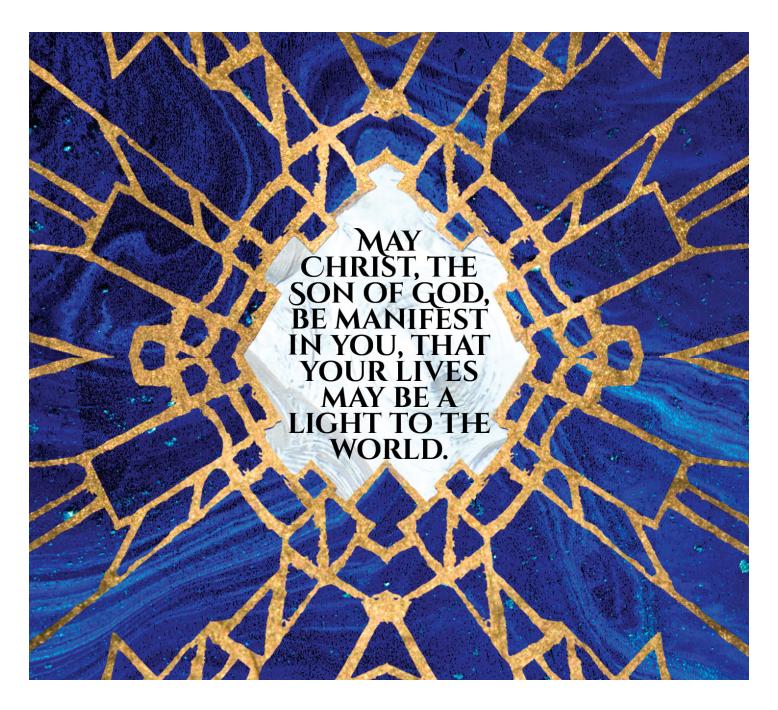
# THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

February 19, 2023, 11:15am





## Welcome to Trinity Church

Welcome to Trinity Church Wall Street, a vibrant and growing Episcopal parish of more than 1,500 members. Over the past 325 years, the fabric of Trinity has been woven by the Spirit from the lives and gifts of diverse people; their desire to live their faith through worship, service, study, and stewardship; and the ever-evolving life of New York City itself.

Our parish is guided by its mission to share God's love for all people. Together, we seek to build relationships with one another and with our neighbors, to cultivate compassion, to deepen our knowledge and spiritual practices, to work for justice rooted in essential human dignity, and to live as conscientious contributors to the life of our city and the Anglican Communion worldwide. As we grow together in service and love, we know ourselves, first and foremost, as followers of Jesus.

We are delighted to welcome you today; thank you for the gift of your participation and prayers. If you are new to Trinity, please introduce yourself to a member of the clergy. All are warmly invited to join us for coffee hour at Parish Hall—behind the church and over the bridge.



# About this Service Transfiguration Sunday

While the feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord is celebrated annually in The Episcopal Church on the fixed date of August 6, the last Sunday after the Epiphany is often informally called "Transfiguration Sunday."

In all three years of the lectionary cycle, the appointed Gospel reading for this final Sunday of Epiphanytide recounts an incident—described by three of the four gospel writers—in which Jesus appears to his disciples Peter, James, and John in dazzling, otherworldly glory on a mountaintop. Christ's dramatic revelation as the Son of God is a fitting culmination to the scriptural arc of the Epiphany season, which focuses on the many ways in which Jesus manifested his divinity while in human form. The liturgical vestments used on this day are, appropriately, white.

Traditionally, "alleluia, alleluia" is added to the dismissal, since that word will not appear again in services until the Great Vigil of Easter.

 $Sources: Book\ of\ Common\ Prayer,\ Revised\ Common\ Lectionary,\ An\ Episcopal\ Dictionary\ of\ the\ Church,\ A\ Priest's\ Handbook:\ The\ Ceremonies\ of\ the\ Church,\ TCWS\ liturgical\ staff$ 

## Preparation

Masks are welcome and encouraged but not required. We have masks available for those who wish to wear one.

## Prelude

Concerto in D Minor, BWV 1052: I. Allegro

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

At the sound of the bell, please stand.



Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt.

Music: *Ratisbon*, melody from *Geystliche gesangk Buchleyn*, 1524; adapt. att. Willam Henry Havergal (1793-1870); harm. William Henry Havergal, alt.

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.

