

**The Forty-Seventh Annual Convention
The Episcopal Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast
St. Andrew's Church, Destin
22 - 24 February 2018**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS AND CONVENTION AGENDA

Thursday, February 22, 2018

10:00 a.m.	Exhibitors may set up (Parish Hall)
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Registration (Parlor) Exhibits Open (Parish Hall)
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	First-time and small church delegate orientation (Church Nave)
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Convention Committee on Canons & Rules of Order meeting (Office Space across from Rector's office)
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Open Hearings on 2018 Budget (Church Nave)
4:00 p.m.	Convention Committee on Finance (Office Space across from Rector's office)
5:00 p.m.	Acolytes & Liturgical Ministers Rehearsal (Church Nave)
5:30 p.m.	Clergy & Processional Participants Assemble (Choir Room)
5:30 p.m.	Organ Prelude
6:00 p.m.	Opening Service— Holy Eucharist (St. Andrew's Church) Clergy will vest (purple stole and either alb or cassock/surplice) and process. ***CLERGY PHOTO (Priests and Deacons) immediately following Opening Service*** Dinner on your own (see list of restaurants in packet)

Friday, February 23, 2018

7:00 a.m.	Exhibits open all day (Parish Hall)
7:15 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.	Coffee Hour (Parish Hall)
7:30 a.m.	Late Registration (Parlor)
8:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer (St. Andrew's Church)
9:00 a.m.	First Business Session (Church Nave) (Organize for Business; Seating of Special Guests; Presentation of New Clergy; Nominations; Adopt Budget)
11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Noonday Prayers (St. Andrew's Church)
12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Recess for lunch (served on-site)
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Food Packing (Destin Community Center, 101 Stahlman Avenue, Destin, FL) – shuttle available
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Fellowship/Refreshments (St. Andrew's Church parking lot – under the tent) Dinner on your own (see list of restaurants in packet)

Saturday, February 24, 2018

7:15 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.	Coffee Hour (Parish Hall)
7:30 a.m.	Late Registration (Parlor)
8:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer – w/Necrology (St. Andrew's Church)
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Second Business Session (Church Nave) (Organize for business; Elections; Resolutions; Other Business as required)
9:00 a.m.	Exhibitor's pack up
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Clergy Spouse Brunch – (home of Bishop Russell and Robin Kendrick – shuttle provided) (Buses will arrive at St. Andrew's at 8:30 a.m. and depart to Kendrick home at 8:45 a.m.) CONVENTION IS ADJOURNED AFTER CLOSE OF BUSINESS AND BENEDICTION!
2:00 p.m.	School for Ministry Dedication and Open House (St. Agatha's, DeFuniak Springs, FL)