

The Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost
October 12, 2025

10:00 AM – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Before the service, speak to the Lord. (BCP Page 833)
During the service, let the Lord speak to you. After the service, speak to one another.

The Word of God

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The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God by Bea and Heath Gates in thanksgiving for Gini Distanislao and all she does for our family.

We welcome all family and friends and invite you to join us in Denny Hall after the service for a time of fellowship.

- OFFICIANT – The Rev. Gini DiStanislao
- LAY READERS – Hank Schepker & Barbara Prillaman
- ACOLYTE – Kate Hott
- ALTAR GUILD – Diane Mahoney, Pat DuPont, Tricia & Gunnar Kohlbeck, Pat Rock
- GREETER – Valerie Riviere
- CHOIR DIRECTOR/ORGANIST – Rita Busse Gulliksen
- TELLER – John Kochensparger
- COFFEE HOUR – in Denny Hall
- NURSERY – Jenny Karluk
- USHER – Scott Eckmann
- VIDEO STREAMING TEAM – Gunnar Kohlbeck, Katie Harrison, Brent Deekens

When you pray, please remember the following church members:
Susan Seaver, Sue Parsons, Nancy Dawson, Janet Showalter, Lucy & John Goode, Wally Groom, Jay Fiedler, Larry Rock, Les Fillgrove, Annette Sherman, Nancy & Connie Aasen, Kathleen Willey, Angela Park, John Mills, Lou Suthard, Bill Moore, Ronnie Rice, Janet Darby, Pat & Rhett DuPont, Betsy Manson and Trey Harrington.

When you pray, please remember the following family & friends:

Graham Lighthiser, Grady Hebert, Dennis McArdle, Katie McFadden, Scott Kirby, Carol Perenzin, Dawn McAnanaey, Jan, Barbara Akers, Barry Akers, Brent Hodges, Ed Mulreany, Karl Grotos, Christy Darlington, Brian, Connie Rosenbaum, Barbara Anderson, Ann Smith, Laura, Chip, Mary Ann Harlan, Wesley Ball, Lou Roeder, Dave Woods, George Holmes, Telly Noble, Wyatt Nickle, John DiFiglo, Doug Barnes, Rita Gilpin, Connie Smiley, Dee Dee Mitchell, Timmy Akers, Aaron Spicer, Chip Isbell, Glenn Webster, Martey Longmire, Caren Fields, Kim McFadden, Bob McCall, Bill Jines, Joelle Cosby, Paul Bubenshik, Sandra Barkey, Melissa Esmee Fields, Thomas Murrell, Dennis & Blair Nickle, Penny & Jeff Strack, Suzanne Silek, Robert Keep, RJ Redstrom, Ron Hodges, Elaine Jones, Jim Dawson, Terry Royal and Dale Custer.

Happy Birthday to the following:

Alice Clark	10/12	Avery Horgan	10/17
Coleman Brydon	10/14	Jenny Karluk	10/17
Liam Harris	10/16	Hank Schepker	10/17
Jeff Rakes	10/16		

Happy Anniversary to the following:

Bea & Heath Gates	10/15
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Announcements

- ❖ **Sunday Morning Children’s Time at 9:45 AM:** The children will meet in Denny Hall.
- ❖ The church office will be closed **Monday, October 13**. If you have a pastoral emergency, please contact Gini+.
- ❖ **Women’s Bible Study** will meet **Tuesday, October 7, at 9:30 AM**. Join Zoom meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/97704697365?pwd=TkhIMUtQbXhVMS9TeHVQazl5L0piZz09;> Meeting ID: 977 0469 7365; Password: 371567.
- ❖ **Men’s Bible Study: Wednesday, October 8, at 9:15 AM:** Please join us for coffee, doughnuts and lively conversation. Each week we will look at the lectionary readings for the following Sunday. This study will be for all levels of learners. We hope that you will join us.
- ❖ **Ladies Lunch Out: Tuesday, October 14, at 11:30 AM** at Latitudes, 14440 Hull Street Rd, Chesterfield. Please contact Beverly Whitley at 804-499-0886 if you plan to attend.
- ❖ **Book Club:** The next meeting of the Manakin Book Club is on **Tuesday, October 14, at 5 PM** in the church parlor to discuss Jo Jo Moyes's novel Someone Else's Shoes, "a story of mix-ups, mess-ups, and making the most of second chances. Who are you when you are forced to walk in someone else's shoes?" Love to read? Please join us! For more information contact Terry Hood, thhood@hotmail.com, 804-418-9372 or check the monthly newsletter.

