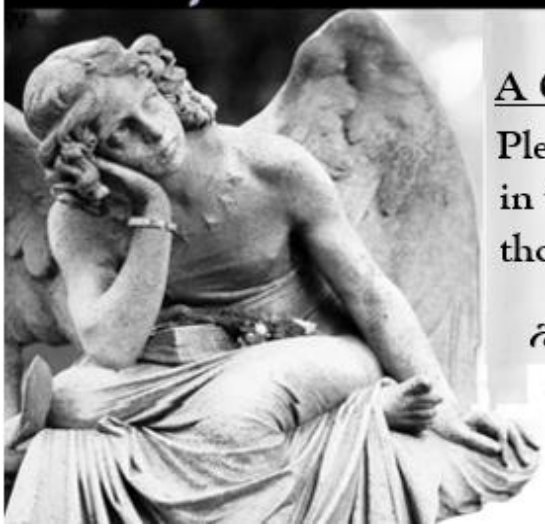
The Saint Thaddeus Chimes

Latest News & Parish Updates

Volume 2 + Issue 44 + Sunday, November 1, 2026: All Saints' Day: Proper 26

Requiem Mass



A Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Please join us this Sunday, November 1st, at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel of the Holy Apostles as we remember those, we have loved and lost through song and prayer.

If you wish to bring an item that reminds you of your loved one to place on the Chapel altar during the service please do so. Then you can retrieve the item after the service.

Parish Workday Coming Soon!

Mark your calendars for our Parish Workday next Saturday, November 7th, 2026. Due to ongoing Construction work at the church and around the church grounds area there will only be one session for this workday. The day will begin at 8:30am with donuts and coffee in the Cornish Building Nursery Room. The session will run from 9:00am-12:00pm, which will include the Cornish building and grounds, the Stevenson-McClelland Building and grounds and the tea garden area. You are invited to join the soup kitchen for lunch. Please bring gloves and yard tools that you can share. We hope you can join us and keep our grounds looking beautiful!

NOMINATIONS FOR VESTRY

Nominations are open for four seats on the Parish Vestry, beginning December 2026 and continuing through December 2029. Any adult confirmed communicant in good standing is eligible to apply. Applications can be picked up either in the office or by emailing vestry@stthaddeus.org, or by contacting Marianne Swearingen chair of the Nominating Committee at marianneswearingen83@gmail.com. Applications must be received by the Nominating Committee by November 1. For more information, please speak to any member of the Nominating Committee (Marianne Swearingen, chair; Will Gibbs; Susan Elder; or Morgan Whiteside), or Fr. Marshall.

The ACTS item for November is ***1 lb. rice.*** Donations can be dropped by the office during office hours (preferred) or placed in the red wagon in the church entryway.

Saint Thaddeus Soup Kitchen

Upcoming Soup Kitchen Activities:



Soup Kitchen Thanksgiving Meal – Nov. 21st
Reverse Advent Backpacks
Christmas Cookies for Soup Kitchen Holiday Meal





For more information on how you can help please contact Marianne Swearingen at marianneswearingen83@gmail.com

The ECW Annual Christmas Luncheon

You are cordially invited to join the ECW at their Annual Christmas Luncheon with musical program on Tuesday, December 8th at 11:45am in Ballroom #3 at the Reserve Club at Woodside. Gentlemen are welcome to join us at this event.

The Entrées for the Luncheon are:

1~Romaine, Spinach & Blackberry Entrée Salad ~ Romaine & spinach mix, fresh blackberries, roasted corn, candied pecans, avocado, crumbled blue cheese, & crispy onions. Served with blackberry-balsamic vinaigrette.

2~Tuscan Shrimp Scampi ~ Fettuccini and sauteed shrimp, sundried tomatoes, spinach in tomato cream sauce.

3~Chicken Picatta Scaloppini ~ Pan seared chicken cutlets in a lemon caper cream sauce, herb roasted potatoes, and roasted vegetable medley.

