

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II
DECEMBER 24, 2017, 11:15AM



TRINITY CHURCH

BROADWAY AT WALL STREET, NEW YORK CITY

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.” —MICAH 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 CHURCH

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. Please help others find a place near you, and greet the person next to you as we prepare to worship together.

If you would like to pray with someone confidentially, for yourself or others, go to the Chapel of All Saints during communion time.

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

In the Episcopal Church, the season of Advent marks the beginning of the new liturgical year. The name of the season originates from the Latin word *adventus*, meaning "coming." This morning is quite unique as we celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Advent followed rapidly this afternoon by the multiple celebrations of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ: Christmas Eve.

This morning, all four colorful candles of the advent wreath are illuminated, signifying the fourth Sunday in Advent; and tonight the tall white candle in the middle, the Christ candle, will be burning, representing the miraculous birth of the Christ Child. Note that with the rapid turnaround between Advent and Christmas, you will see this morning many signs of the coming Season of Christmas.

Sources: *The Book of Common Prayer, An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church*



THE ENTRANCE RITE

CHORAL PRELUDE

Jesus Christ the Apple Tree

The tree of life my soul hath seen,
Laden with fruit and always green:
The trees of nature fruitless be
Compared with Christ the apple tree.

His beauty doth all things excel:
By faith I know, but ne'er can tell
The glory which I now can see
In Jesus Christ the apple tree.

For happiness I long have sought,
And pleasure dearly I have bought:
I missed of all; but now I see
'Tis found in Christ the apple tree.

Elizabeth Poston (1905-1987)

I'm weary with my former toil,
Here I will sit and rest awhile:
Under the shadow I will be
Of Jesus Christ the apple tree.

This fruit doth make my soul to thrive,
It keeps my dying faith alive;
Which makes my soul in haste to be
With Jesus Christ the apple tree.

—Collected Joshua Smith (1760-1795)
New Hampshire, 1784

INTROIT

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

Rorate caeli desuper, et nubes pluant justum.

Gregorian Chant Mode 1

Drop down, ye heavens, from above; and let the skies pour forth righteousness.

—Isaiah 45:8

ACCLAMATION

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

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

HYMN IN PROCESSION

Hymnal 56, vv. 1-4



1 O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, and ran - som
 2 O come, thou Wis - dom from on high, who or - derest
 3 O come, O come, thou Lord of might, who to thy
 4 O come, thou Branch of Jes - se's tree, free them from



1 cap - tive Is - ra - el, that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile
 2 all things might - i - ly; to us the path of know - ledge
 3 tribes on Si - nai's height in an - cient times didst give the
 4 Sa - tan's ty - ran - ny that trust thy might - y power to



1 here un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
 2 show, and teach us in her ways to go. Re - joice! Re - joice!
 3 law, in cloud, and ma - jes - ty, and awe.
 4 save, and give them vic - tory o'er the grave.



Em - man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el!

Words: Latin, ca. 9th cent.; ver. *Hymnal 1940*, alt.; Music: *Veni, veni, Emmanuel*, plainsong, Mode 1, *Processionale*, 15th cent.; adapt. Thomas Helmore (1811-1890); acc. Richard Proulx (1937-2010)

COLLECT FOR PURITY

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Celebrant 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.

All Amen.

TRISAGION

Hymnal S 102

Sung three times by all.

Ho - ly God, Ho - ly and Might - y,

Ho - ly Im - mor - tal One, Have mer - cy up - on us.

Music: Alexander Archangelsky (1846-1924), ver. Hymnal 1982

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP p. 212

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Purify our conscience, Almighty God, by your daily visitation, that your Son Jesus Christ, at his coming, may find in us a mansion prepared for himself; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

Please be seated.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE FIRST READING

2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16

Reader

A Reading from the second Book of Samuel.

When the king was settled in his house, and the LORD had given him rest from all his enemies around him, the king said to the prophet Nathan, "See now, I am living in a house of cedar, but the ark of God stays in a tent." Nathan said to the king, "Go, do all that you have in mind; for the LORD is with you."

But that same night the word of the LORD came to Nathan: Go and tell my servant David: Thus says the LORD: Are you the one to build me a house to live in? I have not lived in a house since the day I brought up the people of Israel from Egypt to this day, but I have been moving about in a tent and a tabernacle. Wherever I have moved about among all the people of Israel, did I ever speak a word with any of the tribal leaders of Israel, whom I commanded to shepherd my people Israel, saying, "Why have you not built me a house of cedar?"

Now therefore thus you shall say to my servant David: Thus says the LORD of hosts: I took you from the pasture, from following the sheep to be prince over my people Israel; and I have been with you wherever you went, and have cut off all your enemies from before you; and I will make for you a great name, like the name of the great ones of the earth. And I will appoint a place for my people Israel and will plant them, so that they may live in their own place, and be disturbed no more; and evildoers shall afflict them no more, as formerly, from the time that I appointed judges over my people Israel; and I will give you rest from all your enemies. Moreover the LORD declares to you that the LORD will make you a house. Your house and your kingdom shall be made sure forever before me; your throne shall be established forever.

The Word of the Lord.

People

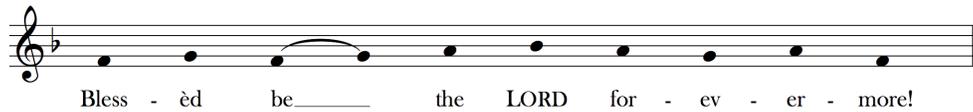
Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Psalm 89:1-4, 21-24

Edward John Hopkins (1818-1901)

The choir sings the refrain, then all repeat and sing as indicated.



Choir Your love, O LORD, for ever will I sing; *
from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.
For I am persuaded that your love is established for ever; *
you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.
“I have made a covenant with my chosen one; *
I have sworn an oath to David my servant:
‘I will establish your line for ever, *
and preserve your throne for all generations.’

All **REFRAIN**

Choir My hand will hold him fast *
and my arm will make him strong.
No enemy shall deceive him, *
nor any wicked man bring him down.
I will crush his foes before him *
and strike down those who hate him.
My faithfulness and love shall be with him, *
and he shall be victorious through my Name.”

All **REFRAIN**

THE SECOND READING

Romans 16:25-27

Reader A Reading from Paul’s letter to the Romans.

