# THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY

February 15, 2024, 12:05pm



# 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.



# About this Service

#### Leni

The season of Lent—from an Old English word meaning "spring"—spans 40 days: from Ash Wednesday through Holy Saturday, excluding Sundays. Traditionally, this time of year has been a period of solemn preparation, self-examination, and repentance. Remembering the time Jesus spent in the wilderness before beginning his ministry, some Christians adopt Lenten disciplines: giving up an item of food, taking on a prayer or devotional practice, taking a technology fast, or simply setting aside time each day to be present with God and those they love.

Lenten liturgy is characterized by solemnity and simplicity. The Gloria and the word *alleluia* are omitted and will not return until the Great Vigil of Easter. At Trinity Church, a "Lenten array" of red, black, and rough linen fabric characterizes the vestments during this season.

Sources: The Book of Common Prayer, An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church, TCWS liturgical staff

# Preparation

## **Prelude**

# **Opening Acclamation**

EOW p. 50

At the sound of the bell, please stand.

Celebrant Blessed be the God of our salvation:

People Who bears our burdens and forgives our sins.

Summary of the Law

Matthew 22:37-40

BCP p. 319\*

Celebrant

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the greatest and first commandment.

And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two

commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Confession and Absolution

BCP p. 352/p. 41\*

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

Silence

All Almighty and most merciful God,

we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep,

we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts,

we have offended against your holy laws,

we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done.

O God, have mercy upon us,

 $spare\ those\ who\ confess\ their\ faults,$ 

restore those who are penitent,

according to your promises declared to us

in Christ Jesus our Lord;

and grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,

that we may ever after live a godly, righteous, and sober life,

to the glory of your holy 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.

Kyrie BCP p. 356

CelebrantLord, have mercy.PeopleChrist, have mercy.CelebrantLord, have mercy.

# The Collect of the Day

LFF 2006 p. 29

Celebrant God be with you. **People And also with you.** 

Celebrant Let us pray.

Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings with your most gracious favor, and further us with your continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy Name, and finally, by your mercy, obtain everlasting life; 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

Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Reader A Reading from the Book of Deuteronomy.

See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. If you obey the commandments of the LORD your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the LORD your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the LORD your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. But if your heart turns away and you do not hear, but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, I declare to you today that you shall perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, loving the LORD your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him; for that means life to you and length of days, so that you may live in the land that the LORD swore to give to your ancestors, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.

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

People Thanks be to God.

# Sequence

Please stand.

A musician offers a brief improvisation.

# The Holy Gospel

Luke 9:18-25

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Celebrant Once when Jesus was praying alone, with only the disciples near him, he asked them,

"Who do the crowds say that I am?" They answered, "John the Baptist; but others, Elijah; and still others, that one of the ancient prophets has arisen." He said to them,

"But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered, "The Messiah of God."

He sternly ordered and commanded them not to tell anyone, saying, "The Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, chief priests, and scribes,

and be killed, and on the third day be raised."

Then he said to them all, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will save it. What does it profit them if

they gain the whole world, but lose or forfeit themselves?"

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

# The Homily

# The Prayers of the People

CW:TS p. 261\*

Please stand.

Leader Let us bring to God our prayers of intercession through Christ, who gave himself for

the life of the world.

For this congregation: that the fasting of these forty days may clear away much that is

needless and open our eyes to the bright glory of the cross, we pray.

People Have mercy on us, O Lord.

Leader For all Christian people, that despite differences they may cultivate a rich union in

Christ: especially for Michael our Presiding Bishop; Matthew, Allen, and Mary our diocesan bishops; and all those who lead us forward and draw us together, we pray.

People Have mercy on us, O Lord.

Leader For those who make laws, interpret them, and administer them—especially Joseph our

president, Kathleen our governor, and Eric our mayor: that they may contribute to a

common life ordered in justice and equity, we pray.

People Have mercy on us, O Lord.

Leader For all whose lives are affected by war, schism, or disaster, and for those who have the

courage to work openly for reconciliation and peace, we pray.

People Have mercy on us, O Lord.

