



This week at Holy Family

Saturday, September 19

District AA Picnic - CC / Campus
11:00 Tai Chi - PH (location changed)
2:00 Funeral - Angela Morgan
4:30 Folk Service

Sunday, September 20

8:00 Eucharist Rite I
9:15 Adult Christian Education - PH
10:30 Eucharist Rite II
Coffee Hour: Coffee and simple refreshments after each service.
12:15 Choir Practice

Monday, September 21

1:30 EFM - CC
3:00 pm Hospitality - PH
6:00 NAMI Meeting - CC
7:30 pm Women's Studies - Zoom

Tuesday, September 22

10:00 Outreach - Office
10:00 Yoga - CC
11:15 Gentle Yoga - CC
4:00 Vestry - CC

Wednesday, September 23

8:30 Morning Prayer - Facebook
9:00 Men's Breakfast - Deb's/Zoom
10:00 Pastoral Care - CC
12:00 Healing Service

Thursday, September 24

10:00 Hatha Yoga - CC
11:15 Chair Yoga - CC
1:30 Disciple - CC
2:00 Communications - Zoom

Saturday, September 25

9:00 Gilmer Gang

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Sept. 26 Aging with Grace-Funeral Planning
Sept. 29 Choral Evensong
Oct. 3 Funeral - John Spitznagel
Oct. 3 Marble Festival
Oct. 5 - 7 Parish Retreat
Oct. 5 Healing Service followed by lunch
Oct. 10-11, 17-18 Ellijay Apple Festival



Angela Ellen Morgan, born October 9, 1963, died May 18, 2026. She was the wife of Holy Family parishioner Mike Morgan. Angela's service will be held on **Saturday, September 19 at 2:00 pm** at The Episcopal Church of the Holy Family.

SACRED GROUND: Sacred Ground is a dialogue series on race, grounded in faith. Small groups use films and readings to walk through chapters of history of race in the United States, while weaving in threads of family stories, economic class, and political and regional identity. Participants are invited to peel away the layers that have contributed to the challenges and divides of the present day—all while staying grounded in our call to faith, hope, and love. *Sacred Ground* is part of Becoming Beloved Community, The Episcopal Church's long-term commitment to racial healing, reconciliation, and justice in our personal lives, our ministries, and our society.

Leamarie True will be facilitating a Sacred Ground Dialogue Circle beginning in early October. Participants will be setting the day and time of the meetings. There will be 11 meetings that stretch over most of a school year. Look for Leamarie in the Parish Hall on **Sun., Sept. 20** and **Sun., Sept. 27** to sign up for this important curriculum

JOIN US FOR CHORAL EVENSONG and a COVERED DISH SUPPER for THE FEAST OF ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS: The Feast of St Michael and All Angels will be formally observed this year at Holy Family, with a festive Choral Evensong presented by the Holy Family Choir and guests artists, followed by a covered dish supper. Please drop off your covered dish in the Parish Hall beforehand and join us at **6:00 pm on Tuesday, September 29** for this memorable choral service, Fr. Mark presiding.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE to attend this year's Parish Retreat at Camp Mikell in Toccoa, which runs **Monday afternoon, Oct. 5 through Wednesday, Oct. 7**. There is still a place for you - just contact Tammy Kirk at 256.654.0656 to register before Sept 20. ABIDE will be a special time of worship, faith-filled sessions and activities, along with lots of fellowship and fun (think campfires and s'mores!). If you are new to Holy Family, we encourage you to come and connect with new church friends!

For everyone who has already registered, your balance is due no later than Sunday, Sept. 20. You will be receiving a packet in the mail with the amount due, directions to camp, packing list, and retreat schedule in the next week. If you would like to pay your balance prior to Sept. 20, put your check in one of the Parish Retreat envelopes and drop it in the box or put it in the envelope in the church office.





MISSING SOMETHING? We have several coats, umbrellas, and outerwear that have been “hanging around” the church and Parish Hall for quite some time. Please check to see if any of these are yours and take them home. Any unclaimed coats, umbrellas, and other outerwear will be donated to the Community Thrift Store the first of October.



SERVE PICKENS: We hope everyone will sign up for Serve Pickens, our one day of service to Pickens County non-profits this year. It will be on **Saturday, October 24**, beginning with a kick off breakfast at 8:00 at Jasper UMC. After breakfast, meeting our other team members, and a photo op, we will travel to our respective volunteer sites to make a difference in peoples' lives. We are Neighbors Helping Neighbors. **CLICK FOR FLYER**

You may register by going to the Volunteer Tab on the Serve Pickens website, www.servepickens.com, and choosing the project which makes your heart sing. Or, see Terry Franzen between the services and after the 10:30 service in the Parish Hall, on Sunday, September 13, and she will get you registered. Thanks for making a difference in Pickens County! Contact Terry if you have questions 404-357-7569 or terryfransen@gmail.com.