Now to God who is able to strengthen you according to my gospel and the proclamation of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery that was kept secret for long ages but is now disclosed, and through the prophetic writings is made known to all the Gentiles, according to the command of the eternal God, to bring about the obedience of faith—to the only wise God, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory for ever! Amen.

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Reader After the reading of the Gospel, all children are invited to follow the cross to Children’s Chapel. They will return at the Peace.

SEQUENCE HYMN

WLP 721

Please stand as you are able.



1. Signs of end-ings all a - round us— dark - ness, death, and win - ter days
2. Can it be that from our end - ings, new be - gin - nings you cre - ate?
3. Speak, O God, your Word a - mong us. Bar - ren lives your pres - ence fill.



shroud our lives in fear and sad - ness, numb - ing mouths that long to praise.
Life from death, and from our rend - ings, realms of whole - ness gen - er - ate?
Swell our hearts with songs of glad - ness, ter - rors calm fore - bod - ings still.



Come, O Christ, and dwell a - mong us! Hear our cries, come set us free.
Take our fears, then, Lord, and turn them in - to hopes for life a - new:
Let your prom - ised realm of jus - tice blos - som now through - out the earth;



Give us hope and faith and glad - ness. Show us what there yet can be.
Fad - ing light and dy - ing sea - son sing their Glo - ri - as to you.
your do - min - ion bring now near us; we a - wait the sav - ing birth.

Words: Dean W. Nelson (b. 1944); Music: Ton-y-Botel, Thomas John Williams (1869-1944)

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 1:26-38

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

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Deacon In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent by God to a town in Galilee called Nazareth, to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. The virgin's name was Mary. And he came to her and said, "Greetings, favored one! The Lord is with you." But she was much perplexed by his words and pondered what sort of greeting this might be.

The angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. And now, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you will name him Jesus. He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Most High, and the Lord God will give to him the throne of his ancestor David. He will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end." Mary said to the angel, "How can this be, since I am a virgin?"

The angel said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be holy; he will be called Son of God. And now, your relative Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son; and this is the sixth month for her who was said to be barren. For nothing will be impossible with God." Then Mary said, "Here am I, the servant of the Lord; let it be with me according to your word." Then the angel departed from her.

The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

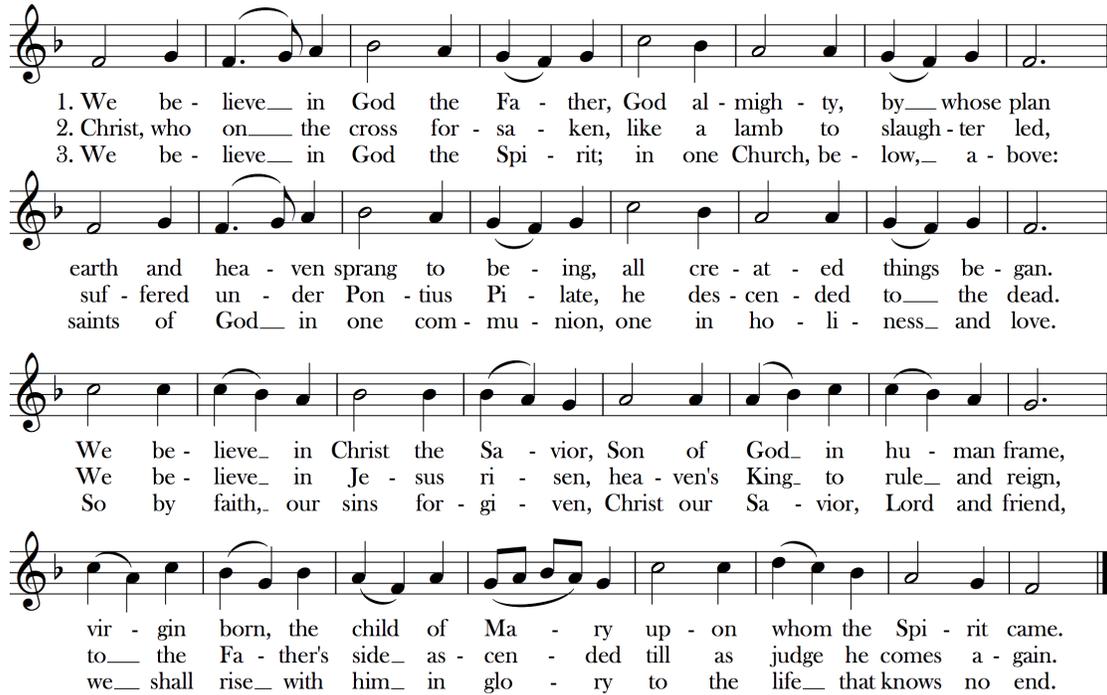
THE SERMON

The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson

Silence follows the sermon.

THE CREED

Please stand as you are able.



1. We be - lieve_ in God the Fa - ther, God al - migh - ty, by_ whose plan
2. Christ, who on_ the cross for - sa - ken, like a lamb to slaugh - ter led,
3. We be - lieve_ in God the Spi - rit; in one Church, be - low,_ a - bove:
earth and hea - ven sprang to be - ing, all cre - at - ed things be - gan.
suf - fered un - der Pon - tius Pi - late, he des - cen - ded to_ the dead.
saints of God_ in one com - mu - nion, one in ho - li - ness_ and love.
We be - lieve_ in Christ the Sa - vior, Son of God_ in hu - man frame,
We be - lieve_ in Je - sus ri - sen, hea - ven's King_ to rule_ and reign,
So by faith,_ our sins for - gi - ven, Christ our Sa - vior, Lord and friend,
vir - gin born, the child of Ma - ry up - on whom the Spi - rit came.
to_ the Fa - ther's side_ as - cen - ded till as judge he comes a - gain.
we_ shall rise_ with him_ in glo - ry to the life_ that knows no end.

Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith (b. 1926); Music: *Hyfrydol*, Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-1887)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Form II

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Reader I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Bishops Andrew, Mary, and Allen; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

Silence

Reader I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people.

Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

Reader I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison.

Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

Reader I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of God.

Pray that they may find and be found by God.

Silence

Reader I ask your prayers for this congregation, that we may have the courage and grace to live our core values of Faith, Integrity, Inclusiveness, Compassion, Social Justice, and Stewardship.

Pray that we may live into our mission and vision to the fullest.

Silence

Reader I ask your prayers for the departed.

Pray for those who have died.

