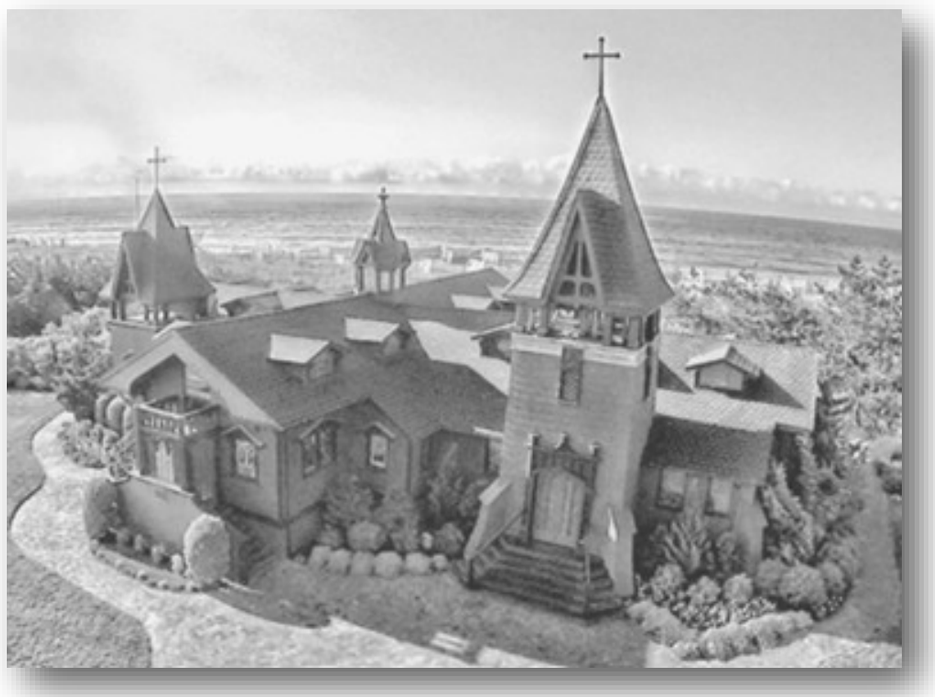
St. Andrew's Dune Church



Ninth Sunday after Trinity
August 2, 2026
Holy Communion with Baptism & Confirmation · 11 AM

12 Gin Lane | Southampton

Entrance Hymn 282 ***Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven***

Camp St. John's | Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:45 PM

All elementary-aged children are invited to participate in Camp St. John's this summer! Camp St. John's will meet on **Wednesdays this summer, from 3:30-4:45, ending on August 12**. Each week, children will enjoy a great time playing games, singing songs, making crafts, and gardening. Middle and high school students are invited to participate as camp counselors. Refreshments will be served each week. This summer, drop off and pick up will take place at the to sign in/out table in the parking area located behind the church, 100 S. Main Street, Southampton.

Teenage Girl's Small Group | Tuesdays 4 - 5 PM

All middle and high school aged girls are invited to participate in the St. Andrew's Girls Small Group. Laura Carlson and others from St. Andrew's will lead this exciting gathering on **Tuesday afternoons, 4 - 5 PM, through August 11.** This year, our discussions will use Kari Kampakis's book, "Yours, Not Hers" to engage Bible passages exploring topics like love, trusting God, prayer, anxiety, grace, and rest. This group will meet at St. Andrew's Dune Church.

Need a Ride? We're Here to Help

St. John's is starting a new transportation ministry to help parishioners who may need a ride from time to time. Whether it's for a doctor's appointment, shopping, voting, or another important errand, please contact Kathy Cruickshank at 631-478-8122. Kathy will coordinate your request and help connect you with a volunteer driver. We're grateful for our volunteers and we feel blessed to able to support our parishioners

August Book Club Meeting | August 27 at 6 PM

The St. John's Book Club will meet in the St. John's Library on Thursday, August 27 at 6 PM to discuss "Raising Hare: A Memoir" by Chloe Dalton. Join us for a conversation about her transformative memoir. All are welcome – whether you've read the whole book or just want to listen and engage. We look forward to seeing you there!

—*This Season at St. John's & St. Andrew's Dune Church* —

St. John's & St. Andrew's Dune Church
Summer Art Show & Cocktail Party

All are invited to our Annual Art Show & Cocktail Party. This longstanding tradition supports both our local artist community and St. John's ministry. The Art Show is essential to St. John's, and in 2025 was our largest source of revenue. Patron tickets accounted for two-thirds of the event's income. Your generosity makes this possible, and we are deeply grateful for your support.

