



Weekly Announcements August 25, 2021

In true love it is not we who love the afflicted in God; it is God in us who loves them. When we are in affliction, it is God in us who loves those who wish us well. Compassion and gratitude come down from God, and when they are exchanged in a glance, God is present at the point where the eyes of those who give and those who receive meet.

Simone Weil
Waiting for God

August Community Breakfast Cancelled

This month's Community Breakfast, slated for Sunday, August 29th, is cancelled because of rising COVID cases and hospitalizations in our region. We make this decision with caution, and out of love and respect for our neighbors. We will evaluate next month's breakfast, held on the last Sunday morning of each month, at a later date and will keep you informed through the weekly announcements.



Thank You from Roy Rosenthal!

With a grateful heart, I express my profound thanks to the St. James family for the monetary generosity shown me as I leave my administrator position. It has been my privilege and pleasure to work with the clergy, fellow staff members, vestries, committees and parishioners during the last nine years, and I am thankful for the opportunity and also the trust afforded to me. The St. James parish is exceedingly blessed with a long history of ministry in God's kingdom here in Alexandria and the wider central Louisiana community, and I am humbled to count myself a participant. I look forward to seeing you at church.

Peace be with you all.
Roy

Worship

August 29th
In-person Eucharist
@ 10:30AM
Childcare is provided!



[Click here for this Sunday's readings \(Track 1\)](#)



August 29th
Evening Prayer
Online @ 5:00 PM

Join us by clicking this Zoom link:
[Evening Prayer](#)

Meeting ID: 863 4898 4077
Passcode: 1620

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

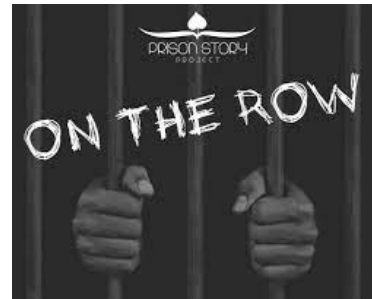
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Next Wednesday, September 1st! ***Still Time to Register!***

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

September 1, 2021

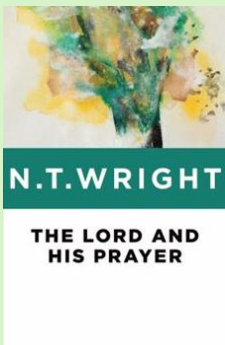
6:30 PM



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](#)



Save the Dates!

Wednesday Nights in September

September 8th, 15th, 22nd, & 29th

@ 6:30 PM via Zoom

The Lord and His Prayer

by N.T. Wright

Join Fr. Tim for a conversation and refreshing look at these well-known words we pray each Sunday during the Eucharist or at other significant moments in our lives. We will talk about the images Jesus used from the first century world around him to describe a way for his disciples to talk even today in intimate conversations with God.

N. T. Wright, one of the most highly respected biblical scholars in the world today, is research professor emeritus of New Testament and early Christianity at the University of St. Andrews and senior research fellow at Wycliffe Hall, Oxford. He is the author, editor, or contributor of over eighty books and/or volumes, including *Simply Christian*, *Surprised by Hope*, *Paul and the Faithfulness of God*, and *The New Testament in Its World*.

Prayer

Parish Prayer List

Please keep these members of our community in your prayers:

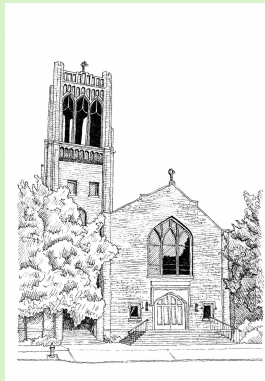
Mattie Dean McNaughton, Canon John Bedingfield, Sophia (Frey) Bradford, Kristie Fresh, Julie Niven, Randal Skinner, Sawyer, Dee Drell, C. A. Zachary, John, Bernard Parker, James Sinclair, Johnnie Hart, Emily, Taylor Thompson, Todd Fuller, Jane Y. Harris, Chase Barnfield, Kip Hogue, Kyle, James Jay Watts, 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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