The congregation offers prayers and thanksgivings, either silently or aloud.

Reader Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.

Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

Celebrant O God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

All Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

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

Please continue standing, or kneel as you are able.

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 HOLY EUCHARIST

THE PEACE

Please stand or continue standing as you are able.

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 OFFERTORY

The ushers collect the offering.

Magnificat “Collegium regale”

Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

My soul doth magnify the Lord, *
and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior.
For he hath regarded *
the lowliness of his handmaiden.
For behold from henceforth *
all generations shall call me blessed.
For he that is mighty hath magnified me, *
and holy is his Name.
And his mercy is on them that fear him *
throughout all generations.
He hath showed strength with his arm; *
he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.
He hath put down the mighty from their seat, *
and hath exalted the humble and meek.
He hath filled the hungry with good things, *
and the rich he hath sent empty away.
He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, *
as he promised to our forefathers,
Abraham and his seed for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

—Luke 1:46-55

AT THE PRESENTATION

Hymnal 380, v. 3

Please stand as you are able as the offering is brought forward.

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise
 him, all crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye
 heaven - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Words: Thomas Ken (1637-1711); Music: *Old 100th*, melody from *Pseaumes octante trois de David*, 1551, alt.; harm. after Louis Bourgeois (1510?-1561?)

CEPSING OF THE ALTAR

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

Eucharistic Prayer B

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Celebrant *People*
 The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Celebrant *People*
 Lift up your hearts. 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, because you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when

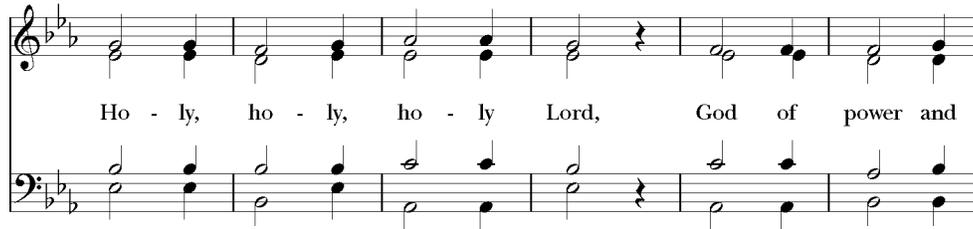
he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

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:

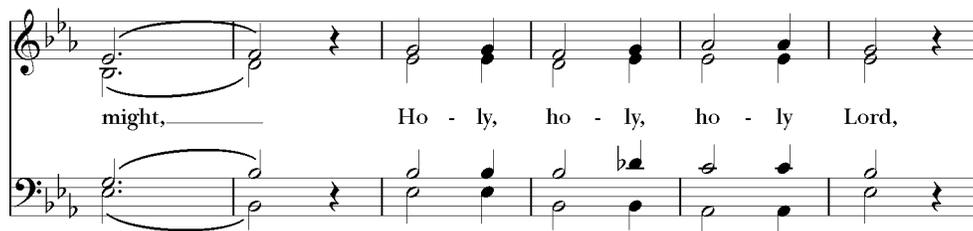
SANCTUS

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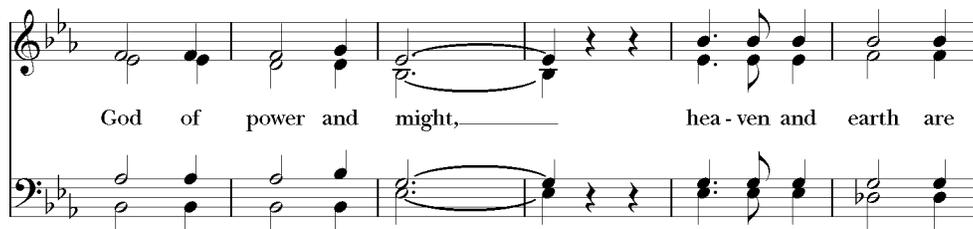
Sung by all.



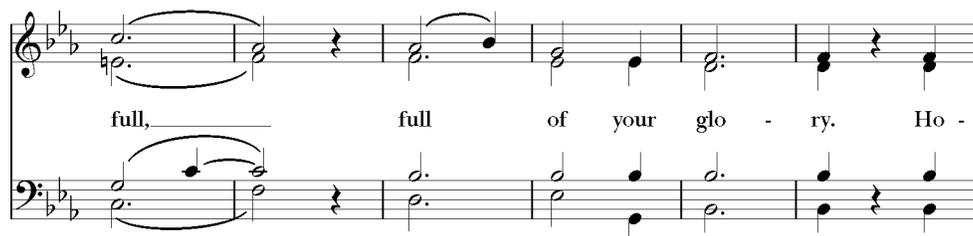
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and



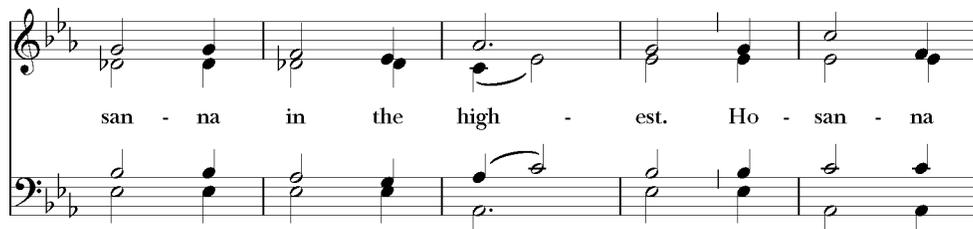
might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,



God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are



full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -



san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Bless'd is the one who comes

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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

Please continue standing, or kneel as you are able.

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 AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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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.

FRACTION

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Please be seated.

The ushers will bring you forward when it is time for you to receive. We receive communion at stations at the front of each aisle. Those wishing to kneel should go to the south rail by the pulpit. If you need to receive communion at your seat, please notify an usher.

All who hunger for God are cordially invited to this table, including children. You may consume the bread and then drink from the chalice (please grasp the bottom of the chalice to guide it to your lips). Also, you may dip the bread in the wine and then consume it, or you may leave the bread in your palm for the chalice-bearer to dip in the wine and place on your tongue. Gluten-free wafers are available. Those who do not wish to receive communion are welcome to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

If you would like to pray with someone confidentially, for yourself or others, go to the Chapel of All Saints and someone will meet you there.

