

#### TRINITY CHURCH

Broadway at Wall Street New York City

## The Nativity of Our Lord:

# Christmas Eve

December 24, 2021; 6pm, 8pm, 10pm, midnight



## Mission

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

## Vision

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

## Core Values

## **Faith**

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

## Integrity

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

## **Inclusiveness**

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

## Compassion

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

-MATTHEW 14:14

## Social Justice

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

**-**Місан 6:8

## Stewardship

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



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

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

## Welcome to Trinity 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.

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

## Christmas Eve

The celebration of Christ's coming among us at Christmas—the incarnation—is one of the two highest holy days of the Christian year, along with the celebration of his resurrection on Easter. In the Book of Common Prayer, Christmas Day is one of the seven principal feasts. The Christmas season lasts twelve days: from Christmas Day until January 5, the day before the Epiphany.

Christmas is much more than simply the celebration of Jesus' birth: it reminds us of the central truth that "the Word became flesh and lived among us" (*John 1:14*), fulfilling the prophecy that "the young woman is with child and shall bear a son, and shall name him Immanuel—God is with us" (*Isaiah 7:14*).

 $Sources: \textit{The Book of Common Prayer, An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church, Revised Common Lectionary,} \ Trinity \ Church \ Wall \ Street liturgical staff$ 



## The Entrance Rite

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

### Prelude

Selections from Christmas Oratorio, No. 2 & No. 5, BWV 248

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

#### SINFONIA

CHORALE: BRICH AN, O SCHÖNES MORGENLICHT

Brich an, o schönes Morgenlicht,
Und laß den Himmel tagen!
Du Hirtenvolk, erschrecke nicht,
Weil dir die Engel sagen,
Daß dieses schwache Knäbelein
Soll unser Trost und Freude sein,
Dazu den Satan zwingen
Und letztlich Friede bringen!

Break forth, O lovely light of morning, and let heaven dawn!
You shepherd-folk, do not fear, for the angel tells you that this weak little boy shall be our comfort and joy, compelling Satan as well and bringing peace at last!

- "Ermuntre dich, mein schwacher Geist," verse 9

#### CHORALE: SCHAUT HIN!

Schaut hin, dort liegt im finstern Stall, Des Herrschaft gehet überall! Da Speise vormals sucht ein Rind, Da ruhet itzt der Jungfrau'n Kind. Look there, there He lies in a dark stall, whose majesty encompasses everything! Where once an ox searched for food, now the Child of the Virgin rests.

- "Schaut, schaut, was ist für Wunder dar," verse 8

#### CHORUS: EHRE SEI DIR, GOTT

Ehre sei dir, Gott, gesungen,
Dir sei Lob und Dank bereit'.
Dich erhebet alle Welt,
Weil dir unser Wohl gefällt,
Weil anheut
Unser aller Wunsch gelungen,
Weil uns dein Segen so herrlich erfreut.

Let honor be sung to You, O God, praise and thanks be prepared for You. All the world exalts You, since our well-being was Your pleasure, since today

all our wishes have come to pass,

since Your blessing so gloriously delights us.

#### CHORALE: WIR SINGEN DIR IN SEINEM HEER

Wir singen dir in deinem Heer Aus aller Kraft, Lob, Preis und Ehr, Daß du, o lang gewünschter Gast, Dich nunmehr eingestellet hast. We sing to You in Your host with all our might, praise, glory and honor, since You, O long-awaited guest, from now on have become present. —"Wir singen dir, Emmanuel," verse 2

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## The Word of God

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

## **Processional Hymn**

Sung by the choir.

O Come, All Ye Faithful

Adeste fideles, melody att. John Francis Wade (1711-1786); verse 3 descant, David Willcocks (1919-2015)

## Blessing of the Crèche

**TCWS** 

At their entry into the church, the Celebrant and other ministers gather at the Crèche.

Celebrant The word was made flesh and dwelt among us:

People And we beheld his glory.

Celebrant Let us pray.

