

A scenic landscape featuring a valley with a river, surrounded by mountains and dense forests. The foreground shows large, grey rocks. The sky is bright, and the overall atmosphere is peaceful and serene. The text is overlaid on the upper portion of the image.

*Come unto me,*  
ALL YE THAT LABOUR AND ARE HEAVY LADEN,  
AND I WILL GIVE YOU

*rest.*

MATTHEW 11:28

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST (Proper 16)

August 25, 2024

## HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE II

11:00 A.M.

### HYMNAL

### PRAYER BOOK

Organ Prelude: *Musical Selections*

293 Processional: *I Sing a Song*

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

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\*\* The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant: The Lord be with you.*

*People: And also with you*

*Celebrant: Let us pray.*

### The Lessons

\*\* First Reading: Joshua 24:1-2a,14-18

\*\* The Psalm: 34:15-22

\*\* Second Reading: Ephesians 6:10-20

324 Sequence Hymn: *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence*  
(verses 1-3)

**The Gospel:** John 6:56-69

*Priest or Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord*

*Jesus Christ according to John*

*People: Glory to you, Lord Christ*

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### The Blessing

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### Announcements

Organ Postlude: *Musical Selections*

**ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God.**



### FELLOWSHIP HOUR

The Christian Gathering continues after this service with Fellowship and Refreshments in the undercroft.

**PLEASE JOIN US!!!!!!**

**August 25 - A Parishioner**





# 14 PENTECOST

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 16



Revised Common Lectionary  
TRACK TWO

## COLLECT

August 25, 2024

### *Traditional*

GRANT, we beseech thee, merciful God, that thy Church, being gathered together in unity by thy Holy Spirit, may manifest thy power among all peoples, to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

### *Contemporary*

GRANT, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## **FIRST READING:** Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18

JOSHUA GATHERED all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. And Joshua said to all the people, “Now therefore revere the Lord, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.” Then the people answered, “Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord to serve other gods; for it is the Lord our God who brought

us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; and the Lord drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God.”

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## Refrain

Taste and see that the Lord is good.

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### Psalm 34:15-22 *from the Book of Common Prayer*

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| 15 | The eyes of the LORD are upon the righteous, * and his ears are open to their cry.                       | 19 | Many are the troubles of the righteous, * but the LORD will deliver him out of them all. |
| 16 | The face of the LORD is against those who do evil, * to root out the remembrance of them from the earth. | 20 | He will keep safe all his bones; * not one of them shall be broken.                      |
| 17 | The righteous cry, and the LORD hears them * and delivers them from all their troubles.                  | 21 | Evil shall slay the wicked, * and those who hate the righteous will be punished.         |
| 18 | The LORD is near to the broken-hearted * and will save those whose spirits are crushed.                  | 22 | The LORD ransoms the life of his servants, * and none will be punished who trust in him. |

## **SECOND READING:** Ephesians 6:10-20

FINALLY, BE STRONG in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

## **GOSPEL:** John 6:56-69

JESUS SAID, “Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.” He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

When many of his disciples heard it, they said, “This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?” But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, “Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe.” For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, “For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father.” Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, “Do you also wish to go away?” Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.”

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THE WEEK:

Monday, August 26, 2024

Tuesday, August 27, 2024

Wednesday, August 28, 2024

Thursday, August 29, 2024

Friday, August 30, 2024

Saturday, August 31, 2024

Sunday, September 1, 2024

11 a.m.

- Morning Prayer-Phone  
Meditation

*Stay hydrated!!*



**NEWS FROM AROUND THE EPISCOPAL  
& ANGLICAN DIOCESES**

Please Pray for the people and nations of the Middle East.

**Episcopal Day at the Ballpark!** Register online ([dioala.org/events](http://dioala.org/events)) to celebrate with Alabama Episcopalians and The Rt. Rev. Bishop Glenda Curry (as she throws out the first pitch) at Riverwalk Stadium Montgomery to see the Montgomery Biscuits Baseball Team (affiliate team of the Tampa Bay Rays) play the Rocket City Trash Pandas (affiliate team of the Los Angeles Angels), *Sunday, August 25, 2024, 3:33 – 6:30 pm*. Tickets are \$15 and include a buffet lunch and reserved seating.

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**T.U. NEWS/EVENTS** ([www.tuskegee.edu](http://www.tuskegee.edu))

-T.U. Fall Classes begin Aug 19, 2024: visit T.U. website

**Football Schedules 2024 – Tuskegee U./Auburn U.**

(tickets available online)

- T.U. September 1, Red Tails Classic, T.U. vs JCSU, 6 pm, Montgomery Crampton Bowl
- T.U. Football-Sept. 21: T.U vs Savannah State, 1pm-home
- T.U. Football-Oct. 5: 85<sup>th</sup> Morehouse Tuskegee Classic, 2pm, Columbus, GA
- T.U. Football-Oct 19: T.U. vs Kentucky State, 1pm-home
- T.U. Football-Nov. 2: T.U. vs Clark Atlanta, 1pm, Atlanta
- T.U. Football-Nov. 9: T.U. vs Miles U., 1pm-100<sup>th</sup> Homecoming
  
- A. U. Football-August 31: A.U. vs Alabama A&M, 6:30pm-home
- A.U. Football-Sept. 7: A.U. vs California, 2:30pm-home
- A.U. Football-Sept. 14: A.U. vs New Mexico, 6:30pm-Homecoming

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

- All Macon County Day Festival – *Saturday, August 31, 2024*, downtown Tuskegee, on-the-square.

# ***PRAYER LIST***

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SCOTT ALLEN

PHYLLIS BOLDEN

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CHRISTINE ANDERSON

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JAMES BRAYE

REBECCA LYN CARTER

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LOU JONES

LOUISE JONES

BOB JERNIGAN

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\*\* Shut-In Parishioners



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## THE DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for our Companion Diocese of Honduras and their bishop, Lloyd; The Clergy and people of the Evangelical Lutheran Church; Diocesan Department of Recovery Ministries; Holy Cross, Trussville; and Holy Cross, Uniontown.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS!!

- ARMED FORCES: Please pray for our service men and women stationed in the U.S. and overseas, especially, DeRitha Marbory Barber, Sam and Margaret Gunn Bunton, Christopher Childers, Kyle F. Graham, Shavone Marbory Hogan, Jabar and Kenya Lee Steward.
- PRAYERS: Continue to pray for those on the Prayer List, friends, family and all humankind afflicted by disease, war and famine. Pray for peace!
- REMINDER: Please continue to furnish the Food Basket located in the Education Building, ground floor directly across from the elevator.
- REMINDER: The link for the Sunday ZOOM Companion service can be reached by dialing: 1-312-626-6799, Meeting ID: 853 2277 6255 Passcode: 210763 or click on your email invite. The next Holy Eucharist service will be announced.
- ATTENTION: The Parish Secretary is in the process of updating the Prayer List. Please let her know names of friends, family or parishioners to list by September 30, 2024. (email: standrewstuskegeedd@gmail.com); DOK has a blue Prayer Box on the table. If you would like to request individual prayers, please submit your request in the box. Church organizations will resume meetings in September.

### *HAPPY ANNIVERSARY & BIRTHDAY!!!*

August    1 – *James & June Samuel*  
              1 - Carolyn Bland  
              2 - William E. Gunn  
             11 - Anthony Reid  
             22 - *George & Tiffanne Bulls*  
             26 - *Lewis & Carolyn Bland*  
             26 - E. Drake Whitelaw