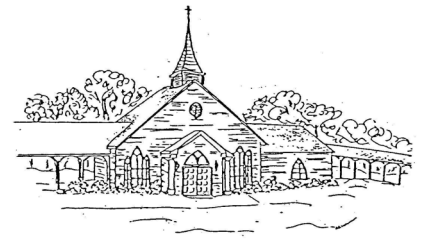




Our Parish Life



June 2023



The Episcopal Church of the Annunciation



“And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS.” Luke 1:31

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The Very Rev. Denise Vaughn
Rector, Annunciation

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OPPORTUNITIES TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR PARISH LIFE

The Very Rev. Denise Vacation
Thursday, June 1st through Monday, June 12th.

Trinity Sunday, June 4,
Morning Prayer at 8:00 am & 10:30 am.
Postulant Ken Shradar officiating.

The Second Sunday after Pentecost, June 11,
Morning Prayer at 10:30 am.
No 8:00 am service. Rebecca Miller Officiating.

Father's Day Episcopal Church Women Coffee Hour
Sunday, June 18, 2023 after the 10:30 service.

Vestry Meeting, Sunday, June 18, 11:45.

Honey Creek Camp Sts. Joseph and Mary June 18-24th.
Lilly Sullivan, Gabriel Bonilla & Sarah Solis.
Thank you to everyone who helped send our young people to camp.

Fourth of July Cook-Out!
Sunday, July 2, after the 10:30 service.
Hamburgers and Hotdogs will be provided.

Non perishable food needed for our Church Pantry
Canned meat, soups with pop tops, rice, crackers,
oatmeal, cereal, these are some of the items in need.

Christian Education for Adults and Children
Adults 9:30 am. Children elementary school and younger 10:20 am.
Nursery Available, Sundays, at 10:15 for the 10:30 service.



Check out our Web site to find latest newsletter, calendar, sermons and more. Thank you to Scott Clements for his help in keeping website information updated.

Dear People of Annunciation,

On Sunday, June 4th, Trinity Sunday, we begin the long Season after Pentecost. Often referred to as “Ordinary Time” or “In between time”, we celebrate “the time in which we actually live-the period between the Pentecost and the Second Coming of Christ. On the church calendar, these weeks are numbered, this year from 1-25 and the color used for our vestments and altar hangings is the green color. Each Sunday has its own theme, based on the collect and the readings and during these weeks, the readings form four general themes:

- Our relationship with God;
- Our relationship with Jesus Christ and with one another through our prayers, the sacraments, and life in the body of Christ;
- The presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives;
- The church and its mission.

This year, we will hear large sections of the gospel according to Matthew. Reading the gospel in sequence will give us a sense of the flow of Jesus’ ministry as he lived and taught and healed. We will hear portions of his Sermon on the Mount, his teachings on prayer, possessions and relationships within the kingdom of God, the practice of justice, and many of his parables. We will read of the sick, the lame and the demon possessed that are healed by his touch and word. We will learn what it means to be a follower of Jesus as we walk with him and his disciples toward Jerusalem.

Also, during these weeks, we will read most of Paul’s letter to the Romans and a good portion of his first letter to the Corinthians, along with his letter to the Philippians, and his first letter to the Thessalonians. These same letters were read to the first Christian communities urging them to love one another, and to hold fast to their faith in the midst of hardship, doubt, and persecution. As we read and study the scriptures, we grow in our relationship with God and with each other. We come to appreciate and see the ongoing work of the Holy Spirit in our lives and we learn how to participate more fully in God’s work to serve each other in Christ’s name.

We end this season on Christ the King Sunday, November 26 which seems a fitting conclusion to the season of Pentecost. For during these weeks, as we have reflected on Jesus’ life and ministry, we have proclaimed him as our King. He is the One who has come to show us God’s love, mercy, and forgiveness and he will come again in glory at the end of the ages.

Let us go forth to love and serve our King!

With the love of Christ,
Denise+



Congratulations to Alex and Ginny Horton!

On the birth of their new baby boy!

Welcome Harris Hopkins Horton, born April 19, 2023.