God of every nation and people, from the very beginning of creation you made manifest your love within our world: when our need for a savior was great, and the fullness of time had come, you sent your Son to be born of the Virgin Mary, bringing to our lives joy and peace, justice, mercy, and love; bless now this crib, we pray you, by which we recall this most wondrous mystery, and grant that our thoughts may be raised to him who is God-with-us and Savior of all, and who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.

All Amen.

Acclamation BCP p. 355

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

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

## The Collect of the Day

BCP p. 212

CelebrantGod be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you have caused this holy night to shine with the brightness of the true Light: Grant that we, who have known the mystery of that Light on earth, may also enjoy him perfectly in heaven; where with you and the Holy Spirit he lives and reigns, one God,

in glory everlasting.

All Amen.

Please be seated.

## The First Reading

Isaiah 9:2-7

Reader

A Reading from the Book of Isaiah.

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness—on them light has shined. You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder. For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian. For all the boots of the tramping warriors and all the garments rolled in blood shall be burned as fuel for the fire. For a child has been born for us, a son given to us; authority rests upon his shoulders; and he is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. His authority shall grow continually, and there shall be endless peace for the throne of David and his kingdom. He will establish and uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time onward and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.

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

People

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 96 BCP p. 73	The Psalm	Psalm 96	BCP p. 725
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Said antiphonally, alternating between the Leader and People.

Leader Sing to the LORD a new song; \*

sing to the LORD, all the whole earth.

People Sing to the LORD and bless his Name; \*

proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.

Leader Declare his glory among the nations \*

and his wonders among all peoples.

People For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; \*

he is more to be feared than all gods.

Leader As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; \*

but it is the LORD who made the heavens.

People Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! \*

Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!

Leader Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples; \*

ascribe to the LORD honor and power.

People Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his Name; \*

bring offerings and come into his courts.

Leader Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; \*

let the whole earth tremble before him.

People Tell it out among the nations: "The LORD is King! \*

he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved;

he will judge the peoples with equity."

Leader Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;

let the sea thunder and all that is in it; \*

let the field be joyful and all that is therein.

People Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy

before the LORD when he comes, \* when he comes to judge the earth.

Leader He will judge the world with righteousness \*

and the peoples with his truth.

## Sequence Hymn

Please stand as you are able. Sung by the choir.

Angels We Have Heard on High

Gloria, French carol

## The Holy Gospel

Luke 2:1-20

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon

In those days a decree went out from Emperor Augustus that all the world should be registered. This was the first registration and was taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. All went to their own towns to be registered. Joseph also went from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to the city of David called Bethlehem, because he was descended from the house and family of David. He went to be registered with Mary, to whom he was engaged and who was expecting a child. While they were there, the time came for her to deliver her child. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in bands of cloth, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn.

In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for see—I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying,

"Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors!"

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us." So they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known what had been told them about this child; and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

### The Sermon

The Rev. Elizabeth Blunt, Priest and Director for Congregational Life and Liturgy (6pm)

The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson, *Priest-in-charge* (8pm and 10pm)

The Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles, Priest and Director for Pastoral Care and Community (midnight)

### The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358\*

Please stand as you are able.

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

All We believe in one God,

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

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only Son of God,

eternally begotten of the Father,

God from God, Light from Light,

true God from true God,

begotten, not made,

of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,

and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

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

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

who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

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

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## The Prayers of the People

CW:TS p. 81\*

Leader Good and gracious God, in this holy night your Son our Savior was born in human form.

Renew your Church as the Body of Christ. Lord, in your mercy,

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night Christians the world over are celebrating his birth. Open our hearts that

he may be born in us today. Lord, in your mercy,

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night there was no room for your Son in the inn. Protect with your love those

who have no home and all who live in poverty. Lord, in your mercy,

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night your Christ came as a light shining in the darkness. Bring comfort to all

who suffer in the sadness of our world, and forgive us for the ways we have contributed to it

in thought, word, and deed. Lord, in your mercy,

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night strangers found the Holy Family and saw the baby lying in the manger.

Bless our homes and all whom we love. Lord, in your mercy,

People Hear our prayer.

Leader In this holy night heaven is come down to earth and earth is raised to heaven. Keep in safety

all those who have died, and receive the worship we offer with Blessed Mary and all the

company of heaven. Lord, in your mercy,

People Hear our prayer.

