

TRINITY COMMONS

76 Trinity Place New York City

The Second Sunday of Advent

December 5, 2021, 9:15am



Mission

In the spirit of the Gospels, the mission of Trinity Church Wall Street is to build generations of faithful leadership, to build up neighborhoods, and to build financial capacity for holy service in New York City and around the world. Our mission is grounded in our core values.

Vision

We seek to serve and heal the world by building neighborhoods that live gospel truths, generations of faithful leaders, and sustainable communities.

Core Values

Faith

"For truly I tell you, if you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you." —MATTHEW 17:20

Integrity

"Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things."—PHILIPPIANS 4:8

Inclusiveness

"There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus." — GALATIANS 3:28

Compassion

"When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick."

-MATTHEW 14:14

Social Justice

"He has showed you what is good; and what the Lord requires of you: to do justice, and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God."

-Місан 6:8

Stewardship

"There will come seven years of great plenty throughout all the land of Egypt. After them there will arise seven years of famine, and all the plenty will be forgotten in the land of Egypt; the famine will consume the world."—GENESIS 41:29-30



Core Values guide us in carrying out our mission and realizing our vision.

By their nature, core values are touchstones for prayer, discernment, ongoing conversation, and action. We seek a deep understanding and ongoing engagement with Trinity's Core Values. Over the years, we will continue reflecting on what our Core Values mean in their application; how they challenge and inform decisions and actions in Trinity's ministries, and how they help our ministries be aligned with our mission and vision.

Welcome to Trinity Commons

Please add your voice and heart to the prayers. Everyone is welcome at Jesus' Table, and everyone's voice is needed to tell the Good News of God's love in Christ.

If you would like to learn more about The Episcopal Church, or how you can become a member of Trinity Church, please visit www.trinitywallstreet.org/membership.

About this Service

Family Holy Eucharist

As you participate in this service, the language will feel at once simplified and familiar. Each week, we will pray, sing, and reflect on the Word of God in language that is intentionally accessible for children. At the same time, we draw on the essential elements of Episcopal worship—the Lord's Prayer, the collects, the confession and the creed—learning together to pattern our prayer after the Book of Common Prayer.

In the Baptismal Covenant, the Church vows to support the spiritual development of each new member of the Body of Christ. We often think of this in terms of adults supporting children in their faith formation. In truth, each of us, no matter our age, can help support the spiritual growth of every other member of our church community. One of the many ways we do this is by participating together in worship.

By worshipping together in this way, we can help our children experience the unshakable love of God in Jesus Christ. And adults, in turn, may be surprised to find themselves supported in their lives in Christ by the young people of our community.

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ? **We will.** (BCP 1979, p. 303).

Sources: Book of Common Prayer (BCP), Trinity Church Wall Street liturgical staff



Family Holy Eucharist

All in attendance are required to wear masks while inside Trinity Commons.

Opening Hymn

At the sound of the bell, please stand as you are able.

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

Veni, veni, Emmanuel

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

TCWS

Reader Advent is a season of expectation: a time when we prepare our hearts and spirits for the

birth of Jesus. Each week in Advent, we light another candle in our wreath. As it becomes brighter and brighter, it helps us remember that Jesus brings the light and love of God into

the world. We have already lit the candle for hope.

A member of the parish lights the second candle on the Advent Wreath.

Jesus is coming! We light the second candle, which represents faith.

People God, give us faith! Amen.

Acclamation BCP p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Welcome

The Celebrant welcomes the people and invites them to prayer.

Gathering Prayer

TCWS

All Dear God,

Thank you so much

for bringing us to this time and place.

Please be with us

as we listen, pray, and learn. And help us remember that you will always love us.

Amen.

The Collect of the Day

BCP p. 211

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Merciful God, who sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may greet with joy the coming of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and

the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

Scripture Acclamation

In excelsis Deo arr. Greg Gilpin (b. 1964)

In excelsis Deo, singing glory, hallelu!

—Traditional text

The Reading Luke 3:1-6

Please be seated.

