

November Bible Readings

1. ☐ 7:37-44	☐ 7:45-53	☐ 8:1-11	☐ 8:12-20	☐ 8:21-30	☐ 8:31-47	☐ 8:48-59	☐ 9:1-12	☐ 9:13-25	☐ 9:26-41	☐ 10:1-10	☐ 10:11-21	☐ 10:22-42	☐ 11:1-16	☐ 11:17-37	☐ 11:38-44	☐ 11:45-57	☐ 12:1-11	☐ 12:12-19	☐ 12:20-36	☐ 12:37-50	☐ 13:1-11	☐ 13:12-17	☐ 13:18-30	☐ 13:31-38
☐ 1:1-11	☐ 1:12-21	☐ 2:1-9	☐ 2:10-16	☐ 2:17-22	☐ 3:1-9	☐ 3:10-18	☐ 1:1-4	☐ 1:5-10	☐ 2:1-11	☐ 2:12-17	☐ 2:18-23	☐ 2:24-29	☐ 3:1-10	☐ 3:11-18	☐ 3:19-24	☐ 4:1-6	☐ 4:7-21	☐ 5:1-12	☐ 5:13-21	☐ 1-13	☐ 1-14	☐ 1-7	☐ 8-16	☐ 17-25
☐ 1	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☐ 5	☐ 6	☐ 7	☐ 8	☐ 9:1-20	☐ 9:21-35	☐ 10	☐ 11	☐ 12	☐ 13	☐ 14	☐ 15:1-16	☐ 15:17-35	☐ 16	☐ 17	☐ 18	☐ 19	☐ 20	☐ 21:1-21	☐ 21:22-34	☐ 22
☐ 1-3	☐ 4-8	☐ 9-12	☐ 13-15	☐ 16	☐ 17-19	☐ 20-21	☐ 22-23	☐ 24-26	☐ 27-28	☐ 29-30	☐ 31-32	☐ 33-34	☐ 35-37	☐ 38-39	☐ 40-41	☐ 42-44	☐ 45-47	☐ 48	☐ 1-2	☐ 3-4	☐ 5-6	☐ 7-8	☐ 9	☐ 10-12



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November Birthdays

- 11/4 **Noa Grace Welborn**
11/11 **Rudy Wallace**
11/11 **Earl Yarbrough**
11/11 **Teddye Read**
11/12 **Jackie Jennings**
11/30 **Rodney Brown**
11/30 **Barbara Robken**

Happy Birthday!!!



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Acts 20.20

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Brothers and sisters in Christ,

Thursday, October 9, 2014 in the Church of the Apostles, Atlanta, Georgia, the Investiture of the second Archbishop of the Anglican Church in North America was celebrated. Over fifteen hundred folks from around the world gathered. Present and participating were a dozen Archbishops (Primates) from Africa, South America and Southeast Asia. The archbishops laid hands on and anointed with oil Archbishop Foley praying for the infilling and empowering of the Holy Spirit for this new work to which he has been called. Greetings were sent and received from bishops and orthodox Anglicans from across the Communion. Representatives of the Methodist, Lutheran Church in America, the Orthodox Church in America, and several independent churches were represented. Senator Saxby Chambliss and his wife were in attendance, and letters of encouragement were read from Nathan Deal, Governor of Georgia and Barak Obama, President of the United States. The Crosier (shepherd's staff) was presented to Archbishop Foley as a gift from Wilton Gregory, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Atlanta. The music was magnificent, the liturgy uplifting, the choir superb! If you were unable to view it, you can view the service on Anglican TV (www.anglican.tv)

Archbishop Foley preached on the Vision he as for our life together as Biblical-Catholic-Spirit Filled Anglicans in the Twenty First Century. These four characteristics of the Church are that we be (1) Repenting (2) Reconciling (3) Reproducing and (4) Relentlessly Compassionate. And he called each of the one thousand congregations in the Province in North America to THE ONE MILE CHALLENGE! What is the ONE MILE CHALLENGE? That each congregation map out the community in one mile radius of their campus, and reach out to their neighbors within the radius with the Transforming Love of Jesus Christ.

Of course, this pattern is simply repeating the practice of Jesus and the apostles who went from "house to house" sharing the Gospel, ascertaining peoples' needs, praying with and for others, putting feet to The Faith. Looking ahead, will you pray with me about making this **Our Lenten Challenge** and outreach? We need to begin praying now for our own willingness as well as for the receptiveness of those we will visit. I would like to have a team begin to meet and plan how we might approach planning and preparing for the One Mile Challenge. Each and all of us can be involved at some level to help reach our neighbors with the Transforming Love of Jesus Christ. It's the GO in the GOspel. Think, pray and share with me and one another your ideas on how to acknowledge and to accept the Lord's and Archbishop Foley's ONE MILE CHALLENGE, as we embrace being a Repenting, Reconciling, Reproducing and Relentlessly Compassionate Church.