## Collect for Purity

BCP p. 355\*

All Almighty God,

to you all hearts are open,

all desires known,

and from you no secrets are hid:

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts

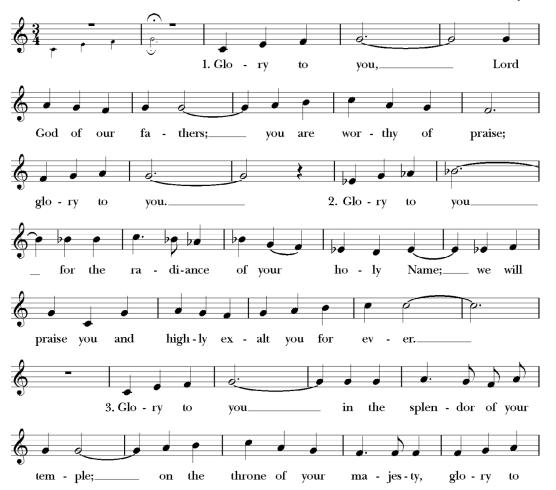
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,

that we may perfectly love you,

and worthily magnify your holy Name;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gloria Hymnal S 236





Words: Canticle 13, A Song of Praise: *Benedictus es, Domine* Music: John Rutter (b. 1945)

## The Collect of the Day

BCP p. 217

Celebrant God be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only-begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

Please be seated.

## The Word of God

## The First Reading

Exodus 24:12-18

Reader

A Reading from the Book of Exodus.

The LORD said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them."

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the LORD settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

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

People

Thanks be to God.

The Psalm Psalm 99 BCP p. 728

Said antiphonally, alternating between the Leader and People.

Leader The LORD is King;

let the people tremble; \*

he is enthroned upon the cherubim;

let the earth shake.

People The LORD is great in Zion; \*

he is high above all peoples.

Leader Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; \*

he is the Holy One.

People "O mighty King, lover of justice,

you have established equity; \*

you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."

Leader Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God

and fall down before his footstool; \*

he is the Holy One.

People Moses and Aaron among his priests,

and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, \*

they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.

Leader He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; \*

they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.

People "O LORD our God, you answered them indeed; \*

you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds."

Leader Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God

and worship him upon his holy hill;  $^{\ast}$ 

for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

## The Second Reading

2 Peter 1:16-21

Reader

A Reading from the Second Letter of Peter.

We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

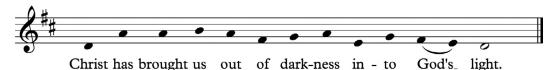
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## Gradual

Please stand.



Choir Christ has brought us out of darkness into God's light.

All Christ has brought us out of darkness into God's light.

Choir Bow your heavens, O Lord, and come down; touch the mountains, and they shall smoke.

All Christ has brought us out of darkness into God's light.

Words: Psalm 144:5 Refrain: based on 1 Peter 2:9

## The Holy Gospel

Matthew 17:1-9

Please turn to face the Gospel as it passes.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon Six days after Peter had acknowledged Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the living God, Jesus

took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." And when they looked up, they saw no one

except Jesus himself alone.

As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision

until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Michael A. Bird Vicar

## The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358\*

Please stand.

Celebrant Let us stand and profess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

All We believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made,

of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## Litany of Healing

BOS p. 167\*

Let us name before God those for whom we offer our prayers.

The People name those for whom they are interceding, either silently or aloud.

God the Father, your will for all people is health and salvation;

People We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader God the Son, you came that we might have life, and might have it more abundantly;

People We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader God the Holy Spirit, you make our bodies the temple of your presence;

People We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader Holy Trinity, one God, in you we live and move and have our being;

People We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader Lord, grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or infirm, that they may be

made whole;

People Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader Grant to all who seek your guidance, and to all who are lonely, anxious, or despondent,

a knowledge of your will and an awareness of your presence;

People Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to soundness of mind

and serenity of spirit;

People Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader Bless physicians, nurses, and all others who minister to the suffering, granting them

wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience;

People Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader Grant to the dying peace and a holy death, and uphold by the grace and consolation of your

Holy Spirit those who are bereaved;

People Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader Restore to wholeness whatever is broken by human sin, in our lives, in our nation,

and in the world;

People Hear us, O Lord of life.

Leader You are the Lord who does wonders:

People You have declared your power among the peoples.

Leader With you, O Lord, is the well of life: People And in your light we see light.

Leader Hear us, O Lord of life:

People Heal us, and make us whole.

Leader Let us pray.

A period of silence follows.

Celebrant Almighty God, giver of life and health: Send your blessing on all who are sick, and upon

those who minister to them, that all weakness may be vanquished by the triumph of the

risen Christ; who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

All Amen.

## Confession and Absolution

BCP p. 360

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence

All Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us;

that we may delight in your will,

and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ,

strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

All Amen.

The Peace BCP p. 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

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

## Welcome

Please be seated.