- ❖ St. Luke's Episcopal Church is holding a historic house tour of former Governor William Giles' home at 17110 Giles Road, Amelia, on **Saturday October 18** from 10 AM to 5 PM. Tickets are \$20 payable at the door. All proceeds will benefit the St. Luke's Outreach program, which supports the Free Clinic, the Food Pantry and Backpacks for Love. A poster describing the tour is posted in Denny Hall.
- ❖ **Youth Group Meeting: Sunday, October 19, at noon.** We will have a cake “bake-off”! Bring a friend.
- ❖ **Shelter Feeding Program: Saturday October 25, at 9 AM** in Denny Hall. Many hands make light work as we assemble 120 bag lunches to be delivered to four homeless shelters in Richmond. All ages are welcome to join us! There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board in Denny Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Elisabet Goodwyn at 804-512-6339 / elisabet@agrotours.com. Thank you!
- ❖ **Family Forum: Sunday, October 26, at 9 AM.** The youth group will be leading the discussion on “Learning from the Youth”. Please join us.
- ❖ **All Saints Celebration:** There will be a feast of cakes for all God’s Saints among us on **Sunday, November 2** in Denny Hall following the 10 AM service. Please sign up in Denny Hall if you would like to provide one of the 12 cakes to share with your fellow Saints. Contact Stephany Breed at 804-212-6608 if you have any questions.
- ❖ **Vestry Nominees:** At our Manakin Annual Meeting on **November 16, 2025**, three new members of the Vestry will be elected. The Nominating Committee will be chaired by David Martin. If you know someone you would like to serve on the Vestry, or if you would like to be on the Vestry yourself, please contact David or one of the committee members: Coleman Brydon, Brent Rawlings, Diane Mahoney and Jean Hillsman
- ❖ **Richmond Friends of the Homeless:** Your help is needed to collect items to put together two themed baskets to be raffled on **November 15** at the 2025 Richmond Friends of the Homeless Annual Party for a Purpose. This year Manakin will contribute a Relaxation Raffle Basket and a Car Care Raffle Basket. Please consider donating an item for either or both baskets. Donated items may be dropped off in Denny Hall from **October 1 until November 2**. Fliers with donations ideas will be attached to each collection bin. If you prefer to make a cash donation, we can shop for you! Richmond Friends of the Homeless is part of Manakin’s Outreach Program. Please contact Carolyn Hodgins at 804-937-7788 by phone or text; or email at carolynwhodgins@gmail.com with any questions. Thank you for your support!
- ❖ **Save the Date: Manakin Church Bazaar - November 22, from 10 AM - 3 PM in Denny Hall.**
- ❖ **Nursery Help Needed:** We're looking for volunteers to help in the church nursery! We need people to assist our full-time nursery provider. If you enjoy spending time with little ones and want to support the families in our congregation, this is a great opportunity to serve. Please reach out to Marion about being added to the nursery rotation.

❖ **Food Donations:** We continue to accept donations for the Powhatan Food Pantry. The collection bins are at the Denny Hall entrance. They appreciate all donations of nonperishable food items. Current needs are **canned items: butter beans, carrots, potatoes, beets, spinach, turnip, mixed greens, collard greens, peaches, Vienna sausages, corned beef hash; dry goods needed: coffee, Ramen noodles, lima beans, black eyed peas, Navy beans, grits, brownie mix, corn muffin mix, Ritz crackers, pancake syrup and dog food.** If anyone has paper bags from grocery shopping, please add them to the bin. We would also appreciate drivers to deliver the food in the right bin to The Pantry on Tuesdays, Thursdays or Saturdays between 9-12 AM. Please send Betsy an email if you can assist with this. Betsy.moore5@icloud.com Thank you for all your help.

❖ **Backpacks Of Love:** We will be helping Backpacks of Love by collecting snacks such as fruit cups, applesauce cups, Go Go squeeze applesauce, snack crackers packets and proteins (pop-top cans of beefaroni/ravioli are especially welcome). Please place these items in the marked bin in Denny Hall. If you have any questions, contact Penny Sawyer at 804-651-7858.

