GRACE AND HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

The Last Sunday after the Epiphany • February 26, 2017

Today at the Cathedral

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist: Nave

9:00 a.m. Shrove Sunday Pancake Breakfast:

Founders' Hall

9:15 a.m. Trinity Children's Choir: Haden

Blue Room

9:30 a.m. Youth Confirmation Class: Haden

Purple Room

10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist: Nave

Following the collect of the day, children are invited to go to Haden Hall to worship. They return to their families after the Peace.

Children's Chapel for children in

1st-5th grade.

Godly Play for 3 year-olds-Kindergarten.

Armando Alemdar Ara, *Transfiguration of Jesus*, oil on linen, 2004, private collection

11:30 a.m. Shrove Sunday Pancake Breakfast: Founders' Hall

5:00 p.m. Order for Evening and Holy Eucharist: Nave

A time of peace and refreshment at the end of the weekend and beginning of a new week.

The Cathedral Bookstore is open every Sunday, 8:30-10 a.m. and immediately following the 10:15 service.

Also open before and after Evensong each month.

WELCOME!

We're glad you are worshiping with us today.
Please stay for hospitality and conversation
following services this morning, in Founders' Hall,
across the main entrance courtyard.

If you are a guest today, we invite you to complete the welcome card found in the pew racks. Please place the card in the offering plate or give to an usher. You may also learn more by contacting the office (816.474.8260) or visiting *kccathedral.org*.

May you find here by the grace of God, that which feeds your soul.



Find out more about the Cathedral: kccathedral.org

Nursery care is provided from 7:50–11:45 a.m. for infants and toddlers in the nursery in Haden Hall (from the Tower entry, go up the stairs and straight ahead to the adjoining building. Follow signs.)

Parking Options: If the Cathedral lot is full, park in the underground lot at 13th and Washington. Enter from either 13th or Washington Streets. Important!
You need a parking pass. See an usher to receive a pass. You will need both our pass and the parking garage ticket to exit without paying.

HOLY EUCHARIST

Service Notes

The Order of Service for 8:00 and 10:15 a.m. is combined. Elements specific to each service are indicated.

Page numbers in the right column refer to the red book, Book of Common Prayer.

Hymn numbers in the right column refer to the blue book, *The Hymnal 1982*. "S" numbers (e.g. S120) are located in the front of the hymnal. Hymn numbers preceded by "Wonder, Love and Praise" refer to the green book, *Wonder, Love and Praise*.

The tower bells call the worshipping community to prayerful preparation for the Eucharist. Please silence all electronic devices. Thank you for observing silence during the voluntary.

10:15 a.m. Voluntary: Adagio, BWV 564/2

Johann Sebastian Bach

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Word of God

10:15 a.m. Entrance Hymn "Songs of thankfulness and praise"

blue The Hymnal 1982, hymn 135

OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

red Book of Common Prayer, page 355

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

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

All Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid:

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Song of Praise

8:00 a.m. "Songs of thankfulness and praise" 10:15 a.m. "Glory to God in the highest"

blue *The Hymnal 1982*, hymn 135 blue *The Hymnal 1982*, hymn S280

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only begotten Son revealed his glory

upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory;

through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever.

People Amen.

10:15 a.m. SENDING OF THE CHILDREN The children and leaders gather at the chancel steps to be sent to Haden Hall for chapel.

LESSONS All are seated. Meditative silence follows the readings.

First Reading: Exodus 24:12-18

Lector The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will

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

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

forty days and forty nights.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 99, 8:00 a.m. said as indicated. 10:15 a.m., sung by the choir.

All The Lord is King;

let the people tremble; *

he is enthroned upon the cherubim;

let the earth shake.

Pulpit Side The Lord is great in Zion; *

he is high above all peoples.

Font Side Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; *

he is the Holy One.

Pulpit "O mighty King, lover of justice,

you have established equity; *

you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."

Font Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God

and fall down before his footstool; *

he is the Holy One.

Pulpit Moses and Aaron among his priests,

and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, * they called upon the Lord, and he answered them.

Font He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; *

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

Pulpit O Lord our God, you answered them indeed; *

you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds. **Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God**

and worship him upon his holy hill; * for the Lord our God is the Holy One.

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-21

All

Lector We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and

coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on

the holy mountain.

