

St. John's Church

BULL STREET AT MADISON SQUARE, SAVANNAH, GEORGIA

Parish chartered in 1841. Church consecrated in 1853.

Thanksgiving Day

November 25, 2010

10:30—SUNG EUCHARIST

CARILLON

HYMN #137 *Come, Ye Thankful People* St. George's Windsor

ANTE—COMMUNION

Collect for Purity 67

Summary of the Law 69

KYRIE ELEISON #710 Healey Willan

Collect and Epistle 265

HYMN #315 *We Gather Together* Kremser

The Holy Gospel 266

The Nicene Creed 71

HYMN #138 *We Plough the fields and scatter* Claudius

OFFERTORY

*The offering at this service will be given for the use of the Episcopal
Youth and Children's Services.*

Sentences

Anthem: *Thou Visitest the Earth* Maurice Greene

Presentation of Alms: Doxology #139

HYMN: #142 *The National Anthem* (both verses)

Prayer for the Church 74

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation, Confession, and Absolution 75

Sursum Corda #734

SANCTUS and BENEDICTUS #711 Healey Willan

Consecration: Institution, Oblation, Invocation 80

The Lord's Prayer 82

Prayer of Humble Access (*said with the congregation*) 82

AGNUS DEI #712 Healey Willan

MOTET: *O Taste and See* Ralph Vaughan Williams

Thanksgiving (*said with the congregation*) 83

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS #713 Healey Willan

Blessing 84

HYMN #276 *Now Thank We All Our God* Nun Danket

ORGAN: *Marche Triomphale (Nun Danket)* Siegfried Karg Elert

OFFERING and USHER CHAIRMEN

Roland Steven Summers, M.D.

For the Blessings of Harvest

Lord God Almighty, the Creator and Father of all, who crownest the year with thy goodness, we yield thee hearty thanks that thou hast ordained for man both seed-time and harvest, and dost now bestow upon us thy children the fruits of the earth in their season. For these and all other thy mercies we laud and magnify thy glorious name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For Good Stewardship

MERCIFUL God, at whose bidding the earth withholdeth her increase, or rendereth her fruits in their season: Give us grace that we may learn, both from the mercies and thy judgements, our entire dependence upon thee for the supply of our daily bread; and grant that we, remembering that thy blessings are for our trial as well as our comfort, may with thankful hearts give unto thee of thine own, ministering gladly to the maintenance of thy Church, and the relief of the poor and the afflicted, the widow and the orphan, to the glory of thy Holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, *Amen.*

For the Natural Creation

We magnify thee, O Lord, we bless the excellency of thy name in the great works of thy hands, the manifold vestures of earth and sky and sea, the courses of the stars and light, the songs of birds, the hues of flowers, the frame and attributes of everything that hath breath, and upholding all, thy wisdom, marvelous worthy to be praised; but most, that by thy sure promise we now do only taste the glory that shall be revealed, when thou, O God, wilt take the power and reign, world without end. *Amen.*