

# Vergers' Conference – Lakeland – Florida

## October 11-14, 2012

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### Thursday

- 9:00 am Board meeting – **Administrative Classroom** @ All Saints'
- 1:00 pm - Registration opens, **Welcome Center** @ All Saints'
- 5:30 pm
- 6:00 pm Evensong, **Main Sanctuary** @ All Saints'
- 7:00 pm Dinner, **Parish Hall** by Becky Anderson & crew  
Entertainment – Mr. Tim Williams from Gatorland
- 8:30 pm Hospitality Suite/Guild Shop at Terrace Hotel Ballroom Mezzanine Level

### Friday

- 8:00 am Coffee at All Saints' & registration open – **Welcome Center**
- 8:30 am Morning Prayer - **Main Sanctuary**
- 9:00 am "The Guild Today" lead by Margaret McLarty, VGEC President  
**Main Sanctuary**
1. General Convention – Margaret McLarty
  2. Got vergers? - Scott Smith
  3. Training Course – Katie Pendzuk
  4. Document Library – Bill White
  5. Ministry of Hospitality – Sid Glynn & Cheryl Cantrall
- 9:50 am Refreshment break – **Welcome Center**
- 10:00 am Workshops
1. "Vergers 101 For New Vergers" led by Scott Smith & David Jette - **Luke classroom**
  2. "Vergers in Transition - Their Changing Role – Conflict Resolution - **Choir room**  
led by Pat Allen & Ed Metz & Fr. Al Jenkins
- 11:20 am Break
- 11:30 am Workshop – **Main Sanctuary**  
"Security in your Parish – Do you have a plan?" – led by Sid Glynn
- 12:30 pm Lunch - **Parish Hall**  
Bishop Greg Brewer – Keynote speaker
- 1:30 pm Workshops
1. Developing a Worship Council / Liturgical Committee – led by Suzanne Gaines - **Luke Classroom**
  2. Making Eucharist Bread – led by Duke Duteil – **Parish Hall/Kitchen**

2:40 pm	Board bus for Annie Pfeifer Chapel
3:00 pm	Tour of Annie Pfeifer Chapel and Florida Southern College with reception and welcome by their Bishop.
4:45 pm	Load busses to go to Dinner at Columbia Restaurant – Ybor City – Tampa
6:00 pm	Dinner and floor show at the Columbia Restaurant in Ybor City - Tampa
8:30 pm	Hospitality Suite/Guild Shop @ Terrace Hotel Ballroom Mezzanine Level

## Saturday

8:00 am	Coffee at All Saints' – <b>Welcome Center</b>
8:30 am	Morning Prayer - <b>Main Sanctuary</b>
9:00 am	Refreshment break
9:15 am	Workshop - Order of St. Luke (OSL) Healing Ministry – Rev. Richard Hoover – <b>Main Sanctuary</b>
10:00 am	Break
10:15 am	Business Meeting - <b>Parish Hall</b>
12:15 pm	Free time – walking map of Lakeland provided
12:15 pm	Board working lunch – <b>Administrative Classroom</b>
6:15 pm	Reception at Lone Palm Golf and Country Club
7:00 pm	Dinner – Awards/Recognition Ceremony
9:00 pm	Hospitality Suite/Guild Shop at Terrace Hotel Ballroom Mezzanine Level

## Sunday

8:00 am	Breakfast at church – sign up during the weekend - \$4 donation
9:15 am	Meet and vest in <b>Garden Room</b>
9:30 am	Move to Lake Mirror Promenade for picture
9:40 am	Official Conference Photo – Lake Mirror Promenade Steps
10:10 am	Break
10:30 am	Line up for procession – outside of church on sidewalk
10:50 am	Choral Eucharist and Procession of Vergers (no vergers or bonnets)
12:15 pm	Say goodbye – conference has ended

Mark Hoyer from Wippell and Bill St. John from Almy will be with us for the weekend and on Friday will be located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor in the John classroom. Please stop by and talk with them regarding vestments and other items.