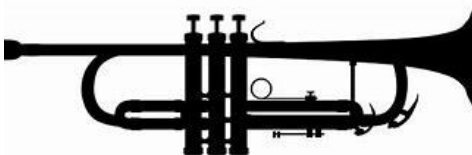
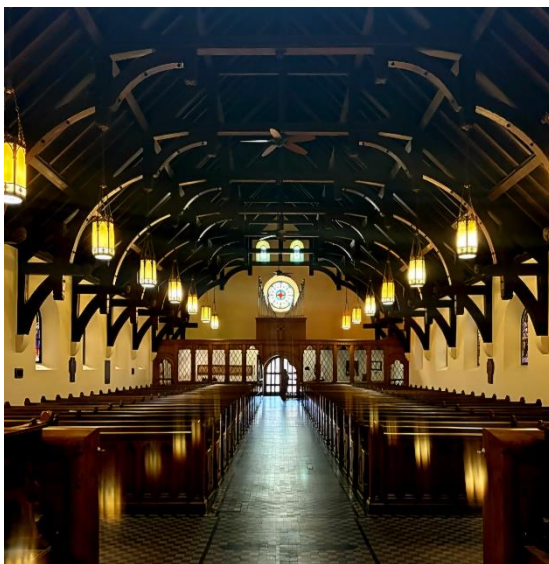


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SAINT MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS
ANNISTON, ALABAMA**



FROM THE PARISH ARCHIVES: SEPTEMBER 25, 1940

When the Church of St. Michael and All Angels was completed (1890), it was a splendid contribution to the beauty of America. It is a building inspiring those who revel in architectural splendor. To the religious it brings a feeling of the nearness of God. From cloister to tower it is a magnificent specimen of late Norman architecture, of strong native stone, with pointed arched windows looking out upon a sloping lawn. It has a monastic magnificence, a look of substantiality and permanence. The severity of Norman architecture in the Deep South makes an impressive picture.

The deeper beauty of St Michael and All Angels, however, lies within. The pilgrim is greeted there by a great peace. Light slips softly through the stained-glass windows upon the solemn rows of pews, faintly illuminating the carved faces of cherubim on the ends of the rafters. From the rafters, the high-vaulted ceiling climbs steeply to a point the length of the nave. And at the rear of this wonderful chamber the altar beckons the worshipful hearts, before a throng of alabastrine angels, marvelously carved. Surrounding this are oaken panels and pillars, hand carved.

In this inspiring sanctuary glows a feeling of peace, soothing the disturbed spirit and smoothing the distraught mind. There is poetry in the Church of Saint Michael and All Angels, a poetry which the soul drinks eagerly. And when the organ opens its pipes and fills the vaulted chamber with music, the soul soars on eagle wings.

For years, the church has given inspiration to those seeking solace and a surcease of mundane worries. The atmosphere of St. Michael and All Angels is always there to uplift, to ease, and to heal.



**The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
July 13, 2025**

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two – 10:30 a.m.
The Rev. David W. Hodnett, Celebrant/Preacher

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

Adult Christian Education will not meet during the summer,
but will resume on Sunday, September 7.
Children's Chapel - 10:30 a.m. downstairs in the Sister House

Following the postlude, ALL ARE INVITED to stay for Coffee Hour in Lagarde Hall.

The Collect for Sunday:

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you,
and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do,
and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Scripture Readings:

Deuteronomy 30: 9-14; Psalm 25: 1-9; Colossians 1: 1-14; and Luke 10: 25-37

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

Music for Sunday:

Prelude

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Calvin Hampton)

Hymns

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Hymn 390, Tune: *Lobe den Herren*)

There's a wideness in God's mercy (Hymn 470, Tune: *Beecher*)

I come with joy to meet my Lord (Hymn 304, Tune: *Land of Rest*)

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound (Hymn 671, Tune: *New Britain*)

Love divine, all loves excelling (Hymn 657, Tune: *Hyfrydol*)

Anthem, at the Offertory:

As We Gather at Your Table (K. Lee Scott)

Postlude

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Frank Stoldt)

Serving Sunday:

