's peace in the world, for all affected by war, terror, pain, and loss; that we may reach out in support for all in need; that we may stand up, speak up, and defend all who are vulnerable; that we may embrace all God's people as our family.

We pray for all whose work is caring for others, and for all who work in hospitals and humanitarian agencies, for Mary O'Brien, Jeff Lodinsky, and all who serve the country through the State Department, and for Eli Holden and all who serve in the military, and for first responders everywhere.

We pray for all who have birthdays or special remembrances this week.

We give thanks and pray for the faithful departed and for all who mourn.

We give thanks for the steadfast faith and ministry of our Partners in Ministry, the people of Ascension Church at Good Shepherd and that of our Parish Choir.

Holy God of Love, we offer you these prayers just as we are - - full of hope, full of sorrow, full of ambivalence, full of whatever it is we feel at this moment and in this place - - because what we know, God, is that regardless of where we are and how we feel, you love it when we pray.

Amen.



Liturgical Servers

July 3

8:30 am

Chalice: Zoe Koston

Lector: David Van Baak

10:30 am

Crucifer: Charlene Gottfried

Chalice: Meachem/Barry

Lector 1: Andrea Adema

Lector 2: Beverly Barry

Intercessor: Joe Spina

Altar Guild: Meachem/Van Baak

Ushers: Lodinsky/Barber

Counters: Barry/Bommer

July 10

8:30 am

Chalice: Steve Cammarata

Lector: Steve Cammarata

10:30 am

Crucifer: Dottie Aikman

Chalice: Aikman/Spina

Lector 1: Julie Spina

Lector 2: Elaine Richau

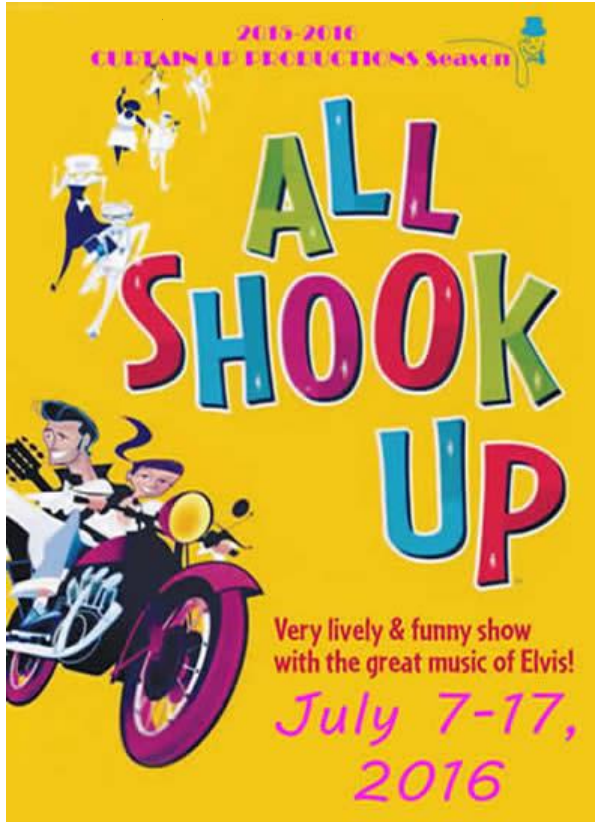
Intercessor: Kathleen Niles-Overton

Altar Guild: Heather Lodinsky

Ushers: Longo/Spina

Counters: Coleman/Aikman

In the Spotlight



All Shook Up is a new musical comedy built around a number of songs made famous by Elvis Presley. It's NOT a biographical revue. It takes place in 1955, somewhere in middle America, where one girl's dream and a surprise visit from a mysterious leather-jacketed, guitar-playing stranger help a small town to discover the magic of romance and the power of rock & roll. Among the 24 songs featured in the score are classics like "Heartbreak Hotel," "Love Me Tender," "Don't Be Cruel," "Can't Help Falling in Love," and of course the title tune.

Thursday, July 7th-7:30pm
Friday, July 8th-7:30pm
Saturday, July 9th-7:30pm
Sunday, July 10th-3:00pm
Thursday, July 14th-7:30pm
Friday, July 15th-7:30pm
Saturday, July 16th-7:30pm
Sunday, July 17th-3:00pm

Tickets: \$25|\$23|\$15

See Church of the Good Shepherd's own **Lindsay Andrews** performing at the Historic Lockport Palace Theater, 2 East Avenue, Lockport, NY, 14094, and surround yourself with all of your old Elvis Presley favorites!

You can order Tickets by calling the Box Office at (716) 438-1130 or on-line at <http://www.lockportpalacetheatre.org/>

Around the Parish

Our Search for a New Rector

The Profile Committee has compiled the information that was gathered during our table discussions on May 22nd, and has gathered information about our Parish – History, Ministries, Our Parish community, our Parkside community, etc. – to be included in the final profile. We are now in the process of putting all of this together as a draft document to be presented to the Canon for Transitions on July 7th. It will also serve as a guide for the Discernment Committee as they begin their work of interviewing candidates. We will also be working closely with our Partners in Ministry, the Church of the Ascension, as we continue moving forward.