Celebrant God of all hopefulness and joy; in this holy night angels and shepherds worshipped at the

 $manger\ throne.\ Receive\ the\ prayers\ and\ praise\ we\ offer\ in\ fellowship\ with\ Mary,\ Joseph,$ 

and all the saints, through him who is your Word made flesh, our Savior Jesus Christ.

All Amen.

The Peace BCP p. 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

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

## Welcome

Please be seated.

## The Holy Communion

## The Offertory

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

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

## Offertory Anthem

In the Bleak Mid-Winter

Harold Darke (1888-1976)

In the bleak mid-winter,

Frosty wind made moan,

Earth stood hard as iron,

Water like a stone;

Snow had fallen, snow on snow,

Snow on snow,

In the bleak mid-winter

Long ago.

Our God, Heaven cannot hold Him

Nor earth sustain;

Heaven and earth shall flee away

When He comes to reign:

In the bleak mid-winter

A stable-place sufficed

The Lord God Almighty,

Jesus Christ.

Enough for Him, whom cherubim

Worship night and day,

A breast full of milk

And a mangerful of hay;

Enough for Him, whom angels

Fall down before,

The ox and ass and camel

Which adore.

What can I give Him,

Poor as I am?

If I were a shepherd,

I would bring a lamb;

If I were a wise man,

I would do my part,

Yet what I can I give Him,

Give my heart.

-Christina Rossetti (1830-1894)

## Censing of the Gifts

Please stand as you are able.

Dirigatur oratio mea sicut incensum in conspectu tuo.

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

-Psalm 141:2

## The Great Thanksgiving

BCP p. 361/p. 378/ECP

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift 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; because you gave Jesus Christ, your only Son, to be born for us; who, by the mighty power of the Holy Spirit, was made perfect Man of the flesh of the Virgin Mary his mother; so that we might be delivered from the bondage of sin, and

receive power to become your children.

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

EOW p. 57

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

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

Please continue standing or kneel as you are able.

Celebrant

In these latter days, God leaned toward the earth and spoke to us by a Son, Jesus the Beloved. Born of our sister Mary and the Holy Spirit, guarded by our brother Joseph with fatherly care, Jesus came among us as a baby, humbly born, cradled beside the beasts and warmed by their breath, human as we are, in need of human love.

This Word of God made flesh and full of grace was sent to deliver us from our sin, from the power of evil and the fear of death. As a servant, Jesus emptied himself of might upon the cross, and as the risen Anointed One is enthroned at God's right hand to bring mercy and justice to all the earth at the end of days.

At supper with his disciples he took bread and offered you thanks. He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying, "Take, eat. This is my Body: it is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them, saying: "Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven. Do this in remembrance of me."

And so, rejoicing in all God has done for us, we proclaim the mystery of our faith:

All Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant

Holy God, as you visited us in the birth of Jesus, visit us now by the power of your spirit upon these gifts of bread and wine, that they might be for us the Body and Blood of Christ, the banquet of heaven here on earth. And we ask you to shed your grace, brighter than starlight, on us, that we may bear your good tidings to all and renew the weary in your name: the name of Emmanuel—God With Us.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity the sum of the

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 in one kind—bread only—and will come directly to you where you are seated. As you are able, please stand to receive the host.

### Communion Anthem

Mary Had a Baby

arr. William L. Dawson (1899-1990)

Oh, Mary had a Baby, My Lord!

Where was He born, born in a manger,

Where was He born, born in a manger,

Oh, Mary had a Baby, born in a manger,

Mary had a baby, My Lord!

What did they call Him? "King Jesus,"

What did they call Him? "King Jesus,"

Oh, Mary had a Baby, He was called "King Jesus."

Mary had a Baby, oh, yes!

He is called "King Jesus," "Mighty Counsellor,"

"King Emmanuel," "Mighty God,"

"Everlasting Father," "Prince of Peace."

Mary had a Baby, My Lord!

-Traditional spiritual

## Communion Hymn

Sung by the choir.

