



ST. BENEDICT'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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We welcome you in the name of the Lord!

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The mission of St. Benedict's Church is to "know Christ's love and to make it known"

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Year C – Revised Common Lectionary / Daily Office Year One

NOVEMBER 9 AND 10, 2019

Weekend Schedule

Saturday: Holy Eucharist Rite II – 6:00 pm

Sunday: Morning Prayer - 7:45 am

Holy Eucharist Rite I – 8:00 am

Eucharist Rite II – 10:00 am

(With Sunday school for children and youth of all ages)

Weekday Eucharist/Prayer in Community

Tuesday: Intercessory Prayer Group – 8:00 am

Tuesday: Holy Eucharist - 8:30 am

Wednesday: Holy Eucharist/Healing Service – 7:00 pm

Thursday: Holy Eucharist – 8:30 am

Book of Common Prayer

Order of Service

Holy Eucharist Rite II: 6:00 pm and 10:00 am (BCP 355)

Holy Eucharist Rite I: 8:00 am (BCP 323)

The Collect

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson: Job 19:23-27a

Job said, "O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book! O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth; and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another."

The Word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD**

Psalm 17:1-9 Exaudi, Domine

1 Hear my plea of innocence, O LORD; give heed to my cry; *
listen to my prayer, which does not come from lying lips.
2 Let my vindication come forth from your presence; *let your eyes be fixed on justice.
3 Weigh my heart, summon me by night, *melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.
4 I give no offense with my mouth as others do; *I have heeded the words of your lips.
5 My footsteps hold fast to the ways of your law; *in your paths my feet shall not stumble.
6 I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me; *incline your ear to me and hear my words.
7 Show me your marvelous loving-kindness, *
O Savior of those who take refuge at your right hand from those who rise up against them.
8 Keep me as the apple of your eye; *hide me under the shadow of your wings,
9 From the wicked who assault me, *from my deadly enemies who surround me.

The Epistle: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you? But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter. Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word. The Word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD**

+The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke (20:27-38)

All: GLORY TO YOU, LORD CHRIST

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to Jesus and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her." Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive." The Gospel of the Lord. **ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, LORD CHRIST**

Sermon/Homily: 6:00 pm Saturday, 8:00 and 10:00 am Sunday:

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Prayers of the People: 6:00 pm & 10:00 am: Form I; 8:00 am (BCP 328)

Blessings for anniversaries and birthdays and the laying on of hands for healing

The Great Thanksgiving: 6:00 pm and 10:00 am (BCP 361); 8:00 am (BCP 333)

Post Communion Prayer: BCP, 365 (8:00 am BCP, 339)

Sending out the Lay Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant: N. (and N.) we send you out to share Communion this week with (names).

People: May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's body and blood.

Celebrant: May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in the community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ. **People: Amen.**

Heaven and Hell

The Sadducees of today's gospel did not believe in resurrection. They therefore challenged Jesus with an absurd story of seven brothers who married the same woman after the death of his predecessor. They ask, "At the resurrection, whose wife will she be"? Jesus uses their silliness to explain that in the resurrection, their relationship to God will supersede mere human relationships. God's love will absorb our human love. God will love us directly insofar as we have loved, and this love experience will breathe of ecstatic embrace. Will there be love of neighbor? Certainly; but it will exist within the divine communing. Eternity becomes an ever-deepening mutual love affair with love itself (God). Our name for this is heaven; to deprive oneself of this ecstasy is hell. *-Norm Carroll spiritualsummit.net*

COMING UP @ ST. BENEDICT'S

St. Benedict's is celebrating Veterans Day on Sunday, November 10th. Please join us in the hall for cake following the 10:00 am service. This year is the 100th anniversary of Veterans Day.

The flowers on the altar are given to the Greater Glory of God and in thanksgiving for the men and women who have served and continue to serve our county.

Our Nursery is open every Sunday during the 10:00 am service for infants and toddlers ages 6 months to 3 years. Please see Cheryl Burley or Yvette Dawson for more information, or to volunteer.

The Sacramental Candle is given to the Greater Glory of God and in loving memory of Dean LaBello on the twelfth anniversary of his death from Nickie and John Quinn.

UTO Corner 2019: It's time for UTO 2019! Please pick up your little blue box or envelope after the service. United Thank Offering Ministry is committed to sharing God's Love to everyone.

Thank You: Thank you to the community of St. Benedict's the members of which support our dynamic Monday night Bible series. Come at 7:00 pm to the chapel as we explore the call to spiritual arms by the Holy Spirit.

Sunday Scene: Join us in the chapel at 9:30 am to mine the wisdom of Sunday's lessons.

Faith in Music Ministry: We will be listening and studying sacred classical music this Tuesday at 9:30 am.