We hope you will consider supporting the event by purchasing tickets!
Tickets can be purchased using:
Venmo (@StJohns-Church-2) or Zelle: 631-506-9559

General admission ticket of $150. Children and teens may attend for free.

Friday, August 7, 2026 | 5 PM – 7 PM
Location: St. John's Episcopal Church | 100 South Main Street
The exhibit will also be free and open to the public on
Saturday, August 8, from 10 AM – 2 PM.

Sponsorship Opportunities:

$5,000 – Visionary Sponsor, 10 tickets
$2,500 – Leadership Sponsor, 8 tickets
$1,000 – Supporting Sponsor, 4 tickets
$500 – Patron Sponsor, 2 tickets
$150 – General Admission

All sponsors will be acknowledged in the printed catalogue and program.
To be a sponsor, please contact:
artshowstjohns@stjohnsouthampton.org.

Contributions may be mailed to:
St. John's Episcopal Church
P.O. Box 5068
Southampton, NY 11969

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America (My Country, 'Tis of Thee)
The Rev. Samuel Francis Smith

Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of liberty, to thee we sing;
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might, great God, our King.

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

Celebrant There is one Body and one Spirit;
People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**
Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People **One God and Father of all.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, who by our baptism into the death and resurrection of thy Son Jesus Christ dost turn us from the old life of sin: Grant that we, being reborn to new life in him, may live in righteousness and holiness all our days; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson *Romans 9:1-5*

A Lesson from the letter of Saint Paul to the Romans.

I am speaking the truth in Christ-- I am not lying; my conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit-- I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, my kindred according to the flesh. They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises; to them belong the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, comes the Messiah, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.

Here endeth the lesson.

Sermon Hymn 347 ***Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!***

— Flower Dedications —

The flowers on the altar today have been given in loving memory of:

Charles E. Merrill and Doris & Robert Magowan
by Merrill and Mark Magowan;
and,
Tricia Ambroz, Michael Carr, Ella Cook, and
Peggy Thretheway by Chris and Anne Flowers.

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

The Right Reverend Lawrence C Provenzano

Eighth Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island is serving in his seventeenth as Bishop of Long Island. The Diocese of Long Island encompasses Brooklyn, Queens, Nassau and Suffolk Counties in New York State, comprised of 127 congregations and seven separate stand alone non-profit corporations included Episcopal Health Services which administers in-patient and ambulatory care to an at-risk population of over 250,000 people in Far Rockaway, Queens. In September of this year, Bishop Provenzano will retire as diocesan bishop with the ordination and consecration of his successor.

Saint Andrew's Dune Church Prayer

Heavenly Father, grant that we who worship together where glorious dunes meet your unfathomable sea be always mindful of your gifts to us of natural beauty, always respectful of your great power and mystery. As you have long dispatched rescuers from this station armed through prayer with thy strength, send forth today this congregation to aid all those who founder, that our lives, infused with thy spirit, will bear witness to the blessing of this community and bring glory to thy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Choral Amen

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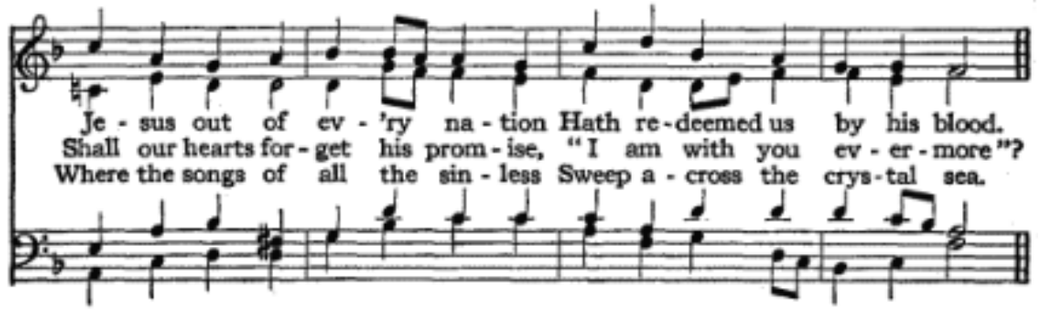
— Confirmation Candidates —

Andrew Nadosy Bunt
Edith Adams Earl
Fisher Moran Dwyer
Evan Gellar
David Hart
Edward James Diebold O'Connell
Patrick Kevin Diebold O'Connell
Caitlin Ann O'Rourke



4 Alleluia! King eternal,
Thee the Lord of lords we own:
Alleluia! born of Mary,
Earth thy footstool, heav'n thy throne:
Thou within the veil hast entered,
Robed in flesh, our great High Priest:
Thou on earth both Priest and Victim
In the eucharistic feast.