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

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

10:15 a.m. Gospel Hymn "O wondrous type! O vision fair" All rise, as able.

blue The Hymnal 1982, hymn 137

10:15 a.m. CELTIC ALLELUIA The choir sings the alleluia first, then the congregation repeats thereafter.



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THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 17:1-9

Presider The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Reader Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led

them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus,

"Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

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

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

Presider The Gospel of the Lord. People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

10:15 a.m. CELTIC ALLELUIA See page 3.

SERMON All are seated.

NICENE CREED All rise, as able.

red Book of Common Prayer, page 358

Prayers of the People

Lector O God, who is with us,

People hear our prayer.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION Please kneel, as able

red Book of Common Prayer, page 360

THE PEACE All rise, as able.

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Those celebrating anniversaries of birth, marriage, and other joyous occasions are invited to come forward for prayer.

CELEBRATION PRAYER

All O God, our times are in your hand:

Look with favor, we pray, on your *servant(s)* as *they begin* another year.

Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace,

and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Holy Communion

All are seated. The congregation's offering is received. The Holy Table is prepared for Eucharist.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "This glimpse of glory"

David Ashley White

We have come at Christ's own bidding

to this high and holy place,

where we wait with hope and longing for some token of God's grace. Here we pray for new assurance that our faith is not in vain, searching like those first disciples

for a sign both clear and plain.

Light breaks in upon our darkness, splendor bathes the flesh-joined Word; Moses and Elijah marvel as the heavenly voice is heard.

Eyes and hearts behold with wonder how the law and prophets meet:

Christ, with garments drenched in brightness,

stands transfigured and complete.

Strengthened by this glimpse of glory,

fearful lest our faith decline, we like Peter find it tempting to remain and build a shrine. But true worship gives us courage to proclaim what we profess, that our daily lives may prove us people of the God we bless.

Presentation Hymn

All Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

> Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

blue The Hymnal 1982, hymn 380, stanza 3

As a symbol of the church gathered in the fullness of its baptismal ministry, the deacon and a lay person stand at the Holy Table with the priest (and bishop, when present) for the Eucharistic Prayer.

Presider The Lord be with you. People And also with you. Presider Lift up your hearts.

People Presider People

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give God thanks and praise.

blue The Hymnal 1982, hymn S130

















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Memorial Acclamation

Presider Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

All We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory.

The Lord's Prayer

red Book of Common Prayer, page 364

Presider

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.

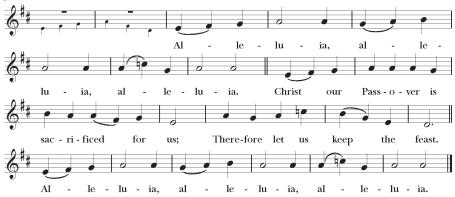
For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

blue The Hymnal 1982, hymn S155



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Communion

All those desiring a relationship with Christ are invited to come forward for Holy Communion or for a blessing.

To take communion, receive the bread in your hands (for gluten-free bread, cross your hands palms down).

Drink the wine from the cup, or holding the bread in your hands, wait for the minister to dip the bread in the wine and place it onto your tongue. You may choose not to take the wine by crossing your hands over your chest.

For a blessing, cross your hands over your chest.

Prayer for healing is offered at the prayer desk during the administration of Communion until the close of worship.

10:15 a.m. Anthem "Let all mortal flesh keep silence"

Edward Bairstow

Let all mortal flesh keep silence and stand with fear and trembling, and lift itself above all earthly thought.

For the King of kings and Lord of lords, Christ our God, cometh forth to be our oblation, and to be given for Food to the faithful.

Before Him come the choirs of angels with every principality and power; the Cherubim with many eyes, and wingèd Seraphim, who veil their faces as they shout exultingly the hymn: Alleluia!

10:15 a.m. HYMN "I want to walk as a child of the light"

blue The Hymnal 1982, hymn 490

SENDING OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

The Eucharistic Visitor is sent out with these words:

Presider We who are many are one body,

People For we all share one bread, one cup.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER Please rise, as able.

Enriching Our Worship

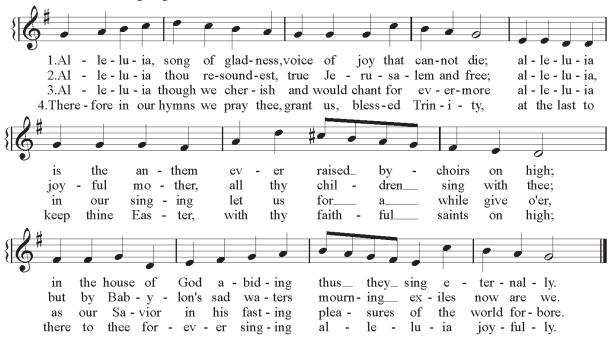
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God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

BLESSING

10:15 A.M. ALLELUIA PROCESSION Children are invited to gather at the back of the Nave to prepare for the Burying of the Alleluia.