СОВМУНІОН АПТНЕМ

Bogoroditse Devo

Sergei Rachmaninoff (1873-1943)

Богородице Дево, радуйся,
Благодатная Марие, Господь с тобою.
Благословена ты в женах,
и благословен плод чрева твоего,
яко Спаса родила еси душ наших.

Bogoroditse Devo, raduisya,
Blagodatnaya Mariye, Gospod s tobouy.
Blagoslovyena ty v zhenakh,
i blagoslovyen plod chryeva tvoyevo,
yako Spasa rodila yesi dush nashikh.

Rejoice, virgin mother of God,
Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb,
for you have borne the Savior of our souls.

—Orthodox liturgy, All-Night Vigil;
based on Luke 1:28

Silence follows the anthem.

СОНСЛУДИНГ РІТЕ

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

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Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant Let us pray.
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

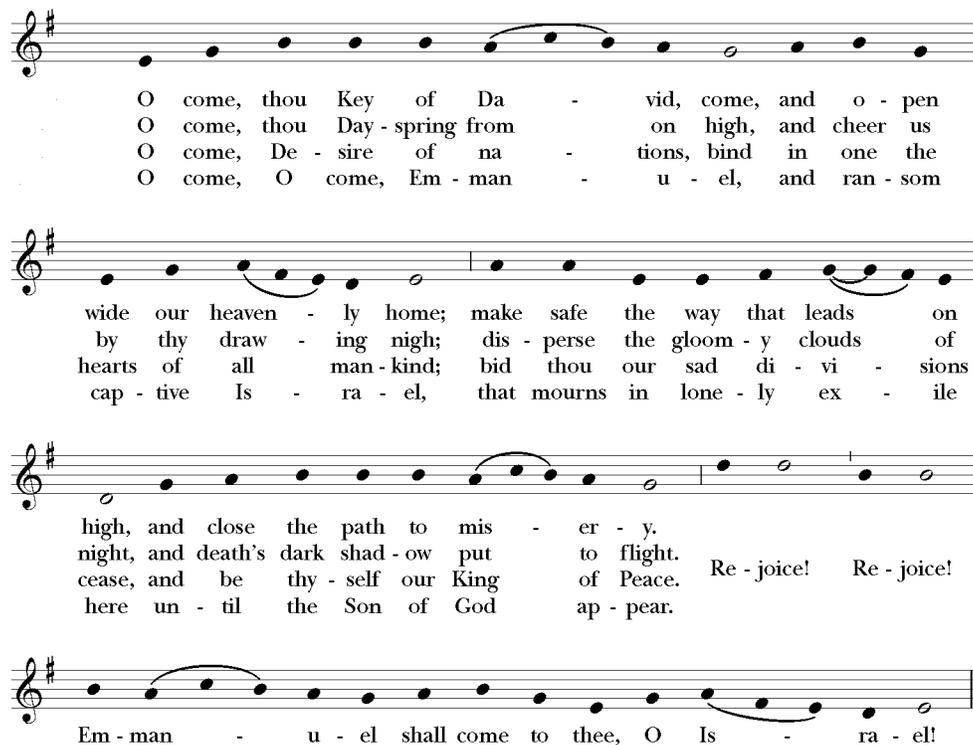
BOS p. 23, adapted

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

Hymnal 56, vv. 5-8



O come, thou Key of Da - vid, come, and o - pen
O come, thou Day - spring from on high, and cheer us
O come, De - sire of na - tions, bind in one the
O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, and ran - som
wide our heaven - ly home; make safe the way that leads on
by thy draw - ing nigh; dis - perse the gloom - y clouds of
hearts of all man - kind; bid thou our sad di - vi - sions
cap - tive Is - ra - el, that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile
high, and close the path to mis - er - y,
night, and death's dark shad - ow put to flight. Re - joice! Re - joice!
cease, and be thy - self our King of Peace.
here un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
Em - man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el!

Words: Latin, ca. 9th cent.; ver. *Hymnal 1940*, alt.; Music: *Veni, veni, Emmanuel*, plainsong, Mode 1, *Processionale*, 15th cent.; adapt. Thomas Helmore (1811-1890); acc. Richard Proulx (1937-2010)

DISMISSAL

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Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Dieu parmi nous: Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)
Paroles du communicant, de la Vierge, de l'Église tout entière: Celui qui m'a créé a reposé dans ma tente, le Verbe s'est fait chair et il a habité en moi. Mon âme glorifie le Seigneur, mon esprit a tressailli d'allégresse en Dieu mon Sauveur. —*Ecclesiastique, Évangiles selon saint Jean et saint Luc*

God among us: Words of the communicant, of the blessed Virgin, of the whole Church: He who made me remains in my tabernacle. The Word was made flesh, he lived among us. My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, and my spirit exults in God my Savior. —*Ecclesiasticus 24:8; John 1:14; Luke 1:46-47*



FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of the late Gloria Keens-Douglas, beloved mother, in honor of her December 25th birthday by her daughter Anika Hylton.

Share life events by dedicating altar flowers to celebrate a birthday, wedding, anniversary, or birth of a child, or to commemorate a departed loved one. E-mail flowers@trinitywallstreet.org for more information.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS

Welcome to Trinity Church and St. Paul's Chapel. We're glad you're here. Come connect with us:

CONNECT Introduce yourself to our clergy, ushers, or greeters. To learn more about membership, baptism, or confirmation, or to receive emails about upcoming Trinity events, fill out a welcome card and place it in the offering plate. You can access the welcome card digitally by texting "TRINITY" to 28259.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR Visit with fellow worshippers over coffee and small bites after all Sunday services. After the 9am and 11:15am services at Trinity, enjoy coffee in the church.

TRINITY TOUR Take a tour of the church following the 11:15am service. Gather by the pulpit where a docent will guide you around our historic building.

TODAY

Because of the holidays, today there will be no Discovery classes, Sunday School for Children, Youth Group, or Compline. There will be a full complement of Advent 4 and Christmas Eve services to celebrate the season.

Advent 4

8am, St. Paul's Chapel

9am, Trinity Church

11:15am, Trinity Church

Family Eucharist with Christmas Pageant

9:15am, St. Paul's Chapel

A 45-minute Advent service for families and children of all ages, featuring a Christmas pageant, hymns, and the Trinity Youth Chorus. The Rev. Dr. William Lupfer, celebrant; the Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles, preacher.