Leader For those who, weighed down with hardship, failure, sickness, or sorrow, feel that God

is far from them, we pray.

People Have mercy on us, O Lord.

Leader That we, with all those who have walked before us, may find mercy in the day of Christ,

ve pray.

People Have mercy on us, O Lord.

Silence

Celebrant God of compassion and mercy: once we were far off, but you have brought us near. Hear

our prayer, and make us one in heart and mind to serve you in Christ Jesus our Savior.

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.

# Welcome

Please be seated.

# The Holy Communion

# The Offertory

"For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you." -1 Chronicles 29:14

Offerings at Trinity are applied to the care of our neighbors; particularly to our food assistance ministries Compassion Meals and Compassion Market, and in support of other food banks across lower Manhattan. Last year we were able to provide more than 2.4 million meals for our food insecure neighbors. (trinitywallstreet.org/social-justice/food-assistance)

Please place your gift in the basket at the rear of the nave before or after the service, or visit trinitywallstreet.org/donate for additional ways to give. Gifts received are blessed immediately after the service with this prayer: Generous God, at your table we present this money, symbol of the work you have given us to do; use it, use us, in the service of your world to the glory of your name. Amen.

# The Great Thanksgiving

BCP p. 340\*/p. 379

Please stand.

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 It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us

and rose again.

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

BCP p. 362

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

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

Please continue standing or kneel.

Celebrant

All glory be to you, O Lord our God, for you created heaven and earth, and made us in your own image; and, of your tender mercy, gave your only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we your people do celebrate and make, with these your holy gifts which we now offer to you, the memorial your Son commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech you, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with your Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire your fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present to you, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech you, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with your grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all your whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. 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 AMEN.

# The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All Our Father, who art in heaven,

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

on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those

who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory, for ever and 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 from stations in front of the altar. 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.

Those who wish to receive wine should partake by sipping directly from the chalice (intincting, or dipping one's wafer into the wine, is no longer permitted). Please use your hands to gently assist the server in guiding the chalice to your lips.

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.

# Post-Communion Prayer

BCP p. 366

Please stand.

All Almighty and everliving God,

we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food

of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;

and for assuring us in these holy mysteries

that we are living members of the Body of your Son,

and heirs of your eternal kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out

to do the work you have given us to do,

to love and serve you

as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,

be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

# The Blessing

BOS p. 13/BCP p. 339\*

Celebrant

Grant, most merciful Lord, to your faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve you with a quiet mind; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

All Amen.

Dismissal BCP p. 366

Celebrant Let us bless the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Please exit to your left at the back of the church.

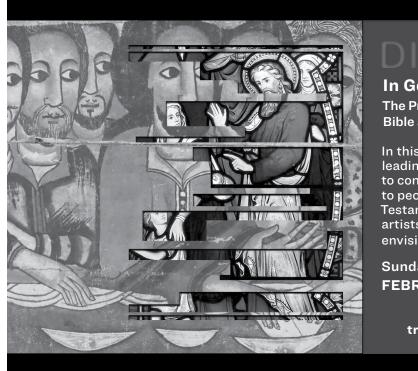
There is no Postlude in Lent.

# WHEN A LOVED ONE STRUGGLES

Mondays | Online, 6:30-7:45pm, January 22-February 26

Having a loved one who struggles with their mental and emotional health can be lonely and stressful. Caring for oneself is essential to support those you love. Come be in shared company for a six-week support group to help dispel the isolation, led by a facilitator from the Psychotherapy and Spirituality Institute. For information, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org.

Register at trinitywallstreet.org/struggles



# DISCOVERY

#### In God's Image:

The Presence of God in the Hebrew Bible and the New Testament

In this series, we will be joined by leading scholars and art historians to consider how God appears to people in both the Old and New Testaments, and the ways that artists in different cultures have envisioned God's presence.

Sundays at 10am FEBRUARY 18-MARCH 17

Trinity Commons and online trinitywallstreet.org/discovery

# 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 and programs, visit trinitywallstreet.org/connect.

## **FVFRY SUNDAY**

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

**Coffee Hour** | Join us in Trinity Commons following the 9am and 11:15am worship services.

Children's Time | 9:45am, Trinity Commons Children are invited to learn and play together on Sunday mornings. Peer-grouped classes are available for two-year-olds through fifth graders. To register, visit trinitywallstreet.org/children.