SENDING HYMN "Alleluia, song of gladness"



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BURYING OF THE ALLELUIA

DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Voluntary: "Pièce d'Orgue," BWV 572

Johann Sebastian Bach

A note on "Burying the Alleluia": "Alleluia" or "Hallelujah" is a transliteration of the Hebrew word expression, "Praise the Lord." It is customary to omit the joyous expression of "Alleluia" from the Liturgy from Ash Wednesday through the Easter Vigil when all the church proclaims, "Alleluia, Christ is Risen!" Today, children of all ages at the Cathedral symbolically "bury" the "Alleluia" until our Easter celebrations.

SERVING TODAY

8:00		10:15	
Presider	The Reverend Canon Christy Dorn	Presider	The Reverend Canon Christy Dorn
Preacher	The Reverend Vicki Davis	Preacher	The Reverend Vicki Davis
Deacons	The Reverend Jerry Grabher, The Reverend Jim Robertson	Deacons	The Reverend Jerry Grabher, The Reverend Jim Robertson
Music Director	Paul Meier	Music Director	Paul Meier
Lector	Sharon Sprague	Lectors	Mark Galus, Natalie Telep
Intercessor	Donna Knoell	Intercessor	Karen Kissinger
Eucharistic Ministers Healing Minister	Terri Curran, Sharon Sprague Joan Bergstrom	Eucharistic Ministers	Peter Fortner, Kari O'Rourke, Ric Sweeting
Altar Guild	Caroline John, Donna Knoell,	Healing Minister	Janet Sweeting
	Candy McDowell	Greeters	Bill Boyd, Connie Boyd, Mary DeVeau
Usher Bookstore	Elmer Binford Ken Stewart	Ushers	Lana Batiste, Richard Morse, David Telep, Kurt Van Keppel
		Acolytes	Jeff Johnson, Johnathan Michka
		Altar Guild	Linda Cavazos, Sharon Cheers, Catherine Green, Kristy Moore
		Children's Ministry	Julie Brogno, Eric Elisabeth, Lisa Thomas, Alison Sutton, Brenda Colburn
		Bookstore	Ken Stewart
		Musicians	The Trinity Choir

The Rt. Rev. Martin S. Field, Bishop of the Diocese of West Missouri; The Very Rev. Peter DeVeau, Dean; The Reverend Canon Christy Dorn, Associate; The Rev. Vicki Davis, Associate; The Rev. Jerry Grabher, Deacon; The Rev. Jim Robertson, Deacon; Dr. Paul Meier, Director of Music; Julie Brogno, Coordinator for Children's and Family Ministry; Alexandra Connors, Youth Minister; Linda Martin, Children's Music Director; Sharon Sprague, Sacristan; Julie Toma, Cathedral Administrator; Janet Sweeting, Office Assistant; Melissa Scheffler, Communications Coordinator; Mike Guidry, Interim Property Manager; Ken Stewart, Cathedral Bookstore Manager; John L. Schaefer, Canon Musician Emeritus.

The Vestry: Mark Galus, Senior Warden, mgalus19@gmail.com, 816-729-5725; Terri Curran, Junior Warden, tcurra2@yahoo.com; Chuck Ritter, Treasurer; Jeff Debacker DeSota, Clerk; Steve Moore, Chancellor. Tara Bennett; Bob Carlson; Ted Derrick; Dick Fanolio; Jackye Finnie; Donna Knoell; Mike McDonald; Larry McMullen; Chris Morgan; Christine Morrison; David Pierson; Milt Tootle.