ECW Meeting Sunday, November 10th immediately following the 10:00 am service in St. Elizabeth's Room. All women are welcomed and encouraged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Attention all men! You are invited to be part of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew: The next meeting will be on Sunday, November 17th in the St. Elizabeth's Room promptly following the 10:00 am Mass. Through the disciplines of Prayer, Study and Service, the Brotherhood aims to always bring men and youth closer to Christ. The Brotherhood also maintains the Brotherhood Corner located in Deshaies Hall where members of the St. Benedict's community who need assistance with various projects around their homes are able to reach out. We invite all men of the church to come and join us for fellowship. Refreshments are usually provided. For information please contact Kevin Walford at: AquaOrangeGreen@gmail.com.

The Mother's Union Meeting will be on Sunday, November 17th after the 10:00 am Service in St. Luke's Room.

Lifeline Screening will be at St. Benedict's on Monday, November 18th, 2019. The "6 for Life Health Assessment" measures your risk of developing 6 chronic diseases, including heart disease, congestive heart failure, stroke, diabetes, COPD and lung cancer. Finger-stick blood tests along with biometric measurements are separate from our vascular screenings. Register today for \$79. Call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle to schedule your appointment.

Message from Father Matt: Cheryl and I would like to thank all of you for your generosity and support for us. Thank you for your love towards us -- it is so greatly appreciated. I am certainly reminded of these Scripture verses from Sunday's Epistle where St. Paul says, "I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and love toward all the saints and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you in my prayers." Blessings, Fr. Matt

Mothers' Union Quilt Raffle: Please purchase your tickets from Blossie Lewis. The quilt will be raffled at The Harvest Festival on November 24th.

Please note that Harvest is being held on Sunday, November 24th. We are asking for donations of fruits, vegetables and baked items. Please bring these items to the church on Saturday, November 23rd after 12:00 noon. For additional information, please contact Dawn McGibbon, 954-748-3075, or any member of the Special Events Ministry.

THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICE at St. Benedict's will be on Thursday, November 28th at 10:00 am. It is a short service - 45-minute service max. Designed so you can get home and keep cooking!

Thanksgiving Day Lunch: All are welcome to join us after our Thanksgiving Day service! Volunteers are needed to set up and serve. Please see Cheryl Burley for more information.

ECW invites you to our 2nd Annual Spaghetti Luncheon on Sunday, December 1st following the 10:00 am service. Feast on spaghetti, meatballs, garlic bread, salad and dessert! Tickets - \$10.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children 10 and under. Help us support our graduating Seniors by purchasing a ticket and having an excellent after service meal. Tickets are on sale after services or contact Carla Holness at 954.309.3298 or cholness618@gmail.com for more information. Ciao!

Mark your calendars!! Forever Young Christmas Party and Luncheon will be on Tuesday December 10th at 12:30 pm in the Deshaies Hall. All are invited to come for lunch, fun, and games. Tickets are \$10. Please call Carol Weller at 954 572-4075 to RSVP by December 3rd, so that we can give a count to the caterers.

Brotherhood Fundraising Breakfast: The Brotherhood of St. Andrew will be hosting a Fundraising Breakfast on Sunday, December 15th in Deshaies Hall following the 10:00 am Mass. Tickets are \$10 for Adults and \$5 for Youth (ages 12 and under). Please contact Kevin Walford or any of the Brotherhood members for more information.

The *Buprost* (Business Professionals Skills and Talents) Directory is intended to showcase our business owners and their many professional skills and talents within our church and the larger community. This is an excellent opportunity for us to support each other and spread good news. Please pick up a questionnaire, fill it out and return it to Satnarine Ricketts-Weller, Janet Findlay, Carla Holness, or Winston Plummer. For more information please contact Satnarine at 516-647-0873 or email Satnarine@outlook.com

Are you 18-35 years old? Looking for a group to be a part of? NextGen might be right for you! We meet every other Sunday in the afternoon/evening in the conference room. We are always welcoming new members. If you are interested contact Ashley at 954-591-0647 or Nayomi at 954-802-9272

The Mission of the Month of November is Seafarers' House: Seafarers' House at Port Everglades, USA is open every day of the year as a safe, friendly place where mariners can connect to their families, relax, ask questions about the community, and get emergency help if needed. St. Benedict's collects calling cards; provides donations for their shoebox Christmas and Valentine's Day lunch.

Our Parking Lot Project: Please check out the landscape design for the parking lot project which can be found on the easel in the narthex. Thanks to all who have contributed to Phase I of this project.

Spiritual Thought: "Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies." –Mother Teresa

Our offerings to God for November 2 and 3, 2019 – Thank you for your generosity!

Operating:	8,695.00
Building Fund:	2,832.00
Total:	11,527.00
Operational Costs:	9,900.00
<i>Over Budget for the week:</i>	<i>1,627.00</i>