A Stable Lamp is Lighted

Andújar, David Hurd (b. 1950)

## Hymn after Communion

Please stand as you are able.

Silent Night

Stille Nacht, melody Franz Xaver Gruber (1787-1863)

## **Concluding Rite**

## Post-Communion Prayer

BCP p. 366

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

Celebrant May Christ, who by his Incarnation gathered into one things earthly and heavenly, fill you

with his joy and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy

Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

All Amen.

## Recessional Hymn

Sung by the choir.

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

Mendelssohn, Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

Dismissal BCP p. 366

After the Dismissal, you are welcome to leave quietly through the north vestibule (to your left as you head out). Please maintain safe distances.

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

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

People Thanks be to God.

## Postlude

For Unto Us a Child is Born from Messiah

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given, unto us a Son is given: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

—Isaiah 9:6

Orchestral arrangements by Julian Wachner (b. 1969).

You are encouraged to take this bulletin with you.



### TRINITY BAROQUE ORCHESTRA

CONCERTMASTER FLUTE

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### **POINSETTIAS**

#### The Christmas poinsettias are given by the following donors:

#### Mark Addison

In loving memory of my beloved father Don Addison and my beloved grandmother Marie Addison.

#### Alice Daly

In loving memory of Maisy Curry and Robert Daly, given by the Daly and Curry families.

#### **Heather Daly**

In memory of Maisy Curry from Finn Barr Curry, and in memory of Robert Daly from Heather, Peter, and Finn Barr Curry.

#### Dr. Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant

In memory of Cyril and Esmie Ffolkes and all departed family members.

In memory of Muriel Bryant and Burnice Robateau.

#### Oliva George

In memory of Jacinto Ismael George and Maria Elisa George: Always on my mind, and forever in my heart.

#### Roslyn Hall

In memory of Loren Hall, Vera and Murray Taylor.

#### Rowena C. Irons

In memory of Michael Irons and Bernice Wynter.

Clarence H. Kay, Jr.

#### Lila and Bruce Kirton and families

In loving memory of Allan and Shirley Kirton.

#### Gwendolyn Pointer

In memory of Elizabeth Pointer—Because a mother's love never dies, it lives on in my heart and in my life every day. In memory of Patrick Nutor, the love of my life.

In memory of Jeffrey Glick, friend and confidante.

#### Donna Riley

In memory of Katherine Warbington, Andrew C. Warbington, Sr., and A. Charles Warbington, Jr.

#### Jamie Sutterlin

In remembrance of my parents Betty Sutterlin and James Sutterlin.

#### Corine Thompson

From the Thompson family.

#### Elizabeth Tyndale

In honor of Craig, Clay and Madeleine Tyndale, and in memory of Kathleen Weiss.

If you have donated poinsettias, you may pick them up after the 11:15am service on Sunday, December 26.

# Announcements

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

# FOR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS



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

## **EVERY SUNDAY**

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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. **NOTE:** No meeting December 26.

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

## **EVERY WEEK**

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## **Delve Deeper**

**The Broad Way Bible Study** | *Mondays, 1pm; Online* Grab your lunch and join Bob Scott online for lively discussion and fellowship. To join, please email Bob Scott at BScott@trinitywallstreet.org. **Note:** No meeting December 27.

### **Expand and Explore Your Spirituality**

Scripture, Reflection, & Compline | Tuesdays, 6pm; Online | Gather online for midweek spiritual nourishment and fellowship in gentle community. We'll read the coming Sunday's scripture, reflect and share insights, and close in prayer. To join, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org. Note: No meeting December 28.

Contemplative Practice with Poetry | Wednesdays, 6:30pm; Online | Join for a practice of guided meditation and contemplative reflection with poets and artists, for mutual spiritual support and growth, led by spiritual directors John Deuel and Dr. Kathy Bozzuti-Jones. To sign up, email ChristianFormation@trinitywallstreet.org. NOTE: No meeting December 29.

