

Episcopal Church of the Redeemer

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Liturgical Ministers

September 9

Holy Eucharist

Sunday 9:00 AM

Vestry person: Sue Rollins

Ushers: John & Lesley Hicks

Readers: Diana Long, Bill Fletcher

Prayers: Cindy Walker

Eucharistic Ministers: Marilyn Cepeda,
Bill Fletcher

Acolytes: Steve Scranton, Joan Chadick, Carol
George

Snack: Josh Wimberly, John Yates

Altar Guild: Team 2

In our diocese pray for: St. James', Eufaula

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, PRAY for
Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan,
The Most Revd Daniel Deng Bul Yak, Archbishop
of the Province of the Episcopal Church of South
Sudan & Bishop of Juba



Liturgical Ministers

September 16

Holy Eucharist

Sunday 9:00 AM

Vestry person: Sue Rollins

Ushers: Eddie and Diana Shaw

Readers: Ana Tomberlin, Ken Rice

Prayers: Lois Bolter

Eucharistic Ministers: John Hicks, Ginger Bolter

Acolytes: Bryant Lowther, Cecelia Archer, ?

Snack: Jackie Miles, Jessica Tomberlin

Altar Guild: Team 3

Pray for: Josh **Wimberly**, Ellen **Copeland**, Buck
Scott, K.C. **Barnett**, Irene **Fawole**, Genny **Pollard**,
Louise **Beck**, Mona **Ganoe**, Ray & Mary Jo **Howes**,
Tom (TK) **King**, Diana **Shaw**, Brandon **Bateman**,
Nancy **Sharp**, Graham & Jillian **Brunson**, Blake &
Amanda **Summers**, Burton & Cindy **Roton**,
Virginia **Wilkins**, Janelle **Odom**, Pearl **Fletcher**,
Paulette **Fowler**, Margaret **McMullen**, Zach
Hamrick, Hon **Beck**, Mike **Kulakowski**, Tavia
Crumpler, **Darla O'Conner**, **Garrett** McDaniel,

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Mary Milan, Sharon Regan, Faye McFarland, Joe McEvoy, Lisa Shaw, Ken & Kathy Kanne, Keith & Diane Kanne, Denise Thornton, Tischa McCoy, Hollie Knight Toland, Joe Mcevoy and for all who suffer from the unjust, violent, or intemperate use of the earth's resources or their devastation by war, that all may one day live in communities of justice and peace,

For those deployed: Murl Lee Trainham, Jr.

Pray for our animal friends: LuLu, Casey, Duchess

Pray for the victims of crime, the staff and those incarcerated in Covington County Jail, Andalusia, Alabama.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

For those celebrating birthdays: Cindy Walker 9/07, Fred Langworthy 9/09, Hannah Robinson 9/09, Jonathon Taylor 9/10

**For those celebrating anniversaries:
For those who have died:**

Redeemer Calendar

Wednesday, September 5

7:30-9:30 a.m. BNI Meeting (ph)
8:30-4pm Bill Morris art class (cr)
5-6:30pm Community Cafe (ph)

Thursday, September 6

8:30-12 n, Bill Morris art class (cr)

Friday, September 7

10:00 Study Group (ph)

11:30 p.m. 31- Roma Café – Airport Blvd.

Saturday, September 8

Sunday, September 9

8:30 am Choir Rehearsal

9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

9:00 am Sunday School (1st classroom)

[Praying the Collects Formation Video Series Begins \(ph\)](#)

4:30 Private Event (s)

5-8 pm Private event (ph)

Monday, September 10

Tuesday, September 11

9-12 n. Joy in her office

10 a.m.-Noon AA Meeting (*private/ph*)

Wednesday, September 12

7:30-9:30 a.m. BNI Meeting (ph)

8:30-4pm Bill Morris art class (cr)

5-6:30pm Community Cafe (ph)

September Prayer lists are posted. **Remember members are left on until you tell us to take them off. All other are removed (unless we are instructed to leave on).**

Postings from the Priest

Praying the Collects of the BCP

Join us for a glimpse into the vast tapestry of prayers that help make up the Book of Common Prayer in our upcoming series entitled "Praying the Collects of the BCP." This 12 week series will take an in depth look into select collects. You will learn a little about the author and history of the prayer, discover some scriptural references, and be asked reflective questions for dialogue in your own discernment. For group or individual study.

