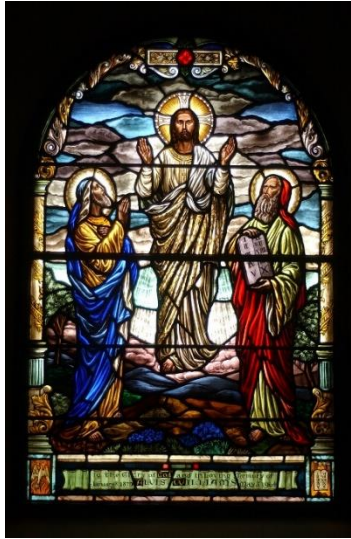


THIS WEEK AT THE CHURCH OF SAINT MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS...



The Transfiguration window, dedicated in 1967 and located on the west side of the nave, was given in loving memory of Alvis Williams (1879-1964) by his niece, Ruth Ferguson, and nephews, Dr. Ira A. Ferguson, Alvis R. Ferguson and William J. Ferguson. Like most of our beautiful stained-glass windows, it was designed and made by the Charles Lamb Studios of New York.

A lifelong member of the parish, Alvis Williams was a most faithful and generous steward of Saint Michael and All Angels. He frequently served on the Vestry and for decades was a member of the parish choir. He was particularly knowledgeable about the organ, instrumental in raising funds for the current organ, and a dedicated arranger and supporter of special music events for the parish. He was also himself the donor of four stained-glass windows given in memory of various family members, and in 1959 gave the original tower clock and chimes “to the greater glory of God and in memory of [his sister] Lila Williams.” He was the uncle of our own beloved Dr. William J. Ferguson, who cherishes his memory and dedication to the parish.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2024
THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two - 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. David W. Hodnett, Celebrant

The Rev. S. Jefferson Bayne, Preacher

Childcare will be available downstairs in the Sister House from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

Adult Christian Education - 9:00 a.m. in the library

Episcopal Youth Connection - 9:15 a.m. in the conference room
(located upstairs in the administrative building)

Children's Chapel - 10:30 a.m. downstairs in the Sister House

Following the postlude, please make your way to Lagarde Hall for Coffee Hour.

The Collect of the Day:

O God, who before the passion of your only-begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Scripture Readings:

II Kings 2 1-12; Psalm 50: 1-6; II Corinthians 4: 3-6; Mark 9: 2-9

Visit <https://www.lectionarypage.net/> to access this week's readings.

Prelude

Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning (Flor Peeters)

Hymns

*When morning gilds the skies
O wondrous type! O vision fair
Christ upon the mountain peak
Christ, whose glory fills the skies
Alleluia! sing to Jesus!*

Offertory Anthem

Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies (Healey Willan)

Postlude

O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair (Richard C. Baker)

Serving Sunday

Nursery: Lu Moseley and Lanah Stephens
Children's Chapel: Jessica Akridge and Brooke Thornton
Carpool Coordinator/Driver: Danny Williams
Altar Guild: Will and Dottie Thornton
Greeters/Ushers: Dylan Laminack and Mike White
Crucifer: Blake Thornton
Gospel Bearer: Asher Reneau
Lector: Bette White
Intercessor: David Marshall
Eucharistic Ministers: Bryan and Florence Cuneo
Offering Counter: Roger Zeimet
Coffee Hour Hostess: Lu Moseley

We wish the following special birthday blessings!

February 12 – Lauren Wigley
February 13 – Keli Wigley
February 15 – James “Buddy” Mullis
February 16 – Sharon Wilkins

We wish the following a happy anniversary!

February 14
Doug and Brenda Ghee
Gene and Carly Knight

PARISH NOTICES

EPISCOPAL YOUTH CONNECTION (EYC): A new Sunday School offering for youth will meet each Sunday at 9:15 a.m. in the conference room, which is located upstairs in the administrative building.

SOUP-ER BOWL PROJECT: It's is a SOUP-er day to help feed the hungry! **Sunday, February 11**, will be the last day to donate cans of SOUP to the Daughters of the King SOUP-er Bowl project. A box is located in the narthex for your contributions, which will be given to the Beans and Rice Ministry.

