Amelia Plantation Chapel

An Interdenominational Community Church

November 1, 2026 | All Saints Sunday | 9:00 am Service



The Great Cloud of Witnesses
Dr. Ken Jones, Senior Pastor

Our Vision:
To develop mature Christian disciples who compassionately respond to the needs of others.

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE 2026

We are in communion with the saints of Jesus Christ. On All Saints' Day, we remember and give thanks for those who have passed away in the previous year. After the litany, we will read the names for each person who has passed away. When the name is read, family members and friends of that person are invited to stand, and then be seated after the bell has tolled. After all the names have been read, you'll be invited to stand in remembrance of all those saints who have gone before us and to remain standing for the prayer.

ALL SAINTS LITANY

Leader: For everything there is a season and a time for every matter under heaven.
People: A time to be born and a time to die, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to grieve and a time to dance.
Leader: Now is our time to remember those who have preceded us across the river into the land of eternal joy.
People: A father, a mother, a sister, a brother, a son, a daughter, a husband, a wife, a friend closer than a sister or brother.
Leader: They were the ones who shaped us, who nurtured us and taught us. Their faithfulness helped us to be faithful. Their encouragement gives us strength. Their example showed us the way to live.
People: Lord, make us more like the good that was in them, wiser through their gifts to us, richer through their belief in us, stronger through their faith in us, that as long as we live, their good influence will live through us, as does the redeeming power of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NAMING OF THE HONORED SAINTS

Doug Petersen
Sally Cockayne
Margarite "Maggie" Bruce
Susan Nelson
Jane Manley
Ken Duhy
Harold Garrett
Louise Mozena
Keith Erdahl

PRAYER FOR ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

Gathering Music Jennifer St.Clair

Welcome & Call To Worship

Membership Report Don Wilkerson

Organ Prelude *The Saints' Delight* *arr. Dale Wood*

***Hymn 529** *For All the Saints v. 1,2,3, & 6* *SINE NOMINE*

Invocation & Prayer of Confession

Heavenly Father, giver of light and grace, we have sinned against you and against our neighbor, in what we have thought, in what we have said and done, through ignorance, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We have wounded your love and marred your image in us. We are sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us; forgive us and lead us out from darkness to walk as children of light by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen. (Silent Prayer)

Assurance of Pardon & *Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

***Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made. Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man, and crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Vocal Solo *Come, Ye Blessed* *John Prindle Scott*
John Tibbetts, baritone

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

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, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

***Hymn 531** *Rejoice in God's Saints* *HANOVER*

KEY: (*) Indicates standing if able.

Invitation to Christian Stewardship

Offertory *Let Us Break Bread Together* *arr. Dale Wood*

***Doxology & Prayer for the Nation**

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.

***Prayer of Dedication**

Choral Anthem *Hymn of Promise* *arr. John Ferguson*

In the bulb there is a flower; in the seed, an apple tree;
In cocoons, a hidden promise; butterflies will soon be free!
In the cold and snow of winter there's spring that waits to be
unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see.

There's a song in every silence, seeking word and melody.
There's a dawn in every darkness, bringing hope to you and me.
From the. Past will come the future; what it holds a mystery.
Unrevealed until its season something God alone can see.

In our end is our beginning; in our time infinity
In our doubt there is believing; in our life, eternity.
In our death a resurrection; at the last a victory.
Unrevealed until its season something God alone can see.
Words by Natalie Sleeth, (1930-1992)

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading Hebrews 12:1-2

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God**

Sermon The Great Cloud of Witnesses Dr. Ken Jones

***Hymn 690** *We Remember You v.1* *EUCHARIST*

Invitation to The Lord's Table

The Great Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Minister: Lift up your hearts.
People: We lift them up to the Lord.
Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Sanctus *(sung)*

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of Power and Might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna in the highest.

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith.
All (sung): Christ has died. Christ has risen. Christ will come again.

Words of Institution

Words of Administration & Distribution

***Hymn 464** *May the Mind of Christ, My Savior* *ST. LEONARDS*

***Benediction**

***Going Forth** *So Send Us Out Into the World* *AZMON*
So send us out into the world your glory to proclaim,
And in your Holy Spirit's power to live and praise your name.

Organ Postlude *Toccatina* *Walter O'Donnell*

Healing Prayers

You may come to the side altar to receive a prayer for healing or other special needs

After the service, please join us in the Fellowship hall for refreshments and conversation.

Please remember the library is conveniently open on Sundays, making it easy to stop in and find the perfect Christian book to encourage you in your faith walk.

Today is All Saints Sunday.

Today we celebrate All Saints Day. All Saints Day is a universal festival of the Church, which originated sometime in the fourth century. On All Saints we give thanks for the Communion of Saints –for the fellowship we share with those who have gone before us, and for the example our forebears have set for all of us. As part of that celebration, we remember those that have died in the past year who have now joined that great cloud of witnesses that surrounds us.

The color for A Celebration of All Saints is White, symbolizing purity, celebration and joy, and recalling that the death of the saints represents their "birthday" into eternal life with God.