Christmas Eve

Christmas Eve Family Eucharist

4pm, St. Paul's Chapel

A simple service with families in mind, featuring traditional Christmas Carols, children's sermon, giant puppets telling the story of the Nativity, and the Trinity Youth Chorus. There is no incense at this service. The Rev. Elizabeth Blunt, celebrant; the Rev. Dr. Mark Francisco Bozzuti-Jones, preacher.

Christmas Eve Choral Eucharist

6pm, Trinity Church

Prelude begins at 5:20pm

This annual celebration of the Eucharist on Christmas Eve is designed for people who are looking for a traditional service. Music is provided by The Choir of Trinity Wall Street and NOVUS NY Brass and Percussion, with Christmas carols and hymns sung by the congregation. Nursery care and stroller parking will be provided. The Rev. Dr. William Lupfer, Rector, celebrant; the Rev. Winnie Varghese, preacher.

Christmas Eve Choral Prelude and Festive Choral Eucharist

10pm, Trinity Church

Prelude begins at 9:20pm

This traditional late evening service on Christmas Eve begins with a 40-minute prelude of choral music and congregational carols, followed by Choral Eucharist (beginning at 10pm). With music by The Choir of Trinity Wall Street and NOVUS NY Brass and Percussion with additional congregational hymns and carols. The Rt. Rev. Allen K. Shin, Suffragan Bishop of New York, celebrant; the Rev. Dr. William Lupfer, Rector, preacher. A crib room will be available.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Mass

Midnight, St. Paul's Chapel

Trinity Church Wall Street's annual candlelight Christmas Eve Eucharist, with congregational carol singing, and special music by The Choir of Trinity Wall Street and NOVUS NY Brass and Percussion. The Rev. Winnie Varghese, celebrant; the Rev. Elizabeth Blunt, preacher.

Trinity Church Rejuvenation

Over the past several months, as the Church design team has developed the scope for a possible interior rejuvenation, a team has mocked up portions of the church to test lighting, cleaning techniques, and paint colors, including the colors originally envisioned by Trinity's architect, Richard Upjohn, in the 1840s. The scaffolding that used to reach the ceiling and upper walls in the chancel and on the west side of the nave have been taken down.

The tests have been enlightening. In the chancel, we have discovered an original stencil pattern that had been painted over. The team is trying to learn more about the stencil's color and pattern. We've also discovered beautiful pink grout and striations in the brownstone.

Exterior scaffolding installed on the southern wall of the church provides access to one of the yellow stained-glass windows in the clerestory, the upper part of the nave that is clear of the roof and allows light into the church. The lower stained glass will be cleaned for the mock up. The yellow tint was added in 1967. In late January, members of the renovation team will lighten six of the panes of glass within a single window to correspond with the vision of Trinity's original architect, Richard Upjohn. As with the paint color mock ups, this is a test to see how the change—in this case a much lighter yellow—would affect the worship space.

To learn more, or watch videos of the Vicar showing the discoveries, visit trinitywallstreet.org.

EVERY SUNDAY

Nursery Care (six months through age 5)

8:45am-1pm, The Nursery, Trinity Church

The Nursery is found by taking the south aisle past the altar. Ask an usher to show you the way to stroller parking, the activity room, and the crib room.

The Gospel, *Times*, *Journal*, and You

10am, Parish Center, 2 Rector St.

Discussion centering on the editorial pages of *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, and the day's Gospel.

Sunday School

10am, 14 Vesey St. (across from St. Paul's Chapel)

Sunday school for children ages 2 through fifth grade. Information: Wendy Claire Barrie at wbarrie@trinitywallstreet.org or call 212.602.9627.

Discovery for Families with Children

10am, 14 Vesey St. (across from St. Paul's Chapel)

Join other parents to explore together how to raise children of faith in the greater New York City area. Information: Keith Klein at kklein23@gmail.com or 917.520.7415.

Brown Bag Lunch Ministry: Packing

12:30pm, Trinity Church

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Brown Bag Lunch

2pm, Trinity Church

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Compline by Candlelight

8pm, St. Paul's Chapel

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25

On Christmas Day, the Broad Way Bible Study will not meet. St. Paul's Chapel, the Parish Center, and Trinity offices are closed. There will be no Morning Prayer, and Trinity Church will close after the 11:15am service.

Christmas Day Choral Eucharist

11:15am, Trinity Church

A Choral Eucharist in celebration of Christmas. Music is provided by The Choir of Trinity Wall Street, with additional congregational hymns and carols. The Rev. Dr. William Lupfer, Rector, celebrant; the Rev. Phillip Jackson, Vicar, preacher. *(There will be no child care provided at this service.)*

Brown Bag Lunch

12:45pm, Trinity Church

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26

Brown Bag Lunch

12:45pm, Trinity Church

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Scripture, Reflection, & Compline

Gather for spiritual nourishment and fellowship. Meets every Tuesday through the end of June. Sponsored by Pastoral Care & Community. For questions, or for more information, contact the Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles at kmiles@trinitywallstreet.org or 212.602.0895. ***Please note: this group is on break until January 9.*

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27

Brown Bag Lunch

12:45pm, Trinity Church

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Catch Your Breath

1pm, Trinity Church, Manning Room

A spiritual resource for the here and now. Stop by for a time of stillness, centering, and a brief meditation led by the Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles. Sponsored by Pastoral Care & Community. Information: Ellen at eandrews@trinitywallstreet.org.

Computer Skills 101

3:30pm, Parish Center, 2 Rector St.

Don't have an e-mail account? Need help learning how to use a computer? Is technology accelerating too quickly to keep up? This class is perfect for you! Meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of every month. Information: Kyle at kfolk-freund@trinitywallstreet.org.

Contemplative Wednesdays

All are welcome to participate in an ongoing rhythm of silent meditation practice and spiritual conversation to renew our hearts and expand our capacity for open-hearted engagement in the world. Drop in and give yourself the gift of resting in God. Information: kbozzuti-jones@trinitywallstreet.org. ***Please note: Contemplative Wednesdays is on break until January 3.*

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28

Brown Bag Lunch

12:45pm, Trinity Church

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Writing God: Spiritual Journaling

6pm, Parish Center, 2 Rector St.