Reader A Reading from the Gospel according to Luke.

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was ruler of Galilee, and his brother Philip ruler of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias ruler of Abilene, during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John son of Zechariah in the wilderness. He went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah,

"The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:

'Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Every valley shall be filled,

and every mountain and hill shall be made low,

and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.'"

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

Response

The Rev. Matthew A. Welsch Priest for Youth and Family The Creed Tows

Please stand as you are able.

All I believe in God the Father, who has made me and all the world.

I believe in God the Son, who loves me and saves me.

I believe in God the Holy Spirit, who is in me and all creation. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

TCWS, based on BCP p. 383

Preacher Let us join together in prayer either out loud or silently.

Let us pray for the Church-for our bishops, priests, deacons, and all who follow Jesus.

We say, "God, inspire us to be your Church."

People God, inspire us to be your Church.

Preacher Let us pray for our country-for the president, our governor, and our mayor-and all who

lead in our communities.

We say, "God, guide our leaders."

People God, guide our leaders.

Preacher Let us pray for our community—for our families, our neighbors, our city.

We say, "God, bless and protect our community."

People God, bless and protect our community.

Preacher Let us pray for the world—for all plants and animals, for the seas and skies, for all people

around the world. We pray especially for people or animals who are sick or need help.

For whom do we pray?

Pause

We say, "God, bless the whole earth."

People God, bless the whole earth.

Preacher Let us pray for people or situations that concern or worry us. What worries can we share

with God?

Pause

We say, "Help us, God, we trust in you."

People Help us, God, we trust in you.

Preacher Let us now say thank you to God for all the good things that happen in our lives. Are there

any special things that we are grateful for?

Pause

We say, "Thank you so much, God!"

People Thank you so much, God!

Celebrant And finally let us gather all our prayers into one: Gracious God, accept the prayers of your

people: the things we pray for out loud and the things we pray for in our hearts. We pray in

Jesus' name.

All Amen.

Confession and Absolution

TCWS, based on BCP p. 360

Celebrant Let us confess our sins to God and one another.

All Loving God,

Sometimes we do things we shouldn't do.

Sometimes we don't do the things we should do.

We are sorry.

Forgive us for our mistakes. Help us make good choices. And remind us that you love us.

Celebrant Dear friends: the good news is that God will always love you—and all of us—no matter what!

And may God-Father, Son, and Holy Spirit-forgive you now and always.

All Amen.

The Peace BCP p. 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

 $The \textit{ People greet one another in the name of the Lord; in this season, we suggest a \textit{bow, wave, or other appropriate gesture.} \\$

Announcements

Please be seated.

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

Please place your offering in the basket at the rear of the hall as you exit the service.

Visit trinitywallstreet.org/donate for additional ways to make an offering.

Offertory Anthem

There's a Voice in the Wilderness

Ascension, Henry Hugh Bancroft (1904-1988)

There's a voice in the wilderness crying, a call from the ways untrod:
Prepare in the desert a highway, a highway for our God!
The valleys shall be exalted, the lofty hills brought low; make straight all the crooked places where the Lord our God may go!

O Zion, that bringest good tidings, get thee up to the heights and sing!
Proclaim to a desolate people
the coming of their King.
Like the flowers of the field they perish,
like grass our works decay,
the power and pomp of nations
shall pass like a dream away;

but the word of our God endureth, the arm of the Lord is strong; he stands in the midst of nations, and he will right the wrong. He shall feed his flock like a shepherd, the lambs he'll gently hold; to pastures of peace he'll lead them, and bring them safe to his fold.

-James Lewis Milligan (1876-1961)

The Great Thanksgiving

TCWS/CW:AEP

Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant God of hope: we say thank you

Because you have always kept your promises to your people.

We especially thank you for the gift of your Son, Jesus.

As the days get colder and the nights get longer,

We wait with joy

Because you promised us that Jesus will return.

As we prepare to welcome Jesus into our hearts,

We join saints and angels to sing the song of your people:

Sanctus EOW p. 57

All Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Please continue standing as you are able.