We are securely Christ's own forever,

Stan Burdosh +

Father Stan+

Annual Stewardship Dinner

Our Annual Stewardship Dinner will be held on Sunday, November 9 beginning at 6:00 PM at the Oak Room at Rio Concho West. Father Robert Mbinda, Director of Good Samaritan Orphanage will update us on what's going on with our ministry partners' there, as well as show us some slides of the wonderful children, staff and progress they have made in developing the Orphanage. Dinner will be catered. *THE GREAT DESSERT CONTEST* will once again be held. Homemade offerings will be "Favorite" in each of three categories: Cakes, Pies and Cookies. There is no charge for the dinner. Each of us is asked to submit a "2015 Pledge Form." Pledge Forms will be mailed separately and available in the Narthex of the church. Center pieces and door prizes will be awarded. A Vestry member will be contacting each of us to make our reservation for dinner. Make plans now to join us. Jim Cogan, Chair of the Dinner, asks that those who can come at 5:00 PM to help set up let him know you're coming! (325) 949-1222.

All Saints Day

The All Saints' Day (November 1) is the annual celebration of all those who through the ages have known and followed Jesus. In the early Church it commemorated the Martyrs, in later years it developed into a recognition of all those who strived to live faithfully for Jesus. We will observe this celebration on Sunday, November 2.

*"For all the saints who from their labors rest,
who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name Of Jesus be forever blessed!
Alleluia! Alleluia!"*

Father Robert Mbinda's Visit

November 9-11

Fr. Robert with his wife Mariam are Founders and Director's of the Good Samaritan Orphanage in Mbeya, Tanzania. The "Home" has over 200 residents from the area. Every three years Robert travels to the US to thank supporters and update us on the work, progress and opportunities for caring for and ministering to the children and community. While here, he will also speak to the local Rotary Club. Robert is a past President of the Mbeya, Tanzania Rotary. He will also be conducting the Adult Sunday School class, preach at both services, and visit several home gatherings.

2015 MINISTRY COMMITMENT AND PLEDGE

Name: _____

Name: _____

PLEASE BRING TO THE STEWARDSHIP DINNER ON NOVEMBER 9, 2014

I/We Pledge \$_____ annually toward the budget of the church. The Standard of Giving in the Anglican Church in North America is the Tithe. Individuals are asked to tithe to the local church. Local churches tithe to the Diocese, and the diocese tithe to the Province.

I /We wish to serve in the following ministries in the year 2015:

To Reach Individuals and Families in the Concho Valley with the Transforming Love of Jesus Christ:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter | <input type="checkbox"/> Lay Preacher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality Cart | <input type="checkbox"/> Living Letters - Sharing Testimony |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usher | <input type="checkbox"/> Outreach to Military at Goodfellow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Guild | <input type="checkbox"/> Vestry Member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acolyte | <input type="checkbox"/> Healing Prayer Team Member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lector/Reader at Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly Intercessory Prayer Group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lay Eucharistic Minister | <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Bags For Homeless |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday School Teacher | <input type="checkbox"/> Home Group Member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nursery Worker | <input type="checkbox"/> Home Group Host |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Feeding 5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Home Group Leader |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Health Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Liaison with Ministry Partners |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Musicians: | <input type="checkbox"/> Campus Crusade For Christ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Choir | <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancy Help Center |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Accompanist | <input type="checkbox"/> Project Dignidad |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soloist | <input type="checkbox"/> La Gran Familia Orphanage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Good Samaritan Orphanage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teller (Count weekly offering) | <input type="checkbox"/> Angelo Global Health Initiative (Malawi) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benefit Concert Planning Team (03/21)
(Proceeds for Pregnancy Help Center) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WOW Wednesday Concert (6/3/15) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

ONE MILE CHALLENGE - Archbishop's Challenge to Canvass neighbors living within one mile of the church campus. (This may be our Lenten Outreach)

Optional Information: To get an idea of how the Lord is using us across the community, if you are involved in ministry in the community, would you share that with us? Please include purpose, frequency and days of meeting.

