



# The Gryphon's Roar



## November, 2011



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**“We at St. Mark’s are on a journey seeking God in you,  
 ourselves, and all creation”**



### Weekly Schedule

Sundays	8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist
	9:15 AM	Sunday school
	10:30 AM	Holy Eucharist
	5:00 PM	AA Meeting
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	9:00 AM	Breakfast – Sept. – May
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Fridays	8:00 PM	AA Meeting



The Rt. Rev. John Bauerschmidt	Bishop of Tennessee
The Reverend Battle Beasley	Rector
The Reverend Felicity Peck	Deacon
Frank Brannon, M. Div.	Pastoral Care Coordinator
Ron Balcarras	Senior Warden
George Noren	Junior Warden
Charles Cross & Les Worsley	Treasurers

Next month deadline for submissions is Sunday, November 20, 2011  
**Gryphon submissions to: [submitgryphon@aol.com](mailto:submitgryphon@aol.com)**

### **St. Mark's Vestry:**

Sampson Udeh, Don McEwen, George Noren,	(2013)
David Winters, Eileen Cardwell, Ron Balcarras	(2012)
Cyndy Fahnestock, Kate Pilcher, Dawn Russ	(2011)



**Father Battle's sermons are now available on the St. Mark's web site.**

Dear People of God,

We are blest at St. Mark's by so many people who volunteer their time, talent, and treasure to support so much of our ministry. Most of you do work that I'm ashamed to say never or rarely gets acknowledged. All the folks who provide for our coffee hour, each and every week we leave the service and are greeted in Reynold's Hall with food that encourages our conversations. Visitors comment on how welcoming we are and one reason is the hospitality that gift to us all encourages us to stay and share our lives with others. The folks on the altar guild, who set up before the service, make sure the readings are marked and then who clean up afterwards. They make sure all is prepared for our celebration of the Eucharist. The choir and our musicians prepare music for us each week and lead us in our praise and worship. The lay readers, acolytes, and chalice bearers who support our worship. Those who mow the grass all summer and who weed-eat around the building and the Labyrinth. Our Christian Education teachers and those who support them with their presence. All who bring food for 2nd Harvest. The Daughters of the King who pray for us all on a daily basis, who provide breakfast for us every other month on the 2nd Sunday and who support other ministries within the church. Those who work with Sandy Winters to offer and provide flowers for the altar. Members of our committees, those who serve on the vestry. Those who bring food or are inn keepers for Room In The Inn during the winter months. We are blest indeed. So much goes on that I so often take for granted. And in taking all this ministry for granted I too often don't challenge myself to do more either in supporting those working or making a renewed effort myself to participate more actively. So I put it to you, have you brought your child to Christian Education time lately, have you come yourself? Have you offered the coffee host or hostess help cleaning up? Have you thanked those who participate in the service for their reading, acolyting, singing, playing, and serving? Have you offered to help transport the food or work at 2nd Harvest? Have you invited someone to Church to share in God's Blessings, to join in the joy of Kingdom making? Today is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.

God's Peace, Battle +

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The Gryphon is St. Mark's Newsletter and as such welcomes articles and suggestions from ALL parishioners. This is your venue for expressing thoughts you would like to share, important events in your families' lives, and suggestions you might have to make our parish life better. Please do not hesitate to use it.

Lorna

## **Calendar**

Nov 6	Daylight Saving Time ends
Nov 12	Ecuador Project Focus Dinner, 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm, Reynolds Hall
Nov 13	Second Sunday for Second Harvest
Nov 13	Second Sunday Breakfast hosted by the DOK
Nov 19	Prayers and Walking the Labyrinth with Father Battle – 3:00 p.m.
Nov 27	First Sunday of Advent
Dec 4	Annual Parish Meeting
Dec 10	Prayers and Walking the Labyrinth with Father Battle – 3:00 p.m.
Dec 11	Second Sunday for Second Harvest
Dec 18	Greening the Church in preparation for Christmas
Dec 24	Christmas Eve Services at 4:00 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.
Dec 25	Christmas Day one service at 10:30 a.m.

## **Vestry person responsible for Sunday lock up:**

11/6/11 – Ron Balcarras  
11/13/11 – David Winters  
11/20/11 – Sampson Udeh  
11/27/11 – Eileen Cardwell  
12/4/11 – Don McEwen  
12/11/11 – George Noren

## **Food for Thought**

Jehovah...Linguistic confusion gave us this name and will take quite a bit of explaining, so here goes.