### **Enjoy the Company of Others**

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New Beginnings | Thursdays, 9:45am; Online
Trinity's ministry of seniors meets weekly for online
chair yoga and Bible study. Chair yoga runs from
9:45–10:30am and Bible study starts at 11am—you're
welcome to join for either or both. In between, we'll
spend time together and catch up on the week. To
join, email PastoralCare@trinitywallstreet.org.
NOTE: No meeting December 30.

### **COMING SOON**

#### **Trinity Book Club**

Fridays, January 7–February 4, 6:30–7:30pm, Online Trinity Book Club meets weekly to discuss the mysteries of the Christian faith through the medium of literature. Past books have included Spirituality of the Psalms by Walter Brueggemann, Mysteries of Faith by Mark McIntosh, and Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again by Rachel Held Evans. We'll read Grace Ji-Sun Kim's Healing our Broken Humanity: Practices for Revitalizing the Church and Renewing the World. Information: trinitywallstreet.org/bookclub.

#### Emma O'Halloran's *Trade* January 8–15, Abrons Art Center

Trinity Church Wall Street continues its annual partnership with Prototype Festival in developing major new contemporary operas. This year's production is a new opera, *Trade*, by Irish composer Emma O'Halloran featuring NOVUS NY and Julian Wachner as music director. *Trade* depicts an encounter between a respectable—yet closeted—middle-aged man and the young man he hires for

company; a tense, but delicate, interchange after which everything will be different. Buy tickets at prototypefestival.org.

#### **Discovery**

Sundays, January 9–30, 10am, Parish Hall and Online Race, Slavery, Freedom, and the New Testament
This Epiphanytide, join Dr. Peter Ajer, Professor of New Testament at Church Divinity School of the Pacific, for a two-week discussion of Philemon, and Dr. Lisa Bowens, Professor of New Testament at Princeton Theological Seminary, for a two-week discussion about her book, African American Readings of Paul: Reception, Resistance and Transformation. Register at trinitywallstreet.org/discovery.

## Environmental Justice Ministry Group Monday, January 10, 6pm, Online

Trinity's Witness and Outreach committee invites you to join the Environmental Justice ministry group to hear from Sujohn Sarkar, Trinity's Managing Director of Asset Management. Mr. Sarkar will discuss how Trinity's commercial buildings are being retrofitted to limit greenhouse gas emissions, reduce reliance on fossil fuels, and more. The Environmental Justice ministry group is a faith-based group that examines and acts around the most pressing problems of climate change and environmental justice. Register at trinitywallstreet. org/environmentaljustice.

### **Epiphany Reflection Series**

Wednesdays, January 12-26, 6-7pm, Online

The Journey of the Holy Family
Join Trinity seminarian Linda Aristondo for this
three-week series to reflect on the practices and
wisdom of Epiphany, particularly focusing on the
journey of the Holy Family and what it means
for us in our times. Information: PastoralCare@
trinitywallstreet.org. Register at trinitywallstreet.
org/epiphanyseries.

#### Trinity Talks: Addressing Health Inequity Thursday, January 13, 6:30–7:45pm Trinity Church, Online

Violence as a Public Health Issue
Join Father Phil and Dr. Rob Gore, founder and
executive director of Kings Against Violence (KAVI),
for a discussion about violence as an endemic
public health issue, particularly in low-income
neighborhoods and communities of color, greatly
impacting children and teenagers. Register at
trinitywallstreet.org/trinitytalks.

## **Christmas Worship**

#### **CHRISTMAS EVE**

There will be Morning Prayer at 8:15am on Christmas Eve, but no 12:05pm service or Evening Prayer.

#### Family Holy Eucharist

4pm<sup>†</sup>; Trinity Church

#### **Holy Eucharist**

6pm, 8pm, 10pm<sup>†</sup>, Midnight<sup>†</sup>; Trinity Church

#### **Candlelight Compline**

8pm; Facebook Live, Instagram Live Streamed from Trinity Retreat Center

#### CHRISTMAS DAY

#### **Holy Eucharist**

11:15am†; Trinity Church

#### **EPIPHANY**

#### **Epiphany Evensong**

Thursday, January 6, 6pm; Trinity Church

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trinitywallstreet.org/christmas

