

First Sunday after Pentecost:

Trinity Sunday

Service of Holy Eucharist

Saturday, May 30, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 31, 2026 at 9:30 a.m.



SAINT MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Welcome to St. Michael's!

Love all. Love always. That's our logo and that's what we live; all means all and God's radically inclusive love excludes no one. No matter where you're on life's journey, we invite you to walk with us. There's a place for you at St. Michael's.

At St. Michael's we offer Spiritual Pathways: Practices for Embracing the Journey. These six transformational pathways offer many entry points to appeal to each person's unique journey and provide ways to experience God's love together as we grow in faith and hope, discover inner peace and live with purpose.

Action Pathway: Renewing the Body through yoga, sacred strolls on the beach and more

Reflective Pathway: Awakening the Spirit by gathering together for meals and conversation, book groups and retreats

Inner Pathway: Soothing the Heart through visiting our Meditation Room (located off the parish hall past the kitchen), and gestures of care for those in need of hope and healing

Learning Pathway: Expanding the Mind through programs for individual and group learning

Worship Pathway: Nourishing the Soul through joyful worship, music and other experiences

Service Pathway: Reaching out to the World with acts of love and care locally, in SWFL and beyond

Each pathway invites us deeper – into God's presence, into community and into the sacred journey of life. **The journey awaits you. Come walk the path with us.** Find out more by taking a **Spiritual Pathways brochure in the pew rack in front of you and visiting our website saintmichaels-sanibel.org** for more details.

I'm New: If this is your first time visiting with us and you need any assistance with the service, please don't hesitate to ask someone for help. To find out more about the many ministries and programs at Saint Michael's, please check out our website, www.saintmichaels-sanibel.org, like our Facebook page and YouTube channel. If you'd like to stay in touch, please fill out a visitor card in the pew and place it in the offering plate after the announcements, or contact Fr. Bill at rector@saintmichaels-sanibel.org.

Communion is for All: All may come forward to receive communion. None are required to receive. We serve both bread and wine. You may choose to receive at your own comfort level, both bread and wine or just bread. You may take a sip of wine from the cup that is offered to you or dip the host into the chalice. You may also come forward with your arms crossed over your chest for a blessing, or you may choose not to come forward at all. Children may receive at any age. Gluten free hosts are available, just ask when you come up for communion.

Restrooms: Exit at the red doors in the back of the church and walk along the exterior deck through the double glass doors. Down that hallway are accessible restrooms on either side.

Worshipping with Kids: Joyful noise is most welcome here. Many families find that sitting close to the front helps children to see and engage better with the service.

Tower Bells

Prelude

Cycling through the refuge

Entwistle

Processional Hymn 362

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Celebrant Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People ***And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

The Collect for Purity

BCP 355

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

(5:00) *Gloria in excelsis Deo*

BCP 356

Glory to God in the highest,

and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,

we worship you, we give you thanks,

we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take away the sin of the world:

have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father:

receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

(9:30) *Gloria in excelsis Deo*

Erik Entwistle

Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and peace to his peo-ple on earth. Lord
God, hea-ven-ly King, al - migh - ty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for - your glo - ry! Glo-ry to God in the
high - est, and peace to his peo-ple on earth! Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly
Son of the Fa-ther, Lord Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world.
Have mer-cy on us. You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fath-er. Re -
ceive our prayer. Glo-ry to God in the high - est and peace to his peo-ple on
earth. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One. You a-lone are the Lord. You a -
lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ with the Ho - ly Spir-it in the
glo-ry of God - the Fa - ther A - - - men!

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People ***And also with you.***

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

A Reading from the Book of Genesis 1:1-2:4a

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, “Let there be light”; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, “Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.” So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, “Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear.” And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, “Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it.” And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, “Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth.” And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth,

to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, “Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky.” So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth.” And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, “Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind.” And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, “Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.”

So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.” God said, “See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.” And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.