## The Holy Communion

## The Offertory

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

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

## Offertory Anthem

I Believe This is Jesus

Spiritual, arr. Undine Smith Moore (1904-1989)

I believe this is Jesus;

Come and see, oh, come and see.

The light of God shines in his face,

He offers all his pard'ning grace;

Come and see, oh, come and see.

Yes, yes, yes, Lord!

Oh, I believe this is Jesus;

Come and see, come and see.

-Traditional

## Censing of the Gifts

Please stand.

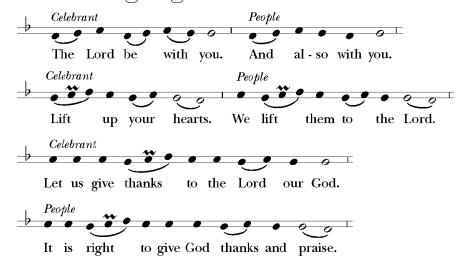
Dirigatur oratio mea sicut incensum in conspectu tuo.

Let my prayer be set forth in thy sight as incense.

-Psalm 141:2

## The Great Thanksgiving

BCP p. 367/p. 378



Celebrant

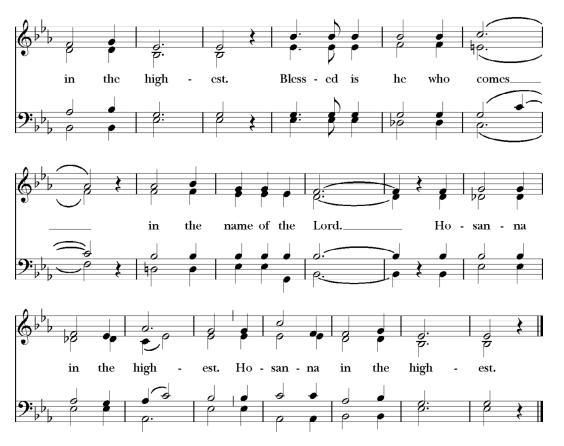
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## Sanctus and Benedictus

Hymnal S 130





Music: from Deutsche Messe, Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (1937-2010)

Please continue standing or kneel.

Celebrant

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

All We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

Celebrant

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

All



## The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364

Celebrant

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

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.

Communion will be distributed at stations at the front of the aisles. If you need communion brought to you, please let an usher or sacristan know.

It is our custom to receive the bread in the upturned palms of our hands, and eat it immediately. Gluten-free wafers are available; please let the minister know that you need one.

If you do not wish to receive communion you are invited to come forward to receive a blessing, indicating your desire by crossing your arms over your chest.

After receiving communion or a blessing, you may go to the Chapel of All Saints for anointing and healing prayers with members of the clergy.

## Communion Anthem

The Transfiguration

Larry King (1932-1990)

Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John, and led them up a high mountain where they could be alone. There in their presence he was transfigured; his face shone as the sun, and his clothes became as white as the light. Suddenly Moses and Elijah appeared to them; a bright cloud covered them with a shadow, and from the cloud there came a voice which said: This is my Son, the Chosen One; listen to him.

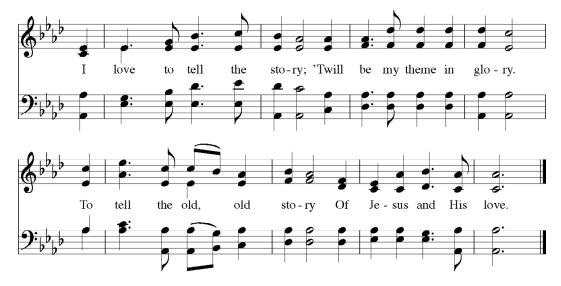
-Matthew 17:1-5

#### LEVAS 64

## Communion Hymn

 ${\it Please join in singing and stand at the last verse.}$ 





Words: A. Katherine Hankey (1831-1911) Music: William G. Fischer (1835-1912)

## Post-Communion Prayer

BCP p. 365

All Eternal God, heavenly Father,

you have graciously accepted us as living members

of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,

and you have fed us with spiritual food

in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.

Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage

to love and serve you

with gladness and singleness of heart;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

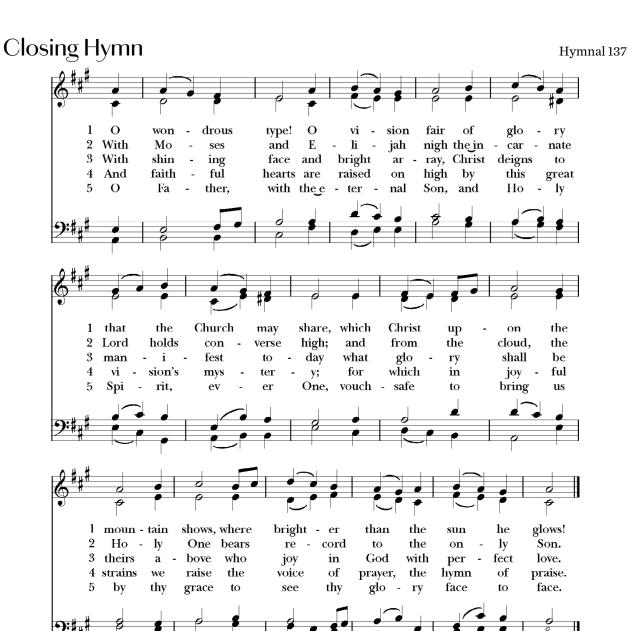
The Blessing Bos p. 24

Celebrant May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the world;

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

and remain with you always.

All Amen.



Words: Latin, 15th cent.; tr. *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1861, after John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt. Music: *Wareham*, melody William Knapp (1698-1768); alt.; harm. *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1875, after James Turle (1802-1882)

Dismissal BCP p. 366

After the Dismissal, you are welcome to leave quietly.

Please join Coffee Hour (exit through the nave and over the pedestrian bridge to the Parish Hall), or exit through the north vestibule (to your left as you depart facing Broadway).

If you would like to remain in your seat to listen to the Postlude, please do.

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

## Postlude

Concerto in D Minor, BWV 1052: III. Allegro

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

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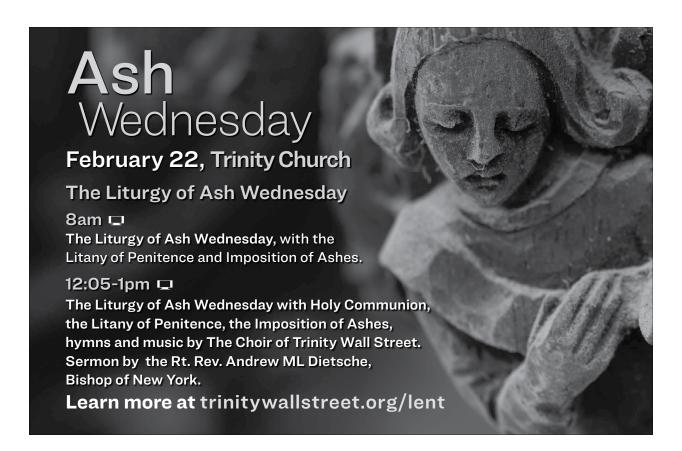


## Tuesday, February 21 | 6-8:30pm | St. Paul's Chapel

Join the Trinity parish for a festive Mardi Gras celebration before we begin our Lenten fast and preparation for Easter.

We'll have live music, dancing, and fun and games for everyone—including kids!—and we'll burn the palms for Ash Wednesday.

trinitywallstreet.org/mardigras



## YOUTH CONFIRMATION CLASS



## Sundays, March 12-May 21 10-11am, Trinity Commons

Youth Confirmation prepares youth to make a mature articulation of faith and receive the laying on of hands from the Bishop as they commit themselves to the Christian life. Trinity Youth in 8th grade and above considering confirmation will be expected to participate in Bible & Bagels, the Spring Youth Retreat, and Trinity's observation of Holy Week. The service of Confirmation will take place on Sunday, May 28, 2023.

Register at: trinitywallstreet.org/confirmation



# Married *Life*

## A Five-Week Series

Wednesdays in March 6:30-8pm, Trinity Commons

Every person wants to feel loved, understood, and appreciated. This five-week series for couples will focus on developing tools and techniques to increase connection, resolve conflict, and support healthy companionship. Sessions will cover a range of topics including intimacy, conflict, and communication. A light meal will be available starting at 6pm.

RSVP at trinitywallstreet.org/marriedlife



# Living with Loss

Grief is a deeply personal process but does not have to be endured alone. This six-week online support group will facilitate reflection and expression to help us cope with loss.

WEDNESDAYS | MARCH 15-APRIL 26 (NO SESSION APRIL 5) 6:30-8PM | ONLINE

REGISTER AT TRINITYWALLSTREET.ORG/LOSS

## Announcements

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

# FOR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS



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.

Nursery Care | Infants and Toddlers | Available during the 9am and 11:15am worship services
The nursery is located across the pedestrian bridge in Trinity Commons. Feel free to ask an usher to show the way. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/children.