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The series will include a brief video sent out each week (or posted on <https://www.diocgc.org/praying-the-collects>) that introduces a collect from The Book of Common Prayer. Accompanying the videos will be a downloadable PDF curriculum.

Resources will be available on this page at the beginning of September.

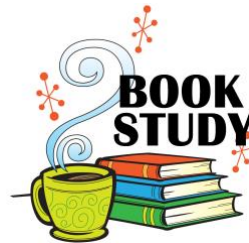
All collects are found in the Book of Common Prayer. Schedule of collect and page number is listed below.

SCHEDULE:

- **Week 1 Page 832**
Quiet Confidence with Bishop Russell
- **Week 2 Page 257**
Mission of the Church with Joy Blaylock
- **Week 3 Page 134**
Compline - "Keep Watch" with Bishop Russell
- **Week 4 Page 244**
Michael and All Angels with Massey Gentry
- **Week 5 Page 840**
For the Diversity of Races and Culture with Kammy Young
- **Week 6 Page 261**
Humble Access with Bishop Russell
- **Week 7 Page 816**
Self-dedication with Bishop Russell
- **Week 8 Page 832**
Vocation in Daily Work with Jenn Johnson
- **Week 9 Page**
Election Focused with Massey Gentry
- **Week 10 Page 253**
For the Departed with Joy Blaylock
- **Week 11 Page 308**
Baptismal Candidates with Kammy Young
- **Week 12 Page 336**
The Great Thanksgiving with Bishop Russell

Videos that accompany each collect will be released the Wednesday prior.

We will have a flier available with this information on it available in the narthex.



During September, the Season of Creation, the Friday study group will be using the DVD series *Painting the Stars: Science, Religion and Evolving Faith*. From Bruce Sanguin, Author of *If Darwin Prayed* and one of the contributors to the series: "The goal of this curriculum is to...explore the relationship between science, particularly evolution, and religion. Perhaps most importantly, the hope is that each participant will feel from the inside what it is like to be the presence of all this creativity showing up after 13.7 billion years as him or her. Without this felt sense of being one with the creative process that is ceaselessly animating life, the conversation will remain objective and academic. We invite you to engage these seven weeks with an awareness that you are not separate from the creativity that produced you." All are welcome to join the weekly conversation in the common room on Fridays, 10-11:30AM.

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Work Party Agenda:

START TIME: We will start at 8 am

END TIME: Work until noon or 1 pm.

The items that need attending to are:

- 1. Raise the tree canopies** - need pole saws (manual and/or power), chain saws, pickup trucks and tarps.
- 2. Attend to the Labyrinth and Interment area** - edging, grass cutting, trim bushes, rake out the debris.
- 3. Seeding/lime the Cody side hill with grass seed and watering.** Bill Fletcher has the grass seed.
- 4. Trimming bushes** - need hand shears and power trimmers (use pickups to deliver debris to the back of our property.)
- 5. Complete setting up the playground equipment** - need 2 or 3 men with sockets and ratchet wrenches to connect the pieces of the playground equipment.
- 6. Re-align the railroad ties** in the parking lot in front of the Parish Hall.

7. **Need to paint:** a) the red faded curb area in front of the fire hydrant and hydrant if enough paint; b) yellow paint the curb and oval concrete support for the overhead columns.

8. **Trim/cut the grass** on the upper parking lot and the area near the playground. Bill Watt will bring a big tractor with a bush-hog attachment for this task.