Journal writing is a healing process and a journey of discovery along one's spiritual path. This group is a gathering of those willing, through writing, to dive deep into the "true self." This season we invite you to explore, in community, reflections from the writings of mystics, spiritual directors, activists, and others including Hildegard of Bingen, Julian of Norwich, the Celtic tradition, Thomas Merton, Daniel Berrigan, Joan Chittister, Richard Rohr, and Andrew Harvey. The writings of these spiritual leaders, along with weekly writing prompts, inspire and guide the writer to follow the flow from within and onto the page. Information: spiritualjournaling@gmail.com or 646.556.5344.

Core Values: What's Next

In 2018, more Illuminating Values sessions are planned for the congregation, focusing on one value per month. In addition, Trinity Retreat Center will be the setting of retreats planned for each value and open to both congregation and staff.

Values in Action and Discernment Retreats

Open to all Trinity congregation, staff, friends, and partners of Trinity.

Come spend a weekend surrounded by the beauty of nature as we delve deeper into our core values.

Using poetry, art, silence, meditation, music, and a desire to expand our living of Trinity's Core Values, the staff of the retreat center, the Rev. Daniel Simons, Dr. Kathy Bozzuti-Jones, the staff of Listening Hearts Ministries, and the Rev. Dr. Mark Bozzuti-Jones will lead participants through six retreats to explore each of Trinity's six core values.

There will be plenty of time for fun and community as we spend time at a welcoming table—and interacting with the Trinity donkeys—and are transformed and equipped for bringing forth our mission.

Retreat dates and topics

February 23-25: Faith

March 16-18: Integrity

April 20-22: Inclusiveness*

May 18-20: Compassion

June 1-3: Social Justice*

September 14-16: Stewardship

**Led by Listening Hearts Ministries*

Pricing (based on double occupancy)

\$50/night for adults and children over 12

\$25/night for children ages 5-12

Children less than 5 years old stay free.

For a single-occupancy room, there is a \$35 surcharge per person, per night, based on availability.

Transportation

The retreat center operates a shuttle bus to pick up and drop off guests who take Metro-North to Wassaic Station. Free parking is available for those who choose to drive.

Learn more and register by contacting Keisha at kjoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29

Brown Bag Lunch Ministry: Packing

10am-Noon, St. Paul's Chapel

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Brown Bag Lunch

12:45pm, St. Paul's Chapel

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30

Brown Bag Lunch

12:45pm, St. Paul's Chapel

Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

NEXT SUNDAY

On December 31, there will be no Discovery class, Sunday School for Children, or Youth Group. The Parish Center will close at 2pm (and reopen on January 2).

COMING SOON

Security Enhancements

In an effort to keep parishioners and visitors safe in our worship spaces, Trinity Church Wall Street in January will implement bag checks and wandings for everyone who enters Trinity Church and St. Paul's Chapel. We are continuing to work with our security provider on the details, and will provide more information as those details are available. If you have any questions, please see the Vicar.

January 2018: Honoring MLK

10am, Sundays, January 7-21, Trinity Church

As the 50th anniversary of Martin Luther King's assassination approaches, Trinity will enter a month-long January reflection featuring a speaker series and special preacher Ruby Sales. The series, "Going Beyond the Dream: Three Epistles on Race in America," will explore contemporary black/white relationships using writings that resonate powerfully today. Speakers include Errol Louis, journalist and host of NY1's "Inside City Hall," on Martin Luther King's *Letter from a Birmingham Jail* (January 7); Fred Moten, poet and NYU professor, on James Baldwin's *A Letter from a Region in My Mind* (January 14); Martin Luther King Jr. Sunday preacher: Ruby Sales, social activist and scholar (11:15am, January 14); and Phil Jackson, Vicar of Trinity Church Wall Street, on Thomas Merton's *Letters to a White Liberal* (January 21). Information: trinitywallstreet.org/discovery.

A Stained Glass Workshop

4-7pm, January 13, 20, 27 and February 3, offsite

The Visual Arts Committee invites you to explore the fundamentals of creating with stained glass, including glass preparation, assembly, and design. This progressive, four-session introductory level class will introduce participants to techniques such as cutting, copper foiling, and soldering in a fun and immersive environment. Class registration fee: \$50, due at time of enrollment. Space is limited. To register, please contact Ryan L. Campbell at the.house.of.campbell@gmail.com. Classes held at the world-class studios of UrbanGlass in downtown Brooklyn.

Weekend Retreat: January 13-15

This winter, you are invited to head up to the new Trinity Retreat Center in West Cornwall, CT for a weekend of winter fun! If there is snow, we'll go sledding and snowshoeing; if not, we'll hike and try geocaching. Regardless of weather, plan on games, a movie night, a service project at the local animal shelter, and lots of delicious food and fireside fun. Cost is \$100 per youth and financial aid is available. Please RSVP to Wendy Barrie at wbarrie@trinitywallstreet.org.

Save the Date: Women's March

Saturday, January 20, New York City

Join with Trinity parishioners and staff for the Women's March. We'll meet at the Parish Center and travel together. More details to come. Information: action@trinitywallstreet.org.

Register Now for Trinity Institute 2018

Values in Action: A Trinity Institute Conference
February 2-3

We all want to create a better world—and that requires action and connection. Discerning shared values is crucial to forming powerful partnerships and moving forward with courageous intention. We'll explore how we can set a collaborative course at Trinity Institute 2018: Values in Action, a conference designed to help you get grounded and connected so you can get going. Speakers include the Most Rev. Michael B. Curry, Michelle Alexander, Jose Antonio Vargas, Elizabeth Edman, Deirdre Good, Adnan A. Zulfiqar, Rabbi Andrea L. Weiss, the Rev. Winnie Varghese, the Rev. Dr. Mark Bozzuti-Jones, and Pádraig Ó Tuama. Parishioners can register for free with the code PARISHVALUES. Seating is limited, so register soon at TI2018.org.

BULLETIN BOARD

2018 Giving Campaign Continues

There's still time to make your 2018 stewardship pledge to Trinity, and Christmastide is a great time to do so. You can pick up stewardship brochures, pledge cards, and return envelopes near the entrances of Trinity Church and St. Paul's Chapel, or pledge online at trinitywallstreet.org/give. For more information, contact Willem Brans, Director of Development at wbrans@trinitywallstreet.org or 212.602.9692.

Pledge Payment Deadline is Dec. 31

Please note that payments to fulfill 2017 stewardship pledges must be received or postmarked by Sunday, December 31. If you need to know your balance, please contact the Development Office at wbrans@trinitywallstreet.org or 212.602.9692.