Bible & Bagels | 10am, Trinity Commons
Trinity Youth are invited to ask questions and join discussion exploring the Bible, Christianity, and The Episcopal Church. For more information, email Fr. Matt at MWelsch@trinitywallstreet.org.

# 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.

Sunday Open Gym | 11am-12:30pm, Trinity Commons | Join the Trinity community for open play basketball, volleyball, pickleball, and more.

Compassion Meals | 12:45pm, Trinity Church
The Compassion Meals program is now offering
lunch on Sundays, and volunteers are needed
to support meal packing and distribution.
To learn more, email Rase De Los Santos at
RDeLosSantos@trinitywallstreet.org.

## **FVFRY WFFK**

# Dig 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.

Trinity Book Club | Fridays, 6:30pm, Online
We're reading Queer Virtue: What LGBTQ
People Know About Life and Love and How It Can
Revitalize Christianity by the Rev. Liz Edman.
RSVP at trinitywallstreet.org/bookclub.

## **Expand Your Spirituality**

Catch Your Breath | Wednesdays, 1pm, Trinity Church | A midweek community meditation practice in the Chapel of All Saints. Stop by for a time of stillness and centering. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/catchyourbreath.

Contemplative Eucharist | Wednesdays, 5:30pm, Trinity Church | Come rest in the presence of God. This 30-minute service is followed by a light supper.

#### Contemplative Practice with Poetry

Wednesdays, 6:30pm, Online | Join a weekly practice of guided meditation and contemplative reflection on poetry, for mutual spiritual growth and support. Led by spiritual directors John Deuel and Dr. Kathy Bozzuti-Jones. To join, email ChristianFormation@trinitywallstreet.org.

# **Enjoy the Company of Others**

New Beginnings | Thursdays, 9:45am-3pm, Trinity Commons | Trinity's ministry of seniors meets weekly for chair yoga, Bible study, 12:05pm Holy Eucharist, lunch, and tai chi. 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 weekday 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 trinitywallstreet.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 WEEK

# Thursday, February 15

# Trinity Men: Core Planning Meeting

6:30-7:30pm, Trinity Commons

Join men from Trinity as they plan ongoing and special events for the men of the church.

To RSVP, email TrinityChurchMen@gmail.com.

# Trinity Young Adults Weeknight Dinner

#### 7-9pm, Trinity Commons

Adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to join the Trinity Young Adults group for a shared meal and fellowship. We meet the third Thursday of each month with a different member of the clergy or staff. To RSVP and learn about future events, email TrinityChurchYoungAdults@gmail.com.

# **NEXT SUNDAY**

# Family Lenten Workshop

Sunday, February 18, 9:45–11am Trinity Commons

Join us for a special Lenten breakfast and workshop during Children's Time. Parents will help children create sourdough starters and cultivate other Lenten practices to nurture and observe the season at home. Parents are asked to participate in the workshop; there will be no drop-off this week. Open to all families who are registered for Children's Time. Visit trinitywallstreet. org/children to register and, to learn more, contact the Children and Families team at ChildrenAndFamilies@trinitywallstreet.org.

## Discovery: In God's Image Sunday, February 18, 10am Trinity Commons and Online

The Presence of God in the Hebrew Bible and the New Testament

How does God present God's self in the Bible?
Does God have a body? What does God look like?
In this series, we will be joined by leading scholars and art historians to consider how God appears to people in both the Old and New Testaments, and the ways that artists in different cultures have envisioned God's presence. Learn more and register at trinitywallstreet.org/discovery.

#### **Trinity Knitters**

#### Sunday, February 18, 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. RSVP to TrinityKnitters@gmail.com.

### LGBTQ+ Meet-Up

#### Sunday, February 18, 12:45pm-2pm

Gather for coffee, conversation, and catching up with the LGBTQ+ community at Trinity. We'll share fellowship and a light lunch. All are welcome, just bring yourselves! RSVP requested to TrinityLGBTConcerns@outlook.com.