This Week's Calendar

Monday • February 27

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist Chapel 7:15 p.m. Abiding Prayer: Divine Dance Common Room

Tuesday • February 28

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist Chapel 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study Common Room 2:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study Haden Hall Purple Room 6 p.m. Comfort Quilts Founders' Hall Multipurpose Room

Wednesday • March 1 • Ash Wednesday

7 a.m.	Ash Wednesday Liturgy	Nave
11 a.m8 p.m	. Labyrinth Available	Founders' Hall
12:05 p.m.	Ash Wednesday Liturgy	Nave
6 p.m.	Rehearsal: Tallis Singers	Haden Hall
6 p.m.	The Way	Founders' Hall
7 p.m.	Ash Wednesday Liturgy	Nave

Thursday • March 2

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist Chapel 6 p.m. Rehearsal: Cathedral Bell Ringers Haden Hall 7:30 p.m. Rehearsal: Trinity Choir Haden Hall

Friday • March 3

12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist Chapel

Sunday • March 5

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist Nave 9 a.m. Hopitality Time Founders' Hall 9:15 a.m. Trinity Children's Choir Haden Hall Blue Room 9:30 a.m. Youth Confirmation Class Haden Hall Purple Room 9:45 a.m. Youth Fellowship Haden Hall Youth Room 10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Nave 10:20 a.m. Children's Chapel start in Nave, then Haden Hall 11:30 a.m. Hospitality Time Founders' Hall 5 p.m. Order for Evening & Holy Eucharist Nave

Visit kccathedral.org for more calendar information.

Birthdays & Anniversaries



February 26

Brent Spake

February 27 John Windsor LaGretta Gitta

March 1 Sophia Marrs

March 2 Chris Morgan Zoë Jones Karen Kissinger Barbara Seidlitz March 3 Phyllis Biddle James Norris

March 4 Liam McKeown **Bob Richmond** John & Kay Callison

Please contact the Cathedral office if we have omitted your birthday or anniversary: 816.474.8260 or itoma@kccathedral.org.

Cathedral Caregivers' Prayer List

Pray for our nation and for peace throughout the world. For those who are fleeing violence, war and hunger. For an end to violence, hatred and racism. For the sick and the especially those on the Cathedral Caregivers prayer list.

Pray for: Aaron Black, Sarah Hart & family, Shannon Jones, Hal Spaeth, Dr. Carl Vierthaler's family & friends, Larry Bailey, Melissa Morron, Samantha Ozbat, Rania & Family, Kim Gandy & Family, Matt Levi & Family, Marge Holtum, Lois Stewart, Ken Bontrager, Drew Perez, Jim Royer, Teresa Garrison, John Brown's family & friends, David Stoll's family & friends, Alexander Goodwin, Steve & Kristy Moore & family, Leslie Hoover's family & friends, Matt Chizmar, Rodney Smith, Jr., Terrance Story, Eric, Ron McLeroy, Barbara Burke, Elizabeth Simms, Sally Livengood, Michael Thomas, Betty Jane McConnell, Betty Holliday, Joyce Morrow, Emily McCasland, **Peggy Morgan**

To place a person on this prayer list, please use a prayer request card found in the pews or contact the church office: communications@kccathedral.org. Requests are now held in prayer for 90 days.

Thank you!

Peter DeVeau, Dean of the Cathedral, is on medical leave of absence following a stroke. He continues to improve with out-patient therapy and is learning the true meaning of patience as he grows stronger day by day. The Dean wants to thank you for all your prayers and good wishes.

For pastoral needs, please contact Canon Christy Dorn at cdorn@kccathedral.org or 913-549-7178. For other issues, please contact Cathedral Administrator Julie Toma at jtoma@kccathedral.org or 816-474-8260 ext. 106.

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God and ...

- in loving memory of John M. Brown—Peg Brown
- in thanksgiving for Jim & Karen Kissinger on their birthdays— Vince & Kathy Alagna & Carol Coleman
- in thanksgiving for God's love for us—the Gitta family
- to the glory of God



■ To donate toward the weekly flowers to celebrate a special event or remember a loved one, sign up online at kccathedral.org/flowers or contact the Cathedral office, jsweeting@kccathedral.org or 816.474.8260 ext. 103.



Outreach Ministries

As we approach Lent, please remember those in need of help.

Here are just a few opportunities to provide that help.

To volunteer contact Terri Curran: tcurra2@yahoo.com or 913.522.4190

Provide for St. Mary's Pantry

Place non-perishable food for St. Mary's Pantry in the big basket in the Tower.