## **TODAY**

#### Discovery

#### 10am, Trinity Commons

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Spiritual Friendship: God's Love in Community
In this series we'll explore God's love in community,
with special emphasis on the relationship between
Teresa of Ávila and St. John of the Cross. TODAY:
Spiritual Friendship and Mysticism with Mirabai
Starr, teacher and author of Wild Mercy: Living the
Fierce and Tender Wisdom of the Women Mystics.

#### **Healing Prayer**

#### During 11:15am Service, The Chapel of All Saints

We believe Jesus' offering of himself for the salvation of the world was and is his great act of healing; the power of that act is extended to us every time we celebrate the Holy Eucharist and receive Communion. But healing individuals' sickness, wounds, hurts, and brokenness was also a principal feature of Jesus' ministry, and we consider offering prayers to God in our search for healing an appropriate and holy endeavor. At Trinity Church we especially offer prayers for healing and wholeness on the third Sunday of every month. After receiving Communion, those who wish may come to The Chapel of All Saints for laying-on of hands and anointing by the clergy.

#### **Trinity Knitters**

#### 12:30-2:30pm, Trinity Commons

Are you an experienced knitter, new to the craft, or somewhere in between? Trinity Knitters welcomes you to gather and knit or crochet together, discuss projects, share advice, and enjoy each other's company. Open to all. To join, email TrinityKnitters@gmail.com.

## Trinity Young Adults Sunday Brunch 12:30–3pm, Trinity Commons

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 back of the church following the service, and we'll walk across the bridge to the Commons. For more information, email TrinityChurchYoungAdults@gmail.com.

## **EVERY SUNDAY**

Children's Time | 10am; Trinity Commons | Children in Pre-K-5th grade are invited to learn and play together Sunday mornings. To register, visit 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.

## **EVERY WEEK**

## **Delve Deeper**

The Broad Way Bible Study | Mondays, 1pm; Online Grab your lunch and join Bob Scott online for lively discussion and fellowship. To join, please email TheBroadWay@trinitywallstreet.org.



## **Expand and Explore Your Spirituality**

Scripture, Reflection, and 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. No session will be held on Tuesday, February 21.

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**

The Sister Is In | Weekdays, 10:30–11:45am; Trinity Church | A Sister of St. Margaret is available for anyone who needs to talk, pray, or just sit quietly with someone.

New Beginnings | Thursdays, 9:30am-2:30pm; Trinity Commons and Online | Trinity's ministry of seniors meets weekly for chair yoga, Bible study, 12:05pm Holy Eucharist, and lunch. To join, in person or online, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org.

Trinity Youth Afterschool | Weekdays, 2:30-6pm; Trinity Commons | From basketball and mindfulness to test prep and advocacy, Trinity Youth Afterschool offers sports, arts, academics, and other activities for youth. All activities are free and open to grades 6-12. See the schedule and sign up at trinity wallstreet. org/youth. Questions? Contact SK Doyle at SDoyle@ trinitywallstreet.org.

**Trinity Youth Group** | *Wednesdays*, 6–8pm; Trinity Commons | Trinity Youth Group meets each Wednesday to take time to eat dinner, play games, and talk about what's on our minds—supported by our beliefs and by one another. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/youth.

## THIS WEFK

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#### Poets' Corner

#### 7-8pm, Trinity Commons

Everyone is invited to Poets' Corner, a forum of poets and writers who share their composed works, on the third Tuesday of each month. Bring verses or songs you have written, and the group will gladly discuss the merits of the works. RSVP to Melissa Mistry at MMistry@trinitywallstreet.org.

## Wednesday, February 22

## Liturgy of Ash Wednesday 8am, Trinity Church and Online

The Liturgy of Ash Wednesday, with the Litany of Penitence and Imposition of Ashes.

## Liturgy of Ash Wednesday

12:05pm, Trinity Church and Online

The Liturgy of Ash Wednesday, with Holy Communion, the Litany of Penitence, the Imposition of Ashes, hymns, and music by The Choir of Trinity Wall Street. Sermon by The Rt. Rev. Andrew ML Dietsche, Bishop of New York. For more information, visit trinitywallstreet.org/lent.

## Thursday, February 23

## A Blues People: The Black Experience and the Evolution of the Blues

#### 6-8pm, Trinity Commons

Join us in the Trinity Commons lower lobby to celebrate Black History Month. Storyteller and performance poet Mo Beasley and guitarist Apache Brown will lead you on a historical journey from the Mississippi Delta to Memphis, Chicago, and all points in-between where Blues music and its people have left their indelible marks on U.S. soil. Stories inspired by unsung people, families, and workers link music and the African American experience. Enjoy an evening of live performance and light refreshments with friends and community members.