# **COMING SOON**

#### Meet the Candidates Forum

#### Sunday, February 25, 12:45pm, Parish Hall

Meet the candidates for Congregational Council and Delegates to the Diocesan Convention at a forum hosted by the Congregational Nominating & Leadership Development Committee.

Information about the candidates may be found at trinitywallstreet.org/councilelection.

# Council Elections, Annual Meeting of the Congregation

#### Sunday, March 3, 12:45pm, Parish Hall

Eligible members can cast their vote for Congregational Council candidates and Delegates to the Diocesan Convention following the 8am, 9am, and 11:15am services at Trinity Church on Sunday, March 3, 2024. As defined in the Ordinances persons entitled to vote: "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 Congregation'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, and no other persons, shall be entitled to vote at such annual election." The ballots will be counted after voting closes (1pm) and the results of the vote will be announced at the Annual Meeting. Additionally, Council Standing Committee chairs will provide Committee updates. Information about the candidates may be found at trinitywallstreet.org/councilelection.

# 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 2024–2027 Congregational Council are:

Marie-Florentine Heimann Beth Johanning Eric Love Tina Moya Sovannary Tan

Furthermore, we are pleased to present the names of nominees to serve as delegates to the 2024 Diocesan Convention. Nominees for delegates to Diocesan Convention:

Felicia Stenhouse Eve Scott Evenbeck Alan Yu

Voting will take place in person after all three services on March 3, 2024, and the results will be announced at 12:45pm that afternoon at the Annual Meeting of the Congregation in the Parish Hall.

# A Life Worth Living Retreat: Finding Your Purpose for Young Adults

### March 22-24, Trinity Retreat Center

What does it mean for a life to go well, to be lived well, to feel right? What truly matters in our time here on Earth? To whom are we responsible, and what happens when we fail? We will explore such questions, drawing on the wisdom of the world's great religious and philosophical traditions (and you will get a taste of what happens in the popular Yale course of the same name). Come spend time with other young adults, explore how to craft a flourishing life, and enjoy free time for gathering, walking, hiking, and quiet reflection. Learn more at trinityretreatcenter.org.

## **BULLETIN BOARD**

#### **Lenten Meditations**

Every spring, Lenten-themed reflections and art created by Trinity parishioners and staff are compiled in a small booklet that is mailed to parishioners' homes before Ash Wednesday. These meditations may also be found online at trinitywallstreet.org/lentenmeditations. Information: LentenMeditations@trinitywallstreet.org.

# **Community Athletics**

#### Tuesdays-Fridays, Trinity Commons

Make friends, get moving, and care for your mental and physical health in classes for the whole community. From Pilates to barre, pickleball to basketball, tai chi to dance meditation, there's something for everyone—including children's soccer and rhythmic gymnastics. And, this semester, learn the art of Ballroom in a special beginner-friendly class on voguing. Find out more and register at trinitywallstreet.org/athletics.

# Need Help? Call the Resource Line!

#### Monday-Friday, 2-5pm

If you or someone you know needs a helping hand, call 917.594.6300 for our Resource Connections program. Trinity's Outreach team helps guests access housing, legal aid, mental health services, immigration assistance, SNAP benefits, and other services. Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/resourceline.