Week of 3/5: Peanut Butter Week of 4/2: Cake & Cookie Mixes

Week of 3/12: Canned Tuna, Salmon Week of 4/9: Breakfast Items: Cereals, Granola

Bars, Pop-Tarts, Oatmeal

(scalloped or mashed) Easter 4/16: Canned Chicken

Week of 3/26: Canned Vegetables & Canned Fruit

Week of 3/19: Mac & Cheese/Boxed Potatoes

Sunday, March 5

9 a.m. • Haden Hall

Pack Family Bags for Spring Break

Help pack 320 family bags for BackSnack recipients to provide food over spring break.

Wednesdays, March 8 & 22, April 5 & 19

9:30-11:30 a.m. • Haden Hall

Pack Bags with BackSnacks

Every week we send 320 bags with food to five area schools for children who may not have food to eat over the weekend. You are invited to help fill bags with food.

Saturday, March 18

7:30-9:30 a.m. • St. Paul's KCK

1300 North 18th Street, Kansas City, KS 66102

Set up the Dining Room

Volunteers in this position will be setting up the dining room to prepare for our diners. Tasks will involve rolling silverware, setting up tables and chairs, putting out tablecloths, etc. This team will also set up the beverage station and pack to-go snack bags. Volunteers under 14 should have proper adult supervision (one adult for every 2 kids) and no volunteers will be permitted under 10 years old.

Saturday, March 25

9 a.m.-12 p.m. • HappyBottoms

14820 West 107th Street, Lenexa, KS 66215

Sort and Pack Diapers

Help pack diapers at the HappyBottoms warehouse in Lenexa for distribution to nonprofit agencies.

Pray for Outreach Organizations

Kansas City Community Kitchen
Episcopal Relief & Development
Maison de Naissance Maternity Center in Haiti
Habitat for Humanity
Local Food Pantries

Saturday, March 25

9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. • St. Mary's Pantry 1307 Holmes Street, Kansas City, MO 64106

Help Fix and Serve Lunch

Come help fix and serve lunch at St. Mary's Pantry. Contact Jerry Grabher to sign up, *j.grabher3@gmail.com*.

Sunday, April 2

9 a.m. • Haden Hall

Assemble Hygiene Kits

Help the homeless guests at St. Mary's Pantry by assembling hygiene kits.

Sunday, April 9

9 a.m. • Founders' Hall

Assemble Easter Baskets

Help assemble 200 Easter Baskets for residential children housed at Crittenton and KAW Valley Children's Centers.

Paper Drive Coordinator for April

During the month of April, the Cathedral will be collecting donations of paper goods (paper towels, toilet paper, Kleenex, etc.) for Sheffield Place, a local transitional housing program for woman and children. Someone is needed to coordinate this drive by promoting the drives to Cathedral members, counting and delivering donated items.

Part-Time BackSnack Driver

Deliver boxes with BackSnacks from the Cathedral to a local elementary school office.

Local Domestic Violence Shelters Crittenton Children's Center at St. Luke's Hospital BackSnack Partners & Recipients HappyBottoms

Outreach Ministries

Birthday Gift Cards for Foster Children

Help a child in the foster care system by donating \$25 for a birthday gift card. These gift cards are given to children who do not receive any other gifts to celebrate their birthdays. In the past we have donated 40 gift cards each year, but with the growing number of children in the system 40 gift cards are not enough anymore. Please consider this very special ministry of making children feel special on their birthdays. Contact Terri Curran to donate at tcurra2@yahoo.com.





Cathedral Caregivers Visitation Ministers

Our Visitation Ministers are available to respond to pastoral needs, home visits, hospital visits, to offer prayer and a listening heart. Contact Canon Dorn, cdorn@kccathedral.org, for more information.

A new offering in the Cathedral Bookstore Haitian Organic Chocolate Bars

Two Flavors: Pure Dark Delicious and Peanut Moringa.

Farm to Table chocolate empowers rural families with social and environmental responsibility; paying them better than fair trade prices and adding value to their crops.

PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OF THIS CHOCOLATE WILL BENEFIT MAISON DE NAISSANCE, THE BIRTHING HOME IN HAITI, ONE OF THE CATHEDRAL'S OUTREACH MINISTRIES.







Change of Address

We are phasing out the use of our post office box. Please use the physical address, 415 West 13th Street, Kansas City, MO 64105, in the future.

LENT



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For a copy of the Strategic Plan Information Sheet, visit kccathedral.org/wp-content/uploads/SP-Informational-

Sheet.pdf. Scan the QR code to complete a quick online form expressing your interests.

Lent Madness

In a takeoff of basketball's March Madness, Lent Madness is a fun, engaging way for people to learn about the Church's Calendar of Saints. Visit *lentmadness.org* to fill out your bracket for a chance to win the "Golden Halo"!