Trinity Sunday June 4,

On June 4, we celebrate the doctrine of the Trinity or one God: as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The term "Trinity" is from the Latin *tri*, "three," and *unitas*, "unity." It is a term Tertullian, an early Christian author and theologian, devised to express the mystery of the unity-in-diversity of God. The early Christians had discovered Jesus to be more than a wise teacher, more than a great prophet and more than a healer. They experienced him as somehow related to God but struggled to understand exactly how he could be part of God's divine nature. They had heard Jesus speak of God as his Father, and of himself as the Son. After Pentecost, they also knew the Holy Spirit as somehow living within them, but different from Jesus the savior and God the creator, and yet also part of God. They knew from their Jewish tradition that God was one, not two or three.



In an attempt to summarize their experience of God, what evolved over several centuries, was the doctrine of the Trinity. The nearly complete doctrine of the Trinity was announced in 381 at the second ecumenical council in Constantinople which held that God is one being, in three equal persons. It is indeed a mystery as to how God can be one God, and yet known in three persons. Pope Frances once said, "God is a family of three persons who love each other so much as to form into one." God is a perfect communion of love and when we reflect upon our loving relationships with family and friends, we experience this sense of union yet distinction. There are a number of symbols of the Trinity; for example, three interlocking circles or triangles, and other names, God as Creator, Redeemer, and Sanctifier. There are a number of hymns. My favorite is "I bind unto myself today." You will also notice that Trinity permeates the prayers and blessings of the church all to express the doctrine of the Trinity at work in our lives.

Thank You...

From Ken Shradar to the Annunciation Family
for the generous gift.

THANK YOU!
THANK YOU FOR ACCEPTING ME
TO WORSHIP AND SERVE WITH YOU.
EVERYONE HAS BEEN SO LOVING
THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS
AS I CONTINUE ON THIS
JOURNEY.
I ENJOYED GETTING TO KNOW
EVERYONE.
THANK YOU FOR THE GIFT CERTIFICATE
IT WILL HELP ME AS I START
MY MINISTRY.
I LOOK FORWARD TO WORSHIPING AND

PREACHING June 4th
PRAYING FOR EVERYONE
AT ANNUNCIATION.
PEACE & BLESSINGS
KEN

Thank You...

Alex & Ginny Horton say thank you to the
Annunciation family for the wonderful baby gift.



Fourth of July Church Cook-Out!

Sunday, July 2, after the 10:30 service.
Hamburgers and Hotdogs will be provided.



June 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>Happy Father's Day!</p>			Rev. Denise <i>Vacation through June 12th.</i>	1 Office Closed	2 Office Closed	3
4 The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday 8:00 am Morning Prayer Rt. II 10:30 am Morning Prayer Rt. II <i>Live-stream</i> 10:30 am Morning Prayer Rt. II	5 Bee Keepers Meeting 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall.	6	7	8 Office Closed	9 Office Closed	10
11 The Second Sunday after Pentecost No 8:00 am service. 10:30 am Morning Prayer Rt. II <i>Live-stream</i> 10:30 am Morning Prayer Rt. II	12	13	14	15 Office Closed	16 Office Closed	17
18 The Third Sunday after Pentecost 8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rt. II 10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rt. II <i>Live-stream</i> 10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rt. II Happy Father's Day! Reception after the 10:30 Service. Vestry Meeting at 11:45 am.	19 Sarah, Gabriel and Lilly to Honey Creek for Camp 18th -24th.	20	21	22 Office Closed	23 Office Closed	24
25 The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost 8:00 am Holy Eucharist Rt. II 10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rt. II <i>Live-stream</i> 10:30 am Holy Eucharist Rt. II	26	27	28	29 Office Closed	30 Office Closed	



Our Parish Prayer List

We pray for the safety and security of

The United States of America and especially those serving our country: now serving in the military.
Samantha Leamy, Anne Childers daughter serving in the U.S. Air Force.

Missionaries: Dennis & Donna Reed in Malawi, Africa.

We add to the Prayer List this week

The Most Rev. Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop, for comfort and healing.

We continue Prayers for

Brenda Williams, Thom Williams mom for comfort and healing.

Mikey Solis, Teresa Barrera Edge and Len Edge's son, for comfort and healing.

Fernando Hidalgo, for comfort and healing.

