



Weekly Announcements August 4, 2021

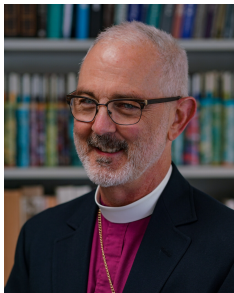
David is not the only sinner that God loves and has forgiven. I am a forgiven sinner, along with everyone else in our churches. Our call is to reach out to other sinners and help them find God's love and forgiveness. Such a call can put us in the middle of the messy, painful consequences of mistakes. Helping someone through such difficulties is an act of Christian love.

We might rather
be with nice people who make life easier for us, but Jesus came to call sinners.

Forward Day by Day

August 5, 2021

Rev. Adam Trambley



Bishop Jake's Annual Visit & Back-to-School Blessing!

August 8, 2021

10:30 a.m.

*All students, teachers, and/or school personnel
are especially welcome to be with us for this annual blessing.*

COVID Protocols

Upon consultation with Dr. Joan Brunson and Charlotte Sterling, Sr. Warden, and reviewing Bishop Jake's most recent directives (which follow the Governor's), Fr. Tim is now requesting we observe these safety measures while in church buildings:

- Masks should be worn during services and while in the church for large gatherings; this applies to all groups which use our facilities.
- Avoid congregating in the Narthex before and after service; as such, the altar party will enter and exit from the front, side door by the Chancel steps.
- Receiving wine will be offered by intinction; we have been following this protocol at St. James for some time now, so this really is a continuation of our practice. Remember that receiving communion in one kind (receiving bread only) is partaking in communion.
- Pass the peace and greet others from a physical distance.

*Thank you for your understanding, patience, and flexibility!
Let us rejoice that we can meet together!*

August 8th **The 11th Sunday after Pentecost**

In-person Eucharist

@ 10:30AM

Childcare is provided!

[Click here for this Sunday's readings \(Track 2\).](#)

August 8th
The 11th Sunday after Pentecost

Online Evening Prayer
@ 5:00 PM

[Click here for the order of service & readings.](#)

Join us by clicking this Zoom link:

[Evening Prayer](#)

Or call:
1.312.626.6799
Meeting ID: 863 4898 4077
Passcode: 1620



Knitting/Crochet Group

Saturday, August 14
10:30 AM to Noon in the Youth Building

This lively group resumes meeting on the second Saturday of each month to create scarves, hats, and other warm fuzzies to donate to the Homeless Coalition around the corner for our neighbors in need this winter. Contact Sara Fuhrer for more information: saracovla@aol.com.

Save the Date!

September 1, 2021
6:30 PM

On the Row
Bringing Darkness into Light:
Sharing Stories of Redemption from Men
on Arkansas' Death Row



The Prison Story Project, a ministry of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Fayetteville, Arkansas, provided creative writing classes from May through October 2016 to men on Varner Prison's death row in Gould, Arkansas.

Their writing was curated into a staged reading, *On the Row*, performed by actors and toured across the country. The staged reading was filmed before a live audience while on a live tour in 2019.

St. James will host this 1 hour and 10 minute film, followed by a live Q&A period with an inmate on Arkansas' death row. This presentation, shown via a Zoom webinar platform, will also be offered to the diocese and is facilitated by Kathy McGregor, Project Director for [The Prison Story Project](#).

Registration is required by [clicking here](#).

The webinar showing is free thanks to funding from [Episcopal Evangelism Society](#)

Parish Prayer List

Please keep these members of our community in your prayers:

Canon John Bedingfield, Sophia (Frey) Bradford, Kristie Fresh, Julie Niven, Randal Skinner, Sawyer, Dee Drell, C. A. Zachary, John, Bernard Parker, James Sinclair, Charlie Charrier, Johnnie Hart, Emily, Taylor Thompson, Todd Fuller, Jane Y. Harris, Chase Barnfield, Kip Hogue, Kyle, James Jay Watts, Janet & Carl Ahrens, Beth Virden, Glenn Guillory, Edna Schoolcraft, Karen

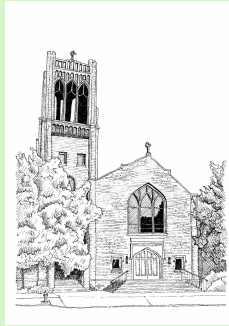
Donahue, Jimmy Hurt, Charlotte Thrift, Mesta Bain, Margaret Broussard, Allie Bunyog, Dean M. Tyree, Linda & John Bazer, Ron Kingston, Cecile Brunson, Felicia, Rita Clancey, Barry Mercer, Annie, Jackie Jeanne, Jaclyn Cutrone, Dietrich DeBoer, Beverly Butler, Bruce Gremillion, Murel Trimble, Emily, Betty Anne Close, Bill Leibke, Sarah, Jackie Moody, Sarah, Wayne and Barbara Moorehead, Pat Carter, Dr. Jack Jackson, Richard Norem, Kevin Hooter, Warren Paul, Cindy Smith, Jane Tyson, Gerard, and Mehre Hajighassem.

For those in the military:

Samuel Hayes, Steven Rougeau, Steven Brevelle, Franklin Watson, Kyle Jordan, Gill Tatman-Tyree, Donal McCarthy, Michael Geiger, Erskine Cook, Jr., Steven P. Lemoine, Patrick Downs, and Chris Babcock.

For those celebrating birthdays in August (day):

Suzie Randow (3), Becky Warren (4), Sonny Trammell (7), Linda Culpepper (8), Larry Menache (8), Suzanne Alexandrer (11), Catherine Davidson (12), Tish Fresh (12), David Lind (13), Claire Callis (14), Murel Trimble (14), Betty Ingrish (15), Scott Yeager (15), Gene Sterling (19), Paton Downs (21), Faye Flanagan (21), MacKenzie Yeager (22), Jameson Milliner (23), Delores Brewer (24), Nancy Flournoy (25), Alice Malone (27), Sara Davidson (28), Susan Frey (28).



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