The sacred name of God was so holy to the Jews that it was not to be pronounced. It consisted of four consonants (YHWH), and was pronounced something like Adonai, which the Jews knew. Hebrew, being a Semitic language, did not write vowels, only consonants. At some point in the Christian era after vowels came into use, the vowels for Adonai were added to the name YHWH to let the reader know that the name YHWH was to be pronounced Adonai. When Bible translations began to be made in Europe, in Latin of course, there being no Y and W in Latin, J and V were substituted, the name turned around (Hebrew is read from right to left), and we got the name Jehovah. The translators didn't know Hebrew well enough to know that they were manufacturing a word that was not meant to be, what one scholar calls a grammatical aberration. Should you run across the word "tetragrammation". Greek for "four letters" and is the term used by some biblical scholars to refer to the letters YHWH.

This is a bare bones outline of an interesting linguistic case.

Jesus...The English translation of the Greek Iesous, which translates late Hebrew Yeshua, which translates earlier Hebrew Yehoshua. The name means something like "God is salvation", or "God saves", or similar readings. Christ is not Jesus' last name...it is Greek for "the anointed one" and Messiah is a translation of Hebrew Mashiah which means the same thing.

# CELEBRATE

## November Birthdays

Pam Carr-Brannon	3
Amy Harwell	5
Arwen Wagers	5
Susan Hammontree	8
Marty O'Reilly	10
I.J. Udeh	11
Bob ClenDening	15
Kate Pilcher	16
Sherry Walker	17
Kevin Curtis	20
Mike Rice	21
Dawn Russ	25
Lillian Russ	25
Les Worsley	26
Don McEwen	28
Judy Pelters	29



## November Anniversaries

David & Mary Gentili	18, 2005
Sandy & David Winters	27, 1976
Suzie & Jack Dobbs	28, 2009
George & Iva Kurz	28, 1984
Dan Ashmead & Candy Burger	30, 1985

## Baptism

On October 16<sup>th</sup>, we welcomed Annabelle Grace Ditinno into the Household of God through Holy Baptism. Annabelle is the daughter of Keith and Heather Ditinno.

## Congratulations

When Bishop Bauerschmidt visited St. Mark's on October 16<sup>th</sup>, Susan Hammontree and Terri McNeill were confirmed; Stephanie Abbott, Paul Pelters, Judy Pelters, and Andrea Young were received from the Roman Catholic Church; and Kevin McLemore reaffirmed her vows. Congratulations to all!

## PEANUT BUTTER!!!!

2nd Harvest is asking St. Mark's to provide peanut butter for the pantry. Let's see if we can fill up the barrel before 2nd Sunday for 2nd harvest with peanut butter, plastic containers please. Thanks.

## Spiritual Formation Committee



The Spiritual Formation Liturgical Committee focuses on all aspects of Christian Education for children and adults, including space, speakers, subject matter, special and seasonal events.

Have you seen our new Calendar fund raiser yet - those wonderful calendars from Chick-fil-a with the cows that make 2012 months start your year off with a smile? Our Youth programs are raising money for an Angel Tree and the calendars are \$6 each. Watch for the sales table and contact Judy Pelters or Andrea Young for more information.

Please reach out to members of the Spiritual Formation Committee if you have any ideas, questions or if you would like to part of this committee.

Vestry Members: Cyndy Fahnestock, Sampson Udeh, and Eileen Cardwell  
Committee Members: Elizabeth Powers, Donna Floyd, Harrison Iwueke

## Congregational Life Committee



The Congregational Life Committee is responsible for the care of members and outreach to visitors. It is the goal of this committee to encourage fellowship and interaction among members and enhance our congregation's life.

Thanks to everyone for filling in the Time and Talent form and sharing your Congregational Passion for all the opportunities to "pay it forward" at St. Marks.

On November 12<sup>th</sup> the Ecuador Committee will be hosting a Spaghetti Dinner for all Parish Members in Reynolds Hall – 6:00 pm until 7:30 pm. This fundraiser dinner will feature a focus on the current needs of support for our Companion Church Santiago Apostle.

Calling all Men at St. Mark's! We are looking to start a chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Reach out to George Noren for any questions – we hope to have this new chapter up and running to start 2012 off with a "bang".

Thanks to all who made the first Movie night a wonderful family success - "The Princess Bride" was a hit! More Movie nights to come!

Please reach out to members of the Congregational Life Committee if you have any ideas, questions or if you would like to part of this committee.