❖ **Powhatan Animal Shelter** gladly accepts donations of dog food (wet/dry Pedigree or Purina Adult & puppy), laundry items (detergent/softener/dryer sheets/bleach), towels, blankets, toys (such as “Kongs”), treats, medium collars, harnesses, leashes and peanut butter. Please put these items in the marked bin in Denny Hall. You can also support them with a monetary donation to their medical fund at Claws and Paws by phone at 804-598-8030 or send your donation to Claws and Paws with the note “Powhatan Animal Control Medical Fund” to 4313 Anderson Highway, Powhatan, VA 23139. Thank you!

**Please join Manakin Episcopal Church
for
Founders Day
Sunday, December 7**

8 AM - Holy Eucharist

10 AM - Holy Eucharist (BCP 1662)

The Rt. Rev. Susan B. Haynes Officiating

Special Presentation of Joint Resolution of The General Assembly

by Delegate R. Lee Ware and Senator Luther H. Cifers, III

Reception Following

“Celebrating 325 years of Serving God”

Powhatan County Food Pantry

THANKSGIVING COMPLETE MEAL



To ensure that every family gets the same identical meal package, we ask that you include all of the items in double bags for strength. Please mark each bag “COMPLETE” so that our volunteers know that every item is in the bag. If it is not complete, please leave it unmarked.

Donations of \$20.00 Food Lion Gift Cards would also be appreciated. Please add one to your bag, for the purchase of meat or other food products.

This project is totally dependent on our community. The need is great.

1 40 oz. can of yams/sweet potatoes
1 12 oz. box mashed potatoes
1 14 oz. can cranberry sauce
2 15 oz. cans corn
2 15 oz. cans green vegetables
2 10 oz. cans gravy
2 6 oz. packages stuffing mix
1 box hot chocolate
1 box or jar of ice tea mix or bags
1 non-perishable family desert item
(brownie mix or cake mix with icing)

In order for us to be able to supply those in our community who may not otherwise be able to enjoy a traditional Thanksgiving dinner, we are asking that the community partner with us. There are many additional ways in which you or your group can assist us in this endeavor:

- Assist with the purchase of Food Lion Gift Cards - \$20.00 each
- Donate Cash to help with the purchase of food and gift cards
- Donate the individual items that go into the bags

Make checks payable to: The Powhatan Food Pantry

Donations should be dropped off in Denny Hall by Sunday, November 23, as they will be delivered to the Food Pantry on Tuesday, November 25.

The food pantry is open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 10 a.m.to 12 noon.

18th Pentecost

The Collect

Contemporary

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Traditional

Lord, we pray thee that thy grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Old Testament: Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon. Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

The Psalm

Psalm 66:1-11

Jubilate Deo

- 1 Be joyful in God, all you lands; *
sing the glory of his Name;
sing the glory of his praise.
- 2 Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! *
because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you.
- 3 All the earth bows down before you, *
sings to you, sings out your Name."
- 4 Come now 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, *
and there we rejoiced in him.

- 6 In his might he rules for ever;
his eyes keep watch over the nations; *
let no rebel rise up against him.

- 7 Bless our God, you peoples; *
make the voice of his praise to be heard;

- 8 Who holds our souls in life, *
and will not allow our feet to slip.

- 9 For you, O God, have proved us; *
you have tried us just as silver is tried.

- 10 You brought us into the snare; *
you laid heavy burdens upon our backs.

- 11 You let enemies ride over our heads;
we went through fire and water; *
but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.

The Epistle: 2 Timothy 2:8-15

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David-- that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful--for he cannot deny himself. Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

The Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

Processional Hymn # #411 – O Bless The Lord, My Soul

1 O bless the Lord, my soul! His grace to thee pro - claim!
2 O bless the Lord, my soul! His mer - cies bear in mind!
3 He will not al - ways chide; he will with pa - tience wait;
4 He par - dons all thy sins, pro - longs thy fee - ble breath;
5 He clothes thee with his love, up - holds thee with his truth;

1 And all that is with - in me join to bless his ho - ly Name!
2 For - get not all his ben - e - fits! The Lord to thee is kind.
3 his wrath is ev - er slow to rise and rea - dy to a - bate.
4 he heal - eth thine in - fir - mi - ties and ran - soms thee from death.
5 and like the ea - gle he re - news the vi - gor of thy youth.

