



ST. HELENA'S

— ANGLICAN —

The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 30, 2026

10:30 am

Welcome!

Whether you are visiting or looking for a new church home,
we rejoice that you are here to worship with us today.

Please take a moment to connect with us so that we might
welcome you more personally. Please scan the QR code below or
sign our online guestbook at www.sthelenas1712.org/guestbook.

We look forward to saying hello!



**Nursery: Children ages kindergarten and older are
encouraged to worship with their families in the
church. A nursery is available in Tyndale Hall for
children ages 4 and under during the 10:30 am service.
An usher can direct you to Tyndale Hall.**

Liturgy of the Word

Opening Voluntary: Prelude and Fugue in C Major

J. S. Bach

Choral Introit:

Music: Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-1876)

Text: I Peter

Excerpt from Blessed Be the God and Father

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
which, according to his abundant mercy,
hath begotten us again unto a lively hope
by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,
to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled, that fadeth not away,
reserved in heaven for you,
who are kept by the power of God,
through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.
But as He which hath called you is holy,
so be ye holy in all manner of conversation.
Pass the time of your sojourning here in fear.

Procession Hymn 350

Lauda Anima

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

The Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

People: *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

The Celebrant then continues:

There is one Body and one Spirit;

People: **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Celebrant: One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People: **One God and Father of all.**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And with your spirit.*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day (*Remain standing*)

O Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow after us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*Please be seated for the chanting of the Psalm
and the reading of God's Word.*

Psalm 26: 8-12

Judica me, Domine

⁸ LORD, I love the house in which you dwell
and the place where your glory abides.

⁹ Do not sweep me away with sinners,
nor my life with those who thirst for blood,

¹⁰ Whose hands are full of evil plots,
and their right hand full of bribes.

¹¹ As for me, I will live with integrity;
redeem me, O LORD and have pity on me.

¹² My foot stands on level ground;
in the full assembly I will bless the LORD.

Setting: Richard Farrant (c. 1525 – 30 November 1580)

First Reading: Ephesians 1:1-14

Pew Bible, page 976

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

*Please stand to sing the Gradual Hymn and remain standing
through the reading of the Gospel.*

Gradual Hymn 335

Nettleton

Come Thou Fount of Ev'ry Blessing

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according
to St. Matthew.

People: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 16:21-27

Pew Bible, Page 822

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

Sermon

The Rev. Twig Sargent

Holy Baptism

BCP, page 162

The Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: *And with your spirit.*

Announcements

Offertory Sentence

*Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children.
And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us,
a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.
Ephesians 5:1-2*

Offertory Anthem

David Ashley White (b. 11 December 1944)

Text: George Herbert (1633)

The Call

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life:
such as way as gives us breath,
such a truth as ends all strife,
such a life as killeth death.

Come my Light, my Feast, my Strength:
such as light as shows a feast,
such a feast as mends in length,
such a strength as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy my Love, my Heart:
such a joy as none can move,
such a love as none can part,
such a heart as joys in love.

Please stand as you are able for the Doxology.

Doxology 208

Old Hundredth

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

Liturgy of the Table

The Sursum Corda

BCP, page 115

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Kneeling or seated as you are able

The Prayer of Consecration	BCP, page 115
The Lord's Prayer	BCP, page 118
The Fraction	BCP, page 118

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.

People: *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

Prayer of Humble Access	BCP, page 119
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We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

During Communion

Congregation, please join in singing:

Agnus Dei	Hymnal, 765
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Communion Hymn 418	Hyfrydol
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Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

The Post Communion Prayer

BCP, page 121

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us: that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

BCP, page 121

Procession Hymn92

Ratisbon

Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies

The Dismissal

Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Closing Voluntary: Toccata in F Major

Dietrich Buxtehude

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9/11 Service of Remembrance

Join us for a very simple service of prayer and remembrance in the church at noon on Friday, September 11, in honor of the 25th anniversary of the tragic events of September 11, 2001.

Announcements

Women's Ministry Fall Kickoff: Ladies, register today for our Fall Kick-Off on Sunday, September 13 at 2 pm in the Parish Hall. Our guest speaker will be Leslie Bennett with *Revive our Hearts* Ministry and she will deliver a message on True Womanhood: Made for Something More. The event will also feature afternoon tea-inspired nibbles and door prizes from our very own Women Owned Businesses! Registration can be found in the Parish Hall lobby, in the e-news, or email Amy Kaylor directly at akaylor@sthelenas1712.org.

Women's Bible Study: The Book of Ruth is a story full of choices, relationships, loyalty and hope during times of desperation. Join us as we embark on the journey of Ruth and Naomi, learning a multitude of lessons leading up to the "greatest love story of all time." Tuesday morning (nursery offered) and Thursday evening classes will be offered. Register in the Parish Hall lobby or in the latest edition of the E-News.

The WASH menu this week is lasagna, garlic bread, and garden salad.

HELP Sunday September 6 – “Love one another, just as I have loved you.” John 13:34. On the first Sunday of each month St. Helena’s helps meet community needs by collecting food for the HELP of Beaufort food pantry. This is part of the mission work of LOVE Beaufort. Collection bins will be available at each service location next Sunday. Please bring canned fruits, vegetables, meats, soups and other non-perishable items such as peanut butter, jelly, applesauce, and juices.

The 2026 Thanksgiving Committee is looking to fill a variety of leadership positions. For 47 years St. Helena’s has been preparing and serving a full community Thanksgiving meal in the Parish Hall on Thanksgiving day. More recently meals have also been sent out to those who are not able to attend in person. Last year over 600 meals were served. This requires **many hands** and the participation of all ages. Please use this QR code to find an area of interest for you. Contact co-chairs Richard Ivens at (843)521-7332 or Debi Kidd at (843)263-8431 with any questions.