#### 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 Trinity's Worship Leader Team

New volunteers are always welcome to support our worship during Sunday services. Roles include crucifers, greeters, lectors, subdeacons, thurifers, torchbearers, and ushers. We are currently recruiting volunteers ages 12 and up for the 8am and 11:15am services and all ages for the 9am service. 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; Evadné Hodge; Erin Kerr; Goldbourne Browne; Susie Edwards; Ivy Gheler; Eileen Hope; Jack Moody; Roland Stewart; Elizabeth Melillo; Roslyn Williams; Patti Bovers; Irene Horvath; Diana Foote; Kris Seeram (father of Mintrani Seeram); Virginia "Ginny" Frey (mother of Ruth Frey); Roz Hall; Myoung Lee (mother of Joanne Lee); Barbara (niece of Westina Matthews); **Alexis Uriel Eldridge** (sister of Robyn Eldridge); Eduardo Christie; Norma Vessell (stepmother of Sharon Vessell); Mark Josephson; Janine; Algernon John Baptiste (father of Indie John Baptiste); Winter; Kim Jackson; Scott Barna; Christopher Allen Brown; Tiani Jones; Hany Ghaly; Maria Smith; Ida Peterson Hardon; Tom Thomas; Ernesto Richards (brother of Carla Richards); Silvester Brathwaite (cousin of Carla Richards); Julia Gittens (friend of Carla Richards); Stacy Herbert (friend of Carla Richards); the Rev. Eva Reque Steege; Frank Alvino; Marta Rodriguez; Barbara Davison; Karla Hanley; Russ Smith (father-in-law of Jude Wetherell); Evan Garrett (friend of Jude Wetherell); Eline Goldstein; Joanne Robinson Hill; Jason McCoy; Solana Drayton; Nicola Corl; Nixon Jean-Baptiste, Gene Heber; David K Moyer; Sohn Myohng Fong; Bessie Blake; Stephanie Umeda (friend of Shirley Quashie); William Faltin (friend of Caterina Borzomi-Ray); Jane Herbert; Gloria Rosado; Borzomi-Ray family; Barbara Caddle (cousin of Dolores Osborne).

#### **DEPARTED**

James Plaxico (uncle of Emory Edwards); Rizal Kamli (friend of Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant); Beverly Barnet (sister-in-law of Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant); Marjorie Louise Aiken (aunt of Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant); Michelle Oosterwal (daughter of Melba Duncan).

#### IN THE MILITARY

Oliver Barnyak (Alex Burns's 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's brother); Graham Scarbro, USN (nephew of Amy Roy); Helen Guittard (Stephen Guittard's wife); Perry Brock.

## ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan.

#### **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.

#### **Congregational Voice**

"Though the fig tree does not blossom, nor fruit be on the vines; though the yield of the olive fails, and the fields produce no food; though the flocks are cut off from the fold, and there be no herd in the stalls—yet I will rejoice in the LORD; I will exult in the God of my salvation (*Habakkuk 3:17–18* MEV). Good morning, family. We're in need of his saving hands. 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.

# **Trinity Retreat Center**

West Cornwall, Connecticut

#### 2024 RETREATS

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# 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<sup>+</sup> | Holy Eucharist *Trinity Church* 

#### WEDNESDAYS

**5:30pm** | Contemplative Eucharist *Trinity Church* 

#### WEEKDAYS ONLINE

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

†Live streamed and available on demand trinitywallstreet.org/worship

# Congregational Council Committee Meetings

#### **CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL**

CongregationalCouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. The next meeting is **Tuesday**, **February 20**, **6–8pm**. RSVP to Keisha Joseph at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Arts | Karla Chee-a-tow
Community & Hospitality | Regina Jacobs
Faith Formation | Raynelle Mensah
Witness & Outreach | Cindy Jay
Youth & Young Adults | Alan Yu
Congregational Neighborhood
Partnership Program | Keith Klein

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All are welcome to attend these meetings.

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# Weekday 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 of Music



The Rev. Michael A. Bird Vicar



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



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



The Rev. Mark Brown



The Rev. Canon James G. Callaway Deputy Emeritus



Dr. Alcee Chriss III Assistant Organist



SK Doyle Youth Minister



Farrah Dupoux Music Production and Library Assistant



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Molly Gouran Volunteer Coordinator for Outreach



The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson Rector



Malik Jardine Organ Scholar



The Rev. Yein Kim Priest for Congregational Life



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



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



Dane Miller Assistant Head Sacristan



The Rev. Jorge Ortiz Adulin Prophete Priest for Outreach



Sacristan



Emily Smith Assistant Head Sacristan



Scott Smith Head Sacristan



Avi Stein Organist and Chorusmaster



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

#### SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

CELEBRANT AND PREACHER: The Rev. Yein Kim

**MUSICIANS:** 

Avi Stein, Organist and Chorusmaster Dr. Alcee Chriss III, Assistant Organist George Davey, Organist Malik Jardine, Organ Scholar

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