Nursery: Jessica Akridge and Conya Morris
Children's Chapel: Erich and Aileen Reneau
Carpool Coordinator/Driver: Danny Williams
Altar Guild: Dylan Laminack and Shanks Whaley
Greeters/Ushers: Dylan Laminack and Keith Timmons
Crucifer: Asher Reneau
Rector's Cross Bearer: Blake Thornton
Liturgist: David Ford
Lectors: Lu Moseley and Christopher Douglas
Eucharistic Ministers: David Ford, Jeff Mason, and Susan Thompson
Offering Counter: Lu Moseley



We wish the following special birthday blessings!

July 13 – Kelly Patterson and Judy Suther

July 16 – Patrick Wigley

July 17 – Mary-Beth Suther Pellegrino

We wish the following a blessed and happy anniversary!

July 13 – Jorge and Isabel Gomez

July 14 – Jeff and Jamie Mason





UPCOMING EVENT

Saturday, July 19 @ the Saint Michael's Outreach Building

Food packing begins at 8:30 a.m. Food distribution is from 10:00-11:00 a.m.
If you would like to volunteer, please contact Dave Marshall at (256) 525-6347.



CHORAL SCHOLARSHIPS

It is no secret that our weekly worship is deeply enriched by our Choral Scholars, each of whom receives a modest stipend to support their educational pursuits and as an expression of our gratitude to them for faithfully sharing their gifts for the praise and worship of God. Please help us continue and strengthen this valued ministry with a financial gift or an annual or partial sponsorship. For more information, speak with David Hodnett, Mark Hayes, or Parish Treasurer Bryan Cuneo.



HOME COMMUNION AND VISITS

To schedule a visit from the rector or a Eucharistic Visitor,
please call the parish office at (256) 237-4011.



IS GOD CALLING YOU TO MINISTER TO AND WITH CHILDREN?

...to treasure children as precious and unique gifts of God
...to share the Gospel with children in ways that empower them to receive
and respond to God's love
...to celebrate and enhance the joy and wonder of children in a safe, loving environment through
creative worship, learning, and sharing
For more information and explore how God might be calling you,
please speak with Father David or contact Hope Marshall at (256) 847-5274.

Thank you

To ALL who serve God and our parish
as you worship, serve, and love our Lord Jesus Christ,
welcome all persons, and respond to the needs of the community
with your gifts, to the glory of God!



Gerald G. (Jerry) Watson

February 19, 1935 ~ July 2, 2025

May Jerry's soul and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Please remember in your daily prayers:

Parish Family: Mike, Denise and Michael Dodd; Philip Haynes; Judy Heathcoe; Sherry Kerr; Philip Laminack; Joan McKinney; John Mintz; Charles Moffett; Ken and Dot Perry; Jimmy and Carol Potter; Kina Teaford; Jim Ulrey; and Donna Williams

Friends and Relatives: Isabella Brown; Tara Burton (Marshall); Delilah Carroll (Heathcoe); Robin Cheatwood; Jerry and Joan Colson (Laminack); Taffy Cruse (Knight); Dr. Bryan Freeman (Lawson); Danny Hubsy (Weeks); Sherlyn Jackson (Smith); Jennifer Lane (Sheier); Doris Mason (Knight); Kim Mattox (Weeks); Kenneth May (Hudson/McIntyre); Donna Morgan (Laminack); Chris Ogles (Thornton) Layne Phillips (Cuneo); Christine Marsh Sullivan (Thompson); and Sylvia Wright (Kerr)

Active Duty Military: Brad Konermann (Harris); Charles Lewis (friend of the parish); Kalan McKinney (Marshall); Parker Moore; Clifford "CJ" Roberts (Harris) Brittney Smith (Harris), and Eryn Wolfe (Marshall)

***Our daily prayers for one another and those we love
is part of what makes our parish a loving community, a family.***



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Mission Statement:

We will worship, serve, and love our Lord Jesus Christ, welcome all persons, and respond to the needs of the community with our gifts, to the glory of God.

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Mondays – Thursdays: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
(Closed for lunch: 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.)
Closed Fridays

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