Lisa Bozeman, Ann Bowman's daughter & Karen Hidalgo's sister, for comfort and healing.

Brad Scoggin, Ann Bowman's grandson, Karen Hidalgo's nephew, for comfort and healing.

Leah Yates, Jerry Yates mom, for comfort and healing.

Barbara Creamer, friend of Jane Hall & Tom Williams for comfort and healing.

Mike Stocky, nephew to Tom & Betty Jo Sadler, for comfort and healing.

Finta Beasley, friend of the Derrick family, for comfort and healing.

Peggy Collins, friend to Jean Szatkowski, for healing.

Fred Dennis, friends of Dennis and Therisa Ingley for healing.

Roxanne Kimbell, for comfort and healing.

Mel Svendsen, friend of Wes Chapman, for comfort and healing.

Jean Goff, Johanna Derrick's sister, for comfort and healing.

Grace Alexander for comfort and healing.

JoAnne, for healing.

Quinten Turpin, for comfort and healing.

Todd Alexander, for healing.

Teresa Smith, friend of Beverly Thompson, for comfort and healing.

Jack & Pat Childers, for comfort and healing.

Felicia Adams, friend of Beverly Thompson, for strength and comfort.

Fran Williams, for comfort and healing.

Prayers for those who suffer with long-term illness

Mindy Coleman, Ann Bowman's niece, for comfort and healing.

Jean and Mark Szatkowsky, for comfort and healing.

Chuck Thompson and his sister Mary, for comfort and healing.

Danny, Christopher & Rob Bowen, family of Beverly Thompson, for comfort & healing.

Sharon Lee, Shannon Martin's mom, for comfort and healing.

Johanna Derrick, for healing.

Barbee Adams for healing.

Mark Quigley, friend of Jane Hall for comfort and healing.

Prayers for those who suffer from age related illnesses, and for the care-givers

Patton Gillis, and for care-giver, Karen Gillis.

Ann Bowman, for comfort and healing.

Ruth Hopkins, Sherron Threlkeld's mom, for comfort and healing.

If you know of someone who should be added or removed from the list, please contact the Church office: 537-3776 or theannunciation@bellsouth.net.

June Birthdays: Matthew Jordan 2nd; Alan Smith 5th; Denise Vaughn 7th; Milly Mann 8th;
Carter Chapman 14th; Jaxon Derrick Holly 20th; Beth Thompson 22nd; Gabriel Bonilla 26th;
Susan McMichael 27th; Mackenzie Dellinger 28th; Ann Bowman 29th.

June Anniversaries: Steve & Margaret Fullam 1st; Jack & Lynette Dell 9th;
Donnie & Cissy Alderman 16th; David & Carol Rice 17th; Chase & Racheal Fulford 18th;
Hugh & Patrice Jordan 25.