Tools and equipment needed:

Pole saws

Rakes

Trimming hedgers (manual or powered)

Spreader for lime and grass seed

Tools (socket sets) to put together the last playground item

At least two pickup trucks

Tarps for collecting cuttings and other debris

*PLEASE call Rick at 634-1355 or Cell at 402-1846 if you can help on **Sept. 8th.** Need 6-10 workers.*



Family Promise will arrive Saturday 9/15. We will have 4 families. We need Dinner hosts & over-night hosts. Sign-up sheets in hallway. There is an extra night this time so more hosts needed.

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Hungry Old Guys and Gals Schedule



Thanks,
Lella

September – 14-Felix’s-Causeway
21- Bamboo Steakhouse – Cody Rd.
28- Cracker Barrel- Schillinger Rd.

Food Pantry: 1# bags of rice, canned items: canned vegetables, ravioli, spaghettios, chili, beef or chicken stew, tuna, chicken, Spam & Vienna Sausage, sardines, small jars of peanut butter and jelly, baked beans, cereal. Anything is appreciated, this is simply a list of ideas.

Community Café

Hi Friends,

We will be back to our regular schedule, so cooks please arrive by 1PM, all others by 5PM. Since this is our anniversary, I plan to get a couple of cakes from Costco as I did last year (and someone has offered to pay for one of them...thank you!), with an ice cream assortment in the freezer for back up desserts, so dessert makers can take another week off.

We will also be joined by the Café Jammers and Lowie doing haircuts, so it should be a very festive evening. If you can think of anything else to do to make it more special, please let me know.

Thank you so much to Lois, her able assistant Ellen, and all the rest for all of the hard work they put into providing diners with Breakfast for Dinner last week. I understand that we served nearly 100 plates, so we are staying steady around our all-time high attendance numbers. Nice work, everyone!!

Looking forward to another year with all of you!



**Redeemer
Community Café**
“Meals from the Heart”

Wednesday, September 5, 2018

5:00—6:30 p.m.

Main Dish

Spaghetti and Meatballs
Edamame Spaghetti and Marinara Sauce

Side Dishes

Roasted Beets and Sweet Potatoes
Green Salad
Garlic Bread

Tea & Water

Dine-In Only. Public is invited.

Cost: Pay what you can...drop your donation in the box as you leave.

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Redeemer Community Café “Meals from the Heart” will be open this Wednesday but will be take out only Red Beans & Rice.



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Environmental Stewardship Team

In recognition of the Season of Creation, Redeemer members are invited to participate in the 31st

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Annual Alabama Coastal Cleanup on Saturday, September 15th and help **“Get the Trash Out of the Splash.”** We are planning to work out of the cleanup zone at the foot of the Fowl River bridge near Bellingrath Garden. Ken Rice has agreed to meet us there with his pontoon boat and take groups to pick up trash out of Fowl River.

Children are welcome to participate in this outreach activity, but children younger than 14 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult. **A permission form is attached for any children who would like to work from the pontoon boat.** Ken’s boat holds about 10 people, so if more show up we will go out in shifts, taking turns patrolling the river and the bank.

Needed to borrow: life vests for children and scoop nets that can be used to pick up trash from the river. If you are willing to lend these supplies, please contact Lella. Also, please let her know if you plan to participate, since we can call and reserve t-shirts for all volunteers. You may meet at the site at 8:45AM (11799 Dauphin Island Parkway, Theodore) or meet at Redeemer at 8AM and then carpool to the site. To reserve your t-shirt or lend supplies, please call Lella at 251-455-5073 or email her at rollread@bellsouth.net.

The cleanup runs from 8AM-12PM. In past years, there have been drinks and hotdogs for the volunteers at the end of the morning, so I expect that to be the case this time, too, but please bring your own beverages and sunscreen!