Ministry Name _____

Ministry Name _____

The Church Office will be closed on Nov. 27 & 28 in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

December Agnus Dei Deadline is November 17

Congrats Mr. & Mrs. Craig Porter



Parish Restroom Renovations Completed

The Ladies and Men's Rooms located off the hallway near the parish hall have been renovated. Ceramic tile floors have been laid, the walls repaired and painted, and new sink and mirror purchased for the ladies room. Thank you to Barbara Robben, Billie Smithwick and Jean Yarbrough who planned the update of the ladies room, as well as donated the new sink and mirror. The ladies room also has a new lighting fixture. Thank you to Rodney Brown, Corey Peddy, Larry Weber and Travis Welborn, who removed and replaced all the fixtures and partitions so that the work could be done.

Concho Festival of Lights

On Tuesday, December 30, our parish will host the CONCHO FESTIVAL of LIGHTS along the river from 6-10 pm. We will collect donations; pass out church brochures, information on the light display and candy canes to the visitors. Mark your calendar, and watch for the signup sheet in the Narthex.

Advent Quiet Day

Saturday, December 13 - 9:00 am -3:00 pm.

Roofing Contractors at the Church

On Sunday, October 12, at a special Vestry meeting, the Vestry has awarded a contract to ON THE HOUSE ROOFING to repair or replace portions of the roofs on the church properties. Storm/hail damage, much needed maintenance and persistent leaks in the perimeter of the flat roof necessitate the work be done. The cost of repairs to the flat roof is \$8,900; for the replacement of shingled roofs, \$18,500.00 The Vestry has also allowed up to \$18,500.00 for replacement of the shingled roof of the church. Thank you to Corey Peddy, Junior Warden, for working with contractors to secure proposals and bids.

All Parish Retreat Scheduled

The Great House Retreat Center has been reserved at the location of our ALL PARISH RETREAT. The dates are April 10-12, 2015. This is the weekend following Easter. Mark your calendars now so you won't miss this special time together growing in our knowledge and love of the Father through His Son Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit.

THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

Wednesday, November 26 at 6:30 PM we will offer our corporate thanks to the Lord celebrating the Holy Eucharist. The Offering will be designated for Project Dignidad Food Pantry, and non-perishable canned goods may also be brought to the church and placed in boxes in the Narthex for distribution at the food pantry. Small, personal serving sizes are recommended. Beans, rice and peanut butter are always a favorite.

Nominating Committee

The Vestry Nominating Committee, Nan Barber, Teddye Read and Jean Yarbrough, are praying for those who will be asked to serve on the Vestry. Please pray about serving, and if you feel a nudge from the Lord to serve, and you are asked by a committee member, respond YES! Nominations will be accepted from the floor of the Annual Meeting as well. Pray for our present and new Vestry members.

Secretarys Maternity Leave

April Wilson, our church secretary, will be on maternity leave for six weeks after Christmas. If you can help out volunteering in the office to answer the phone, work on the bulletins, welcome guests and add a cheery presence for whoever might come by, contact Fr. Stan. We have a volunteer to cover afternoons (Noon-2:00), and need folks to cover the morning hours (9-Noon Monday through Friday).

Men's Retreat

The Men's Retreat will be held Nov. 14-16 at The Great House, Junction, TX. Larry Weber is our Registrar. You can sign up in the narthex of the church, indicating which bedroom you wish. Please note the size bed for the appropriate linens to bring. There is also a list of items we provide. The cooking is done by the brethren there. We will have Saturday afternoon to hike, fish, use the rifle range, nap on the porch ... play cards. We will begin with dinner on Friday at 6:30 PM and depart for home by 11:00 am having lunch on the road. Pick up information from Larry if you would like to participate, and invite a friend to join us.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast

The men will gather for our monthly informal breakfast at the Men's Retreat at the Great House in Junction, Texas on Saturday, Nov. 15 at 8:00 AM.

PERFORMANCE OF "THE MESSIAH"

The combined choirs of Angelo State University are presenting "The Messiah" on Friday, Nov. 21 beginning at 7:30 pm at the McNease Convention Center. The concert is free and open to the public. What a wonderful gift to the community and opportunity to bask in the beauty of this classic Christian celebration of the Gift of Jesus Christ, the Messiah.

