



St. Andrew's
Episcopal Cathedral
Your Cathedral in the City

December 22, 2024

Fourth Sunday of Advent

CLERGY AND STAFF:

Rt. Rev. Dr. Dorothy Sanders Wells

XI Bishop of the Diocese of Mississippi

Very Rev. Anne M. Maxwell
Dean

Rev. Christopher McAbee
Associate Rector

Rev. Deacon Sarah Stripp
Deacon

Jessica Nelson
Organist and Choirmaster

Gracey Belote
Director of Parish Life and Newcomer Ministries

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Director of Children and Youth Ministries

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Director of Communications

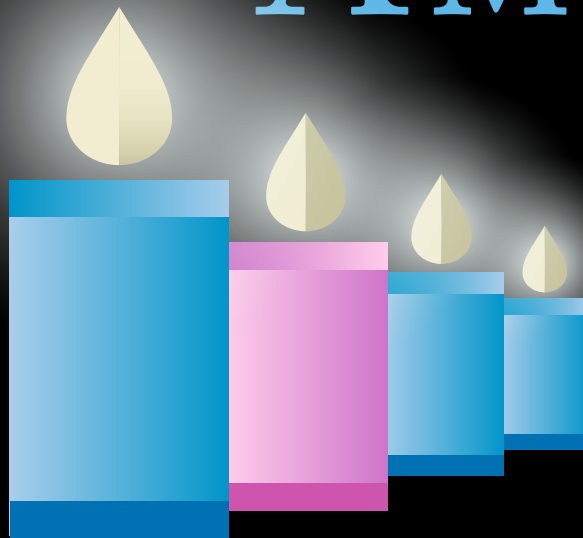
Jarred Stewart
Sexton

Carey Yelverton
Bookkeeper

Lou Ann Manuel
Coordinator of Nursery

PURIFY OUR CONSCIENCE,
ALMIGHTY GOD, BY YOUR DAILY
VISITATION, THAT YOUR SON
JESUS CHRIST, AT HIS COMING,
MAY FIND IN US A MANSION
PREPARED FOR HIMSELF;
WHO LIVES AND REIGNS WITH
YOU, IN THE UNITY OF THE
HOLY SPIRIT, ONE GOD,
NOW AND FOR EVER.

AMEN



Joyfully proclaiming the gospel of Jesus Christ through grace-filled worship, radical hospitality, and incarnational faith.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

sunday

8:30a | Holy Eucharist | Chapel

9:30a | Formation Hour for all ages

10:30a | Holy Eucharist | Cathedral Nave
and St. Julian's Chapel (Online)

10:30a | Children's Chapel | Chapel

5:00p | EYC | EYC Room

wednesday

12:00noon | Lunch Bunch
(Eastbrooke Clubhouse)

5:00p | Enneagram

(1st Wed. of the Month), St. Francis Hall

thursday

12:00p | Noon Eucharist (chapel)

SUNDAY FORMATION

Currently on holiday hiatus until Epiphany,
our typical Sunday formation schedule is:
for adults

9:30a | Dean's Forum, Parish Hall

9:30a | Podcast Discussion Gp., Sabbath Space

9:30a | Theology & Literature, Yelverton Room

for youth

9:30a | EYC Group, EYC Room

5:00p | EYC Meeting, EYC Room

for children

9:30a | Bible Adventure, upstairs classrooms

10:30a | Children's Chapel (during 10:30 service)

Lay Pastoral Ministers on call this week:
Deb Lightsey, 601-278-7540, dmlightsey@comcast.net
Mike Lightsey, 601-278-0755, milightsey@comcast.net
Stephanie Scott, 601-214-5589, sqscott6@gmail.com

YOUNG FAMILIES POTLUCK BRUNCH

TODAY! Sunday, December 22nd, 11:30am

Potluck breakfast/brunch gathering after church at Taylor Davis' house. Kid's activity included! RSVP davista@gosaints.org.



HAPPENING #98

A CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE

MARCH 14-16

ST. PAUL'S, COLUMBUS

REGISTRATION OPENS IN JANUARY!

10-12TH GRADE



Stay after church for the Greening of the Cathedral

TODAY! Sunday, December 22nd, 11:30am
Stick around after the morning services to help our team decorate the campus with wreaths, bows, and garlands for Christmas. Lunch provided for volunteers. Contact Ed Oliver (edoliverms@aol.com) to participate.

Margaret McLarty, Senior Warden; Michelle Lewis, Junior Warden; Justin Croft, Treasurer; Walter Palmer, Lucien Smith, Stephen Stray, Dorothy Triplett, Sheryl Fox, Mark Konradi, David Long, Danielle Ireland, Ashley Lacoste, Bobby Moore, Holli Roach, Chris Scott



Feast of The Epiphany and Burning of the Greens

Sunday, January 5th, 5:00pm

Come celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany! We will have a dinner in the parish hall at 5:00, followed by a joyful Eucharist, followed by the Burning of the Greens outside.



Vestry Nominations

We have openings for four new vestry members and a Junior Warden so we are looking for parishioners who are committed to leadership and are members in good standing to stand for elections. To submit a nomination, please call the Cathedral office at 601.354.1535 to request a form or download one at standrews.ms/vestrynominations.



Home Eucharists

January 6th - February 22nd

In this season of light, we will be gathering in parishioners' homes to celebrate the Holy Eucharist and enjoy some casual social time. The schedule will be announced once we have some hosts lined up. If you are interested in hosting, contact Gracey, gbelote@standrews.ms.



The Journey Series

Writing into the Light

Saturday, January 25th, 9:00am to 2:00pm

A writing workshop of discovery and delight into our hidden, shared life that makes us fully human, led by Ellen Gabardi, Marion Barnwell, and Beth Foose. No writing experience necessary! Get more info and sign up at standrews.ms/journeyseries.

Christmas Open House

Friday, December 27th, 5:00 - 7:30pm (drop in)

At the home of the Rev. Christopher McAbee and Kyle Harshey. Drop in any time during the evening for a Third Day of Christmas celebration. There will be hors d'oeuvres and festive refreshments. All are welcome, including children and youth. 854 North Jefferson St. in Jackson. Please use street parking on Bellevue, Jefferson, or Boyd streets.



Buy Alternative Giving Cards

Sundays Throughout Advent

Alternative Giving Cards are on sale in St. Francis Hall this Sunday and each Sunday during Advent. Purchase Christmas cards for your loved ones and support the Tuesday Morning Breakfast Club ministry—all proceeds go to TMBC.



The Cathedral offices will be closed for Christmas/ New Year's from Tuesday, December 24 through Wednesday, January 1. They will reopen on January 2.



Christmas Services

Christmas Eve

Tuesday, December 24th

- 3:00pm | Christmas Eve Service*
- 5:00pm | Christmas Eve Service (4:30 prelude) with Bishop Wells*#
- 11:00pm | Christmas Eve Service (10:30 prelude)

**nursery available*

#streaming at standrews.ms/virtualworship

Christmas Day

Wednesday, December 25th, 10:30am

Christmas Lessons & Carols

*Sunday, December 29th, 10:30am
(one service this Sunday)*

