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## TIME CHANGE THIS SUNDAY

Remember to turn your clocks back 1 hour

## 5:30 p.m.—CHORAL EVENSONG

Reception to follow in the Parish House. *Sitter available.*

*We remember in our prayers those of our parish who have died in the past year, and those who have been buried by this Church:*

Anne Williams Hohenstein  
James Glover Atkinson  
Mary Holton Kelly  
Barbara Kelley Compton  
Kathryn McCoy Aldridge  
June McCarthy Banks  
Sally McAdoo Coy  
Rodman Austin McLeod  
Edna Ferrelle Fitzpatrick  
Ruth Burkhalter McKinley  
Robert Edward Kastner  
Barbara Lynn Jones  
Shirley Lowell Blakewood  
Donna Lynn Patterson  
John Ely Simpson  
Elizabeth Cain Baker

Cynthia Joy Keisker Maner  
John Nash McIntosh  
Anne Atkinson Keever  
Ronald Stanford Barksdale, Sr.  
John Woodward Sognier  
Gordon Burns Smith  
Claudine Tapley Farr  
Mamie Johnson Tyson  
Nancy Loraine Brown Windler  
Louise Harris Lane  
Laurie Eugenia Walker Butler  
Jane Brock Tonks Cushing  
Claudine Tapley Farr  
Edith Cain Inglesby Walker  
Mae Carthron Murray  
Patricia Stevens DuFour

**Minister.** Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.

**Answer.** And let light perpetual shine upon them.

**Minister.** May they rest in peace. **Answer.** Amen.

*Fear the Lord, ye that are his Saints; for those that fear him lack nothing.  
They who seek the Lord shall want no manner of thing that is good.  
The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and there shall no torment touch them; in the sight of the unwise they seemed to die, but they are in peace, alleluia.*

### FOR THE SAINTS

**O GOD** of the spirits of all flesh, we praise and magnify thy holy name for all thy servants who have finished their course in thy faith and fear; for the Blessed Virgin Mary; for the holy Patriarchs, Prophets, Apostles, and Martyrs, for John the Divine, Apostle and Evangelist; and for all other thy righteous servants, known to us or unknown; and we beseech thee that, encouraged by their examples, strengthened by their fellowship, and assisted by their prayers, we also may be found meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light; through the merits of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

*Amen.*

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STANDING NOTICES

The occasional Sacraments of Baptism, Matrimony, Penance, Communion and Unction of the Sick, and the Office of Burial of the Dead are always available by appointment, at announced times, or as necessary.

HOSPITAL VISITATIONS

Please call the Church Office to inform the clergy if you or a loved one is in the hospital.

ST. JOHN'S WEB SITE

Parish Paper essays may be read on our web site: www.stjohnssav.org

VESTRY OFFERING CHAIRMEN

8:00 Mr. Arthur D. Weed
10:30 John M. Hewson, Esq.

USHER CHAIRMAN

Dr. James S. McClellan, Jr.

The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. William Clark Summers by Dr. and Mrs. Roland S. Summers.

And in loving memory of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison Roux and Louise R. Osborne by Mr. and Mrs. Rembert Roux.

In loving memory of Perry Smith Marshall by her family.

And in loving memory of Ann Brinson Alexander by Leon and Mary Fitts.

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8:00 John Osborne
10:30 Lawson Turner, Lindsay Pindar
Charles Perrie, Jamie McClellan
Turner Stevens, Hawkins Pindar
Henry Osborne, Joseph Osborne

5:30 Evensong

Lawson Turner, Mikel Kelly

COFFEE HOUR CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Edward S. Cox III

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY YOUTH & ADULT EDUCATION

Dr. Bergstrom will meet with Upper School students 3rd floor classroom on the right.

Fr. Dunbar: Reading the Word of God in the Spirit (Reading Room)

David Noble: Shakespeare makes love AND war in the history plays. Ralston Room.

Jack Wray: on the Book of Daniel (3rd floor classroom on the left)

WEEKDAY STUDY GROUPS

- Mondays Noon: Women's Study Athanasius on the Incarnation (Dr. Bergstrom)
Tuesdays 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast, Study of upcoming Sunday lessons, Parish House Dining Room (enter by kitchen), with Fr O'Brien
Thursdays 7 a.m. Men's Bible Study, on Judges, Reading Room, Cranmer Hall. (Fr Dunbar)
Thursdays 9:15 a.m. Women's Study, on The Imitation of Christ, with Fr O'Brien

THURSDAY NOON: MEN'S FORUM

Moses' Forecast of Failure - and what comes after (Fr Dunbar)

Food served 11:50; Talk runs 12:10-12:50; Guests welcome, donations suggested.

