

This week at St. Andrew's

Thursday, July 20, 2023

Welcome to St. Andrew's Weekly E-mail Newsletter. In an effort to keep the congregation better informed we will be sending out this newsletter on Thursdays to cover events happening at the church through the following Wednesday. We hope you find it useful.



Torres meets Tárrega: Spanish guitar music from 1864 - 1920

Timothy Burris Saturday, July 22, 2023 at 4:00pm St. Andrew's Church

More information can be found below

The Mission of St. Andrew's Parish is to worship God, grow in discipleship, and share Christ's love. St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 2018

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 23, 2023

<u>Celebrant & Preacher</u>: The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman <u>Organist</u>: Sean Fleming <u>Guest Musicians at 10am</u>: Amanda-Joyce Abbott, soprano, and David DeBolt, bassoon

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

<u>Altar Guild</u>: Ann Kash <u>Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor</u>: Kelley Kash <u>Lector</u>: Jim Swan <u>Usher</u>: Ann Kash <u>Vestry Announcer</u>: Jim Swan

The worship booklet for the 8am Sunday service is available by clickinghere.

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II

<u>Altar Guild</u>: Sarah Houghton <u>Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor</u>: Sherrie Holbrook <u>Lectors</u>: Martha Dodge & Lili Pugh <u>Ushers</u>: Martha Dodge & Kay Liss <u>Livestream Operator</u>: Bill Judd <u>Vestry Announcer</u>: Kirk Holbrook

The worship booklet for the 10am Sunday service is available by clicking<u>here</u>. The 10am service will also be livestreamed to St. Andrew's Facebook page where it can be viewed live or from a recording.

Readings for Sunday, July 23rd, can be found on the Lectionary Page website.

If you would like to access the website, please click here

Once you are at lectionarypage.net, you may choose NEW Resource: <u>RCL Daily Reading</u>s. If you scroll to the bottom you can sign up to receive daily readings via your email.

Note about the music for July 23:

Thank you to Amanda-Joyce Abbott and David DeBolt for their offerings of music this Sunday at the 10:00 service. Here is a list of the guests who will present music at the St. Andrew's 10:00 service between now and Sept. 3. Please mark these on your calendar so that you don't miss these special offerings of music!

July 23 - Amanda-Joyce Abbott, soprano, and David DeBolt, bassoon July 30 - Torren Nehrboss, harp Aug. 13, 20, 27, and Sept. 3 - Brent Douglass, organ

Amanda-Joyce Abbott, soprano, has sung in recital and with orchestras and opera companies across the United States, and also in France, Germany, and Italy in concerts with the Kent Camerata chamber ensemble. She is also an instructor. She has lectured and taught applied voice at Kent State University in Kent, Ohio, and is currently teaching voice at the University of Mount Union in Alliance, Ohio. On a personal note, Ms. Abbott resides in Green, Ohio. She has two children, a daughter and a son, four grandsons, and one great-grandson.



Torres meets Tárrega: Spanish guitar music from 1864 - 1920 Timothy Burris, guitar St. Andrew's Church Saturday, July 22, 2023 at 4:00pm Free-will offering at the door to benefit St. Andrew's Community Outreach program

Plucked-string specialist Timothy Burris will bring a program of 19th- and early 20thcentury music for classical guitar at several venues over the Summer and early Fall. The program will include works of Spanish guitarist/composers from Julian Arcas to

Francisco Tárrega (from the region of Almería) to several composers from Cataluña (José Ferrer, José Viñas, Jaume Bosch i Renard, and the best known, Miguel Llobet). Mr Burris will sketch the cultural milieu that gave rise to this hotbed of creative fervor for the guitar—and the arts in general.

The guitar used in the program will be a modern copy of Antonio Torres' FE17 (built for Mr Burris by Richard Berg of Ottawa). The original was completed in 1864 and given by Torres to a young but promising Francisco Tárrega, from whose hands it eventually passed to the young but preternaturally gifted Argentinian, Maria Anido.

Timothy Burris has performed widely on lute and guitar in Europe and the US, including many appearances with world-renowned early music specialists. Regionally, he is the lutenist of BOOM, the Baroque Orchestra of Maine; he and cellist Raffael Scheck appear as the duo ScheckMate.

Mr Burris holds a soloist's diploma from the Royal Conservatory in The Hague, where he studied with the world-renowned lutenist Toyohiko Satoh and the Uruguayan guitarist Antonio Pereira-Arias (who himself studied with Andrés Segovia). He also holds a PhD from Duke University (his dissertation focused on the use of lute and theorbo in ensemble vocal music at the Dresden court).

