

ST AIDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 12, 2021 — 8:00 a.m.

Welcome to St Aidan's

Thank you for sharing your worship with us. We pray you will experience God's presence in our worship and hope you join us again. If this is your first time with us, relax and simply follow along with those around you. They will be happy to help you find your way in the worship service with our various books. Please fill out a guest information card located in the pew or pew basket, or sign the guest register on your way out. A few tips:

- **We all use Name Tags** to help us not only get to know our visitors more easily, and vice versa, but to refresh our memories about who we are. Extra name tags may be found in your pew basket.
- **All who desire a deeper walk with Christ** are welcome to join us at the altar for Holy Communion of bread and/or wine. You may drink from the chalice, or dip the bread in the chalice before eating it. If you need gluten-free bread, please inform the priest at the altar rail. **If you do not wish to receive communion** but wish a blessing, cross your arms over your chest. Or you may remain in your pew for prayer. If you are not baptized but want to be, please let somebody know. A priest will get in touch with you to talk about next steps.
- **Prayers of the People:** To add names to our prayers tell a priest, an usher or a greeter, or contact the office. Names stay on for 4-6 weeks unless longer is requested. Feel free to also add your petitions and thanksgivings silently or aloud at designated times.
- **A Word to Families and Children:** "When you are here, the church is filled with a joyful noise. When you are here, the Body of Christ is more fully present. When you are here, we are reminded that this worship thing we do isn't all about bible study or personal, quiet contemplation but coming together to worship as a community where all are welcome, where we share in the Word and Sacrament together." *(citation available)*
- **Childcare:** Children are most welcome in the service, but childcare is available for those who desire it. It is located behind the double glass doors at the front foyer. Need help? Just ask an usher, they'd be happy to help guide you.
- **Quiet meditation before worship...** Being quiet during the prelude helps prepare us & prepare others for worship.
- **To get the most out of this bulletin,** we recommend using it as a bookmark in your Book of Common Prayer during worship. Fold it back on itself, then fold again on the line between the 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. orders of worship. You can also sign up for our email newsletter and download the full service eBulletin to your iPad or device of choice.

Weekly Announcements

Coffee Hour: Following the service (coffee only)

Adult Forum: 9:15—9:45 a.m.

Child Care: Returning in fall, or as needed

TODAY - Adult Forum, 9:15-9:45 a.m.

Living in Liminal Time:

The gifts and blessings of the last 18 months

Weekly Wednesday Eucharist, 10:00 a.m.

Next Wednesday's saint: Catherine of Genoa

www.StAidanCamanoIsland.org/coming-up

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8 O’CLOCK—MORNING PRAYER, RITE I

Procession ~ *Please stand at the striking of the bell*

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The Offering (<i>offerings are brought forward at this time</i>)	
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<i>Your prayers and thanksgivings may be offered silently or aloud</i>	
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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. ***Amen.***

THE RESPONSE: Psalm 116:1-8

I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, *
because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

The cords of death entangled me;
the grip of the grave took hold of me; *
I came to grief and sorrow.

Then I called upon the Name of the Lord: *
“O Lord, I pray you, save my life.”

Gracious is the Lord and righteous; *
our God is full of compassion.

The Lord watches over the innocent; *
I was brought very low, and he helped me.

Turn again to your rest, O my soul, *
for the Lord has treated you well.

For you have rescued my life from death, *
my eyes from tears, and my feet from stumbling.

I will walk in the presence of the Lord *
in the land of the living.

THE FIRST LESSON: Isaiah 50:4-9a

The Lord God has given me the tongue of a teacher, that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word. Morning by morning he wakens-- wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught. The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I did not turn backward. I gave my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting. The Lord God helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame; he who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who are my adversaries? Let them confront me. It is the Lord God who helps me; who will declare me guilty?

CANTICLE 9: The First Song of Isaiah

Surely, it is God who saves me; *

I will trust in him and not be afraid.

For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, *
and he will be my Savior.

Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing *
from the springs of salvation.