Vestry Members: Don McEwen, George Noren, Ron Balcarras  
Committee Members: Frank Brannon, Violet Mashingaidze and Kevin Curtis.

## Parish Administration



Parish Administration encompasses three areas of interest: Building & Grounds, Communication, and Finance.

Thank you to all who attended our fall work day Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> – your support for days like that help to keep our Church infrastructure up and running – more work days to follow.

As our Stewardship Pledge month comes to end – please don't forget to hand in your Pledge card. It is never too late to hand one in and your Pledge helps us to begin our 2012 budget planning.

Please reach out to members of the Parish Administration Committee if you have any ideas, questions or if you would like to part of this committee.

Vestry Members: David Winters, Kate Pilcher, Dawn Russ  
Committee Members: John Seufert

## To the women of St. Mark's Episcopal Church:

Dear Sisters in Christ,

The St. Mark's Chapter of the Daughters of the King invites you to come meet with us and learn about the Order to see if becoming a Daughter will be part of your spiritual journey. We will meet in Reynolds Hall on Sunday, December 4th after the 10:30 service. We will share with you what it means to be a Daughter and our own personal experiences. If you can join us, please let us know by calling or emailing Marty O'Reilly (361-9962 [martyoreilly@bellsouth.net](mailto:martyoreilly@bellsouth.net))

In the meantime, if you have questions or would like to talk about the Daughters of the King, please feel free to call or email. (The following is not a complete list of the Daughters)

Peace and Love for His sake, St. Mark's Daughters of the King

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444-7823



## Annual Meeting

Sunday, December 4th we will have our annual meeting. We will need to elect 3 members to the vestry. The requirements for being on the vestry are 3: you must be a confirmed member of St. Mark's, at least 18 years old, you must be a giver of record; that is, you must have made a pledge to St. Mark's, and you must be a member in good standing; that is, you must have been attending church regularly in the past year. Members of the vestry are responsible for the financial matters concerning the church. They are expected to be leaders in the mission and ministry of the church. They must make a commitment to attend the vestry retreat in January, attend the Diocesan training on protecting our children against sexual misconduct, and attend each month's vestry meeting. Vestry members may have excused absences for no more than 3 meetings, if a vestry member must miss more than 3 they are required to resign from the Vestry. St. Mark's has gone through some major changes in the past years and we are facing great challenges in the coming year. Please consider carefully about taking on this responsibility. Look around the congregation, if you or someone you know would be a good leader, committed to growing our ministries fulfilling our mission, please talk to a member of the vestry or Father Battle about nominating that person for the vestry.

## **Native American Coat Drive**

St. Mark's, you've done it again! You've performed way above and beyond any reasonable expectations! You contributed 251 pieces of warm weather clothing: 107 coats and 144 items such as sweaters, sweatshirts & pants, scarves, mittens and socks! Eleven boxes were sent via US Postal Service on Monday, October 10 to the Native Americans living (existing?) on the Crow Creek, Lower Brule, Pine Ridge and Rosebud Reservations in South Dakota. In addition to the warm clothes, you contributed \$450.00!

You are the BEST! Thank you.



## **Our Christian Treasure Chest**

Our Book of Common Prayer is a treasure chest of Information, spiritual guidance and inspiration.

It is a very rewarding experience to take a little time to discuss the wonderful and beautiful prayers that are in our Book of Common Prayer. A great deal of thought, time and theological effort was put into the creation of our prayers. It is important to think about the meaning of the words that we are speaking to God. As we repeat our prayers with a sincere attitude, it is not odd that our minds may wander because we are very familiar with the format and the words.

It is most rewarding to study the meaning of the words of our prayers and consider the commitment we are making to God. A meaningful study of our prayers is a great inspiration to our faith.

Our format is as follows:

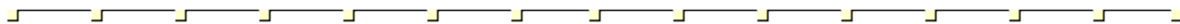
We meet at 9:15 a.m. in the Nursery after the 8:00 Holy Communion Service.

Copies of prayers are provided. The group chooses the prayer that we would like to discuss. We read the prayer.

We have an open discussion as to the meaning and personal reaction of the individual participants. Some very interesting comments and thoughts have come out of these discussions.

Everyone is invited to join in this experience.