All entrées include rolls with butter & choice of beverage; coffee, tea, or water.

Dessert: Petite Apple Cobbler

The luncheon is $30 per person, all inclusive.

To register for the luncheon log onto Realm & click on the ECW Christmas Luncheon to register & pay for your selected entrée. You may also send a check to the Church Office payable to St. Thaddeus with your choice of entrée 1, 2, or 3 notated in the memo line. Questions? Please contact Ellen Pieterse by matrsjack@aol.com or (803) 295-3142.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS DEC. 2ND

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Anna Marie, Burt, Calhoun, Chip, Colette Damon, Harry, Howard John B., Julie and Mary Lou.

To add additional names to this list please contact the church office at (803) 648-5497.

The Weekly Calendar: Sunday, November 1 – November 8	
Sunday 11/1 *All Saints' Day* 	**NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE FROM 9:00am-12:00pm FOR AGES 0-6** • 7:45am: Spoken Holy Eucharist, Rite I, no music - (Chapel) • 9:00am: Holy Eucharist, Rite II, w/contemporary music- (Cheetham Parlor) • 10:00am: Adult Sunday School – (Large Parlor) • 10:00am: Rector's Forum – (Chapel) • 10:00am: DOK Discernment Session 1 – (Nursery) • 11:15am: Holy Eucharist, Rite II, w/organ & choir – (Cheetham Parlor) • 5:00pm: Requiem Mass  for All the Faithful Departed- (Chapel)
Monday 11/2	• 5:30pm: Evening Prayer – (Chapel) • 5-7pm:  at Soap N Suds (1339 Lee Lane SW, Aiken) • 6:00pm: EfM – (Upper Campus in aftercare bldg..)
Tuesday 11/3 	• 1:30pm: Church staff meeting – (Cornish Conference Room) • 2:00pm: Laundry Love Fundraising Committee – (Cornish Conference Rm.)
Wednesday 11/4	**CHIMES DEADLINE 2pm** • 11:30am: Holy Eucharist with Prayers for Healing - (Chapel) • 6:30pm: Young Adults Study Group – (Nursery) • 7-8:30pm: Choir Practice – (Chapel)
Thursday 11/5	• No Events Scheduled for this day.
Friday 11/6	• No Events Scheduled for this day.
Saturday 11/7	• 8:30am-12pm: Parish Workday - (Meet in the Nursery) • 9:00am-1pm: Soup Kitchen - (Cheetham Parlor) • 4:00pm: Saturday Chair  Set-up - (Cheetham Parlor)
Sunday 11/8 *The 24th Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 27*	**NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE FROM 9:00am-12pm FOR AGES 0-6** • 7:45am: Spoken Holy Eucharist, Rite I, no music - (Chapel) • 9:00am: Holy Eucharist, Rite II, w/contemporary music- (Cheetham Parlor) • 10:00am: Parish Meeting on Steeple Repair – (Cheetham Parlor) • 11:15am: Holy Eucharist, Rite II, w/organ & choir – (Cheetham Parlor)
This week's office hours are Monday – Friday 8:30am-4pm. If you have an after-hours pastoral emergency, please contact Will Gibbs at (803) 295-1164 and he will contact the clergyperson on call.	



HELP NEEDED ON SATURDAYS TO SET UP THE CHEETHAM PARLOR FOR SUNDAY SERVICE

Help will be needed to set up the Cheetham Parlor for Sunday service as Mead Hall will need to have use of the gym. We will meet at 4pm on Saturdays and work in teams of 5. To sign up to help please use the button on the Monday AM email. Thanks!



Our shelves have dropped to *critically* low levels, and we are urgently seeking donations of:

- Canned vegetables
- Canned fruits
- Peanut butter
- Pasta noodles
- Tomato sauce
- Breakfast cereals
- Canned meats
- Soups/Stews

These staples are the backbone of the food boxes we provide to families across Aiken County, and right now, demand is far outpacing supply.