Greeters/Ushers Needed! Please Help!

We are in need of people willing to serve as Greeters/Ushers on Sunday Mornings, to distribute bulletins at the door as you greet people, pass the collection plate, assist folks in getting to the communion rail...if you are interested in serving our parish and community through this ministry, please see Joe Spina for a more detailed “job description”.

The Pet Food Pantry

Our dear friends from Church of the Ascension at Good Shepherd have asked us to tell you how very grateful they are for all of the support Good Shepherd provides for their vital ministry to so many animals and their people. The one critical need right now for them is for Cat food, which is currently in very short supply. Please consider bringing a bag of dry cat food or some small cans of cat food between now and **July 9th**, when they will be having their next distribution. Or write a check payable to Church of the Ascension, with “Pet Food Pantry” in the memo line.



Around the Diocese

Summer Hours

The Diocesan Offices will switch to summer hours beginning June 20. After June 17, the office will be open

- Monday - Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Friday, 8:30 a.m. to Noon.



Thursday Evening Prayer will resume in the Fall.

Eaton Camp Needs You!



Like to read? Play games? Save the world? Come and join the corps of Eaton Camp Volunteers who are saving the world one child at a time. (It's amazing what fostering the love of reading within a child can do.) Email Sare Anuszkiewicz at Director@EatonCamp.org for more information. Don't delay!

Education for Ministry

Education for Ministry is a four-year program that students commit to only one year at a time. It is a distance learning course in which the members of a group meet each week to discuss reading materials which provide a basic education in the history of Christianity and contemporary theological issues. It is never too early to enroll for the coming year that begins in September. Contact the Rev. Deacon Polly Bowen, Diocesan Coordinator, at 716.652.0377 or email her at stmatthiasdeacon@gmail.com for registration information.



Save these Dates!

Look for more information to come about the following events:

- September 10 – Invite, Welcome, Connect – Diocesan event
- September 11 – Episcopal Day at Darien Lake

Family Camp

Mark your calendars for Family Camp! Join with fellow Episcopalians from all over the Diocese for a weekend of fun, fellowship and prayer.

Family Camp will happen Friday night, Saturday & Sunday morning of Labor Day weekend, September 2 - 4. Family Camp takes place at Camp Asbury in Silver Lake, near Perry.



There will be activities for all ages. Camp starts Friday evening. Lodging is in rooms with two to three single beds with a bathroom shared with the next room. Camp ends with Eucharist celebrated by Bishop Franklin at 9 am on Sunday.



Around the Parkside Neighborhood

Shakespeare in Delaware Park



The Winter's Tale

June 23 – July 17, 2016 Directed by Saul Elkin

Polixenes, the King of Bohemia, has been visiting his old friend King Leontes in Sicily for nearly nine months but is ready to go home. Leontes begs him to stay longer but Polixenes is anxious to go and declines. When Leontes' pregnant wife, Hermione, succeeds in persuading Polixenes to stay, Leontes becomes insanely jealous and obsessed with the thought that his wife has been unfaithful with his friend, and he orders his minister, Camillo, to poison Polixenes. Camillo warns Polixenes instead and they flee the country leaving Hermione and her little boy, Mamilius, to face the King's anger.

Leontes imprisons Hermione and she delivers a baby girl there. A lady in waiting, Paulina, takes the baby to Leontes to try to persuade him to accept her. Instead Leontes orders Paulina's husband, Antigonus, to take the baby and leave it in some remote place. Leontes puts Hermione on trial where she is vindicated. Her son, Mamilius, dies from heartbreak at his mother's imprisonment. Hermione collapses and appears to die.

Antigonus places the baby on a seacoast in Bohemia, flees "pursued by a bear" and the baby is left there. An old shepherd and his son discover the child and take her to their home and name her Perdita.

Act II – Sixteen years have passed and the play takes on a happier romantic tone. The abandoned baby, Perdita, is now a lovely 16 year old girl. Florizel, the son of King Polixenes. And prince of Bohemia meets and falls in love with young Perdita. After a series of twists and turns everyone winds up back in Sicilia where a repentant Leontes, now reconciled with Polixenes and the daughter he never knew have been taken by Paulina to see a newly completed statue of Hermione...and the statue moves! Hermione has lived in seclusion in the belief that her daughter will be found. A happy ending for all.

All performances are Tuesday through Sunday at 7:30pm



'No Man is an Island'

No man is an island entire of itself; every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main; if a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the less, as well as if a promontory were, as well as any manner of thy friends or of thine own were; any man's death diminishes me, because I am involved in mankind. And therefore never send to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for thee.

(Olde English Version

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MEDITATION XVII

Devotions upon Emergent Occasions

John Donne

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Music Minister: Debi Overton-Niles

Sexton: Greg Evola

Treasurer: Pat Lalonde

Wardens: Charlie Ohl, Nancy Cich

Clerk of the Vestry: Kathy Boone (asst. Clerk: Gloria Longo)

Vestry

Class of 2016: Debbie Wiesner, Elaine Richau

Class of 2017: Katie Thomas, Patty Mertens

Class of 2018: Joe Spina, Carol Burns