Celebrant God of faith: you created the whole universe

And you love each and every one of us, your children.

You sent your Son Jesus to us,

To walk with us and bring us into life.

In ancient times, you inspired your prophets to tell stories about him.

You sent your angels to announce his birth.

When Mary his mother held the son of God in her arms,

She sang him songs about your love.

Jesus taught us how to love one another

the way you love us.

When Jesus died and rose to new life,

He promised to return to us, And to stay with us forever.

We thank you, God, because Jesus will come again.

All Help us welcome Jesus into our hearts.

Celebrant On the night before he died,

Jesus shared a meal with his friends.

He took the bread, and thanked you. He broke it, and gave it to them, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this to remember me.

After the meal, Jesus took the cup of wine. He thanked you, and gave it to them, saying:

Drink this, all of you. This is my blood,

The new promise of God's unfailing love.

Do this to remember me.

And so we remember:

Jesus Christ has died.

People Jesus Christ has died.

Celebrant Jesus Christ is alive.People Jesus Christ is alive.

Celebrant Jesus Christ will come again.

People Jesus Christ will come again.

Celebrant God of Joy,

We have gathered around this table To celebrate and give you thanks.

Send your Holy Spirit to make this bread and wine the Body and Blood of your Son.

And send your Spirit upon us, too,

So that, as we share this holy meal, we can remember

that we are your holy people.

God of Peace, stay with us while we wait.

Remind us of your promises to us. And help us to always give you thanks. Until, at last, when Jesus comes again,

We can sing, dance, and play around your table

With him and all your saints and angels.

We pray all of this in the name of Jesus.

By him, with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

We worship you for ever and ever.

All AMEN.

The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364*

Celebrant And now, we pray using the prayer that Jesus taught us, saying:

All Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done,

on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

The Fraction and Invitation

BCP p. 364/St. Augustine (1 Corinthians)

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. Silence is kept.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Behold what you are.

People May we become what we receive.

Please be seated.

Clergy will distribute communion in one kind—bread only—and will come directly to you where you are seated. Please stand to receive the host.

Communion Anthem

Christ Hath a Garden

Eleanor Daley (b. 1955)

Christ hath a garden walled around, A Paradise of fruitful ground, Chosen by love and fenced by grace From out the world's wide wilderness.

Like trees of spice his servants stand, There planted by his mighty hand; By Eden's gracious streams, that flow To feed their beauty where they grow.

Awake, O wind of heav'n, and bear Their sweetest perfume through the air: Stir up, O south, the boughs that bloom, Till the beloved Master come:

That he may come, and linger yet Among the trees that he hath set; That he may evermore be seen To walk among the springing green.

-Robert Bridges

Concluding Rite

Post-Communion Prayer

TCWS

Please stand as you are able.

All Loving God,

in this holy meal,

you have reminded us that we are all your children,

members of your Great Family.

As we leave this place,

keep us safe, help us to grow,

and inspire us to share your love with the world.

Amen.

The Blessing Bos p. 23

Celebrant May the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from before your path;

and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you,

and remain with you always.

All Amen.

Closing Prayer Tows

All God be in my head,

God be in my heart.
God be in my left hand,
God be in my right hand,
God be in my whole life.
Thanks be to God!

Closing Hymn

Comfort, Comfort Ye My People

Psalm 42, melody Claude Goudimel (1514-1572)

Dismissal BCP p. 366

After the Dismissal, please be seated.

The ushers will dismiss the congregation row by row, from front to back. Please exit as directed.

Preacher Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

You are encouraged to take this bulletin with you.

Announcements

TRINITY CHURCH | BROADWAY AT WALL STREET ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL | BROADWAY AND FULTON STREET

FOR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS

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Welcome! We're glad you've joined us today. To learn more about membership, baptism, or confirmation, or to receive emails about upcoming Trinity events, visit trinitywallstreet.org/connect or text "TRINITY" to 28259.

