

## Grace Notes

- **Flowers** are given in memory of John M Anthony Jr. by Besty Beard.
- **WWW** is taking a break from regular meetings for the summer, but we'll be gathering for a Summer Social on **June 17th!** Details will be shared by email—if you'd like to be added to the list, contact Beth Lollis at [gracewomenwineandwisdom@gmail.com](mailto:gracewomenwineandwisdom@gmail.com).
- **Fiber Friends and Fellowship** meets **every Tuesday at 10 a.m.** in the Parish Hall.
- **SAVE THE DATE:** Grace Church BBQ will be **Oct. 11 2025**
- **Grace Life** is always looking for new members! If you are interested in serving on and with this committee please reach out to Kirri Kinley (843) 384-5213 or [kirrikinley@gmail.com](mailto:kirrikinley@gmail.com)
- If you would like to receive the **weekly Garden Update** emails, please email or text Danny Ehlert to be included on the distribution ([danny.ehlert@gmail.com](mailto:danny.ehlert@gmail.com) or (864) 276-2579).
- **Summer Food For Kids** continues **every Friday in June and July except for July 4th and ends on August 1st.** If you are interested in participating, meet at the church at 11:45 a.m. All are Welcome! For more information contact Deacon Mary Jeffers at [jeffers6sc@att.net](mailto:jeffers6sc@att.net)
- **Sylvara Communion visit** has moved to **Monday, June 16th at 11 a.m.**
- **Grace Guy's Gathering** is **Thursday, June 19th at 6 p.m.**
- Deacon Mary Jeffers will be providing a **Eucharistic Visitors training** On **Saturday, June 21st at 9 a.m.** If you are interested in exploring either of these roles, please contact Deacon Mary at [jeffers6sc@att.net](mailto:jeffers6sc@att.net).
- **Grief Support** will meet **Thursday, June 26th at 10 a.m.**
- **St. Catherine's Guild and Grace Guys Gathering Veterans drive:** Look for a list of items they would like in the cloister and on the bulletin board. All donations can be placed in the cloister.
- Mom's Meet-up is **Saturday, June 28th at 9:30 a.m.** at E-City Java.
- **The Grace Episcopal Ministry of Music:** The Grace choir has worked hard this semester and learned many new, and difficult anthems. We are taking a much deserved break from our weekly Wednesday Night practice. With Rodman, Adie, Brennan, Lucy, and Anna Rose we have 5 choir members under the age of 20.
- **Sounds of Carolina** will have a music camp at Grace **June 23rd – 27th from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.**
- **The Grace Episcopal Ministry of Music** as added some new items to the Grace Website. Feel free to go check out the new additions.
- **Fr. Jack's summer class** on Paul's letter to the Romans will begin on **July 6th at 9:15 a.m.** in the Parish Library. Bring your bible and your own copy of *When in Romans* by Beverly Gaventa.
- **Last Confirmation Class** before Bishop Richards's visit on **Nov. 2nd begins on Sunday, Aug. 3rd at 9:15 a.m.** in the Parish Library.

## Those who serve

**Vestry-in-Charge:** Cyndi Dougherty

**Second Counter:** Louis LeBrun

**Lector:** Tony Guiseppi-Elie

**Intercessor:** Annette Guiseppi-Elie

**Chalice:** Annette Guiseppi-Elie

**Church Opener:** Jim Harris

**Chalice 2:** Jackie Lenhart

## Those with birthday's this week

William Burgess

Norma Strang

Bob Prince

William Woodson

Andy Prince

Mac McGaw

Grace Kerley

Jane Hughes

## Vestry Members

Mike Digby - 2025

Janet Rippy, Clerk- 2023-2025

Louis Lebrun, Jr. Warden - 2023-2025

David Burden - 2024-2025

Kirri Kinley - 2024-2026

Mike Magaha - 2024-2026

Cory Trotter - 2024-2026

Debbie Hand , Sr. Warden - 2024-2026

Jodie Webb - 2025-2027

Bill Scott - 2025-2027

Cyndi Dougherty - 2025-2027

Heiko Erlenkauser - 2025-2027

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# I WILL POUR OUT MY SPIRIT

## GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

8 June 2025

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I  
WHITSUNDAY

Welcome to Grace!

The Liturgy Begins on page 299

The Word of God

The Collect

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Lesson

Genesis 11:1-9

Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. And as they migrated from the east, they came upon a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves; otherwise we shall be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth." The LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which mortals had built. And the LORD said, "Look, they are one people, and they have all one language; and this is only the beginning of what they will do; nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. Come, let us go down, and confuse their language there, so that they will not understand one another's speech." So the LORD scattered them abroad from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. Therefore it was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth; and from there the LORD scattered them abroad over the face of all the earth.

The Psalm

Psalm 104:25-35, 37 (read responsively by half verse)
Benedic, anima mea

- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! \*
in wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea
with its living things too many to number, \*
creatures both small and great.
- 27 There move the ships,
and there is that Leviathan, \*
which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to you \*
to give them their food in due season.
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; \*
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \*
you take away their breath,
and they die and return to their dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \*
and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; \*
may the LORD rejoice in all his works.
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \*
he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; \*
I will praise my God while I have my being.
- 35 May these words of mine please him; \*
I will rejoice in the LORD.
- 37 Bless the LORD, O my soul. \*
Hallelujah!

The Second Lesson

Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs-- in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

- ‘In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.
Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;

- and they shall prophesy.
And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.
The sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.
Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.' "

The Holy Gospel

Deacon or Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

John 14:8-17

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you."

Deacon or Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Jack Hardaway

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