BEANS AND RICE MINISTRY: Volunteers are needed at the church on **Tuesday, February 13**, at 10:00 a.m. to pick-up and unload food. Everyone is invited to join us in Lagarde Hall at 8:30 a.m. on **Saturday, February 17**, to prepare for the food distribution (10 a.m. until noon). If you would like to help or have questions, please contact Dave Marshall at (256) 525-6347.

UPCOMING HOLIDAY: The parish office will be closed on **Monday, February 19**, in observance of Presidents' Day.

An invitation to the observance of a holy Lent ...



February 14 ♦ 5:30 p.m.

**Please join us on Ash Wednesday for
The Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes**

**LENTEN STUDY OPPORTUNITIES
Personal and Corporate**

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL BOOKS

Living Well Through Lent 2024: Practicing Forgiveness with All Your Heart, Soul, Strength, and Mind devotional guides are available in the narthex and church office. We hope this gift from Father John and Jan Carlisto will deepen your experience of this holy season.

SUNDAY MORNINGS

Witness at the Cross

Beginning Sunday, February 11th, the Adult Sunday School will embark on a special Lenten study. Internationally renowned scholar and teacher Amy Jill Levine brings to life the Gospel characters who witnessed the crucifixion of Jesus - Mary his mother; the Beloved Disciple; Mary Magdalene and other women from Galilee; the two thieves; the centurion and the soldiers; Joseph of Arimathea, and Nicodemus. Each session will include a DVD presentation with discussion following. You are invited to join this rich and thought-provoking series **each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. in the church library.**

WEEKDAYS

Will You?: A Lenten Study of Baptismal Promises

Beginning, Tuesday, February 20th, a small group five-week Lenten study program will be offered. Sessions will begin at **10:00 a.m. each Tuesday through March 19 in the church library.** This program takes a close look at the promises made by or for us during the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. Even if baptized under a different tradition, we make or renew those promises at each baptism we witness. This study is designed to help us think about the promises made to God, each other, and ourselves at baptism in hopes that it will deepen our understanding of those promises and strengthen our faith. Study books will be available, and each session should last about one hour. Facilitator: David Ford

WEEKNIGHTS

Will You?: A Lenten Study of Baptismal Promises

Please contact the church office
(256-237-4011 or office@stmihcaelsanniston.org)
if you are interested in participating in
weekly evening small group sessions at 5:30 p.m.
in the church library.

If there is enough interest, we will meet for approximately an hour on **Wednesday evenings, February 21-March 20.**

We hope you have a meaningful Lent.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Members of the Parish: Byron and Sheila Bransom, Rebecca Burt; Mike, Denise and Michael Dodd; Marian Freeman; Kathi Harrelson; Philip Laminack; Larry LePrell; Charles Moffett; Ken and Dot Perry; Jim and Susie Ulrey; Jimmy Ulrey; Audrey Vander Yacht; Donna Williams; and Gail Wilson

Friends and Relatives: Ann Angel (Cuneo); Martha Brackett (Haynes); Kirby K Bryant, III (Hodnett); Luanne Coggin (Bayne); Jesse Davenport (Cuneo); Rhonda Ford; Lynn Goodson (Ball); Bill Harrington; Greg Harrington; Sherlyn Jackson (Smith); Diane Kimberly (Hollingsworth); Doris Mason (Knight); Donna Morgan (Laminack); Jerry Pruitt (Glass); Tony Pugh (Potter); Pat Roberson (Zeimet); Judy Roberts (Laminack); Beth Smith (Harrington); Christine Marsh Sullivan (Thompson); and Sam Watson

Active Duty Military: Brad Konermann (Harris); Kalan McKinney (Marshall); Parker Moore; Clifford "CJ" Roberts (Harris); Brittney Smith (Harris); Andrew Walker (Adams); and Eryn Wolfe (Marshall)



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Mission Statement:

*We will serve the Lord and the needs of the community
while extending hospitality to all people with our gifts, to the glory of God.*

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Church Office Hours:

Mondays – Thursdays: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

(Closed for lunch: 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.)

Closed Fridays

SAINT MICHAEL'S CLINIC – (256) 236-6060

Tuesdays – Fridays: 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.