For more information, the Timothy Burris website is: www.baroquelute.com

Please join us for this event and support St. Andrew's Outreach program.



Pizza and Chat: Families and Volunteers

If you have children (or grandchildren) under the age of 18, or think you might like to volunteer to minister with families at St. Andrew's, you are invited to pizza and chat on Sunday, July 23 from 4-6 pm at the rector's home. You can find her address in the directory or contact her via email to receive it (stasrector@tidewater.net).

We will be talking about what families need from St. Andrew's and ways we can meet that need. The kids can have fun playing in the yard (including on the trampoline) and joining in the conversation as they wish.

If you are wondering what volunteering might involve, well we don't have it all nailed down yet, but here are some ideas:

- Cooking a meal for the families to share at their once a month Sunday afternoon gathering (casserole, salad, drinks, cookies)
- · Leading some sort of lesson at one of the Sunday afternoon gatherings
- Helping to coordinate and lead worship at one of the Sunday afternoon gatherings
- Helping to organize and prepare the kids to acolyte on the once a month kids in church Sundays

If you are interested in possibly volunteering, but can't come on the 23rd, please contact Suzannah. Please RSVP by Saturday, July 22, so Suzannah will know how much pizza to order.

Sean Fleming 's Upcoming Musical Event

Maine Friends of Music concert Tuesday, July 25 at 6:30pm South Bristol Union Church, United Church of Christ

Back by popular demand, Maine Friends of Music, a professional chamber ensemble composed of renowned soprano Mary Sullivan, flutist Linda Brunner, bassoonist David DeBolt, and keyboardist Sean Fleming, will perform at the Union Church of South Bristol on Tuesday, July 25, at 6:30 PM. The program will feature music by Donizetti, Handel, Rossini, Mozart, Cherubini, Puccini, Floyd, and more. As a special treat, the humorous "Stay With Me" will be performed from P.D.Q. Bach's opera parody "The Abduction of Figaro." Donations will be gratefully accepted at the door for the concert. For more information, please call David DeBolt at 207-644-0066 or visit <u>www.mainefriendsofmusic.com</u>.

Maine Friends of Music continues its 2023 concert series at the Knox Museum in Thomaston on Friday, August 4 at noon, with admission by donation.

Holy Women, Holy Men Macrina of Caesarea also known as Macrina the Younger Monastic and Teacher

On almost every day of the year, the Episcopal Church honors faithful followers of Jesus who went before us. Every Wednesday at St. Andrew's during our Healing Eucharist, we remember one of more of these Holy Men and Women. We take time to remember these people for three important reasons. First, they deserve to be remembered. The people chosen for our calendar are remembered because they were particularly remarkable followers of Jesus. The second reason we remember them is because in remembering we are connected to Christians throughout time. And last but not least, we remember them because in remembering we can learn how to be better followers of Jesus in our day and time.

This week we remember Macrina of Caesarea. Please clickhere to learn more about her.

Vestry Minutes from June meetings

If you would like to read the vestry minutes from the June 17 vestry retreat and the June 20 vestry meeting, please click <u>here</u>

Coffee Hour

There are opportunities this summer to host coffee hours after the 8am and 10am Sunday services. The sign-up sheet is by the kitchen in the undercroft. If you are interested and have never hosted before, or would like to sign up via email, please contact Jim Swan or Sara Sandberg.

Weekday Worship

<u>Compline:</u> Monday-Friday 9 PM Zoom Meeting

Wednesday Healing Service: Wednesdays at 10:00am

Meetings

Benedictine Group: 11:15 AM Wednesday Zoom Meeting

<u>Knitting Group</u>: 2-4pm Fridays All welcome: knitters, non-knitters and everything in between. Meeting in the Undercroft unless otherwise announced. Zoom Meeting

Intercessory Prayer List

"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words." (Romans 8:26)

We pray for those who are ill or with special needs:

Rob & Irma Hargreaves, Alan Hargreaves, Nathan Hargreaves, Phil Bartley, Stephen Gorrill, Val Gorrill, Ellen B., Allie, Anne Rossideas, Bruce Rinker, Felicia McAllister, Tom Sullivan, Todd, Donald Johnson Olderson, Tom Belanger, Dick, Catherine Fleming, Tyler, Bruce & Julie, Cynthia Troxel, Jane Ferris, Geoff & Rachel Titherington, Janice & Paul Roman, Bob Gault, Eileen, Beth, Edwin, Rick Struse, Shelby Owen, Peter Blanchard

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