

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Healing Service
3rd Sunday During Eucharist

Food Pantry Collection
1st Sunday

Stewardship
1st Monday, 7:30 pm

Health Ministries -
2nd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Investment Committee
2nd Monday of June, September & December

Finance Committee-
Friday before Vestry, 7:00pm

Vestry
3rd Wednesday, 7:30pm

Men's Guild
3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Women of Grace
3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm

Grace Church Choir
Wednesdays,
7:30pm - 9:00 pm

Communications
Last Tuesday ,6:30pm

Grace's Kitchen
Last five days of the month
11:30pm-1:00pm

PCO Board
Date and Time to be Determined

Staff Meeting
First Wednesday
10:30 am,

Worship Commission
1st Sunday, 12:30 pm

Youth Group
4th Sunday , 12:15 pm

Youth Choir Sings
4th Sunday , 10:30 am

THIS WEEK AT GRACE October 2-9, 2016

Please also check the website, display tables, and bulletin board for more information about

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2— TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION**

7:45 am	Holy Eucharist Rite 1, <i>All Saints' Chapel</i>
9:30 am - 10:15 am	Adult Forum, <i>Grace Lounge</i>
10:00 am	Lighthouse Chapel International, <i>All Saints Chapel</i>
10:30 am	Choral Holy Eucharist , Rite II, <i>Church</i>
12:30 pm	Worship Commission, Rector's Office
4:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Friendship World Outreach, <i>All Saints Chapel & Lounge</i>

Monday, October 3

7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	<i>Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm</i> AA, <i>Knickle Hall</i>
7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	ESL Classes
7:30 pm	Stewardship, <i>Grace Meeting Room</i>

Tuesday, October 4

	<i>Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm</i>
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Wednesday, October 5

11:30 am-1:00 pm	<i>Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm</i> <i>Grace's Kitchen, Knickle Hall</i>
12:00 Noon	No Eucharist with Service of Healing, <i>All Saints Chapel</i>

7:30 pm - 9:00	ESL Classes
7:30 pm	Grace Choir, <i>Grace Choir Room</i>

Thursday, October 6

	<i>Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm</i>
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Friday, October 7

7:30 pm	<i>Parish Office Closed</i> No Bible Study, <i>Grace Lounge</i>
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Saturday, October 8

	<i>Parish Office Closed</i>
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9 — TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

7:45 am	Holy Eucharist Rite 1, <i>All Saints' Chapel</i>
9:30 am - 10:15 am	Adult Forum, <i>Grace Lounge</i>
10:00 am	Lighthouse Chapel International, <i>All Saints Chapel</i>
10:30 am	Choral Holy Eucharist , Rite II, <i>Church</i>
12:15 pm	Health Ministries, <i>Grace Lounge</i>
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Grace Youth Choir, <i>Church</i>
4:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Friendship World Outreach, <i>All Saints Chapel & Lounge</i>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE TAKE HOME THIS BULLETIN SINCE IT HAS SOME IMPORTANT DATES AND FLYERS.

- **OCTOBER IS STEWARDSHIP MONTH. PLEASE CONSIDER WHAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO PLEDGE TO GOD FOR GRACE EPISCOPAL IN 2017**
- **OCTOBER 23 @4 PM: GRACE CHOIR PRESENTS EVENSONG SERVICE**
- **Youth choir rehearsals start on 10/9 following the 10:30am service, and that the youth sings at the 4th Sunday of month at the 10:30am service.**
- **Coffee Hour Volunteers. The Women of Grace needs volunteers to host Coffee Hour after the 10:30 a.m. Sunday service. Being a Coffee Hour host is a good way to meet other people at Grace as well as helping to enhance fellowship at Grace. If you are interested in volunteering as a host, please contact Brenda Loncke, chair of the Hospitality Committee and vice president of The Women of Grace; brenda.loncke@hlag.com or Karen Moore at kfomoore@comcast.net), president of The Women of Grace.**
- **Prayer List**
If you would like the name of a family member or friend to be included in the Prayers of the People, please send the name to the Parish Administrative Office.

Next Sunday's Readings Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

1st Lesson: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

Response Psalm 111

2nd Lesson 2 Timothy 2:8-15


Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

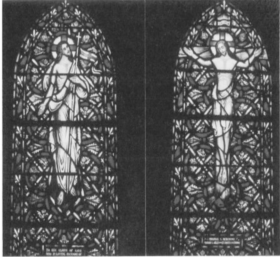
Grace Church Financial Results Summary August Year To date			
DESCRIPTION	Actual	Budget	B / (W) * Budget
Pledges	55,898	64,523	(8,625)
Other Member Giving	18,729	19,259	(530)
Investment/Trust Income	17,874	18,037	(163)
Other Income	22,170	16,192	5,978
Total Income	114,671	118,011	(3,340)
Total Expenses	177,735	190,708	12,973
Endowment Transfers	50,000	-	50,000
Net Income (Loss)	(13,064)	(72,697)	59,632

*** Legend:**
B - Better than budget
(W) - Worse than budget

Note: The above statistics will be updated monthly after the approval of the vestry.