Ruffner Simmons



## **Ecuador – 2012 Kick-Off Dinner on 12 November – You Are Invited!**

The Ecuador Committee at St. Mark's invites you to join us for dinner on Saturday, 12 November 2011 at 6:00 through 7:30 pm in Reynold's Hall at the church. This dinner will include a slide presentation about recent developments at our Companion Church, Santiago Apostle in La Pila, Ecuador, highlights from two trips this summer, and comments from St. Mark's members about changes in their lives resulting from their Ecuador travels. In particular, we will present information on two proposals for church sponsored projects in 2012, for action by us as individuals and as a congregation for continuing our relationship with our Companion Church Santiago Apostle. We feel it is important to begin this process by getting approval and support from every level in our church. We have discussed this with the Vestry and are now reaching out to all of you in the congregation.

We propose the following:

- St. Mark's congregation provide full financial support so that The Rev. Mariana Loor (priest of Santiago Apostle) can attend the General Convention of the Episcopal Church USA (5-12 July 2012 – Indianapolis, IN) as an elected Deputy from the Diocese of Litoral, and visit with us in Nashville for a week following the Convention. Estimated cost ~ **\$2,800**.
- St. Mark's congregation to adopt a project for the summer of 2012 to co-sponsor (with Church of the Good Shepherd – Brentwood) a 2-day medical clinic at Santiago Apostle in La Pila. The estimated costs for medical supplies may be in the range of **\$1,500**. More important will be participation by people this winter and spring in planning, collecting supplies, fund raising to support this project. The general time frame is 3 June – 14 June 2012 for the visit.

**Purpose.** Many parts of our purpose are explained in the mission statement of the Companion Diocese Committee: *“Walking together, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit, our mission is to build up the Body of Christ through direct involvement, cross-cultural understanding, and shared ministry and resources, which results in the transformation of lives.”* The St. Mark's committee does not have a separate mission statement, but the ideas we have discussed and the orientation of the members appear to support the ideas within this formal statement. In particular, we feel that much of the “transformation of lives” has occurred with people in our own congregation, and our proposal is founded on the idea that this is good and should continue.

**Strategy.** Develop a broad base of support within the congregation so that the people will support these projects with time, money and participation. The dinner is designed to bring people together to get information about our Companion Church and to hear and get excited about the proposals for next year. This step is critical. Our committee has discussed the fact that there are many new people in the church since the last time that Rev. Mariana visited us. Also, we have many people from a variety of other countries at St. Marks. We feel that having Mariana visit us may help energize our program for future years. However, for this year, we need to focus on communicating and educating most of the congregation about our Companion Church and the relationships that have been developed with people in Ecuador. We need to communicate that this has provided common ground in previous years for many people in our congregation to work together – regardless of background or other interests in the church. In summary, our main goals are:

1. Communicate & educate (what are we doing and why – especially: why this is important for our church)
2. Stimulate and encourage interest among people to personally visit Santiago Apostle – especially among new members and members from other countries. If we achieve this, then they will bring their own story back to St. Marks and that will stimulate further interest and support.
3. Provide opportunities for people in the congregation who cannot or do not wish to travel – to still participate in ways that will enhance their lives and experience at St. Marks.
4. Use this as an opportunity to raise some of the initial money for the projects. We ask that people make donations of \$5 per person, \$10 per family for the dinner, and to make larger donations to support these projects.

**Visit by The Rev. Mariana Loor.** During our visit in June 2011, Rev. Mariana said that she was elected as a delegate to the General Convention. The Diocese of Litoral has no resources to pay for any costs associated with that convention, and she certainly cannot afford this. Since the convention is in Indianapolis, it seems like a wonderful opportunity for her to visit Tennessee. People have enjoyed having her and hearing about her experiences as a priest in Ecuador. The General Convention runs from 5-12 July 2012. The costs are roughly:

Travel – GYE to IND to BNA to GYE	<b>\$1,300</b>
Hotel - Indianapolis	<b>\$840</b>
Food	<b>\$240</b>
Registration	<b>\$420</b>
TOTAL	<b>\$2,800</b>

Stephanie and Victor Abbott (both fluent in Spanish) proposed that they would like to have her stay with them during a visit. In August, Mariana told me that Bishop Morante was willing to allow her an extra week for a visit here if we could arrange and fund this.

**Medical Clinic at Santiago Apostle.** There have been major changes in the overall situation in Ecuador and in La Pila which have affected ways that we have conducted our relationship in past years with our Companion Church. At the national level, the government has taken a much more active role in schools. There are many small effects. However, the net result is that most or all of the small church schools run by the Diocese of Litoral (in many cases with assistance or support from churches in Tennessee) are closed. In La Pila, the congregation received a grant from the government and the entire church building has been rebuilt and is in very good condition. Support from St. Marks has focused on building and school improvements and school operations. Now, those programs or projects have been superseded.