Mission Trip to the LAMB Institute in Tegucigalpa, Honduras 2027: Have you ever wondered why we support the LAMB Institute in Honduras? Do you wonder why that organization, what do they do, where are they, what kind of work do they do, why do we help and support those people so far away when we have plenty of people here, nearer to us who need help just as much? We are planning a trip to Honduras in early 2027 to answer those questions. We will meet Suzy McCall who started out with a simple plan to do God's work in Honduras as a missionary and follow the LAMB, wherever he may go. She has followed His lead and the LAMB Institute is the result.

The work LAMB does is very broad and influences lives deeply and draws many people of many ages closer to the Lord we worship. If you can give a week to this trip with an open heart and helping hands, you may just find a closer relationship to our Lord than you ever thought possible. Join us to find out just what and where “following the Lord wherever he may go” may influence your life. **We need about 4 more people in order to do the trip, so look for Leamarie True in the Parish Hall after the 10:30 service Sept. 20 & 27 to learn more and sign up for the 2027 trip.**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

ADULT EDUCATION - SUNDAYS AT 9:15 AM - *Evangelical Is Not Enough* SERIES: In *Evangelical Is Not Enough*, Thomas Howard, a student of C.S. Lewis, affectionately affirms his roots in the evangelical faith while exploring the richness of liturgical worship, sacramental life, the Church calendar, tradition, and the Eucharist. Howard invites readers to consider how this broader Christianity engages both heart and mind, spirit and body, through the worship and practices of the historic Church.

Whether you have an evangelical background, are new to liturgical worship, or simply want to deepen your understanding of our Anglican tradition, join us for a thoughtful, respectful discussion of a modern spiritual classic that continues to challenge and inspire Christians across traditions.

WOMEN'S STUDIES - MONDAYS AT 7:30 PM ON ZOOM: Current Study: The book *The Desert Mothers: Spiritual Women of the Wilderness* by Mary C. Earle, available on Amazon. At the dawn of Christianity, holy women went into the wilderness of the desert of Northern Egypt to give themselves totally to lives of prayer. Explore the unique spirituality of Desert Mothers and learn ways to apply their wisdom today. Mary Earle has taken nine concise sayings from Desert Mothers and explores them in original ways. Contact Elaine DeNiro at edeniro@bellsouth.net.

SATURDAYS: Tai Chi at 11:00 am at the Conference Center with Instructor Jeff Cook

TUESDAYS: Hatha Yoga at 10:00 am at the Conference Center with Instructor Becky Hollaway
Gentle Yoga at 11:15 am at the Conference Center with Instructor Dennis Kast

THURSDAYS: Hatha Yoga at 10:00 am at the Conference Center with Instructor Cathy Harmon
Chair Yoga at 11:15 am at the Conference Center with Instructor Cathy Harmon

Service Leaflet
10:30 am

Unrestricted Giving Through August 2026

Anticipated Contributions for August \$48,000

Actual Contributions for August \$50,664

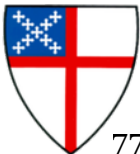
Budgeted Contributions Year-to-Date (August) \$384,000

Actual Contributions Year-to-Date (August) \$397,205

All loose plate offerings on the last Sunday of the month go to the Rectors Discretionary Fund.

Chair Report on August 2026 Finances

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JOIN US - ALL ARE WELCOME

SUNDAYS 8:00 am - Quiet Service with Communion, Rite I
9:15 am - Christian Education in the Parish Hall
10:30 am - Service with Music and Communion, Rite II
Coffee and simple refreshments after each service.

WEDNESDAYS 8:30 am - Morning Prayer on Facebook
noon - Healing Service with Communion, Rite II
(1st Wednesday of month the service is followed by lunch)

SATURDAYS 4:30 pm - Folk Service, Rite II

The Rev. Mark S. Winward, *Rector*

The Rev. Byron Tindall, *Priest Associate*

John King Carter, *Organist/Choirmaster* • Jacques LeBlanc, *Sexton*

Jim Braley, *Head Verger* • Christie Beiring, *Parish Administrator*

Vision: *Revealing Jesus through our actions by extending his love for us through our service to others*

Mission: *Creating Christian community: serving and engaging people in vibrant ministries*

Your Vestry

Bob Wheeler, *Senior Warden*: 404-694-3684

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Click here for Vestry Meeting Minutes or contact the church office.