



St. Edward's Episcopal Church

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

August 3, 2025 + 8:00 AM

The Holy Eucharist + Rite 1

The Procession into the Church

Hymn 525

THE WORD OF GOD

Gloria

BCP 324

The Collect of the Day

O Lord, we beseech thee, let thy continual pity cleanse and defend thy Church, and, because it cannot continue in safety without thy succor, preserve it evermore by thy help and goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The First Lesson:

Hosea 11:1-11

When Israel was a child, I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son. The more I called them, the more they went from me; they kept sacrificing to the Baals, and offering incense to idols. Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to walk, I took them up in my arms; but they did not know that I healed them. I led them with cords of human kindness, with bands of love. I was to them like those who lift infants to their cheeks. I bent down to them and fed them. They shall return to the land of Egypt, and Assyria shall be their king, because they have refused to return to me. The sword rages in their cities, it consumes their oracle-priests, and devours because of their schemes. My people are bent on turning away from me. To the Most High they call, but he does not raise them up at all. How can I give you up, Ephraim? How can I hand you over, O Israel? How can I make you like Admah? How can I treat you like Zeboiim? My heart recoils within me; my compassion grows warm and tender. I will not execute my fierce anger; I will not again destroy Ephraim; for I am God and no mortal, the Holy One in your midst, and I will not come in wrath. They shall go after the LORD, who roars like a lion; when he roars, his children shall come trembling from the west. They shall come trembling like birds from Egypt, and like doves from the land of Assyria; and I will return them to their homes, says the LORD.

Psalms 107:1-9, 43

BCP 746

The Second Lesson:

Colossians 3:1-11

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things-- anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge

according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Holy Gospel:

Luke 12:13-21

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

The Homily

Rev. Mark Lafler

The Nicene Creed

BCP 327

Prayers of the People

BCP 328

Confession of Sin

BCP 331

The Peace

BCP 332

Welcome and Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

The Doxology

Hymn 380, vs. 3

Eucharistic Prayer 1

BCP 333

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 336

The Communion

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Healing Prayers

The Post Communion Prayer

BCP 339

The Blessing

The Procession into the World

Hymn 636

The Dismissal

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The Holy Eucharist + Rite 2

The Procession into the Church

Hymn 525

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect for Purity

Gloria

Hymn S-280

The Collect of the Day

Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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The Sequence

Hymn 660

Holy Gospel:**Luke 12:13-21**

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The Homily**Rev. Mark Lafler****The Nicene Creed****BCP 358****The Prayers of the People (Form III)****BCP 387****Confession of Sin****BCP 360****The Peace****BCP 360****Welcome and Announcements****THE HOLY COMMUNION****The Offertory****The Doxology****Hymn 380, vs. 3****Eucharistic Prayer A****BCP 361****The Sanctus****Hymn S-125****The Lord's Prayer****BCP 364****Fraction Anthem****Hymn S-161****The Communion**

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Communion Hymn**I Adore You****Healing Prayers****The Post Communion Prayer****BCP 365****The Blessing****The Procession****Hymn 636****Dismissal****BCP 366****St. Edward's Episcopal Church**

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WELCOME

We are glad you are here this morning. We hope you will sense the presence of the Holy Spirit while you worship God through His Son, Jesus Christ.

If you are seeking a church home, we would love to have you join us. Please sign the Guest Register in the Narthex.

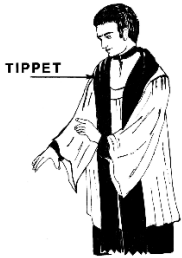
A NURSERY is provided for 10:00 am worship every Sunday for infants through age 4. The nursery is located across from the restrooms in the main hallway.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH MINISTRY will resume on August 17th.

COFFEE HOUR is provided after worship every Sunday. We gather in the Hall for some snacks, drinks, and fellowship. This is a great way to build community

What is a Tippet?

A large black scarf worn by clergy over surplice and cassock at the Daily Offices. It resembles a stole and is worn around the neck with the ends hanging down the front. It may be ornamented by emblems such as the Episcopal Church seal or the insignia of the wearer's seminary.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given by Dick and Kitty Sienkiewicz in thanksgiving for their anniversary and wonderful family.

DINNER AND MORE resumes on Tuesday evening, August 5th. Bring a covered dish to share. Our Youth will present a program on their experiences at Soul in the City.

THE GOLFING GROUP will meet on Thursday, August 7th.

Tee time is 7:30 am. Please contact the church office if you would like to join us.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday	Name Tag Sunday Acolyte Training-11:30 am AA's and Alanon-7:00 pm
Tuesday	Dinner & More-6:00 pm
Wednesday	Women's Caring & Sharing-10:00 am Wednesday Eucharist-12:15 pm
Thursday	Golfing Group-7:30 am

ANNIVERSARIES

ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH

Rev. Bob Damon	08/03	Steve Nichols	08/03
Richard Husted	08/05	Patty Hill	08/08

ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING

Justin Tindall and Nina Chu 08/08/2008

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH

Elizabeth Siesel	08/03	Grace Lutton	08/03	Marion Taylor	08/04	Leighton Harvey
08/04 Christina West	08/04	Virginia Palmer	08/06	Geraldine Seiler	08/06	Rev. John
Crandall	08/06	Cecil Marion	08/07	Ruth Nielsen	08/07	Patricia Woodard
Virginia Daniel	08/08					08/08

PRAYERS

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

Harry & Diana L.	Bob M.	Sarah Ann S.
Chuck L.	Tom F.	Mary Jane T.
Bob M.	Del P.	

SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

T.J. Glennon	Mary Hyland	Laura Cain
Trevor Orr	Steve Husted	Emma Hogan
Andrew Seley	Zack Ryan	

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Church of Our Saviour, Okeechobee
St. Jude's Episcopal Church, Orange City
For our Parish Members Michael and Trinity Viel

SERVING TODAY

	<u>8:00 AM</u>	<u>10:00 AM</u>
First Reading	Tré Conrader	Gloria Vest
Second Reading	Randall Sluder	Michael Viel
LEM 1	Randall Sluder	Michael Viel
LEM 2	Tré Conrader	Gloria Vest
Ushers	Pam Bow	Dick Maglio
	Patti Conrader	Liz Maglio
Deacon	Deacon Dan	Deacon Kim
Altar Guild	Phyllis Kennedy	Cheryl Hogan
Flower Guild		Joe Welch
Screens	Sandy Minkoff	Trinity Viel
Video	Madeline Lafler	

PARISH LEADERSHIP

Head of the Church: Jesus Christ
Bishop: The Rt. Rev. Dr. Justin Holcomb
Priest: The Rev. Mark A. Lafler
Deacon: The Rev. Mickey Maxwell
Deacon: The Rev. Kim Spear
Deacon: The Rev. Dan King

VESTRY

OFFICERS

Sandy Minkoff, Sr. Warden	Barbara Minkoff, Treasurer
Tom Brust, Jr. Warden	Jackie Castiglione, Clerk
Fred Fitte	Leah Felcher
TJ Reeves	Cheryl Hogan
Janet Martin	Gaines Campbell
Steve Wilbanks	

PARISH STAFF

Admin. Asst. to Rector: Betty Welch
Bookkeeper & Business Asst.: Amanda Burkhalter
Family Ministries Director: The Rev. Dan King
Preschool Director: Heather Fortson
Organist & Choir Director: Libby Sellers
Shekinah Praise Team Director: Elizabeth Maxwell
Nursery Director: Cathy Love
Steward: Walter Burkhalter