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

**FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**  
**REMEMBER**, O Lord, we beseech thee, the souls of them that have kept the faith, both those whom we remember and those whom we remember not: Grant them rest in the land of the living, in the joy of Paradise, whence all pain and grief have fled away, where the light of thy countenance shineth forever; and guide in peace the end of our lives, O Lord, when thou wilt and as thou wilt, only without shame and without sin; through thine only begotten Son, our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

**FOR LIFE EVERLASTING**  
**BRING** us, O Lord God, at our last awakening into the house and gate of heaven, to enter into that gate and dwell in that house, where there shall be no darkness nor dazzling, but one equal light, no noise nor silence, but one equal music, no fears nor hopes, but one equal possession, no ends nor beginnings, but one equal eternity, in the habitations of thy majesty and thy glory, world without end. *Amen.*

**VESTRY NOMINATIONS CLOSE**  
**NOVEMBER 6TH**  
Nominations for four five-year terms should be submitted in writing to the Nominating Committee (John Helmken, John Hewson, Tracey Inglesby, Austin Kennedy, Floyd Whittington) or in a sealed envelope to the Church Office by November 6th, 2013. Elections take place at the Annual Congregational Meeting, Sunday, November 17th, 2013. Nominees must: 1. Be Members of St. John's for at least 5 years; 2. Support St. John's financially; 3. Attend worship regularly at St. John's.

**PARISH KALENDAR**  
*Daily Prayer Monday to Friday*  
8:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. (in the Church)  
**Wednesday November**  
9:45 a.m. *Litany*  
10:00 a.m. *Sung Eucharist*

**"HOLLY DAYS BAZAAR"**  
**\*\*\*NOVEMBER 13TH & 14TH\*\*\***  
Kick up your heels and **Do the Charleston in Savannah!** Don't miss out on a roaring good time 11/8 at 7 p.m. \$50 will save your place: contact Patti Cooper at 897-4977.  
**Silent Auction submissions** requested: wine, art, vacations, parties! Please contact Coren Ross 897-2381 or [nom4travel@aol.com](mailto:nom4travel@aol.com)  
**Waitresses**--needed for both days. Please email Jessica Osborne [osbornejes@mac.com](mailto:osbornejes@mac.com).  
**Chicken Choppers** - Needed for Nov. 6th for chopping chicken. Bring a sharp knife! contact Leah Brunson at 335-7883.  
**Craft** donations welcomed. Please submit week before. Call Marilyn Glen 704-6989  
**Holly Days Kids' Camp:** child-care provided for children of volunteers by teachers of The Children's School at St. John's Church, Nov 13 and 14th, 9:30 a.m. -2:30 p.m. Registration required: Caroline Hayes 232-8887 or [cqhayes@stjohnssav.org](mailto:cqhayes@stjohnssav.org)

**STEWARDSHIP**  
St. John's kept its Feast of Dedication with joy this past Sunday. Thanks are due to the Stewardship Committee and its chairman Mr. R. Scott Howard for their meticulous organization; to Mary Hagan for a lovely breakfast, and also to the Desoto Hilton for brunch.  
If you have not yet made a pledge for 2014, and wish to do so, you may call the Financial Secretary to have an *Estimate of giving card* mailed to you.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**  
for a **Parish Family Low Country Boil**, Saturday, November 30th, 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Villa Marie.

**8:00 A.M.—HOLY COMMUNION**

COLLECTS, EPISTLE, and GOSPEL.....256 (222)  
*A continental breakfast is available in Cranmer Hall following this service.*

**9:30a.m.-12:00 (Noon)—Nursery (Cranmer Hall)**

**9:30-10:15 A.M.: ALL AGES CHRISTIAN EDUCATION (Cranmer Hall)**

**10:30 A.M.—END OF SERVICE: PRE-SCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN**

*(Activities in Cranmer Hall for children during the 9:30 education and/or 10:30 service times)*

**10:30 A.M.: PROCESSION, SOLEMN EUCHARIST, AND ADDRESS**

HYMN #126 *For All the Saints*.....Sine Nomine  
 V. Be glad, O ye righteous, and rejoice in the Lord;  
 R. And be joyful, all ye that are true of heart.  
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 ADDRESS..... Dr. Bergstrom

**OFFERTORY**

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*Everyone is invited to attend the Coffee Hour in the Parish House immediately after the 10:30 service.  
 If you are a guest and visiting our Parish, please make yourself known.*

**12 Noon—HOLY COMMUNION (Chapel - Collect, Epistle, Gospel as at 8 a.m.)**

**5:30 p.m.—CHORAL EVENSONG (sitter available)**