Ash Wednesday Services March 1

7 a.m.—Perfect for persons on their way to or from work. This is the briefest of the three services.

12:05 p.m.—This service is shaped to include both the downtown business community and persons who are free during the day.

7 p.m.—This traditional service features *open space*. Following the invitation to a Holy Lent, those present visit various "stations" around the Nave. There participants will be marked with ashes in acknowledgment of mortality, be signed with water as a reminder of baptism, light candles and offer prayer, pick up information on ways to engage in outreach, receive laying-on-of-hands and anointing for healing, and fill out a card with personal Lenten intentions to be presented at the Offertory. Following the open space, the liturgy continues with the Litany of Penitence and Holy Communion.

Events, Formation & News

Get more info at kccathedral.org.

Events

Shrove Sunday Pancake Breakfast



Today 9 & 11:30 a.m. Founders' Hall

Come for a fun,

relaxed breakfast of pancakes, sausage & fruit!

The Dean's Book for Lent

The Great Spiritual Migration by Brian McLaren. Discussion will be held during the Easter season. Copies are available in the Cathedral Bookstore or digital versions can be found on Amazon.





Palm Cross
Workshop
Sunday, April 2 •
9 & 11:30 a.m. •

Founders' Hall

We make crosses out of palm leaves for distribution on Palm Sunday. Please bring your scissors. Someone will help if you've never done it before! Extra palms are available to make additional crosses at home and return by Palm Sunday. Crosses are also given to St. Luke's Hospital and Hospice, and Bishop Spencer Place. Contact Janet Sweeting (816.474.8260 ext. 144 or *jsweeting@kccathedral.org*) with questions.

Lenten Wednesday Evenings March 8–April 5

5:30 p.m.

Contemplative Eucharist in the Nave

6 p.m.

Simple Supper in Founders' Hall

6:30-8 p.m.

Learning Opportunities

The Way: Take part in a journey for those seeking to deepen their faith or learn more about the Episcopal Church.

The Person and Work of Christ:

Join us for this class, which endeavors to confront the question Jesus asked about his identity: "Who do you say that I am?" The class will be led by Dr. Bill Stancil, Professor of Theology and Religious Studies at Rockhurst University.



Bethany College Choirs & Handbell Ensemble 2017 Tour

Sunday, March 19

5 p.m., Evensong; 6 p.m. Concert

Weekly Formation Tuesday, February 28

Women's Bible Study: On Tuesday, February 28 we will discuss Day 23 beginning on Page 74 of Forward Movement's publication *The 50 Day Bible Challenge: A Journey with Mark.*

Formation

Wednesdays

7 p.m. • Haden Hall Youth Room

Trinity Teens Youth Group: Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to the youth room every Wednesday evening for a shared meal, fellowship, Scripture-based discussion and worship.

The Cloud of Unknowing: A Loving Search for God

May 4 and 18

7:15-8:30 p.m. • Common Room

This fourteenth-century book called *The Cloud of Unknowing* by an unknown English author inspires us into the kind of loving union with God that *The Cloud* teaches. The author then leads us on a loving search for God. Sessions end with Abiding Prayer. Contact Jerry Grabher, *j.grabher3@gmail.com* or 816-590-6205 to register.

The Divine Dance Exploring the Mystery of the Trinity

Mondays, January 9-February 27 7:15–8:30 p.m. • Common Room

God is not what you think. Forget visions of an angry, distant, moral scorekeeper or supernatural Santa Claus. The Divine Dance makes accessible the Christian tradition's most surprising gift, God as community, as friendship, as dance. Contact Jerry Grabher, j.grabher3@gmail.com or 816-590-6205 to register.

The Way Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m.

We invite you to join us for an adult faith formation experience for those seeking to deepen their faith, or know more about the Episcopal Church. The Way is for persons new to the church, those desiring to be baptized, confirmed or received into the Episcopal Church. Each evening includes a meal, a brief presentation, group Bible sharing, and concludes with prayer. Please contact Larry Ehren, Way Coordinator, *Igehren@yahoo.com*.



Save the Date!

March 22-24

Join us at the Cathedral as we live-stream Water Justice, a global conference held in New York City and webcast all over the world. There will be local and national speakers, and much more. Check our website often, *kccathedral.org/trinity-institute*, as more information will be added as it becomes available.