THE
HOLY
EUCHARIST





WITH
THE SERVICE
OF HEALING

12:00 NOON WEDNESDAYS
IN ALL SAINTS CHAPEL

For prayers and counseling, please call Fr. Gideon A. Uzomechina at 908-756-1520

CROP Supporters,

The 44th annual Plainfield/North Plainfield Crop Hunger Walk will be held this year on Sunday, October 23. The walk will begin at 12:45 p.m. at the Watchung Ave. Presbyterian Church, 170 Watchung Ave. North Plainfield. We hope some people from your church will join in to support the hungry and less fortunate in Plainfield/North Plainfield, America and the world.

CROP materials may be picked up by a representative on Tuesday, 27th, Wednesday, 28th and Thursday, 29th between the hours of 10-3 p.m. at the Watchung Ave. Presbyterian Church (call first, 908-755-2781). If materials are not picked up we will deliver them to your church the following week.

Remember that all monies earned by walkers is sent directly to CROP. 25% of this is sent back to local hunger fighting agencies (Fish & Starfish) Refreshments, tee shirts etc. are donations. As usual anyone earning \$100 plus will be given a tee shirt and the top five fundraisers will be given the choice of a sweatshirt or two tee shirts.

Any questions please call WAPC or Tom Ledder, 908-232-2119 or Al Smith, 908-756-0738.

Hopes and prayers for a successful 2016 walk !!!

Dear Friend in Christ,

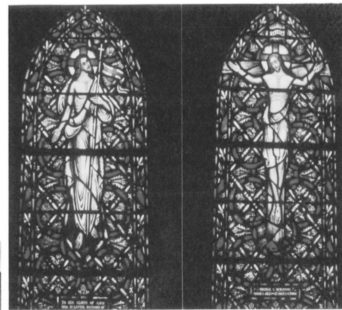
I've personally visited areas affected by the disasters below, and I can tell you that a little compassion goes such a long way toward helping our brothers and sisters worldwide in their time of need.

So please—if you can—make a gift to our Disaster Fund today, during National Disaster Preparedness Month.

Thank you so much,

Robert W. Radtke
President
Episcopal Relief & Development

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BIBLE STUDY AT GRACE
Every member of the Church
IS A MINISTER



Fridays

7:30 pm

In the Grace Lounge

Grace Choir presents
A Service of Evensong
Featuring
Music by Bach, Ireland, Mendelssohn & Others
October 23, 2016 at 4pm

A black and white photograph of a choir performing, with the text overlaid on the image.

CONFIRMATION CLASS 2017

All those who are interested in being confirmed this year are asked to complete the form found in bulletin or Information tables to Fr. Gideon or the Parish Administrator.

What is Confirmation?

Confirmation is the rite in which we express a mature commitment to Christ, and receive strength from the Holy Spirit through prayer and the laying on of hands by a bishop.

What is required of those to be confirmed?

It is required of those to be confirmed that they have been baptized, are sufficiently instructed in the Christian Faith, are penitent for their sins, and are ready to affirm their confession of Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

email address: _____

Parent/s, Guardian, Grandparent/s Full Name: _____

email address: _____

Date of Birth _____ Date of Baptism _____

Name of Church Baptized _____

Address _____

email address: _____

Grade _____ School _____



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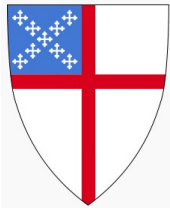
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CLERGY AND STAFF



The Venerable Gideon A. Uzomechina, D.Min., *Priest-in-Charge*

The Reverend Theodore F. Moore, *Deacon*

Andrew Kennedy, *Director of Music & Organist*

John Taitt, *Treasurer*

Noel Taitt, *Assistant Treasurer*

Vince Chiumento, *Parish Office Administrator*

Karen Moore, *Board President, Plainfield Community Outreach, Inc.*

Patience Smith, *Project Director, 21st Century After School Program*

David Holmes (Chef D), *Grace's Kitchen Coordinator*

WARDENS Trevor King (2016) Lawrence Ishmael (2017)

VESTRY

Jason Algeo (2017), Clerk

Dennis Bazzey (2018)

Selma Cato (2016)

Anita Griffith (2016)

Brenda Loncke (2018)

Timothy Mann (2017)

Winsley Rudder (2018)

Carol Taitt (2017)

Harry Watson (2016)

DIOCESAN CONVENTION DEPUTIES 2016

Victoria Blenman

Timothy Mann

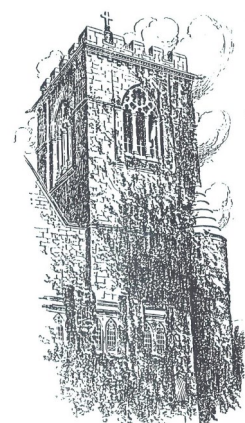
Harry Watson

ALTERNATE DEPUTIES 2016

Anita Griffith

Carol Taitt

John Taitt



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