TODAY

Discovery: The Worldview of Desmond Tutu 10am, Trinity Commons, Online

Spirituality, Christian Identity and Leadership
The Very Rev. Dr. Michael Battle, Professor of
Church and Society and Director of the Desmond
Tutu Center at The General Theological Seminary,
joins the Trinity community for a three-week series
based on his new book, Desmond Tutu: A Spiritual
Autobiography of South Africa's Confessor. Learn
more and register: trinitywallstreet.org/discovery.

Communion and Community 1–3pm, Parish Hall, Zoom

Discerning Trinity's Call in a Changed World We heartily invite parishioners to this spiritual exercise in personal and community formation. Special guest: Parker Palmer. Information: trinitywallstreet.org/communion.

EVERY SUNDAY

Children's Time | 10am; Online | Families with children in Pre-K through 5th grade are invited to explore faith stories and practices together from home. We'll begin each interactive session with an assembly time together and then children can choose to stay for Godly Play storytelling or join a breakout peer group where we'll dig into the week's liturgical themes. Learn more and register at trinitywallstreet. org/children.



The Gospel, *Times, Journal*, and You | *10am; Online* A weekly discussion group that reads the editorial pages of *The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal*, and the appointed Gospel for the day. To join, email GospelTimesJournalAndYou@gmail.com.

Holy Eucharist Watch Party | 10:30am–12:30pm; Online | Catch up with fellow parishioners and watch the 11:15am Holy Eucharist together. To join, email Kyle Folk-Freund at KFolk-Freund@trinitywallstreet.org.

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Delve Deeper

The Broad Way Bible Study | Mondays, Ipm; Online Grab your lunch and join Bob Scott online for lively discussion and fellowship. To join, please email Bob Scott at BScott@trinitywallstreet.org.

Expand and Explore Your Spirituality

Scripture, Reflection, & Compline | *Tuesdays*, 6pm; Online | Gather online for midweek spiritual nourishment and fellowship in gentle community. We'll read the coming Sunday's scripture, reflect and share insights, and close in prayer. To join, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org.

Contemplative Practice with Poetry | Wednesdays, 6:30pm; Online | Join for a practice of guided meditation and contemplative reflection with poets and artists, for mutual spiritual support and growth, led by spiritual directors John Deuel and Dr. Kathy Bozzuti-Jones. To sign up, email ChristianFormation@trinitywallstreet.org.

Enjoy the Company of Others

Trinity Youth Group | *Wednesdays through December 22, 6–8pm; Trinity Commons* | Trinity Youth Group meets to eat dinner, play games, and talk about what's on our minds—supported by our beliefs and by one another. Proof of vaccination is required. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/youth.

New Beginnings | Thursdays, 9:45am; Online
Trinity's ministry of seniors meets weekly for online
chair yoga and Bible study. Chair yoga runs from
9:45–10:30am and Bible study starts at 11am—you're
welcome to join for either or both. In between, we'll
spend time together and catch up on the week.
To join, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org.

THIS WEEK

Monday, December 6

Environmental Justice Subcommittee 6pm, Online

Hear Heather Bruegl (Oneida/Stockbridge-Munsee), Director of Education at Forge Project, talk about regenerative use of the land, as well as how we might start to think about writing a land acknowledgment since the Lenape people were the original inhabitants of Manhattan. The Environmental Justice subcommittee is a faith-based group that examines and takes action around the most pressing problems of climate change and environmental justice. Register at trinitywallstreet. org/environmentaljustice.

Wednesday, December 8

Rising Ground Lecture

5:30pm, Online

The Evolution of Support of Social Welfare
As part of a series of programs to mark its 190th
anniversary, longtime Trinity partner Rising
Ground presents a discussion and exploration of
the history of programs for the welfare of New
York City's children, families, and vulnerable
populations, and the evolving methods of financing
those programs. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/
risingground.