Sequence Hymn #416 – For The Beauty Of The Earth

1 For the beau - ty of the earth, for the beau - ty of the skies,
2 For the beau - ty of each hour of the day and of the night,
3 For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's de - light,
4 For the joy of hu-man love, bro-ther, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
5 For the Church which ev - er - more lift - eth ho - ly hands a - bove,

1 for the love which from our birth o - ver and a - round us lies,
2 hill and vale, and tree and flower, sun and moon, and stars of light,
3 for the mys - tic har - mo - ny link - ing sense to sound and sight,
4 friends on earth, and friends a - bove, for all gen - tle thoughts and mild,
5 of - fering up on ev - ery shore thy pure sac - ri - fice of love,

Refrain
Christ our God, to thee we raise this our hymn of grate-ful praise.

6 For each perfect gift of thine
to the world so freely given,
faith and hope and love divine,
peace on earth and joy in heaven,

Refrain

Communion Hymn #302 – Father, We Thank Thee



1 Fa - ther, we thank thee who hast plant - ed thy ho - ly Name with -
 2 Watch o'er thy Church, O Lord, in mer - cy, save it from e - vil,

in our hearts. Know - ledge and faith and life im - mor - tal Je - sus thy
 guard it still, per - fect it in thy love, u - nite it, cleansed and con -

Son to us im - parts. Thou, Lord, didst make all for thy plea - sure,
 formed un - to thy will. As grain, once scat - tered on the hill - sides,

didst give us food for all our days, giv - ing in Christ the
 was in this bro - ken bread made one, so from all lands thy

Bread e - ter - nal; thine is the power, be thine the praise.
 Church be gath - ered in - to thy king - dom by thy Son.

Communion Hymn #345 – Savior, Again To Thy Dear Name We Raise



1 Sa - vior, a - gain to thy dear Name we raise
 *2 Grant us thy peace up - on our home - ward way;
 3 Grant us thy peace through - out our earth - ly life;
 4 thy peace in life, the balm of ev - ery pain;

with one ac - cord our part - ing hymn of praise;
 with thee be - gan, with thee shall end the day;
 peace to thy Church from er - ror and strife;
 thy peace in death, the hope to rise from a - gain;

guard thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame,
 from harm and dan - ger keep thy chil - dren free,
 peace to our land, the fruit of truth and love;
 then, when thy voice shall bid our con - flict cease,

that in this house have called up - on thy Name.
 for dark and light are both a - like to thee.
 peace in each heart, thy Spi - rit from a - bove:
 call us, O Lord, to thine e - ter - nal peace.

Closing Hymn #562 – Onward, Christian Soldiers



1 On - ward, Chris - tian sol - diers, march - ing as to war,
*2 At the sign of tri - umph Sa - tan's host doth flee;
*3 Like a might - y ar - my moves the Church of God;
4 Crowns and thrones may per - ish, king - doms rise and wane,
5 On - ward, then, ye peo - ple, join our hap - py throng;



1 with the cross of Je - sus go - ing on be - fore!
2 on, then, Chris - tian sol - diers, on to vic - to - ry!
3 Chris - tians, we are tread - ing where the saints have trod;
4 but the Church of Je - sus con - stant will re - main;
5 blend with ours your voic - es in the tri - umph song;



1 Christ, the roy - al Mas - ter, leads a - gainst the foe;
2 Hell's foun - da - tions quiv - er at the shout of praise;
3 we are not di - vid - ed, all one bo - dy we,
4 gates of hell can nev - er 'gainst that Church pre - vail;
5 glo - ry, laud, and hon - or, un - to Christ the King;



1 for - ward in - to bat - tle, see, his ban - ners go.
2 Chris - tians, lift your voic - es, loud your an - thems raise.
3 one in hope and doc - trine, one in char - i - ty.
4 we have Christ's own prom - ise, and that can - not fail.
5 this through count - less a - ges we with an - gels sing.



Refrain
On - ward, Chris - tian sol - diers, march - ing as to war,



with the cross of Je - sus go - ing on be - fore!

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