These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 8

- 1 O LORD our Governor, *
how exalted is your Name in all the world!
- 2 Out of the mouths of infants and children *
your majesty is praised above the heavens.
- 3 You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, *
to quell the enemy and the avenger.
- 4 When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, *
the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,
- 5 What is man that you should be mindful of him? *
the son of man that you should seek him out?
- 6 You have made him but little lower than the angels; *
you adorn him with glory and honor;
- 7 You give him mastery over the works of your hands; *
you put all things under his feet:
- 8 All sheep and oxen, *
even the wild beasts of the field,
- 9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, *
and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.
- 10 O LORD our Governor, *
how exalted is your Name in all the world!

A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians 13:11-13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn 370 (vs 7 only) **I bind unto myself today**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 28:16-20

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Bill Van Oss

(A brief period of silence follows the sermon)

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Let us come before God in prayer confident that God will hear and answer us. Lord, in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

Gracious God, enliven the creativity and persistence of all seeking to transform the church into a closer vision of your beloved community. May we see each other as sisters and brothers of Christ, united in bonds of love. Lord, in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

We pray for our elected leaders and those in authority throughout the world. Grant them the ability to regard those under their charge with humility, dedicating their lives in service to others, and working for the common good. Lord, in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

Bring an end to war in troubled lands throughout our world, inspiring those in authority to work for peaceful solutions. Lord, in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

We give thanks for the gift of creation. Teach us to treat the world around us with reverence, seeking restoration where it has been harmed. May your creation flourish and magnify your glory. Lord, in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

Hear the prayers of those who call out to you for healing and strength. Bless the sick and suffering, give patience and strength to those in need, especially Jane Adams, Peter Blaze Corcoran, Laura Korn, Martha Ponader and Doug Lind; for Ralph Korn, John Pryor, Shirlla Cuscaden, Susan Lord and Kristen Beltz; for Margery Almas, Joan Desilet, Sherry Kanzius, Mary McManus and Sally Johnston. We pray also – silently or aloud – for friends and family members who we carry in our hearts [PAUSE]. Lord, in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

God of all blessings, we give you thanks and pray for those celebrating birthdays with week: John Pryor, Margery Almas, Mary Ann Boorn, Susan Gonzalez, Lew Gould, Donna Hubbard and Vikki Slavik; and anniversaries: Ellie & John Harries, Jamie & Neil Smith. Lord in your mercy...

*People: **Hear our prayer.***

We remember those who have died, especially Valerie Sadd and Margery & Ken Chambers, who now enjoy the fullness of life with you. Give us confidence that as Jesus was raised, so we too will be raised, with all the saints, into your everlasting presence. Lord, in your mercy...

People: Hear our prayer.

Concluding Collect

The Confession

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Absolution

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Please share the peace of Christ with one another.

Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

Celebrant Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High. *Psalm 50:14*

Offertory

5:00 p.m.

Those Who Almighty Word

Evelyn de Chazal, *soloist*

9:30 a.m.

Oh, let the Son of God enfold you

Dotty Morrison, Doreen Bolhuis, Evelyn de Chazal, *soloists*

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

The Great Thanksgiving ~ Eucharistic Prayer 2 from *Enriching Our Worship*

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People ***And also with you.***

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People ***We lift them to the Lord.***

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People ***It is right to give God thanks and praise.***

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing.

You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we say/sing:

Sanctus

5:00 p.m. ***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.***

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

9:30 a.m.

Erik Entwistle

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might, Ho - ly, ho - ly,
ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might. Heav'n and earth are

full of your glo-ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est! Bles - sed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est!

(Stand, kneel, or sit as you feel comfortable)

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice. Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made. In the fullness of time bring us, with [] and all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

(All are welcome to receive Holy Communion.)

Gluten-free wafers available

At Communion

The peace of the earth

Taizé

The peace of the earth be with you, the peace of the heavens too;
the peace of the rivers be with you, the peace of the oceans too.