November 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 All Saints Day 8 AM - HE 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM - HE Noon- Nominating committee.	3 2 PM - Stitches 6 PM- DOHC	4 9 AM—CC 6:30 PM— Music Rehearsal	5 Deadline for Stewardship Dinner Reservations 6:30 PM - HE 7:15 PM -	6 10 AM - Intercessory Prayer	7 9 AM—CC	8
9 8 AM - HE 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM - HE 6 PM— Stewardship Dinner	10 2 PM - Stitches	11 9 AM—CC 6:30 PM— Music Rehearsal	12 6:30 PM - HE 7:15 PM - Bible Study	13 10 AM - Intercessory Prayer	14 Men's Retreat 9 AM—CC	15 Men's Retreat 8 AM—Men's breakfast at the retreat.
16 Men's Retreat 8 AM - HE 9:15 AM Sunday School	17 2 PM - Stitches 6 PM Vestry Meeting	18 9 AM—CC 6:30 PM— Music Rehearsal	19 6:30 PM - HE 7:15 PM - Bible Study	20 10 AM - Intercessory Prayer	21 9 AM—CC 7:30 PM— "Messiah" at Convention Center	22
23 8 AM - HE 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM - HE	24 2 PM - Stitches	25 9 AM—CC 6:30 PM— Music Rehearsal	26 6:30 PM - Thanksgiving Eve Service 7:15 PM - Bible Study	27 Thanksgiving Day Church Office Closed 10 AM - Intercessory Prayer	28 Church Office Closed	29
30 Advent Sunday 8 AM - HE 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM - HE						

November 2014 ~ Minister's Schedule

Duty	November 2 <i>All Saints Day</i>	November 9 <i>21st Sunday In Trinity Proper 27</i>	November 16 <i>22nd Sunday In Trinity Proper 28</i>	November 23 <i>23rd Sunday In Trinity Proper 29</i>	November 30 <i>Advent Sunday</i>
Vestry In Charge	Corey Peddy	Jim Cogan	Jean Yarbrough	Teddye Read	Steve Shaw
Teller	Jim Cogan	David Harrison	Billie Smithwick	Sharon Weber	Mark Brown
Altar Guild	Holloway/Wallace	Yarbrough/Baker	Anaya/Read	Robken/Weber	Johnson/Springer
Usher/Greeter	Jean Stinnett	Charles Westbrook	Jackie Jennings	Nan Barber	Kathi Johnson
Crucifer	Deacon June	Deacon June	Deacon June	Deacon June	Deacon June
Lector	Craig Porter Ecclesiastics 44:1-14	Pam Jennings Amos 5:18-24	Jo Millican Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18	Paul Millican Ezekiel 34:11-17	Craig Porter Isaiah 64:1-9a
Eucharistic Minister	Pam Jennings Psalm 149 Revelation 7:2-4,	Jeannette Anaya Psalm 70 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	Craig Porter Psalm 90 1 Thessalonians 5:1-10	Pam Jennings Psalm 95:1-7 1 Corinthians 15:20-28	Jeannette Anaya Psalm 80:1-7 1 Corinthians 1:1-9
10:30 Service					
Greeters	Barbara Robken/ Judi Gurley	Rodney Brown/ Rita Baker	Nan Barber/ Bob Masterson	Katie Harrison/ George Butler	Teddye Read/ Charles Westbrook
Ushers	Rodney Brown/ Teddye Read	Bob Masterson/ Erlene Springer	David & Katie Harrison	Larry Weber/ Rodney Brown	Bob Masterson/ Erlene Springer
Crucifer	Mark Brown	Atusonje Dube	Sharon Weber	Mark Brown	Larry Weber
Torch Bearers	Atusonje Dube	Nandi Dube		Atusonje Dube	Nandi Dube
Lector	George Butler Ecclesiastics 44:1-14	Anngie McWilliams Amos 5:18-24	Billie Smithwick Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18	Steve Woolard Ezekiel 34:11-17	Judi Gurley Isaiah 64:1-9a
Eucharistic Minister	Eileen Burdock Psalm 149 Revelation 7:2-4,	Mark Findlay Psalm 70 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	Anngie McWilliams Psalm 90 1 Thessalonians 5:1-10	Rudy Wallace Psalm 95:1-7 1 Corinthians 15:20-28	Katie Harrison Psalm 80:1-7 1 Corinthians 1:1-9
GOSPEL OF THE DAY	Matthew 5:1-12	Matthew 25:1-13	Matthew 25:14-15, 19-29	Matthew 25:31-46	Mark 13:33-37
Nursery Worker	Erlene Springer	Teddye Read	Sheri Brown	Nan Barber	Sheri Brown

Wednesday Ministers (6:30 PM)

	November 5	November 12	November 19	November 26
LEM	Sharon Weber	Eileen Burdock	Jeannette Anaya	Sharon Weber
Altar Guild	Erlene Springer	Jeannette Anaya	Jean Yarbrough	Ruth Ann Wallace