

St. John's Chimes THE FEAST OF PENTECOST | MAY 28, 2023

# ST. JOHN'S CONNECTS

### New Grace Mission Donation Needs

Grace Mission is a non-profit outreach mission of the Episcopal Diocese of Florida serving those in need in downtown Tallahassee. Our parish supports Grace Mission in a variety of ways, including assisting with their efforts to clothe those in need and provide those experiencing homelessness with hygiene bags and laundry facilities. The following items are what our neighbors at Grace Mission currently need the most:

- men's t-shirts (medium–XXL)
- men's pants and shorts (waist size 28-34 preferred)
- men's underwear (boxers or boxer briefs preferred)
- toothpaste (travel size)

Donations can be dropped off Tuesdays through Fridays, from 10 AM to 2 PM at Grace Mission's side entrance or anytime in the donation box in our Calhoun Street lobby.

# COMING SOON

### Summer Series on Christian Hospitality

This summer, join us for teachings and conversations about Christian hospitality. These weekly gatherings, which begin Sunday, 6/4 after 10 AM worship, will be clergy-led with facilitated small group discussion about Christine Pohl's book, *Making Room: Recovering Hospitality as a Christian Tradition.* Look forward to discussions about hospitality over the years, as well as the challenges we face and the gifts we receive when welcoming the stranger among us. Purchase the book online, request it at your favorite bookstore, or simply join us with an open mind and heart for weekly conversations!



## SAVE THE DATE

THURS	Contemplative Lunch
6/1	12:30 PM   RUTLEDGE ROOM
SUN 6/4	Tallahassee Bach Parley Concert3 PM   HELD AT ST. JOHN'S

MON Summer Choir Camp Begins JUNE 19-23 | 8:30 AM TO 2:30 PM saint-john.org/event/choircamp2023/

# CAMPUS NEWS

Please note that our entire campus will be closed Monday for Memorial Day. The Lively Café will remain closed on Tuesday for weekly prep; reopening Wednesday, 5/31. Remember to bring your lunch for our last "Tower Bell Tuesday" concert on Tuesday, 5/30.

> MONDAY, MAY 29 OFFICES & CAFÉ CLOSED

TUESDAY, MAY 30 CAFÉ CLOSED

Also, please note that abbreviated summer office hours begin after Memorial Day. The church office will be staffed until 4 PM on Mondays-Thursdays and until 1 PM on Friday afternoons.



# Highlights

## TODAY

#### The Feast of Pentecost & Confirmation Sunday

We're glad you've joined us on this special day when we celebrate the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives. The Feast of Pentecost is the Church's birthday, when followers of Jesus were gifted with the ability to understand and connect with one another and God, laying the foundation for what would become Christianity. Today, we will renew our baptismal vows as one parish family, and 24 youth and adults will be presented for confirmation, reception, and reaffirmation. We're blessed to have the Rt. Rev. Samuel Johnson Howard here for today's service. Come greet the bishop, and help us celebrate Pentecost and our newest confirmands, at special reception, immediately following worship.

# **REGISTER NOW**

## Youth Summer Service Opportunities

You've been asking if St. John's is offering opportunities for youth to serve in our community this summer. The answer is YES! There are four different ways for middle and high schoolers to serve: by volunteering at our summer camps here on campus, AND through two single-day service projects designed just for youth! If you're enthusiastic about helping your neighbors, that's **回時**新闻 more than 50 hours' worth of ways to give your time this summer. There is no cost to attend and there are Denty of volunteer spots still available. Sign up today!

LEARN MORE AND REGISTER ONLINE: saint-john.org/youth-summer2023/

## Vacation Bible School: June 26-30

Help us make this year's Vacation Bible School (VBS) a success register your children and grandchildren! This year's camp will be held on five consecutive evenings and is open to rising PreK-4



**Through 5th graders. Fee: \$30; dinner included. Join us** for a week of playing, praying, creating, serving, and learning. Register your campers for VBS today!

LEARN MORE AND REGISTER ONLINE: saint-john.org/event/vbs2023/

	THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S									
	TODAY	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.			
	28	29 ► Lively Café Memorial Day: Campus Closed No Classes!	30 Closed 11 AM The Knitters 12 PM Tower Bell Tuesdays 1:30 PM Meditation	31	1 <b>12 PM</b> Good Book <b>12:30 PM</b> Contemplative Lunch	2 <b>12 PM</b> Friday Book Study	3 <b>3 PM</b> Bach Parley Open Rehearsal			
850	This grid highlights a few of the ways to get involved at St. John's. For event details   850.222.2636 office   and weekly worship times, scan the QR code or visit saint-john.org/events									