In June we discussed various ideas with the local vestry and the consensus was that they would like to have us conduct a medical clinic. Some of us have worked on these projects in the past and the planning is tough in the beginning. However, we have an interesting and unique companionship relationship with Episcopal churches in our own diocese: COGS (Church of the Good Shepherd), and St. Joseph of Arimathea. COGS has conducted progressively more elaborate medical clinics at their Companion Church in Manta – which is about 30 minutes from La Pila. People from St. Marks and SJA have worked on a cooperative basis with them. Tentatively, we have discussed an expanded joint effort with COGS in Manta, with the idea of reciprocity for Santiago Apostle for our trip in 2012. For St. Marks, this would involve people participating as helpers and interpreters, and raising money for medical supplies and local doctors and nurses, and possibly collection of some medications for transport from Tennessee. There are at least three people with interpretation skills who have expressed interest in traveling: Alexandra Chipe, Stephanie Abbott and Victor Abbott. Additionally, Holly Granger has a relative with medical skills.

Please join us for dinner on the 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 and share in our excitement for planning in 2012!



## **Like Celtic Music?**

If you do, you will really enjoy these performances.

### **NOVEMBER**

Fri - Nov 11th at Kimbro's Pickin' Parlor with The Secret Commonwealth 8PM \$3

Sun Nov 13th --- The Honest Pint, Chattanooga, TN with The Secret Commonwealth 7PM

<http://thehonestpint.com> 35 Patten Parkway Chattanooga, TN 37402

Sat Nov 19th - with JonesWorld at the Rutledge in Nashville. 8PM 410 4th Ave S , Nashville, TN

<http://www.reverbnation.com/jonesworld>

### **DECEMBER**

Wed Dec 14th with the Celts -- "a Celtic Christmas at the Ryman"

<http://www.ryman.com/event/detail/celticchristmas.html>

Sun Dec 18th --- The Honest Pint, Chattanooga, TN with The Secret Commonwealth 7PM

### **Various things to drop in on:**

Sundays: Nashville Blues Society Open Blues Jam at Carol Ann's Homecooking Café 6:00-10-PMish  
FREE, but you can buy some great food! <http://www.carol-cafe.com/>

<http://www.nashvillebluessociety.org> 407 Murfreesboro Road Nashville, TN 37210

Usually the 3rd Monday of the month: Nashville Ukelele Society 6-7:30-ish PM at Fanny's House of  
Music 1101 Holly Street Nashville, Tennessee 37206 <http://nashukes.blogspot.com/>

Every other Wednesday of the month: Irish Session at The Fiddle House 7PM

<http://www.thefiddlehouse.com/events/irish-session> 1009 Clearview Ave Nashville TN 37206

2nd and 4th Tuesdays: Irish Session at McNamara's Irish Pub 7-10PM 2740 Old Lebanon Road  
Nashville, TN 37214 <http://www.mcnamarasirishpub.com/>

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## **Come and enjoy Adult Sunday School!**

At 9:15 we have two classes going on.

"The Words We Pray" is a discussion group lead by Ruffner Simmons that ventures into prayer and takes delightful side trips into other Christian interests and concerns. Come and think out loud.

The Spiritual formation class led by Frank Brannon is now doing the lectionary listing for the Psalms and will start reading The Shack on October 23. Join them as they study and apply God's Word.

If you have any suggestions for topics, studies, or a book, for an adult class, please let Cyndy Fahnestock know ([cfahnest@gmail.com](mailto:cfahnest@gmail.com)). Some subjects that have been mentioned were marriage and family and understanding finances.

For the youth of St. Mark's there is a class led by youth leader, Andrea Young.



# November

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Brain Club 11:00 – 2:00  Choir 7:00 PM	<b>3</b> Arwen's Renaissance Dance Class	<b>4</b>  AA Meeting 8:00 PM	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b> PENTECOST XXI  AA Meeting 5:00 PM	<b>7</b> DOK 6:30 PM	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Choir 7:00 PM	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> AA Meeting 8:00 PM	<b>12</b> Ecuador Dinner 6:00 PM
<b>13</b> PENTECOST XXII 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday DOK Breakfast AA Meeting 5:00 PM	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Brain Club 11:00 – 2:00  Choir 7:00 PM	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> AA Meeting 8:00 PM	<b>19</b> Walk the Labyrinth with Father Battle 3:00 PM
<b>20</b> LAST PENTECOST  AA Meeting 5:00 PM	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Choir 7:00 PM	<b>24</b> THANKSGIVING	<b>25</b> AA Meeting 8:00 PM	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b> ADVENT I  AA Meeting 5:00 PM	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Choir 7:00 PM			

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## NOVEMBER 2011 LAY MINISTERS' SCHEDULE

Please watch for your name each month. If you are unable to serve on the assigned date, please arrange a swap with someone else listed for that month, and let Les Worsley (361-6005) know the name of the person with whom you swapped. If that isn't possible, please call Les or the Rector (361-4100) **in advance**. Nursery Workers, please call Lynn Poehl (367-1330). We want to avoid last minute substitutions.

