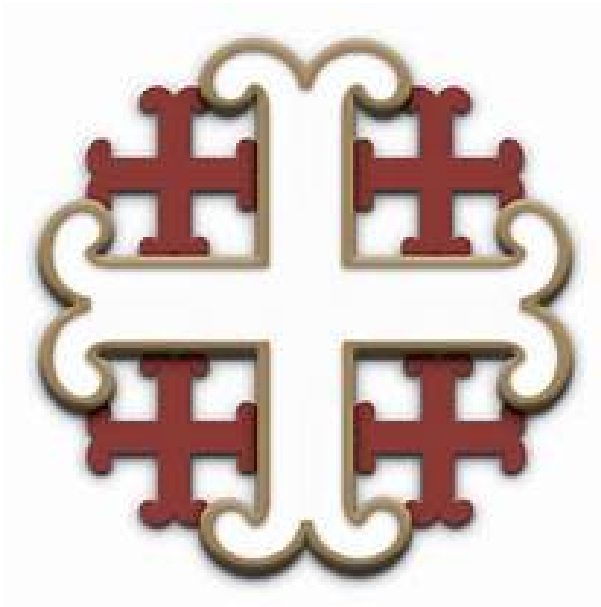


# SAINT ANNE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

*CATHOLIC FAITH + ORTHODOX WORSHIP + ANGLICAN SPIRITUALITY*



FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*April 28, 2024 + 11:30 A.M.*

## WORSHIP AT ST. ANNE'S

We would like to welcome you to St. Anne's Anglican Church. Even though our Church is a small family-sized parish our worship community is vibrant and diverse. We are comprised of faithful Christians, united as, one body, under the Gospel of Jesus Christ and, are firmly grounded in our desire to defend the faith. Together we celebrate and grow through traditional Orthodox worship, prayer, preaching, teaching, pastoral care, spiritual counsel, joyful fellowship with one another, and service to our community and the world. We believe the church is the sacrament of God's saving presence in our world. St. Anne's is a part of the Anglican Church in North America, the Diocese of the Great Lakes, and a member of the world-wide Anglican Communion, the third largest Christian body in the world. We invite you to journey in faith with us today.

*In the Anglican Church all baptized Christians are invited to receive the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist. If you are not yet Baptized, or simply wish to receive a blessing, you too are invited to God's Holy Altar.*

Our Service begins on Page **105** in the  
ACNA Prayer Book

### ***TODAY'S HYMNS***

Processional	297
Sequence	603
Anthem	"Come Down, O Love Divine"
Recessional	644

*Visit our website: [www.stanneanglican.net](http://www.stanneanglican.net)  
**RECORDED SERMONS***



## *The Litany of St. Anne*

Saint Anne, Mother of the Virgin Mary, Pray for us.  
Saint Anne, Spouse of Saint Joachim, Pray for us. Saint  
Anne, joy of the Angels, Pray for us. Saint Anne, hope  
of the patriarchs, Pray for us. Saint Anne, vessel full of  
grace, Pray for us. Saint Anne, mirror of obedience, Pray for us. Saint  
Anne, mirror of patience, Pray for us. Saint Anne, mirror of devotion,  
Pray for us. Saint Anne, support of the church, Pray for us. Saint  
Anne, hope for sinners, Pray for us. Saint Anne, helper of Christians,  
Pray for us. Saint Anne, gate of salvation, Pray for us. Saint Anne,  
comforter of the afflicted, Pray for us. Saint Anne, health of the sick,  
Pray for us. Saint Anne, help of all who invoke your name, Pray for  
us. O Blessed Saint Anne, pray for us, that we may be made worthy of  
the promises of Christ. O God, Who by Your grace, was pleased to  
choose blessed Anne to be the mother of the of the Virgin Mary,  
mercifully grant that we who celebrate her praises may be assisted by  
her prayers to You, who lives and reigns in a world without end.  
Amen.

The Altar Flowers  
are given this day to the Glory of God by:  
*Dan & Connie Harris*  
*In Celebration of their Wedding Anniversary*  
*April 27, 2024*

***A Prayer.*** Almighty God, you have conquered death through your  
dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ and have opened to us the gate of  
everlasting life: grant us by your grace to set our minds on things  
above, so that by your continual help our whole life may be  
transformed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns  
with you and the Holy Spirit in everlasting glory. Amen.