## Museum Visit: Jasper Johns at the Whitney Saturday, January 22, 11am–2pm, Whitney Museum

Join the Congregational Arts committee and experience the *Jasper Johns: Mind/Mirror* retrospective featuring a broad range of Johns's groundbreaking work. Participants ages 12 and older must show proof of vaccination, and all participants must wear face coverings. Space is limited. RSVP by January 14 to Melissa Mistry at MMistry@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### **Worship Leader Orientation**

Saturday, January 29, 10am-Noon, Trinity Church

All who are interested in serving on our worship leader team for Sunday services are invited to come hear about Trinity's liturgical practices from clergy and staff. Roles for volunteers ages 12 and older include torch bearers, crucifers, thurifers, lectors,

and more. This orientation is intended for new and returning volunteers. A light meal will follow in the Parish Hall. Attendees and interested volunteers will need to show proof of vaccination and must complete a volunteer intake/renewal process. RSVP to Dane Miller at dmiller@trinitywallstreet.org by Wednesday, January 19.

## **BULLETIN BOARD**

#### It's Time to Pledge

During this fall's Season of Stewardship, we thought together about our core value of Stewardship, and about how we're called to act as faithful guardians of the resources entrusted to our care by God. As we approach the end of the year, it's time to make financial pledges for 2022: watch for stewardship packets coming to you soon by mail. Gifts of the parish fund critical outreach efforts throughout our neighborhood, and support many of our bestloved congregational programs. Contact Prisca Doh, Martha Graham, or Mother Beth Blunt directly for more information.

#### Join the St. Paul's Chapel Choir

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

### IN OUR PRAYERS

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

#### WE PRAY FOR

Cynthia Cartwright; Norma Rogers; Drew Pardus; Evadné Hodge; Erin Kerr; Goldbourne Browne; Susie Edwards; Ivy Gheler; Valerie Thurab; Eileen Hope; Eleanor Hill; Jack Moody; Roland Stewart; Darlene Colon (cousin of Lenore Rivera); Candida Rodriguez (mother of Lillian Martir); Kris Seeram (father of Mintrani Seeram); Filomena

Grijalvo (mother-in-law of Cora Grijalvo); Melba Duncan; Michelle Oosterwal (daughter of Melba Duncan): Francesca Ciuffo and Angelica Ciuffo (granddaughters of Melba Duncan); Timothy Snabes (brother-in-law of Amy Chambers); Ed Morea (friend of Amy Chambers); Matt O'Dell; Kaylynn Rogers (niece of Judy Stachow); Gabriella Steiner (friend of Oliva George); Queenie Joseph (mother-in-law of Lorna Bruce); Elizabeth Melillo; Karen Garcia; Cris Gabarron, and Francis O'Connor (friends of Bill McCue); Bishop David Njovu of the Diocese of Lusaka, Zambia; Virginia "Ginny" Frey (mother of Ruth Frey); Catherine Stanke and her siblings, Dave, Tom and Gloria; James, Richard; Chris; Craig Reynolds; Wade Fisher; Julie Diaz; Solana Diaz; Lonny Shockley; Barbara Inniss; Roslyn Williams; Chester Johnson; Pauline and Osceola Fletcher (parents of Jacqueline Streets); Ben; Ken Stein and Robert Reilly; Anthony Morris; Frank Mandel (friend of Tom Mazda).

#### 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); Helen Guittard (Stephen Guittard's wife); Perry Brock.

#### ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

Pray for Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America.

#### Congregational Voice

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land" (2 Chronicles 7:14 NIV). This verse is to help us get our eyes fixed back on the One who holds the future. So many distractions out there and the enemy is playing on each one! I don't question the deaths from COVID-19 with the numbers. I mourn with those who mourn. You are not forgotten! Just as all the hashtags are not forgotten. And I believe that healing beyond COVID, and to include BLM, lies in the prayers of those who are called by His name. Our actions, our prayers speak louder than our titles

and labels. I know He hears us when we pray. We, the body of Christ, need to seek Him and He will have a meeting with Himself and send healing. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. We are His chosen people. He dwells within us. We have the power through Him. We need to ask!—Adrienne Gardner