## Trinity Men: Soup, Sandwich & Spirituality 6:30–7:30pm, Trinity Commons

Join men from Trinity for a discussion on topics related to living a life of faith and service in the city. To RSVP, email TrinityChurchMen@gmail.com.

## Friday, February 24 Trinity Book Club

6:30-7:30pm, Online

Trinity Book Club meets weekly to discuss the mysteries of the Christian faith through the medium of literature. Past books have included *Spirituality of the Psalms* by Walter Brueggemann, *Mysteries of Faith* by Mark McIntosh, and *Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again* by Rachel Held Evans. During this session, we'll read *The Return of the Prodigal Son* by Henri Nouwen. For information, visit trinitywallstreet.org/bookclub.

## **NEXT SUNDAY**

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## Lenten Workshop for Children and Families Sunday, February 26, 10–11am, Trinity Commons

Children with their families are invited to attend Children's Time together for a Lenten workshop and breakfast. Create Lenten practice items as a family to use in your home observances, and be inspired to try different types of prayer together with *Sparrow's Prayer*, a new book by Roger Hutchison with illustrations by Ag Jatkowska. Breakfast will be served, and every family will receive a copy of the book. To register for Children's Time, visit trinitywallstreet.org/children.

## Congregational Council Nominations

The Congregational Nominating & Leadership Development Committee is pleased to place on the ballot the persons listed below for election to five positions on the Congregational Council. Candidates for the 2023–2026 Congregational Council are:

- · Heather Daly
- Iya Antoinette Emers
- Jim Hopkins
- · Regina Jacobs
- · Sian Wetherill

Furthermore, we are pleased to present the names of nominees to serve as delegates to the 2023 Diocesan Convention. Nominees for delegates to Diocesan Convention:

- Felicia Stenhouse Eve
- Scott Evenbeck
- Eleanor Withers

A Meet the Candidates forum will be held at 12:45pm on Sunday, February 26, in the Parish Hall. Voting will take place in person after all three services on March 5, and the results will be announced at 12:45pm that afternoon at the Annual Meeting of the Congregation in the Parish Hall.

#### Discovery

#### Sunday, February 26, 10am, Trinity Commons

Unity, Forgiveness, and Talking Across Difference How do we resolve conflict and act as one body when we're so different from one another? Learn more and register at trinitywallstreet.org/discovery.

## Compline by Candlelight: Downtown Voices Sunday, February 26, 8pm, St. Paul's Chapel

Downtown Voices, The Choir of Trinity Wall Street, and conductor Stephen Sands will present a special Compline by Candlelight featuring Caroline Shaw's *To the Hands*. During Lent our concerts will explore empathy for others' suffering and the hope that Easter and Christ's return bring. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/music.

## **COMING SOON**

## Neighborhood Support Town Hall

Wednesday, March 1, 4-5pm, Online

Join Trinity Church Wall Street for a free virtual Town Hall to launch our Neighborhood Support grantmaking program. This Town Hall will be a rollout session that outlines Neighborhood Support's goals for this new funding area and provides additional details about our grantmaking process, elaborating on our vision of an emotionally-well Lower Manhattan community with a focus on the emotional health of children from prenatal development to age 21. A Q&A session will follow. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/townhall.

#### **Married Life**

Wednesdays, March 1-29, 6:30-8pm, Trinity Commons

Every person wants to feel loved, understood, and appreciated. This five-week series for couples will focus on developing tools and techniques to increase connection, resolve conflict, and support healthy companionship. Sessions will cover a range of topics including intimacy, conflict, and communication. A light meal will be available starting at 6pm. For more information, contact the Pastoral Care team at PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org. RSVP at trinitywallstreet.org/marriedlife.

#### Living with Loss

Wednesdays, March 15–April 26, 6:30–8pm, Online Grief is a deeply personal process but does not have to be endured alone. This six-week online support group will facilitate reflection and expression to help us cope with loss. No session will be held April 5, during Holy Week and Passover. For more information, contact the Pastoral Care team at PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/loss.

#### **Spring Youth Retreat**

#### March 17-19, Trinity Retreat Center

Register for a Trinity Youth weekend at the Trinity Retreat Center. We'll have time for games, hiking, s'mores, and more. Come and hang out with other Trinity Youth, Trinity Youth Staff—and, of course, the Trinity Retreat Center donkeys. Transportation will be provided by Trinity. This program is open to all Trinity Youth and is required for youth preparing for Confirmation in May. For questions, email Fr. Matt at MWelsch@trinitywallstreet.org. Register by March 8 at trinitywallstreet.org/youthspring.

