

CATHEDRAL ACOLYTES

By Dr. Cal Melton, Cathedral Acolyte Master & Levi Pearson, Cathedral Acolyte

Greetings, Cathedral!

To the acolytes: Allow me to offer a sincere thank you to each of you. Words can't express my gratitude to you and your families. Your presence is a blessing to the congregation at every service. Thank you!

To the parents of Cathedral acolytes: Thanks be to God, our acolyte program currently stands strong with 48 kids and young adults. I'm hopeful of adding 10-12 more rising 6th graders at our April 2nd training. We have 6 teams that rotate Sunday services with many acolytes volunteering at additional services. I appreciate every one of you and your commitment to this program, our acolytes, and God's Church. Thank you!

Please read the following message from Levi Pearson on being an acolyte:

My name is Levi Pearson and I have participated in the acolyte program for more than a year. As a 7th grader, being an acolyte has really helped me get involved with my community. St. Peter's has provided a calm and nurturing environment for me to complete service hours for a variety of projects and clubs. A couple of the main reasons that I acolyte on Sunday mornings is because I love feeling helpful, and I enjoy seeing so many friendly and familiar faces during services. Some of my favorite jobs are bearing a gospel torch or reading as a Youth Lector. Reading in front of the cathedral is a treasured opportunity for me because I enjoy public speaking and I love to merge my passion with the gospel. I highly recommend all 6th graders to participate in the acolyte training, because new acolytes are always appreciated, and being able to work your way up through the ribbon system is a wonderful opportunity that is rewarding in many ways. Whether you are delivering sacraments to the altar or spreading incense throughout the church, acolytes are a very important part of each church service, and they all work together to create a beautiful Sunday morning worship service. To conclude, being an acolyte at St. Peter's is an amazing opportunity that has benefited me in a multitude of ways, and I highly recommend the program to all 6th graders that are interested. See you in church!

MISSIONS & EVANGELISM

EACH OF OUR EIGHT CORES HAS A SPECIFIC MONTH OF THE YEAR IN WHICH IT WILL BE HIGHLIGHTED.
MARCH IS DISCIPLED EVANGELISM MONTH.

PARTNERED EVANGELISM: TARMAC BASKETBALL SPRING BREAK CAMP

Start spring break off right with some fellowship and basketball sessions! Tarmac Basketball, for girls ages 7-14, will work on the fundamentals of basketball, building leadership concepts, and the importance of having a foundation of faith.

The sessions will be held on *March 14th, 15th, and 16th from 9am-1pm at Immanuel Baptist Church, 2351 Mahan Drive*. The cost will be \$75 per day/session. Register at www.tarmacbasketball.com or contact Susan Burton at thetarmacth@gmail.com or 850.251.3418. Let's go Lady Ballers!

LIFE: AWPC-A MOTHER'S MANTLE

Maternity clothes (especially leggings size M and L) are desperately needed for mothers being cared for by *A Women's Pregnancy Center (AWPC)*. Just as the Lord is our covering, let's provide a "mantle" for these precious Moms who have chosen life for their babies. Gently worn and/or new maternity clothes will be collected for the whole month of March in a specially marked bin located in the narthex.

Maternity clothes can also be ordered through *A Women's Pregnancy Center's Amazon Gift Registry* by visiting StPetersFL.com/mothersmantle. Scroll down past the diapers to the maternity clothes and order from the comfort of your own home! At checkout, please choose "*billingAddress' Gift Registry Address*" for the shipping. Please also leave a free gift message stating your donation is for "A Mother's Mantle" and your name and church name if you'd like so we can see how the Lord has inspired our community to reach out in love! Feel free to share this link with family and friends who may also wish to donate.

These precious new mothers will be blessed in a mighty way by our kindness! Please contact Life Core Captains, Elizabeth Carrouth at ecarrouth@gmail.com or Ann Wong at wongbones@aol.com, with questions or for more information.

LIFE: AWPC'S WALK FOR LIFE

Please plan to join us for *A Women's Pregnancy Center's 27th Annual Walk for Life* on *Saturday, March 26th*. Registration begins at *8:30am* that morning, and the 2-mile fun walk begins at *9:00am*. There will be lots of fun activities for children there as well!

The funds collected for the Walk allow AWPC to continue offering the option of life to women and men facing unplanned pregnancies, sharing the good news of Christ's love and forgiveness, and the hope of a bright future.

For more information, please contact Life Core Captains, Elizabeth Carrouth at ecarrouth@gmail.com or Ann Wong at wongbones@aol.com. Additional information is available online as well at: www.joinwalkforlife.com

INTERNATIONAL: AN APPEAL FROM ARCHBISHOP FOLEY BEACH FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE

| The Anglican Relief and Development Fund—ARDF (ardf.org) has mounted a campaign to raise funds to help. We are currently partnering with those inside Ukraine and those working in bordering countries being overwhelmed with refugees.