Thursday, December 9

Seeing and Seeking The Light in the Darkness Thursday, December 9, 6:30–8pm, Online

As we embrace the winter season, solstice, and the holidays, we know many faith traditions celebrate this time with symbols of light. Join us for this session as we look at various rituals of light and use creative expression to explore how to seek and find our own lightness of being in dark times, through poetry, movement, imagery, and art-making. Facilitated by Julia Kristeller of Psychotherapy and Spirituality Institute. To register, visit trinitywallstreet.org/PSI_Light.

Friday, December 10

Exploring the Life of Desmond Tutu

6:30pm, Trinity Church, Online

An Evening with Thandeku Tutu & Dr. Michael Battle Thandeka Tutu joins the Very Rev. Dr. Michael Battle of The General Theological Seminary to explore the spiritual leadership and life of Archbishop Desmond Tutu. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/tutu.

NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity Young Adults Sunday Brunch Following the 11:15am Service

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Young adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to join the Trinity Young Adults group for brunch following the 11:15am service. If you'd like to join, meet in the courtyard following the service, and we'll walk together to a local restaurant. For more information about the group and to learn about future events, email TrinityChurchYoungAdults@gmail.com.

COMING SOON

Downtown Voices Compline

Sunday, December 12, 8pm, Trinity Church

This reflective, candlelit evening service will feature Pärt's *7 Magnificat-Antiphonen*, sung by Trinity's semi-professional choir Downtown Voices with conductor Stephen Sands.

Breaking Bread: A Reflective Conversation Sunday, December 19, 1:30pm, Online

The Breaking Bread gatherings use the imagery of table fellowship to explore reflective conversations that nurture our growth in God. Join us this Advent season as we delve into our relationship with waiting. For more information, contact Kyle Folk-Freund at KFolk-Freund@trinitywallstreet.org. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/breakingbread.

Chorister Compline

Sunday, December 19, 8pm, Trinity Church

Continuing the beloved annual tradition, the Trinity Youth Chorus presents Benjamin Britten's festive *A Ceremony of Carols* at this December candlelit Compline service. Performed by Trinity's talented choristers, this popular masterpiece juxtaposes ancient and modern as Renaissance texts and plainchant intersect with Britten's sonorous and colorful writing in this stunning choral work for treble voices with harp accompaniment.

Congregational Council Nominations

To be eligible for Election: All persons who on the date of an annual election shall have attained the age of 18 years and who, for the period of one year preceding such annual election, shall have been duly enrolled on the Corporation's records as members of the Congregation and shall have partaken of the Holy Communion within said year in the Parish and who shall have contributed to the support of the Parish by a recorded gift of any amount in the preceding year.

When considering a person for nomination please speak with the person to let them know you wish to submit their name for consideration. All nominations should be in writing and directed to the Vicar's Office for the attention of the Congregational Council Nominating & Leadership Development Committee.

Nominations must be received by 12pm on Sunday, December 12, 2021. Please send submissions to Keisha Joseph, Executive Assistant to the Vicar, at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

Congregational Council Nominating and Development Committee: The Rev. Michael Bird, Mr. Donato Mallano, Mr. Scott Evenbeck, Ms. Marie-Florentine Heimann, Ms. Sian Wetherill, Dr. Joyce Coppin Mondesire, Ms. Tina Moya.

Christmas Pop-Up at St. Paul's Chapel Tuesday, December 21, 9am-3pm, St. Paul's Chapel

Join us in packing and distributing winter accessories, cleaning supplies, hygiene kits, and groceries for our Lower Manhattan neighbors in need. This is a great volunteer opportunity for parishioners ages 18 and older! Volunteers will be required to show proof of vaccination before entering our buildings. For more information, visit trinitywallstreet.org/ChristmasPopUp.

BULLETIN BOARD

Poinsettia Dedications

Due December 10

Poinsettias that will decorate Trinity Church for Christmas may be dedicated for a suggested donation of \$25 each. Email Flowers@trinitywallstreet.org by Friday, December 10, to submit your name and a dedication to be printed in the bulletin.