## **Trinity Retreat Center**

West Cornwall, Connecticut

#### 2023 Retreats

Head to West Cornwall, CT, for in-person retreats on spiritual themes and holidays. From the arts to creation and contemplation, from Celebrating Blackness to Thanksgiving feasts, explore our offerings and book early—or bring your group or plan a personal retreat to enjoy all the retreat center has to offer. Learn more and register at trinityreteatcenter.org.

#### **SELECT IN-PERSON RETREATS**

March 3-5 Lenten Retreat

April 6-9 Easter Retreat

#### **ONLINE OFFERINGS**

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

Weekdays, 8pm Candlelight Compline

Saturdays, 12pm Sacred Pause:

Saturday Prayers

See the full schedule and register at trinityretreatcenter.org

## Pack Meals with New York Haiti Project Saturday, March 18, 7:15–10:15am

Join our friends at The New York Haiti Project and The Haitian Episcopal Church of the Good Samaritan in the Bronx to pack 50,000 meals to benefit St. Luke's Episcopal School in Martel, Haiti—where food prices have skyrocketed amid political and social conflict. Trinity has committed to a two-hour morning shift. Transportation and breakfast will be provided from Trinity Commons; bus leaves 76 Trinity Place at 7:15am to arrive in the Bronx by 8am, and will leave to return to Trinity Commons at 10:15am. RSVP to Melissa Mistry at MMistry@trinitywallstreet.org by March 3. For more information, visit trinitywallstreet.org/NYHaitiProject.

## **BULLETIN BOARD**

## Trinity Commons Open Hours Weekdays, 10am-2pm, Trinity Commons

Recharge and Connect in Community
All are welcome to connect and recharge at the
Trinity Commons Lower Lobby. Throughout
the workweek, community members can access
computers and complimentary WiFi, enjoy light
refreshments, participate in arts and crafts, and
listen to talks and music. Contact Kimberly Westcott
at KWestcott@trinitywallstreet.org for more
information.

#### Be a Trinity Ambassador!

Share your gift of hospitality and love for Trinity with all who cross our threshold. Ambassadors are needed to welcome guests to Trinity Church, St. Paul's Chapel, and Trinity Commons in two-hour shifts from 10am–4pm on weekdays. Only two shifts every three months are required and training is provided. Learn more by contacting Maggy Laraque at TrinityAmbassadors@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### Join Downtown Voices

#### Wednesday, March 22, Trinity Church

Downtown Voices, our semiprofessional choir, is now accepting new high-level volunteer singers. Auditions will take place on March 22. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/downtownvoices.

#### Join Trinity's Worship Leader Team

New volunteers are always welcome to support our worship during Sunday services. We are currently recruiting volunteers ages 12 and up for the 8am and 11:15am services and all ages for the 9am service. Roles include crucifers, greeters, lectors, subdeacons, thurifers, torch bearers, and ushers. Adult volunteers are required to complete a background screening and Ministry Safe training. For more information, contact Dane Miller at Sacristans@trinitywallstreet.org.



## IN OUR PRAYERS

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; Eileen Hope; Jack Moody; Roland Stewart; Elizabeth Melillo; Roslyn Williams; Patti Bovers; Irene Horvath; Nola Mayers; Diana Foote; Candida Rodriguez (mother of Lillian Martir); Kris Seeram (father of Mintrani Seeram); Filomena Grijalvo (mother-in-law of Cora Grijalvo); Virginia "Ginny" Frey (mother of Ruth Frey); Melba Duncan; Michelle Oosterwal (daughter of Melba Duncan); Francesca Ciuffo and Angelica Ciuffo (granddaughters of Melba Duncan); Adrianna LaFia (grandniece of Al DiRaffaele); Scott Tallent (brother of Andrea Tallent); Joy George; Emily Presley (friend of Julie Shahroudi); Polly Yee (friend of Sovannary Tan); the Rev. Mark Nestlehutt; Patty Trovato (mother of Adriana Ortiz); Brian Pottinger and Shirley Jackson (relatives of Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant); Nell and Jacob Taylor; Henry Loua (brother of Fr. Loua); Maxine Martin (friend of Michael Cornelison); Shavon Vanover; family of Léon Willis; Adam (relative of Maria Medina); the Streets Family; Yan Fang Ying (mother of Janet You); John McCann; Roz Hall; Peter Ingrassia (grandson of Joanne Gilmore); Caterina Borzomi-Ray; William (grandson of Jean and Karl Tremell); Gleb Bolelov (son of Marina Santiago); Fengting Xu (grandmother of Tongtong Li); Qingcai Li (grandfather of Tongtong Li); Kathleen O'Neil (relative of Bill McCue); Rich Coleman (brother of Michelle Coleman); Cindy Goulder (friend of Mark Alvino); Blanca Monterroso (friend of Julia Diaz).