#### **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.

## **Trinity Retreat Center**

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

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

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

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

#### ONLINE OFFERINGS

**January 7–9, 2022** | Psalms, Hymns, and Sacred Songs: Holy, Memorable, and Relevant

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

Weekdays, 8pm | Candlelight Compline

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

Saturdays, 12pm | Sacred Pause: Saturday Prayers

Learn more and register at trinity retreatcenter.org

# Trinity Church Cemetery and Mausoleum

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

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

Learn more and inquire at trinitywallstreet.org/cemetery



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## Join Us for Worship

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

Parish Hall<sup>†</sup> **9:15am** | Family Service

†Enter through Trinity Church gates on Broadway

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

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

Learn more at trinitywallstreet.org/worship

# Congregational Council Committee Meetings

#### CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL

CongregationalCouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. The next meeting is **Tuesday**, **January 18**, **6–8pm**, **on Zoom**. RSVP: Keisha Joseph at KJoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

#### STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

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

## **Sunday Staff**

#### Listed by last name



Ellen Andrews Associate Director for Pastoral Care and Community



The Rev. Sr. Promise Atelon, SSM Priest Associate



Melissa Attebury Associate Director of Music



Metha Balasquides Program Assistant, Brown Bag Lunch Program



The Rev. Michael A. Bird Vicar



The Rev. Elizabeth
Blunt
Priest and Director for
Congregational Life and
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Ruth Frey Director, Community Programs and Public Life



The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson *Priest-in-charge* 



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



Jorge Ortiz Sacristan



Sister Gloria Shirley Sisters of Saint Margaret



Scott Smith Head Sacristan



Summerlee Staten Executive Director for Faith Formation and Education



Avi Stein Associate Organist and Chorusmaster



Dr. Julian Wachner Director of Music



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



Sister Ann Whittaker Sisters of Saint Margaret



Janet Yieh Associate Organist

#### SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

#### 6РМ:

CELEBRANT: The Rev. Michael A. Bird PREACHER: The Rev. Elizabeth Blunt DEACON: The Rev. C. Alfred Loua

#### 8рм:

CELEBRANT: The Rev. Michael A. Bird PREACHER: The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson DEACON: The Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles

#### 10<sub>PM</sub>:

CELEBRANT: The Rt. Rev. Allen K. Shin PREACHER: The Rev. Phillip A. Jackson DEACON: The Rev. Elizabeth Blunt

#### MIDNIGHT:

CELEBRANT: The Rev. Elizabeth Blunt PREACHER: The Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles DEACON: The Rev. Matthew A. Welsch MUSICIANS (ALL SERVICES, EXCEPT AS NOTED):
The Choir of Trinity Wall Street
Trinity Baroque Orchestra
St. Paul's Chapel Choir (AT 6PM AND 8PM)
Trinity Youth Chorus (AT 6PM AND 8PM)
Dr. Julian Wachner, F.A.G.O., Director of Music
Melissa Attebury, Associate Director of Music
Avi Stein, Associate Organist and Chorusmaster

Janet Yieh, Associate Organist and St. Paul's Chapel Choir Director

This service conforms to Holy Eucharist: Rite Two, which begins on page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP). Scripture readings are appointed by the Revised Common Lectionary, Episcopal (RCL) and are excerpted from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. Psalm texts are taken from the Book of Common Prayer. The Eucharistic Prayer was written by the Rev. Jennifer Phillips as part of the Task Force on Liturgical and Prayer Book Revision at episcopalcommonprayer.org (ECP). Other liturgical elements may include materials compiled by Trinity Church staff (TCWS) from publications including The Book of Occasional Services 2003 (BOS), Enriching Our Worship (EOW), Common Worship: Times and Seasons (CW:TS), A New Zealand Prayer Book (NZPB), the prayer books of other member churches of the Anglican Communion, and other contemporary liturgical resources. An asterisk (\*) denotes that the text is adapted from the original source material. Hymns come from The Hymnal 1982, Lift Every Voice and Sing II (LEVAS), and Wonder, Love, and Praise (WLP). Translations of texts from J.S. Bach's Christmas Oratorio @Pamela Dellal.

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