Charitable Distributions from IRAs

When you are doing your year-end tax planning, please remember that if you are 70 1/2 or older, you may qualify to make Trinity a tax-free gift of up to \$100,000 from your IRA account. If you are considering such a gift, we suggest you talk with your investment advisor before finalizing your decision.

Background Screening Program

Trinity values the safety of the community we serve, our employees, and our volunteers. To further safeguard the vulnerable populations we serve, other members of our community, and our volunteers, Trinity is now requiring background screenings for all lay leaders and volunteers. This policy is informed by best practices among religious and non-profit communities nationwide. For more information, a list of questions and answers about the process can be found at trinitywallstreet.org/faq-background-screenings. Please contact Michael Fonteboa at mfonteboa@trinitywallstreet.org or 212.300.9904 to set up your screening or to ask any further questions.

Volunteers Needed: Kianga House

Earlier this year, parishioners began a relationship with Kianga House, a shelter in Crown Heights that is home to 17-19 families including mothers with 1-2 children (birth through age 9, but mostly under 2). Kianga is Swahili for "ray of light." This fall and winter, volunteers are needed to read to the children while their mothers are in GED, job readiness, and parenting classes. All volunteers will be

required to undergo a background check. For more information about Kianga House and other volunteer opportunities including some renovation work in January 2018, email Trinity.Kianga@gmail.com.

Congregational Sock Drive through December 31

Drop off baskets at Trinity and St. Paul's Chapel
The Collections Committee and Brown Bag Lunch are partnering to address a need in our ministry: socks! Bring in adult socks of any size (for men or women), any color, now throughout the month of December. Socks are a needed addition to our outreach offerings during these cold winter months. Speak to Lorna Bruce or another committee member for more information. Committee member names are listed in the back of the bulletin.

The Sisters are In

10:30-11:45am, weekdays, Trinity Church
Five days a week, for an hour each day, a Sister of St. Margaret sits quietly in a pew, waiting for anyone who needs to talk, pray, or just sit quietly with someone. "Sister Gloria and I share this ministry," Sister Ann Whittaker, SSM, said. "I firmly believe people in the world need someone to listen to them in a non-judgmental way. But it also takes courage for the person speaking to come and do it!" ***Please note: the Sisters will not be in Dec. 25 or Jan. 1.*

Trinity Preschool Financial Aid

Trinity Preschool, for children 3 months through 5 years of age, is committed to serving children and families from a wide range of socioeconomic backgrounds. The school's need-based financial aid program supports this goal. Financial aid awards are given based on need to eligible families whose child/children attend five days a week. Applications for the 2018-2019 school year are due January 15, 2018. Learn more at trinitypreschoolnyc.org.

Justice for Sergio

Sergio Reyes, a senior at Leadership and Public Service High School, one of Trinity's neighbors, was shot and killed by police after allegedly holding up a bodega with a fake gun in February 2017. Sergio's classmates, members of Trinity's new Advocacy Apprentice program, created a three-part podcast to honor their friend and explore the narratives and social forces surrounding the events that led to his death. Primarily designed for high school students in local public schools, Advocacy Apprentices work on projects to address

current justice issues in New York City through storytelling, visual art, community engagement, and service projects. Hear the podcast at trinitywallstreet.org/sergio.

Add Trinity to Your Calendar!

Now you can add Trinity's events to your digital calendar and never miss another program or service. On any upcoming event found at trinitywallstreet.org/events, look for the "Add to Calendar" button above the time and location details. Click the button and choose your digital calendar—iCalendar, Google Calendar, Outlook, Outlook online, or Yahoo! Calendar. Need help? Information: worshipbulletin@trinitywallstreet.org.

Episcopal Credit Union Surveys

The Episcopal Diocese of New York and Trinity Church Wall Street are working to establish a credit union for those who are served by diocesan ministries and/or attend diocesan churches. A vital step in establishing a credit union is surveying those who would be eligible to participate in the credit union. Please complete a survey to help us establish this service. Information: Winnie Varghese at wvarghese@trinitywallstreet.org.

The Lina Lowry Library

Hours: 12-3pm, Monday, Tuesday, and Friday

Did you know there's a library at the Parish Center? Come visit! Located in the Parish Center's Large Conference Room, the library is named in memory of beloved parishioner Lina Lowry. All members of the parish may borrow books from the library, which include religious and sacramental works, biographies and autobiographies, ancient and modern texts, children's books, and much more.

IN OUR PRAYERS

This prayer list is cleared at the end of each month. To add names to the list, email worshipbulletin@trinitywallstreet.org or call 212.602.0800.

WE PRAY FOR

Cynthia Cartwright; Norma Rogers; Cynthia Smith; Roy Watson; Maria George; Vonn Brochart; Roy Burrowes; James (friend of Trinity); **Melvin Dixon, Christine, Milagros,** and **Robert** (friends of Lorraine Westcarr); **Maisy Curry; Pearl Grady; Rodney A. Brown; Janice Linton** (Cynthia Smith's niece); **Gloria Rodriguez; Cindy Smith** and her father; **Howard Randolph** (Denise Shockley's brother); **Grace George; Ivy Coard-Gheler; Richard Brereton** (friend of Ilyse