And on that day you shall say, *

Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;
Make his deeds known among the peoples; *
see that they remember that his Name is exalted.

Sing the praises of the Lord,
for he has done great things, *
and this is known in all the world.

Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, *
for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One
of Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy
Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be
forever. Amen.

THE SECOND LESSON: James 3:1-12

Not many of you should become teachers, my
brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach
will be judged with greater strictness. For all of us
make many mistakes. Anyone who makes no mistakes
in speaking is perfect, able to keep the whole body in
check with a bridle. If we put bits into the mouths of
horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole
bodies. Or look at ships: though they are so large that
it takes strong winds to drive them, yet they are guided
by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot
directs. So also the tongue is a small member, yet it
boasts of great exploits.

How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! And the
tongue is a fire. The tongue is placed among our
members as a world of iniquity; it stains the whole
body, sets on fire the cycle of nature, and is itself set
on fire by hell. For every species of beast and bird, of
reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been
tamed by the human species, but no one can tame the
tongue-- a restless evil, full of deadly poison. With it
we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse
those who are made in the likeness of God. From the
same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers
and sisters, this ought not to be so. Does a spring pour
forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish
water? Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield

olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water
yield fresh.

CANTICLE 10: The Second Song of Isaiah

Seek the Lord while he wills to be found; *
call upon him when he draws near.

Let the wicked forsake their ways *
and the evil ones their thoughts;

And let them turn to the Lord, and he will have
compassion, *

and to our God, for he will richly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, *
nor your ways my ways, says the Lord.

For as the heavens are higher than the earth, *
so are my ways higher than your ways,
and my thoughts than your thoughts.

For as rain and snow fall from the heavens *
and return not again, but water the earth,

Bringing forth life and giving growth, *
seed for sowing and bread for eating,

So is my word that goes forth from my mouth; *
it will not return to me empty;

But it will accomplish that which I have purposed, *
and prosper in that for which I sent it.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy
Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be
for ever. Amen.

THE GOSPEL LESSON: Mark 8:27-38

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of
Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his
disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" And they
answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah;
and still others, one of the prophets." He asked them,
"But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him,
"You are the Messiah." And he sternly ordered them
not to tell anyone about him.

Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man
must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the
elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed,
and after three days rise again. He said all this quite
openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke
him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he
rebuked Peter and said, "Get behind me, Satan! For

you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.”

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, “If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.”

BIRTHDAY BLESSING: Watch over your child, O Lord, as *his* days increase; bless and guide *him* wherever *he* may be. Strengthen *him* when he stands, comfort *him* when discouraged or sorrowful; raise *him* up if he falls; and in *his* heart may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of *his* life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ANNIVERSARY PRAYER: O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Flowers make a beautiful addition to our services. If you are interested in providing flowers for one of our services contact Mary McConnaughey for more information. mcntrary@yahoo.com

ALTAR SERVERS

8:00 AM

Lector
Chalice Bearer
Acolyte
Usher

September 12

JoAnn Moffett
Morning Prayer
Don Talbott
Kathy Hosley

September 19

Kathy Hosley
Ann Morgan
Jim Miller
Don Talbott

For healing we pray especially for: **Ellen** Gibson, **Stanley** Fear, **Joy** Goodenough, **Bill** Goodenough, **Robby** Both, **Amy** Davies, **Joy** Strain, **Noah** Speers, **Debby** Philmlee, **Rudy** Sanchez, **Linda** Sanchez, **Nicole** Bingay, **Theresa** Strain, **Arlyne** Whitescarver, **Patty** Paddock, **Pat** Van Almkerk, **Bill** Martin, **Will** Swain, **Janine** Clark, **Nancy** Burns

FOR GUIDANCE

BCP 832

Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings with thy most gracious favor, and further us with thy continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in thee, we may glorify thy holy Name, and finally, by thy mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



BIRTHDAYS

Donna Myers, *September 17*
Phil Trautman, *September 17*



ANNIVERSARIES

Patrick & Carrie Buffington,
September 14



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