***Thank You for Worshipping with us Today***



**Anglican Church in North America**  
The Most Reverend Foley Beach, Archbishop



**Diocese of the Great Lake**  
The Right Reverend Mark Engel Bishop  
The Right Reverend Allen Kannapell, Bishop Suffragan  
The Reverend Pete Matthews Archdeacon South Mission Area



**Diocese of the Chaplaincy**  
The Right Reverend Derek Jones, Bishop

### **Worship Staff at Saint Anne's Anglican Church**

The Reverend Father Jon Back  
The Reverend Father, Tony Bender  
The Reverend Father, PT Morgan  
The Reverend Father Kim Akers, St. George (Affiliate Fellowship)

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WORSHIP GOD + LOVE ONE ANOTHER + FOREVER DEFEND THE FAITH



## *Fifth Sunday of Easter*

### *Collect*

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal glory; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### *Old Testament Reading*

#### *Acts 8: 26-40*

Now an angel of the Lord said to Philip, “Rise and go toward the south to the road that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza.” This is a desert place. And he rose and went. And there was an Ethiopian, a eunuch, a court official of Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, who was in charge of all her treasure. He had come to Jerusalem to worship and was returning, seated in his chariot, and he was reading the prophet Isaiah. And the Spirit said to Philip, “Go over and join this chariot.” So Philip ran to him and heard him reading Isaiah the prophet and asked, “Do you understand what you are reading?” And he said, “How can I, unless someone guides me?” And he invited Philip to come up and sit with him. Now the passage of the Scripture that he was reading was this: “Like a sheep he was led to the slaughter and like a lamb before its shearer is silent, so he opens not his mouth. In his humiliation justice was denied him. Who can describe his generation? For his life is taken away from the earth.” And the eunuch said to Philip, “About whom, I ask you, does the prophet say this, about himself or about someone else?” Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning with this Scripture he told him the good news about Jesus. And as they were going along the road they came to some water, and the

eunuch said, “See, here is water! What prevents me from being baptized?” And he commanded the chariot to stop, and they both went down into the water, Philip and the eunuch, and he baptized him. And when they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord carried Philip away, and the eunuch saw him no more, and went on his way rejoicing. But Philip found himself at Azotus, and as he passed through, he preached the gospel to all the towns until he came to Caesarea.

*Psalm 66: 1-11*

- 1 Be joyful in God, all you lands; \*  
**sing praises to the honor of his Name; make his praise to be glorious.**
- 2 Say to God, “How wonderful are your works; \*  
**through the greatness of your power shall your enemies cower before you.**
- 3 For all the world shall worship you, \*  
**sing to you, and praise your Name.”**
- 4 O come and see the works of God, \*  
**how wonderful he is in his doing toward all people.**
- 5 He turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through the water on foot; \*  
**therefore in him let us rejoice.**
- 6 He rules with his power for ever; his eyes keep watch over the nations; \*  
**let not the rebellious exalt themselves.**

- 7 Bless our God, you peoples, \*  
**and make the voice of his praise to be heard,**
- 8 Who holds our soul in life, \*  
**and does not allow our feet to slip.**
- 9 For you, O God, have proved us; \*  
**you have tried us, as silver is tried.**
- 10 You brought us into the snare \*  
**and laid trouble upon our backs.**
- 11 You allowed men to ride over our heads; we went  
through fire and water; \*  
**but you brought us out into a place of plenty.**

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit \*  
as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without  
end. Amen.*

***The Epistle Reading  
1 John 3: 11-24***

For this is the message that you have heard from the beginning, that we should love one another. We should not be like Cain, who was of the evil one and murdered his brother. And why did he murder him? Because his own deeds were evil and his brother's righteous. Do not be surprised, brothers, that the world hates you. We know that we have passed out of death into life, because we love the brothers. Whoever does not love abides in death. Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him. By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the

brothers. But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth. By this we shall know that we are of the truth and reassure our heart before him; for whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence before God; and whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. And this is his commandment, that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. Whoever keeps his commandments abides in God, and God in him. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit whom he has given us.

***The Holy Gospel***  
***John 14: 15-21***

“If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you. “I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. Yet a little while and the world will see me no more, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live. In that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him.”



*Lord we Pray for this day:*

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O Christ our Lord, who art the Physician of Salvation, grant unto the sick and suffering the aid of Your Heavenly Healing and deliver the following from all infirmity: **Winnie, George, Harold, Pat, Erica, Zachary, Adrianna, Kate, Mary, Elizabeth, Reinhold, Fr. Kim, Patty, Kathy, Caleb, Mike, Amber, Jim, Whitney, Ava, and Alison**.

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