



# **ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

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**Calendar and Announcements  
September 15, 2024**

## Prayers and Thanksgivings

St. John's is interested in meeting the pastoral needs of our community. If you have prayer requests, please contact Sheri Rasmussen at [sheri@austinstjohns.org](mailto:sheri@austinstjohns.org). If you would like the Daughters of the King to include you in their prayer list, please contact Sandra Ward at [1redsand2@gmail.com](mailto:1redsand2@gmail.com).

If you find that your situation is causing spiritual, emotional difficulties, or if you are in need of food, do not hesitate to contact Mother Minerva 512-593-1778 or [revminerva@austinstjohns.org](mailto:revminerva@austinstjohns.org) or Deacon Victoria 512-297-5953 or [deaconvic@austinstjohns.org](mailto:deaconvic@austinstjohns.org)

The Episcopal Church has a Rite of Reconciliation (Confession). Please use the button on *The Bridge* to schedule an appointment with Mother Minerva for Reconciliation.

### **HEALING AND GUIDANCE:**

Karen, Frank, Doug, Carol, Sloane, David, Kathy, Soco, Danielle, David, Karen, Elton.

We also remember and pray for all our loved ones for whom the Daughters of the King are praying.

### **ANNIVERSARIES:**

9/16: Sinuhe and Morgan Corpus

### **BIRTHDAYS:**

9/15: Chris Carmon Sr.

9/16: Noreen McMahan

9/18: Hal Hugues, Mary Speight

9/19: The Rev. Victoria Mason

9/21: Carol Fritz

**The Flowers at the altar are given in  
memory of Gerald and Barbara Mason**

Is your anniversary or birthday missing?  
Please email [sheri@austinstjohns.org](mailto:sheri@austinstjohns.org)

## **Announcements**

**NEW MOBILE FOOD PANTRY PROJECT**– In an effort to increase access to healthy and nutritious food in the Rundberg area, El Buen Samaritano has partnered with St. John's Episcopal Church and Workforce Solutions to provide mobile food pantries from 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM on the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month starting Friday, September 27. El Buen is also starting to recruit volunteers for these mobile food pantries. If you'd like to sign up for this opportunity, please visit *The Bridge* for more information.

**TALENT SHOW**- St. John's will hold it's annual talent show on Sunday, September 29 at 6:00 PM in the church sanctuary. Come share your talents and enjoy ice cream after the show! Contact Philip Riley for any inquiries

**ST. JOHN'S FESTIVAL**– Save the Date! Our St. John's Festival will be held on Sunday, October 27. More information coming soon.

# Christian Formation

**SUNDAY CHRISTIAN FORMATION-** St. John's Episcopal Church will continue offering Christian formation classes on Sundays, from 9:45 AM to 10:30 AM. The Sunday Christian Formation classes will focus on Christian Citizenship during the months of September and October.

On September 15, Mother Minerva will present Get out The Vote Block Walk. Please check the weekly Christian Formation email for more information.

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTIAN FORMATION-** The Children's Christian Formation meets every Sunday from 12:20 PM-1:00 PM in the parish hall.

Children's Christian Formation team and the entire St. John's Episcopal Community invite the parishioners families with children, grandchildren and your neighbor's children to join us each.

**How:** Through weekly scriptures, prayer, and activities, children learn God's love for each other, kindness, empathy, compassion, forgiveness, and how to be a Jesus follower

**CORNERSTONE LITERARY CIRCLE-** Cornerstone Literary Circle meets Wednesdays at 5:30 PM. We'll continue reading *On Repentance and Repair: Making Amends in an Unapologetic World* By Danya Ruttenberg Please check the weekly Christian Formation for more information.

**WEDNESDAY LECTIONARY CLASS-** Each Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM, we meet via Zoom to study the Bible readings for the following Sunday. The Zoom link to can be found in the weekly Christian Formation email.

**THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY —** Each Thursday Morning at 10:00 AM in the Parish Hall. We will continue reading *Life Lessons from Ephesians*. Please check the weekly Christian Formation email for more information.

# Events for the Coming Week

## **Sunday, September 15**

### **Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost**

- 8:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
- 9:45 AM Christian Formation
- 11:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
- 12:20 PM Children's Christian Formation – Parish Hall
- 1:00 PM Santa Eucaristía Rito II

## **Monday, September 16**

- 7:00 PM Men's Group

## **Tuesday, September 17**

- 1:00 PM Adult Christian Formation Planning Team
- 6:00 PM ESL Class
- 7:00 PM St. John's Finance Committee

## **Wednesday, September 18**

- 8:00 AM Buildings and Grounds Maintenance
- 5:30 PM Cornerstone Literary Circle
- 7:00 PM Lectionary Bible Study

## **Thursday, September 19**

- 10:00 AM Thursday Morning Bible Study
- 7:30 PM Choir Practice

## **Friday, September 20**

- 6:30 PM ESL Class

## **Saturday, September 21**

- 2:00 PM All Rhythms

## **Sunday, September 22**

### **Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

- 8:30 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I
- 9:45 AM Christian Formation
- 11:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II
- 12:20 PM Children's Christian Formation – Parish Hall
- 1:00 PM Santa Eucaristía Rito II