**Episcopal Church of the Annunciation
Profit & Loss Budget Performance
April 2023**

	Apr 23	Budget	Jan - Apr 23	YTD Budget	Annual Budget
Ordinary Income/Expense					
Income					
45000 · Investments	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unpledged Offerings	424.00	375.00	1,127.00	1,500.00	4,500.00
47000 · Pledges	12,289.40	11,666.00	48,936.21	46,664.00	140,000.00
Total Income	12,713.40	12,041.00	50,063.21	48,164.00	144,500.00
Gross Profit	12,713.40	12,041.00	50,063.21	48,164.00	144,500.00
Expense					
ADMINISTRATIVE					
1405 · Clergy Cont. Ed. Fund	0.00	41.66	0.00	166.64	500.00
1501 · Rector's Stipend	3,808.25	3,808.25	15,233.00	15,233.00	45,699.00
1502 · Social Security Offset	439.37	433.33	1,757.48	1,733.32	5,200.00
1503 · Rector's Housing/Util Allow	1,495.00	1,495.00	5,980.00	5,980.00	17,950.00
1505 · Rector's Medical Ins.	803.00	803.00	3,212.00	3,212.00	9,636.00
1506 · Rector's Pension	921.74	921.74	3,686.96	3,686.96	11,060.88
1510 · Secretary's Salary	711.34	750.00	2,878.33	3,000.00	9,000.00
1515 · Workers Comp Ins	0.00	125.00	0.00	500.00	1,500.00
1517 · Misc Admin	150.00	166.74	763.90	666.96	2,000.00
1611 · Janitor	512.00	500.00	2,362.00	2,000.00	6,000.00
1704 · Rector Local Auto/Bus Exp	243.10	83.37	393.10	333.48	1,000.00
Total ADMINISTRATIVE	9,083.80	9,128.09	36,266.77	36,512.36	109,545.88
BUILDINGS & GROUNDS					
1603 · Water Buildings/Disposal	46.50	45.87	186.00	183.48	550.00
1604 · Water Yard Sprinklers	11.46	25.00	45.21	100.00	300.00
1607 · Building Maintenance	0.00	250.00	55.00	1,000.00	3,000.00
1610 · Yard Care	375.00	375.00	1,350.00	1,500.00	4,500.00
Total BUILDINGS & GROUNDS	432.96	695.87	1,636.21	2,783.48	8,350.00
DIOCESIAN EXPENSE					
1401 · Pledge to Diocese	1,057.34	1,292.17	5,168.68	5,168.68	15,506.00
1404 · Convention Expense	0.00	41.74	288.27	166.96	500.00
Total DIOCESIAN EXPENSE	1,057.34	1,333.91	5,456.95	5,335.64	16,006.00
OPERATING EXPENSES					
1508 · Office Expense	158.20	187.50	937.84	750.00	2,250.00
1509 · Postage	24.42	50.00	269.22	200.00	600.00
1512 · Telephone	148.62	166.74	588.48	666.96	2,000.00
1513 · Internet	99.95	125.00	415.28	500.00	1,500.00

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	Apr 23	Budget	Jan - Apr 23	YTD Budget	Annual Budget
1601 · Nursery Care/Furnishings	0.00	8.37	15.00	33.48	100.00
1602 · Electricity	578.54	666.66	2,546.86	2,666.64	8,000.00
1605 · Natural Gas	0.00	91.66	402.38	366.64	1,100.00
1606 · Property Insurance	0.00	481.41	0.00	1,925.64	5,777.00
1609 · Supplies	11.63	66.66	452.95	266.64	800.00
1614 · Misc Operating Expense	0.00	8.37	0.00	33.48	100.00
Total OPERATING EXPENSES	1,021.36	1,852.37	5,628.01	7,409.48	22,227.00
PROGRAMS & MINISTRY					
1400 · Outreach	200.00	200.00	800.00	800.00	2,400.00
1402 · Christian Ed /Sunday School Exp	14.95	58.33	372.94	233.32	700.00
1403 · Youth Activities	0.00	16.66	0.00	66.64	200.00
1407 · Ministries(Fellowship Past. Car	32.16	83.33	450.78	333.32	1,000.00
1511 · Altar Expense	69.92	83.33	234.85	333.32	1,000.00
1612 · Music	0.00	8.37	50.16	33.48	100.00
Total PROGRAMS & MINISTRY	317.03	450.02	1,908.73	1,800.08	5,400.00
Total Expense	11,912.49	13,460.26	50,896.67	53,841.04	161,528.88
Net Ordinary Income	800.91	-1,419.26	-833.46	-5,677.04	-17,028.88
Net Income	800.91	-1,419.26	-833.46	-5,677.04	-17,028.88

Vestry Meeting Minutes – Annunciation – April 23, 2023 at 11:45 am

Members Present: The Very Reverend Denise Vaughn, Twalla Haley, Beverly Thompson, Martha Dekle, Len Edge;

Members Absent: Frank Champion, Carol Rice; Clerk Present: Beverly Thompson

Meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Denise at 12:15 pm, following lunch provided by Len and Teresa Edge.

Vestry Meditation was omitted today.

Vestry Meeting minutes for March 2023 were reviewed; Twalla moved to approve minutes with one correction, 2nd by Martha, motion passed.