Fink); **Russell Moorman, Sharisse Boswell,** and **Larry Perkins** (relatives of Lorna Nembhard); **Eileen Cassidy** (Elizabeth Melillo's cousin); **Ann Ajana; Beverly Blaine** (Bob Blaine's mother); **Miriam Guerra, Rayness Mayne, Josephine Fearon,** and **Cynthia Hunt** (Ruth Lovelock's friends); **Luella Lewis** (aunt of Scott Evenbeck); **Drew Pardus; Carmen Melendez** (Eve Melendez's mother); the Gustely family—**Paul, Stanley, Keith, Martha, and Margo; Jenna Knoblauch** (Ann Ajana's niece); **Robert Taylor** (James Gomez's friend); **Suzanne Cadarett** (Colleen M.E. O'Leary's sister); **Lisa; Darlene Belgraves** (friend of Audrey Simon); **Lorna Nembhard; Valerie Thurab; Joseph Liello, Joan and Nick Viggiano** (relatives of Kathy Bozzuti-Jones); **Kerry Collins** (Catherine Stanke's cousin); **Jeffrey Sargeant** (Roslyn Williams's brother); **Aida de Jesus** (Carmen Laura Toro's aunt); **Eileen Cassidy** (Elizabeth Melillo's cousin); **the Rev. Vimala Wesley** (Vinod Wesley's mother); **Fr. Paul Walker** (friend of Elizabeth Melillo); **Natacha Nobile; Laura Carey** and family; **Peter Klensch** (friend of Mark and Kathy Bozzuti-Jones); **Sandra Walrond** (friend of Carla Richards); **Suehail Ratajczyk** and family (relative of Marie Brewster); **Anastasia Anastasiadis; David and Frances Stephenson and Kristin Tosi** (family of James Stephenson), **Barbara Fontecchio** (Tom Mazza's cousin); **Patricia Toro, Anne Collins, Beatrice Johnson, William Katen, Susan Rolfe,** and **Gerry Kendrick** (friends of Bill McCue); **John Brohard** (Cindy Jay's brother-in-law); **Karen Gerber; Denise Shockley; Journalen, Lyndonna, and Nerve** (Nitz Valerio's children); **Jackie Williams** (Julie Shahroudi's mother); **Robert Weatherspoon, Nicole Weatherspoon, Pamela and Mariela** (Hermelinda Weatherspoon's family); **Candita Rodriguez** (Lillian Martir's mother); **Mary Grace De Mesa Cruz** (friend of Nitz Valerio); **Evadné Hodge; Rommel Richard, Kayla Richard, Shirley and Donald Jones, Dr. Marguerite Thompson, Margo and Howard Gore, Carol and Juan Rosario, Mary and Carl Greene, Talmach White, Georgene Thompson, Richard and Kate, Quentin Jones, Haynes, and Clifford** (friends and relatives of Evadné Hodge); **Ellen Patricia John** (Josh Slater's grandmother); **Evelyn and Lydia Rodriguez** (family of Lenore Rivera); **Victor and Naida Maldonado, José Depres, José Luis and Samantha Duffy** (friends of Lenore Rivera); **Owen Burrowes, Leslie-Anne Burrowes, and Johnny Saunders** (relatives of Roy Burrowes); **Gina Quinzani; Yvette Tsiropoulos; Edward Papperello, Yanli Wang, and Xavier**

Ricardo Papperello Sr.; Lisa Viscardi (Luciana Sikula's friend); **Belinda Ganser** (friend of Kathy Bozzuti-Jones); **Kamari Corey Freeman, Quincies Darbouze, Marie Mathilde Michelle** (friends and family of Christaline Pierre); **Susan, Jemma and Sophie Giberson** (friends of Kimiko Lupfer); **John, Asmira, and Sonja; Jane Parisi-Myers; Doug Cooper** (friends of Bill Cruse and John Deuel); **the children, faculty, and staff at PS 89, IS 289, and Stuyvesant High School; Angela** (friend of Carolyn Lesemann-Happy); **Christine Thurston** (wife of the Rev. Anthony Thurston); **Mary Billington** (daughter of David Billington); **Ruth Abere** (David Abere's mother); **Rowe Hatch; Peter Coan and Nur Coan; Saeko and Mark Anderson; George S. Hope** (Deborah Hope's father); **Steve and Sandy Baseheart** (friends of Katie and Peter Basquin); **Reese Casper Horton** (Katherine Horton's nephew); **Wayne A. Williams** (Paul Gustely's friend).

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** (friend of Bill McCue); **Graham Scarbro, USN** (nephew of Amy Roy); **Wonjun Seol** (Yunjeong Seol's brother).

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

Today we pray for the Rt. Rev. **Markus Ibrahim** and the Diocese of Yola (Jos, Nigeria).

What's going on at Trinity?

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Pastoral Care

In case of illness, a death in the family, or other pastoral emergencies, please call 917.488.0717 to reach a member of the Pastoral Team on call for the week: Kristin Miles, Sister Ann, Sister Gloria, or Sister Promise. For other pastoral needs, especially pastoral conversation about life issues, call the Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles, Director for Pastoral Care and Community at 212.602.0895.

Congregational Voice

“Have I not commanded thee? Be strong and of good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed; for the Lord thy God is with thee wherever thou goest” (Joshua 1:9 KJV). This is my favorite verse in the Bible because it increases my faith. It strengthens my courage over fear. —
Halbert Hollingsworth

Flower Donations

Have flowers dedicated in honor or memory of a loved one or in celebration of a life event. A suggested donation of \$150 to the Trinity Flower Fund begins the process. Information: flowers@trinitywallstreet.org.

Trinity’s Online Gift Shop

The online Trinity Gift Shop is a great place to purchase gifts, books, music by Trinity ensembles, jewelry, devotional items, and pieces pertaining to Trinity’s history and 9/11 ministry. Parishioners always receive 20% off at the Trinity gift shop with the code PARISH20. Free shipping is always included with your order. Visit trinitywallstreet.org/giftshop.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAYS

8am	Holy Eucharist, St. Paul’s Chapel
9am	Holy Eucharist, Trinity Church
9:15am	Family Eucharist, St. Paul’s Chapel
11:15am	Holy Eucharist, Trinity Church
8pm	Compline by Candlelight, St. Paul’s Chapel

WEEKDAYS

8:15am, 9am Monday–Friday	Morning Prayer Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church
12:05pm Monday–Friday	Holy Eucharist, Trinity Church followed by <i>Laying on of Hands for Healing</i> in Chapel of All Saints
5:15pm Monday–Friday (except Thursdays)	Evening Prayer Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church
5:15pm Thursdays	Evensong Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Congregational Council:

congregationalcouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. Meets 6-8pm, the third Tuesday of the month, Trinity Church, Manning Room.
The next meeting is January 16. RSVP: Helen Levine at hlevine@trinitywallstreet.org.

Ministry Night will be held the fourth Tuesday of each month.
The next ministry night will be January 23. RSVP: Helen Levine at hlevine@trinitywallstreet.org.

Standing Committees:

Arts: arts@trinitywallstreet.org
Community: community@trinitywallstreet.org
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Hospitality: hospitality@trinitywallstreet.org
Witness & Outreach: witnessandoutreach@trinitywallstreet.org

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

To submit an item for publication, please email lgoswick@trinitywallstreet.org at least 10 days before you would like the announcement to appear.

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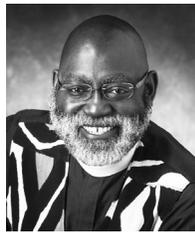
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