A SUGGESTION: Place this schedule on your refrigerator door and highlight your name as a reminder when it is your turn to serve.

**ALTAR GUILD** - Candy Burger and Pat Worsley

	November 6	November 13	November 20	November 27
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>				
CB	D. Parsons	J. Seufert	C. Burger	D. McEwen
R	C. Burger	G. Leverett	S. Lindsey	M. O'Reilly
A	D. McEwen	B. Meyer	S. Rice	J. Seufert
U	S. Stewart	H. Stewart	D. Parsons	S. Stewart
<b>10:30 a.m.</b>				
CB	S. McEwen / V. Mashingaidze	H. Okoe / J. Parris	L. Worsley / B. ClenDening	D. Floyd / E. Gilliam
R	J. Parris / C. Robnett	I.J. Udeh / D. Winters	E. Gilliam / D. Floyd	C. Hardison / P. Carr-Brannon
A	L. Worsley / L. Russ	B. ClenDening / C. Udeh	G. Russ / V. Mashingaidze	L. Worsley / L. Russ
U	S. Udeh / P. Carr-Brannon	E. Gilliam / P. Hall	I. Kurz / S. McEwen	V. Mashingaidze / C. Robnett
OB	B. ClenDening	D. Floyd	E. Gilliam	P. Hall
CH	P. Hall / S. Hammontree	V. Mashingaidze / D. Russ	C. Campbell / M.A. Campbell	S. Winters / P. Carr-Brannon
NW	L. Poehl / L. Worsley-Hynd	L. Poehl / K. Tantis	L. Poehl / G. Maxwell	L. Poehl / J. Parris
GR	S. Udeh	P. Carr-Brannon	G. Kurz	B. ClenDening

## DECEMBER 2011 LAY MINISTERS' SCHEDULE

**ALTAR GUILD** — Judy Robnett and Karen Seufert

	December 4	December 11	December 18	December 25
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>				
CB	D. Parsons	J. Seufert	C. Burger	No 8:00 a.m. Service. One Service only at 10:30 a.m.
R	L. Poehl	D. Parsons	M. Rice	
A	D. McEwen	B. Meyer	S. Rice	
U	H. Stewart	S. Stewart	D. Parsons	
<b>10:30 a.m.</b>				
CB	C. Hardison / V. Mashingaidze	S. McEwen / H. Okoe	J. Parris / L. Worsley	B. ClenDening / D. Floyd
R	G. Kurz / S. McEwen	V. Mashingaidze / G. Noren	Greg Noren / L. Noren	H. Okoe / C. Ogubie
A	B. ClenDening / C. Udeh	D. Floyd / L. Russ	G. Russ / V. Mashingaidze	L. Worsley / C. Udeh
U	S. Udeh / P. Carr-Brannon	M. Tantis / E. Gilliam	B. ClenDening / I. Kurz	P. Hall / V. Mashingaidze
OB	S. McEwen	V. Mashingaidze	S. Udeh	P. Worsley
CH	J. Dunlap / E. Gilliam	P. Hall / S. Hammontree	H. Granger / K. Pilcher	V. Mashingaidze / D. Russ
NW	L. Poehl / K. Tantis	L. Poehl / L. Worsley-Hynd	L. Poehl / G. Maxwell	L. Poehl / J. Parris
GR	I. Kurz	S. Udeh	P. Carr-Brannon	G. Kurz

**KEY:**

**CB:** Chalice Bearer. First name reads the Prayers of the People. Second name leads the Psalm.

**R:** Reader     **U:** Usher

**A:** Acolytes. First name is the Server and the second name is the Crucifer.

**OB:** Oblation Bearer. Takes Bread and Wine to the Altar during the Offertory.

**CH:** Coffee Host. Makes coffee, provides refreshments for coffee hour, and tidies the kitchen after coffee hour.

**NW:** Nursery Workers     **GR:** Welcoming Team Greeters



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