Financial Report: (Rev. Denise) Financial Report for March 2023 was presented. March Income was \$5985.00. March

Expenses were \$12,969.38. Net Income for February was -6984.38. Balance in Ameris checking account at end of March was \$10,871.06. Current amount in Max and Christy Manry Memorial State Street Global Advisors Account is \$165,171.13. Amount in Bank of America Church Corp Investment Account as of 3/31/2023 is \$224,792.04; report on this account is updated quarterly. Income and expenses are typical for this time of year. Len moved to approve the March Financial Report, 2nd by Beverly, motion passed.

Senior Warden's Report: (Twalla) Twalla observed counting process and has now participated as Alms Counter; she encourages Vestry Members to observe the counting process so they can have turn as Alms Counter following 10:30 Sunday service.

Junior Warden's Report: (Rev. Denise for Frank) Office lock has been changed by Junior Warden. New wood on portico needs painting.

Rector's Report: (Rev. Denise) Episcopal Church Women (ECW) Rummage Sale will be held on April 29 and May 6 from 7:30 am – noon. Rev. Denise will attend Clergy Conference at Honey Creek on 4/24-26. Coffee Hour will be sponsored by Episcopal Church Women (ECW) on Mother's Day, May 14th. Next Vestry meeting will be held on Sunday, May 21st. On Pentecost Sunday, May 28th, the birthday of the church will be celebrated with a covered dish luncheon.

Business:

1. Twalla moved to withdraw the allowed 4% from our Bank of America Church Corp Investment Account, 2nd by Martha, motion passed.
2. The need for Church Treasurer was discussed; Rebecca Miller was approved to serve as Treasurer with General Consent.
3. Glenn Reaves will no longer serve as Church Sexton. Twalla moved that Teresa Edge be hired as Sexton, 2nd by Martha, motion passed.
4. Dr. Paine will not be available to provide music for services on three Sunday's. Options for music were discussed; Rev. Denise will look into Church Music Solutions.

Ministry Area Reports: Already covered.

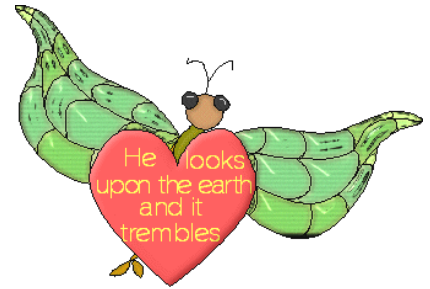
Meeting was adjourned with Lord's Prayer at 1:15 pm.

Beverly Thompson

Beverly Thompson, Clerk for the Vestry



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SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE: In-Person Sunday Service

8:00 am Holy Eucharist
 10:30 am Holy Eucharist

Mission Statement

Mindful of God's call to be His people, we, the parishioners of The Episcopal Church of the Annunciation, accept as our mission the growth and nurture of relationships with God, each other, and the community.

Vision Statement

Through our faith in God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, we hope, pray, and work to share Christ's love and to make a positive difference in the lives of each other, our community, and the world.



June 2023 SUNDAY SERVER SCHEDULE

	8:00 am Lector	8:00 Eucharistic Minister	10:30 a.m. Lector	10:30 a.m. Eucharistic Minister
June 4	Twalla Haley	Rebecca Miller	Larry Threlkeld	No Eucharist
June 11	Twalla Haley	Rebecca Miller	Hugh Jordan	No Eucharist
June 18	Twalla Haley	Rebecca Miller	Hugh Jordan	Jack Dell
June 25	Twalla Haley	Rebecca Miller	Joe Perez / Sarah Solis	Beverly Thompson

	Altar Guild	Greeters/Bread & Wine	Acolyte	Alms/Usher
June 4	Jackie Moses	Jackie Moses	Youth	Jackie Moses
June 11	Anne Roller	Anne Roller	Youth	Anne Roller
June 18	Christie Roller	Christie Roller	Youth	Christie Roller
June 25	Lynette Dell or Karen Hidalgo	Lynette Dell or Karen Hidalgo	Youth	Lynette Dell or Karen Hidalgo

	Special Reception Coffee or Lunch	Collection Counter	Video Tech
June 4		Jack Dell Hugh Jordan	TBD
June 11		Jane Hall Williams Beverly Thompson	TBD
June 18	Episcopal Church Women's Father's Day Reception	Carol Rice Hugh Jordan	TBD
June 25		Teresa Barrera-Edge Jack Dell	TBD