(1st time) Deep peace, deep peace falling over you.

(2nd time) God's peace, God's peace growing in you.

God to enfold you

Great is thy faithfulness

Prayer of Saint Francis

Make me a channel of Your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me bring Your love

Where there is injury, Your pardon Lord,

And where there's doubt, true faith in You.

Make me a channel of Your peace.

Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope.

And where there's darkness only light,

And where there's sadness ever joy.

Oh, Master, grant that I may never seek

So much to be consoled as to console,

To be understood as to understand,

To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of Your peace.

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,

In giving of ourselves that we receive,

And in dying that we're born to eternal life.

The Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 432

O praise ye the Lord!

Dismissal

Alleluia, Alleluia! Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Postlude

God be with you till we meet again

The flowers on the altar are given
in loving memory of
Elizabeth (Betty) Boyer Bullock
from her Family.

Notes and Reminders

Noah's Ark Thrift Shop Summer Hours: Tuesdays only in May, June and July 7 & 14. – 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Christmas in July is July 7th. Donations accepted until June 15. Closed: July 15th through September.

Leaving for the Summer: As you prepare to leave the Sanibel/Fort Myers area for the summer, please let Susan in the church office know, so that your mailing address can be updated. Safe travels and have a wonderful and safe summer.

Coming Up this Month				
Yoga Class	Every Thursday & Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Parish Hall	
Bible Study w/ the Rector	Every Thursday	10:00 a.m.	ZOOM	
Evening Prayer (Compline)	Every Thursday	6:00 p.m.	ZOOM	
Love Sanibel Back – Kick Off at the Sanibel Farmer's Market	Sun. May 31	9 a.m.-1 p.m.	City Hall Parking area	
Volunteer Day at EveryDay Café	Mon. June 1	9:00 a.m.	Comm. Co-op, FMY	
Digital Ministry	Thurs. June 4	1:00 p.m.	ZOOM	
Love Sanibel Back: Sunset Rooftop Happy Hour	Thurs. June 4	7:00 p.m.	Shalimar Resort	
Men's Fellowship (hybrid)	Tues. June 9	8:30 a.m.	Library / ZOOM	
Outreach Ministry (hybrid)	Thurs. June 11	1:00 p.m.	T. Madden Rm / ZOOM	

Serving this Weekend

	Sat. 5:00 p.m.	Sun. 9:30 a.m.
Eucharistic Ministers	Joanne Syversen	Barbara Manard Tom Addison
Lector	Paul Marshall	David Bath
Prayers of the People	Nancy Marshall	Paula MacIlwaine
Altar Guild	Brigitta Clumsky	Tina Colehower Betsy McCullough
Greeters / Ushers	Sally & Andy McGowan	Mollie & Parke Avery
Shuttle Bus	-	Tom Cleaver
Livestream Tech	-	Pat Norton
Social / Coffee Hour		



Scan the QR code to find out what's happening each week!



Be a part of this 10 week summer initiative that supports the people and places that make our island special; buy local, spread joy & give back. Each week, we'll share one simple way to love the island: eat a favorite local treat, thank a worker, support a local business or do a small act of kindness.

Pick your joy, complete it, and share it—because small joys add up to a strong Sanibel.

Week 1- May 31- June 6 Sunrises & Sunsets Week

- share your favorite sunrise/sunset photo on Facebook or Instagram and tag #lovesanibelback Random photos will be selected to receive gift cards.
- Sunday May 31 - Kick Off at Sanibel Farmer's Market 9am-1pm Stop by our table to pick up your LSB button, tote bag and sticker. Show your button at participating businesses May 31-August 9 to receive great discounts and free gifts!
- Thursday June 4 - Sunset Happy Hour- Shalimar- registration is closed, those who rsvp'd will receive an email w/final details

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The Rev. Bill Van Oss, Rector

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Tuesdays ~ 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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