Women's Clothing Drive: LifeWay Network Through December 12

Help Trinity Philanthropies grantee partner LifeWay Network rebuild their Dress for Success closet, which was destroyed during Hurricane Ida. The professional clothing in the Dress for Success closet empowers survivors of human trafficking to rebuild their lives with confidence by securing employment. Trinity has partnered with LifeWay to set up an Amazon Wishlist to restock the closet. To contribute, visit trinity wallstreet.org/clothingdrive. For questions, please contact Alice Wong at AWong@trinitywallstreet.org.

Join the St. Paul's Chapel Choir

The St. Paul's Chapel Choir brings together people who love to sing and who want to be part of a warm and welcoming community. This volunteer ensemble gives singers the opportunity to make music together every month during services in Trinity Church. Directed by Trinity's Associate Organist Janet Yieh, this SATB choir sings a variety of liturgical choral repertoire from traditional Anglican anthems to classical and contemporary music. Auditions are simple and low-pressure. Join us! Email Janet Yieh at JYieh@trinitywallstreet.org to schedule an audition.

Comfort at One

Mondays-Wednesdays, 1pm, Online

This December, we are featuring videos of festive performances—including Handel's *Messiah*, Bach's *Christmas Oratorio*, Community Carol-sing concerts, and more. Mondays—Wednesdays at 1pm, we're sharing performances on Facebook, Twitter, and trinitywallstreet.org/comfortatone.

IN OUR PRAYERS

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To add names to the list, email WorshipBulletin@ trinitywallstreet.org or call 212.602.0800. Names are kept on the list for a month and can be added again upon request.

WE PRAY FOR

Cynthia Cartwright; Norma Rogers; Drew Pardus; Evadné Hodge; Erin Kerr; Goldbourne Browne; Susie Edwards; Ivy Gheler; Valerie Thurab; Darlene Colon (cousin of Lenore Rivera); Candida Rodriguez (mother of Lillian Martir); Kris Seeram (father of Mintrani Seeram); Filomena Grijalvo (mother-in-law of Cora Grijalvo); Eileen Hope; Eleanor Hill; Jack Moody; Roland Stewart; Melba Duncan; Michelle Oosterwal (daughter of Melba Duncan); Francesca Ciuffo and Angelica Ciuffo (granddaughters of Melba Duncan); Timothy Snabes (brother-in-law of Amy Chambers); Ed Morea (friend of Amy Chambers); Matt O'Dell; Kaylynn Rogers (niece of Judy Stachow); Gabriella Steiner (friend of Oliva George); Queenie Joseph (mother-in-law of Lorna Bruce); Elizabeth Melillo; Karen Garcia; Cris Gabarron, and Francis O'Connor (friends of Bill McCue); Bishop David Njovu of the Diocese of Lusaka, Zambia; Virginia "Ginny" Frey (mother of Ruth Frey); Catherine Stanke and her siblings, Dave, Tom and Gloria;

James, Richard; Chris; Craig Reynolds; Wade Fisher; Julie Diaz; Solana Diaz; Lonny Shockley; Barbara Inniss; Roslyn Williams; Chester Johnson; Pauline and Osceola Fletcher (parents of Jacqueline Streets).

DEPARTED Pearl Grady.

IN THE MILITARY

Oliver Barnyak (Alex Burns' friend); Randall Middleton, Christine and Sean Reardon (Evadné Hodge's friends); Paul Watson; Peter Martinez (Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant's friend); Michael Dunn; Gen. Cameron Holt (Katie Basquin's friend); Zane Kupper; Margo Protain (Anesia Protain's sister); Col. Stephen Ryan (friend of Bob Zito); Rob Jones (Megan Jones' brother); SOC Ajay James, USN

Trinity Church Cemetery and Mausoleum

Choosing a final resting place can be a daunting task. Planning for our own and our loved ones' passing is challenging; however, securing a burial option in advance is an act of love and care, providing peace of mind to all involved and greatly reducing stress at the time of passing. The caring staff at Trinity Church Cemetery and Mausoleum is here to compassionately serve and guide you through the process, whether you have an immediate need or are planning. We offer the only active place of burial in Manhattan, with affordable above-ground interment options for people of all faiths.