Let your light shine

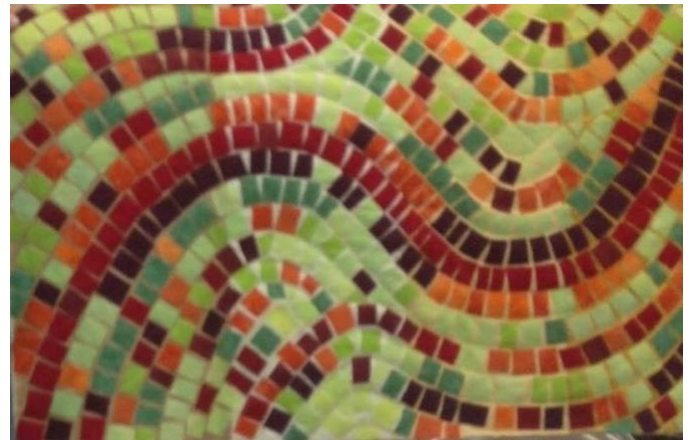
In December the Artists’ Place Gallery would like to spot light the many talents of the Redeemer family. We are asking all who draw, paint,

photograph, sculpt, carve, whittle, stitch, sew, knit, crochet or doodle to exhibit one or a few pieces of work to exhibit. You may enter yours to sell or simply show. Please see a member of the art committee to sign up.

This show will be for Redeemer members only. We look forward to hearing from you.

This is going to be so much fun.

The Artists’ Place



Fabric Expressions

During the month of September, the Artists' Place Gallery at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer will be exhibiting the works of **Elaine Williams**.

Elaine expresses her creative ability through fabric. Her love of nature and the environment is a driving force in her work. She began quilting as a serious hobby in 1985 when she took her first quilting lesson while still teaching in public schools.

For as long as she can remember, Elaine has been fascinated with fabric. She designed doll clothes at age five and began using patterns for clothing in the fourth grade. Her teacher, a seamstress and tailor,

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sponsored a sewing club after school and sometimes in school. Club members wore their creations in a PTA fashion show. Her interest was further peaked when her uncle repaired an old long-bobbin machine for her use. After that, sewing with Grandma Anderson became part of her routine.

Elaine dabbles in abstraction, but most creations are painted, collaged or pieced. Sometimes they have all these elements. Although she wears pink, she seldom uses it in her quilting, having found it the hardest color to use. She loves nature's vibrant golds, yellows, and rusts mixed with vivid blues and greens.

A member of Azalea City Quilters Guild since 2001, Elaine has served as president, newspaper editor, chairperson for two quilt shows and helped organize exhibits at the Mobile Museum Art, Mobile Art Council, and Dauphin Island Sea Lab. She helped establish the "Art Quilters" group within ACQG and has won awards in local competition including Judge's Choice and first place ribbons.

In addition to ACQG, Elaine belongs to The American Quilters Society, Gulf States Quilt Association and Studio Art Quilters Association, a national organization for quilters interested in furthering their art skills through fabric.

A native of the Mobile area, Elaine has a master's degree in education from the University of South Alabama and is retired from Mobile County Public Schools. She resides with her husband Dan and enjoys her five grandchildren, one of whom is destined to be a quilter.

The exhibit will be on display from **September 1 through September 29** and may be viewed, by appointment, by contacting Rob Bearden at 251-767-8362.

Please join us on **Sunday, September 16 from 3:00 until 5:00** for a meet-the-artist reception and viewing in Elaine's honor.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Diocesan Events - *all events and workshops require registration unless noted*

- **September 9** – [Praying the Collects Formation Video Series Begins](#) – *no registration needed*
- **September 13-16** – Cursillo at Beckwith
- **September 15, 8:30am-3pm** – Diocesan Acolyte Festival at Christ Church Cathedral
- **September 22, 9am-3pm** – Daughters of the King Fall Assembly at St. James Fairhope
- **September 28-30** – BayLights at Beckwith