#### **DEPARTED**

**Eduardo Sylvestre Richards** (brother of Carla Richards).

## IN THANKSGIVING

for the 92nd birthday of Eileen Hope.

#### 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; Zane Kupper; Margo Protain (Anesia Protain's sister); Col. Stephen Ryan (friend of Bob Zito); Rob Jones (Megan Jones' brother); Graham Scarbro, USN (nephew of Amy Roy); Helen Guittard (Stephen Guittard's wife); Perry Brock.

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER Pray for Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda.

#### **Congregational Voice**

"Who is like a wise man? And who knows the interpretation of a thing? A man's wisdom makes his face shine, and the sternness of his face is changed" (Ecclesiastes 8:1 NKJV). Good morning family! Let us seek wisdom and understanding from God's word. Walk with the King today and be a blessing.

—Christine Dennis

To submit a brief reflection to be featured in Congregational Voice, please email Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant at esmiechild@aol.com.

#### **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

#### **SUNDAYS**

8am, 9am<sup>†</sup>, 11:15am<sup>†</sup> Holy Eucharist | *Trinity Church* 8pm | Compline by Candlelight St. Paul's Chapel

#### WEEKDAYS

9am | Morning Prayer 12:05pm† | Holy Eucharist

**5:30pm Wednesdays** Contemplative Eucharist

Trinity Church

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### WEEKDAYS ONLINE

**8:15am** | Morning Prayer **5:15pm** | Evening Prayer

†Livestreamed and available on-demand trinitywallstreet.org/worship

## Congregational Council Committee Meetings

#### CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL

CongregationalCouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. The next meeting is **Tuesday**, **February 28**, **6–8pm.** RSVP to Keisha Joseph at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Arts | Karla Chee-a-tow Community & Hospitality | Regina Jacobs Faith Formation | Beth Johanning Witness & Outreach | Cindy Jay Youth & Young Adults | Alan Yu

Congregational Neighborhood Partnership Program | Keith Klein

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

## **Sunday Staff**

#### Listed by last name



Ellen Andrews Associate Director for Pastoral Care and Community



The Rev. Sr. Promise Atelon, SSM Priest Associate



Melissa Attebury Director, Music Education and Trinity Youth Chorus



The Rev. Michael A. Bird Vicar



The Rev. Elizabeth E. Blunt Priest and Director for Congregational Life and Liturgy



Dr. Kathy Bozzuti-Jones Associate Director for Faith Formation and Education



The Rev. Dr. Mark Bozzuti-Jones Priest and Director of Spiritual Formation, Trinity Retreat Center



Kathryn Carroll Program Manager, Children and Family Formation



Jennifer Chinn Director for Youth and Community Partnerships



Alcee Chriss III Assistant Organist



Farrah Dupoux Music Production and Library Assistant



Wayne Edwards Program Assistant, Children and Family Formation



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Melanie Glass Congregational Support Coordinator, Pastoral Care and Community



The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson Rector



The Rev. Yein Kim Priest for Congregational Life



The Rev. C. Alfred Loua Priest for Pastoral Care and Community



Peyton Marion Trinity Youth Chorus Assistant Conductor



Thomas McCargar Director, St. Paul's Chapel Choir and Compline



The Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles Priest and Director for Pastoral Care and Community



Dane Miller Assistant Head Sacristan



Jorge Ortiz Sacristan



Sister Gloria Shirley Sisters of Saint Margaret



Emily Smith Assistant Head Sacristan



Scott Smith Head Sacristan



Summerlee Staten
Executive Director for
Faith Formation
and Education



Avi Stein Associate Organist and Chorusmaster



The Rev. Matthew A. Welsch Priest and Director, Youth and Community Care



Sister Ann Whittaker Sisters of Saint Margaret

## SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

CELEBRANT: The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson

PREACHER: The Rev. Michael A. Bird DEACON: The Rev. Elizabeth E. Blunt

MUSICIANS:

The Choir of Trinity Wall Street Avi Stein, Associate Organist and Chorusmaster

#### **FLOWERS**

No flowers decorate the church during the season of Lent, beginning on Ash Wednesday.

This service conforms to 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. Psalm texts are taken from the Book of Common Prayer. Other liturgical elements may include materials compiled by Trinity Church staff (TCWS) from publications including the Book of Occasional Services 2003 (BOS), Common Worship: Times and Seasons (CW:TS), and other contemporary liturgical resources. An asterisk (\*) denotes that the text is adapted from the original source material. Hymns come from The Hymnal 1982 and Lift Every Voice and Sing II (LEVAS). Cover image: TCWS Creative Services staff.

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