Trinity Church Cemetery and Mausoleum offers interment options for both cremated and casketed remains. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, the beautiful grounds of the historic cemetery and the modern community mausoleum offer a peaceful, sacred place to visit and honor loved ones who have passed. This is a timeless place of memorial honoring many influential New Yorkers including John Jacob Astor, John James Audubon, Eliza Jumel, Mayor Edward I. Koch, and Governor John Adams Dix.

Learn more and inquire at trinity wallstreet.org/cemetery

Trinity Retreat Center

IN-PERSON RETREATS

January 7–9, 2022 | Core Values Faith Retreat: The Way of God in Wilderness Seasons

February 18–21, 2022 | Presidents Weekend Rest & Renewal Retreat

March 4–6, 2022 | "Love is the Meaning" Julian of Norwich Lenten Retreat

ONLINE OFFERINGS

Join online weekly services streamed live from the center's Facebook page at facebook.com/ trinityretreatcenter:

Weekdays, 8pm | Candlelight Compline

Mondays, 5:30pm | These Trees and Stones: Poems for Living

Saturdays, 12pm | Sacred Pause: Saturday Prayers

Learn more and register at trinityretreatcenter.org



(friend of Bill McCue); **Graham Scarbro, USN** (nephew of Amy Roy); **Helen Guittard** (Stephen Guittard's wife); **Perry Brock.**

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER Pray for the Anglican Church of Burundi.

Congregational Voice

"Understand this, my dear brothers and sisters: You must all be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to get angry" (*James 1:19* NLT). I think this verse is easy to understand. It's plain. One should always listen and be slow to speak. And I would think that if one were to listen more and be not so quick to speak, they'd be slower to anger. —Oscar Clay Maxwell III

Pastoral Care

In case of illness, a death in the family, or other pastoral emergencies, call 917.488.0717 to reach a member of the Pastoral Care Team. For other pastoral needs, call 212.602.0800 and leave a detailed message. Someone will reach out as soon as possible.

Join Us for Worship

Trinity Church
8am, 9am, 11:15am | Holy Eucharist
8pm | Compline by Candlelight

Parish Hall[†] **9:15am** | Family Service

†Enter through Trinity Church gates on Broadway

We're open for in-person worship on Sundays, but you can still join us online for weekday worship, Bible study, meditation, fellowship, and more. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org.

Weekdays Online 8:15am | Morning Prayer 12:05pm | Holy Eucharist 5:15pm | Evening Prayer

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Congregational Council Committee Meetings

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL

CongregationalCouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. The next meeting is **Tuesday**, **December 21**, **6–8pm**, **on Zoom**. RSVP: Keisha Joseph at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

Ministry Night will be held at 6pm, the fourth Tuesdays in September and January. The next ministry night is scheduled for January 25. RSVP: Keisha Joseph at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Arts | Karla Chee-a-tow Community & Hospitality | Regina Jacobs Education | Alistair Cree and Beth Johanning Membership | Prisca Doh Witness & Outreach | Cindy Jay

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

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FLOWERS

Greenery will decorate the church during Advent.

To donate Christmas poinsettias, email Flowers@trinitywallstreet.org by Friday, December 10.

This service is based on The Holy Eucharist Rite Two, which begins on page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP). Scripture readings are appointed by the Revised Common Lectionary, Episcopal (RCL) and are excerpted from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. Other liturgical elements may include materials compiled by Trinity Church staff (TCWS) from publications including Enriching Our Worship (EOW), Common Worship: Additional Eucharistic Prayers (CW:AEP), and other contemporary liturgical resources. An asterisk (*) denotes that the text is adapted from the original source material. Hymns come from The Hymnal 1982, Lift Every Voice and Sing II (LEVAS), Voices Found (VF), My Heart Sings Out (MHSO), and Wonder, Love, and Praise (WLP).

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