Are you able to help? ARDF has received a \$100,000 challenge gift to match dollar for dollar the first \$100,000 received. This means your personal gift can be doubled. Please consider helping today by clicking visiting ardf.org/relief-ukraine-2022.

Beyond giving financially to these efforts, *YOUR PRAYERS ARE VITAL. PRAYER REALLY DOES MAKE A DIFFERENCE!* Pray for the Ukrainian people and their leaders, the Russian people and their leaders, the numerous Christian leaders and missionaries in the country, and for the hundreds of thousands of refugees. Ask God to intervene.

DISCIPLESHIP

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL AVAILABLE | Once again, Barb Mattick and her team have compiled a Lenten Devotional to aid each of our journeys through this Lenten Season. Many of you contributed to this year's effort—THANK YOU! The printed devotional is available in the Narthex and Cathedral office. It includes the Cathedral's Lenten Schedule on the back cover. You may wish to receive the daily Lenten Devotions in your inbox, but you are still encouraged to grab a hard copy! If you would like to receive the daily devotions in your inbox, please visit StPetersFL.com/Lent

LENTEN QUIET MORNING

Saturday, 19 March | 9:00am-11:30am | The Rev'd Travis Bolin (Mother Travis), Rector of All Saints Anglican Church in Tallahassee, will lead our Lenten Quiet Morning. Mtr. Travis will focus us on the ancient discipline of Lectio Divina, the practice of reading Scripture prayerfully. The morning will feature instruction in this discipline as well as times to practice it. To register for the morning, visit StPetersFL.com/LentenQuietMorning.

CARE MINISTRIES: PARISH VISITORS GUILD OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

The Parish Visitors Guild is a group of parish members who are passionate about reaching out to our members in a variety of ways: encouraging notes; personal visits and phone calls, especially to those in assisted living centers; and even delivering altar flowers to folks at home. This is a great opportunity to offer encouragement to those who truly need it. If you are interested in being part of this ministry, please contact Alice Sanderson via email at Alice@StPetersFL.com

NEWCOMER'S DINNER

Tuesday, 29 March | 6:00pm

If you have started attending St. Peter's over the past year, or if you haven't been to a Newcomer's Dinner before, you're invited! Come meet the clergy, staff, and other newcomers, and enjoy a delicious dinner! RSVP to Katie Munroe at Katie@StPetersFL.com. Childcare is available upon request.

GALS' ART NIGHT

Friday, 1 April | 6:00pm-9:00pm

Gals of all ages! Join us for a night of art! The talented Danielle Figueroa will be leading us in devotional-centered painting. Her artwork and that of some of her students has been displayed this past year on the St. Peter's Artisans' Gallery Wall here at the Cathedral. This will be a great night for intergenerational fellowship while creating art that glorifies our Creator. Register at StPetersFL.com/galsnight

LITURGY 101

Wednesday, 6 April, 6:30pm | Liturgy 101 provides the opportunity for the clergy of St. Peter's to explain all the particulars of a typical Sunday worship service in detail. It is a time to learn the why and how of the Anglican faith and tradition and ask questions. For example, what are people doing before the Gospel reading on their forehead, lips, and heart? Why do the priests wear different color stoles at different times of the year? Plan to attend to find out the answers to these questions, as well as much, much more!

No need to register for Liturgy 101 and childcare is available upon request. Feel free to contact Katie Munroe at Katie@StPetersFL.com with any questions.

LENTEN DISCIPLINE: SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES

| You are invited to take on the discipline of being in a small group Bible study for Lent. Six in-person groups and one virtual group are being organized, each group meeting at different times. Each group will focus on the inductive Bible study *Following Jesus* as well as introducing our Parish Rule of Life (PRL). Each group will meet for six sessions and sessions are scheduled to begin this week. Register online at StPetersFL.com/LentenSmallGroup or in-person at the Parish Life Desk in the Narthex.

CATHEDRAL TOUR

Saturday, 12 March, 10:00-11:00am | From stone to spire, arch to altar, the traditional Gothic architecture of St. Peter's reflects the orthodox truth of Holy Scripture. Take a tour and be inspired!

WORSHIP

VISITING THE CATHEDRAL?

Welcome—we're so glad you're worshipping with us today! Our nursery is available during Sunday morning services for children newborn through Kindergarten. We hope you'll join us on the lawn for coffee & other refreshments between morning services!

CATHEDRAL PRAYER LIST & CARE MINISTRIES



If you have any pastoral needs or know of someone who needs pastoral care and prayer, please contact Care Ministries Coordinator, Alice Sanderson at Alice@StPetersFL.com

FSU TRUMPET STUDIO CONCERT | *Sunday, 27 March, 7:00pm*

The Florida State trumpet studio, under the direction of Professor Christopher Moore (who has played for many special services at St Peter's over the last 10 years) will perform at the Cathedral with 20 some trumpeters. The concert will include organ and trumpet works arranged by one of our very own, John Martin.



FINANCIAL MINUTE

Total Operating Budget: \$2,896,155.24 | % Collected YTD: 50.28% | Debt Retired in March: \$12,319.89
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