The Rite of Christian Burial

Margaret Sue Collins
Mother of Bradford Collins

Holy Baptism

Rawson Katherine Drury
Daughter of Nick and Katherine Drury

High altar flowers are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Wren Gregorie Rawls and Lucian Russell Rawls by their children.

Side altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Holy Trinity Classical Christian School in thanksgiving for their sister school, Good Shepherd Academy, South Sudan in celebration of their 10th year. Soli Deo Gloria!

This Week's Prayer List

Please pray for all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially the following:

For those in our parish family: Mary Aiana, Eleanore Brough, Jim Cato, Sam and Nancy Chesnutt, Carroll Crowther, Mary Lou Cullen, **Roz Dixon**, Sandy Foster, Shay Gaillard, Frank Giammona, Lynn Gibson, Chris Goodson, Beth Grace, Ben Grimsley, Kim Handy, Henderson Family, **Maude Hornsby**, Anita Lloyd, Bonnie Markle, Sam Marshall, Julie Michau, Caroline Milne, Dee Moss, Margy Oehlert, Shirley Owens, Jo Panayotoff, Warren Parker, John Payne, Bev Peutz, Chuck and Annie Pollak, Rae Ream, Rob Ream, Shannon Rice, Fran Sanders, Ric Schwank, Hamp Simkins, Christy Smith, Nelle Smith, Ora Smith, Sandy Stephan, Carla Stout, Shirley Sutton, Jim Thomforde, and Sue Thompson.

For extended family or friends of our parish family: Steele and Stephanie Anderson, Rev. Paul Anobile, Gibbon Ashley, Grace Ashley, Sandy Ballington, Jim Berl, Carrie Bibbins, Julie (Hyle) Bleier, Jack Bliley, Angela Blocker, Dora Bonetti, Tad and Katie Carver, Robin Clay, Francie Culp, Leslie Custer, Scott Dudley, Lisa Duress, Emily Durso, Lederle Eberhardt, Susan Eitnier, Emzy, Ann and Suzanne Finch, Finley, Frank Garrison, Pastor Eric Geisbert,

Good Neighbor Clinic, Good Shepherd Academy in South Sudan, Anita Hammerbeck, Jason Hamshaw, Barbara Harper, Bray Hefner, Hoogenboom family, Hanna Irby, Caroline Jenkins, Dixon Jones, Joan Keefe, Carolyn Lyson, Rob Macynski and family, Peg Marcotte, Rowland McIntosh, Elizabeth Laffitte McMaster, June Meeker, Zoran and Annie Mistic, Linda Morris, Joyce Murray, Sandra Myrick, Sharon Newill, Steve Ninemire, Fran Norman, Jeff Palmer, Sienna Perez, Jerri Perkins, Alexis Permenter, Debbie Pollak, Tamyla Powell, Pete Pratt, Bill Rector, Connie Brooks Rettig, Joseph Ritchie, Sr, **Shawn Rodgers**, Todd Roseneau, Schlabs family, Valentin Silva, Connie Chesnutt Simmons, Paula Smith, Rex Strickland, Shanna Sullivan, Andy Thomas, Tom Truman, Amber Turnage, Samantha Vanderwahl, Lucus Vanderzee, Victims of recent floods and hurricanes, Carolyn Vitolo, Reed Watts, and Young Life Ministry.

For these expectant parents: Ande and Dustin Chin, Rachel and Nicholas Manos, and Natalie and Josh Rogers.

For all our U.S. service members defending our country, especially the following who are deployed overseas: Connor Brazinski, Trey Crowley, Liam Kinlan, Alden Larkin, J. T. Piribeck, and Graham Weber.

For our global and local missionaries supported by St. Helena's: Fr. John Chol Daau and family in South Sudan; Roger and Joanne Griffin in Mexico; Steve and Sarah Hoskins in Maine; Fred and Sophia Onyango from Kenya, serving in the Anglican Diocese of South Carolina; Zach and Noelle Slagel in Cambodia; Parker and Alison Smith in Alaska; and Peng our Seminarian.

Names in bold were added this week. Names on the prayer list are the initial communication to the clergy of a need for prayer. In order to keep the list current, names remain on the list for 30 days, unless illness is chronic. Expectant parents remain on the list until their children are born and deployed military until they return home. Please fill out an online Prayer Request form or call the church office at (843) 522-1712 to submit a prayer request and inform the clergy of hospitalizations. Updated 08/26/2026

Participating in the Service:

The Rev. Dr. Emil Klatt III, Associate Rector

The Rev. Twig Sargent, Pastoral Associate

The Rev. Keith O'Neal, Deacon

Holton Johnson, Director of Music Ministry

Eugenia Henderson, Music Ministry Assistant

The Parish Choir

Frank Fagan, Lector

Hall Sumner, Larry Hofmann, and Barbara Klatt, LEMs

David Jennings, Paul Smith, Ryan Bradley, and Sport Lewis, Ushers

Our Vision

St. Helena's will boldly proclaim the saving Gospel and Lordship of Jesus Christ, and through intentional discipleship, will raise up servant leaders and worshipping communities in Beaufort and beyond, seeing the Kingdom come.

Vestry Members

Class of 2026

Helon Hrushka

Heidi Smith

Kathy Whitehead

Class of 2027

Jeff Kidd

Sherwood Miler

Marjory Mitchell

Jeff Weart

Class of 2028

Gregg Brunson

Susan Price

Emily Ward

Martha Lynn Webb

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