Get Connected With Amelia Plantation Chapel

THIS WEEK AT THE CHAPEL

Today, November 1
8:30 am: Choir Practice (Choir Room)
9:00 am: Worship Service
10:00 am: Coffee Fellowship (FH)
10:15 am: Bible Study (Meeting Room)
11:15 am: Worship Service
Pledge Sunday

Monday, November 2
10:00: am Coed Bible Study (Meeting Room)

Tuesday, November 3
10:30: Men's Bible Study (Library)
10:30: Women's Bible Study (Meeting Room)

Wednesday, November 4
1:00 pm: Shepherd Meeting (Meeting Room)
3:00 pm: Choir Practice

Thursday, November 5
8:55 am: Adventures in Prayer

Next Sunday, November 8
8:30 am: Choir Practice (Choir Room)
10:00 am: Worship Service with Annual Meeting to follow

Bible Study Classes
- Sunday Bible Study: Sundays at 10:15 a.m. in the Meeting Room
- Coed Bible Study: Mondays at 10:00 am led by Jan Smith on the Book of John
- Men's Bible Study: Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Library. This fall's study is *Hebrews: A 12-Week Study (Knowing the Bible) by Matthew Capps*.
- Women's Bible Study: Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Meeting Room. This fall's study is *Waiting: A Bible Study on Patience, Hope, and Trust by Sharla Fritz*.

Men's Fall Breakfast Schedule
Nov. 13 -*Tim Dunlevy, Chairman of Nassau county Young Life | Dan Binette, Area Director | Mary Shore, Staff Associate*
Jan. 8- *Dan Goodrich*

Homeless Children Ministries
HC Ministries is celebrating its 12th year of sharing Christmas gifts and the love of Christ with vulnerable children in Nassau County! Last Christmas, 179 children were blessed with gifts, and 150 received Easter baskets this year.
You can help make Christmas special! Volunteers are needed to contact families, shop, and wrap gifts. Donations and prayers are also appreciated. Shopping lists will be available after the Nov. 8 service.
To volunteer, contact Claudia Smith at (912) 294-4778. Donations payable to Homeless Children Ministries may be mailed to Sandy Malone, 110 Marsh Creek Rd., Fernandina Beach, FL 32034.

Operation Christmas Child
If you were unable to return your Operation Christmas Child shoebox today, there is still time! You can return your box to the Chapel office or bring it next Sunday and place it at the altar to be included in the Blessing of the Boxes. We'd love for your box to be a part of this special blessing on November 8th.

Stewardship Figures

Budgeted Offerings for 2026:	$1,643,042
Received Year to Date:	$1,416,545
Needed by December 31:	$226,497

Stewardship Estimate of Giving

Estimate of Giving Cards to Date:	173
Estimate of Giving Amount to Date:	$1,354,420

Stewardship Estimate of Giving Cards 2027

Estimate of Giving Cards to Date:	103

You Are Welcome Here!

Flower Calendar

The 2026 calendar is in the Narthex. You may also call the Chapel office to reserve a date. $75 suggested donation in honor of a special occasion.

Plant A Seed

Please share this bulletin with someone you know to personally invite them to join us in worship on any Sunday at 9:00 or 11:15 am. Romans 10:17: So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

God Calls You By Name

And we will too if you wear your name badge! If you don't have one, order by calling the Chapel office.

Please wear your name badge to all Chapel functions.

Hearing Assistance Devices

Ask any usher for a wireless hearing device, which permits you to sit anywhere and hear the service clearly.

Chapel Nursery

The nursery is available for all children under the age of 5. Please keep any child with cold symptoms out of the nursery to avoid spreading germs. Thank you. Children's worship bags are also available to take into the Sanctuary during the service.

Holy Communion Matters

As we remember Christ's sacrifice as the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world, please be aware that if you need gluten-free Holy Communion wafers or would like to have the communion elements with you in the pew (rather than walking up front), please pick up a "communion packet" in the Chapel Narthex as you arrive to our worship service. Also know that the "wine" in both the gluten-free packets and served from the Lord's Table in the sanctuary is really grape juice.

Live Streaming Available

For those unable to attend service live streaming is available on our website at www.ameliachapel.com.

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Today We Pray For

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Dick Devoe
Tom Jordan
Harry DeNoers
Ron Heymann
Shirley Hargreaves
Sewell Harlin
Lillie Bowman
Lynn Pelletiere
Jay Niles
Antionette Zaffarano
Clara Miller
John Banda

Relatives
Darryl Frick,
brother of Laura June McDuffie
David & Dorothy Drissel,
brother & sister of Dianne Gruber
Bobby Phillips,
step-father of Tammy Beall
Gary Wilkins,
son in law of Pat & Bob Stichweh
Ashley McKay,
daughter of Dee Phillips

Flowers
"In celebration of Ron Kolar & his 90th birthday"
-Eric & Alan Kolar

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If you would like to become a member, please pick up a membership packet in the main entry. Full or associate membership is available. Associate membership is for those who wish to retain membership in their home church yet enjoy full privileges of Chapel members.

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