5 Alleluia! sing to Jesus!
His the scepter, his the throne;
Alleluia! his the triumph,
His the victory alone;
Hark! the songs of holy Sion
Thunder like a mighty flood;
Jesus out of every nation
Hath redeemed us by his blood.

WILLIAM CHATTERTON DIX, 1866

The Second Lesson *Matthew 14:13-21*

A Lesson from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew.

Jesus withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd; and he had compassion for them and cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a deserted place, and the hour is now late; send the crowds away so that they may go into the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." They replied, "We have nothing here but five loaves and two fish." And he said, "Bring them here to me." Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and were filled; and they took up what was left over

of the broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

Here endeth the Lesson.

Sermon **The Right Reverend Lawrence Provenzano**
The Bishop of Long Island, Garden City, NY

Presentation and Examination of the Candidate

Celebrant
The Candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Sponsor I present N. to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.
Celebrant Do you desire to be baptized?
Candidate I do.

Then the Celebrant asks the following questions of the candidates who can speak for themselves, and of the parents and godparents who speak on behalf of the infants and younger children

Question Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?
Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?
Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?
Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?
Answer I do.

Question Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?
Answer I do.

Question Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?
Answer I do.

Closing Hymn 397 ***Now Thank We All Our God***

Postcommunion Prayer

Celebrant
Let us pray.

Celebrant and People
Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

Blessing

People Stand or Kneel

Bishop
The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Bishop Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil.
Candidate I do.

Bishop Do you renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?
Candidate I do, and with God's grace I will follow him as my Savior and Lord.

The other Candidate(s) will now be presented.

Presenters I present these persons for Confirmation.

The Bishop asks the candidates
Bishop Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil.
Candidate I do.
Bishop Do you renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?
Candidate I do, and with God's grace I will follow him as my Savior and Lord.

After all have been presented, the Celebrant addresses the congregation, saying

Celebrant Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?
People **We will.**

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?
People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
People **I believe in the Holy Spirit,**
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?
People **I will, with God's help.**

Prayers for the Candidates

Celebrant
Let us now pray for this person who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth and for these persons who have renewed their commitment to Christ.

Leader Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Open their hearts to your grace and truth.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

benediction, and made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

And although we are unworthy, through our manifold sins, to offer unto thee any sacrifice, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offenses, through Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant
Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant us thy peace.

Priest
The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

The people kneel or stand.

Then the Celebrant continues
All glory be to thee, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that
his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks, he brake it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of this; for this is my Blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, according to the institution of thy dearly beloved Son our Savior Jesus Christ, we, thy humble servants, do celebrate and make here before thy divine Majesty, with these thy holy gifts, which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; rendering unto thee most hearty thanks for the innumerable benefits procured unto us by the same.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us; and, of thy almighty goodness, vouchsafe to bless and sanctify, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, these thy gifts and creatures of bread and wine; that we, receiving them according to thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; most humbly beseeching thee to grant that, by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we, and all thy whole Church, may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion.

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee; humbly beseeching thee that we, and all others who shall be partakers of this Holy Communion, may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy SonJesus Christ, be filled with thy grace and heavenly

Leader	Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.
People	**Lord, hear our prayer.**
Leader	Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.
People	**Lord, hear our prayer.**
Leader	Send them into the world in witness to your love.
People	**Lord, hear our prayer.**
Leader	Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.
People	**Lord, hear our prayer.**

Thanksgiving over the Water

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	**And also with you.**
Celebrant	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People	**It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant
We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Baptism

Celebrant	*N.*, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**
Celebrant	Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

Celebrant N., you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Celebrant and People
We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

Confirmation

Bishop
Let us now pray for these persons who have renewed their commitment to Christ.

Almighty God, we thank you that by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ you have overcome sin and brought us to yourself, and that by the sealing of your Holy Spirit you have bound us to your service. Renew in these your servants the covenant you made with them at their Baptism. Send them forth in the power of the Spirit to perform the service you set before them; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Bishop
Strengthen, O Lord, your servant *N.* with your Holy Spirit; empower *him* for your service; and sustain *him* all the days of *his* life. **Amen.**

Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

Announcements

Offertory

Ye shall not appear before the LORD empty; every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord thy God which he hath given thee. Deut. xvi. 16, 17.

The 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. AMEN.

The Great Thanksgiving (BCP 333)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And with thy spirit.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them up unto the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People **It is meet and right so to do.**

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds
It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; according to whose true promise the Holy Ghost came down from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to thy Church the power to serve thee as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

The Sanctus