Newcomers and visitors, welcome! We are a servant church in the heart of the city. May you find here, by God’s grace, that which feeds your soul, and leave here with a heart prepared to serve.

If you are new to us, we invite you to fill out a welcome card, found in your pew, and place it in the offering plate.

If you need a hearing assistance device, please ask an usher.

Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection.

~Luke 20:36
Order for Evening & Holy Eucharist

Service Notes
Please rise, as able, for portions of the service marked with an asterisk (*).

Our worship together begins with a musical prelude. Thank you for listening quietly and respecting the needs of those around you for a time of prayer and meditation. Please silence all electronic devices.

Voluntary

* Opening Acclamation

Cantor

Light and peace, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

* Prayer for Light

* Phos Hilaron #25: “O gracious light”

1 O gracious Light, Lord Jesus Christ, in
2 Now sunset comes, but light shines forth, the
3 Worthy are you of endless praise, O

you the Father’s glory shone. Immortal, holy,
lamps are lit to pierce the night. Praise Father, Son, and
Son of God, Life-giving Lord; wherefore you are through

blest is he, and blest are you, his holy Son.

all the earth and in the highest heaven adorned.


The Word of God

* The Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray. O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.
Lesson: 2 Thessalonians 2:1–5, 13–17

Lector As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 17: 1–9

Cantor Hear my plea of innocence, O Lord; give heed to my cry; *
       listen to my prayer, which does not come from lying lips.

All Let my vindication come forth from your presence; *
       let your eyes be fixed on justice.

Weigh my heart, summon me by night, *
       melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.
I give no offense with my mouth as others do; *
       I have heeded the words of your lips.

My footsteps hold fast to the ways of your law; *
       in your paths my feet shall not stumble.
I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me; *
       incline your ear to me and hear my words.

Show me your marvelous loving-kindness, *
       O Savior of those who take refuge at your right hand
       from those who rise up against them.

Keep me as the apple of your eye; *
       hide me under the shadow of your wings,

From the wicked who assault me, *
       from my deadly enemies who surround me.
* Alleluia Verse Cantor; then People

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Cantor

“He has established peace on your borders; * he satisfies you with the finest wheat.”

All repeat the three alleluias.


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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to Jesus and asked him a question, “Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man’s brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her.”

Jesus said to them, “Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Meditation

* 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.

* PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

  Lector   Lord, in your mercy,
  People   Hear our prayer.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

  Presider   Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
  People    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.

  Presider   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. Amen.

* THE PEACE

  Presider   The peace of the Lord be always with you.
  People    And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
* Offertory Hymn #482: “Lord of all hopefulness”


The Holy Communion

* The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Presider Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them to the Lord.
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give God thanks and praise.
Presider It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. 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:
Presider  Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All  Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.
Presider  And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Fa-ther, who art in hea-ven, hal-low-ed
be thy Name, thy king-dom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in hea-ven. Give us this day our
dai-ly bread. And for-give us our tres-pas-ses,
as we for-give those who tres-pass a-gainst us. And lead
us not into temp-ta-tion, but de-liv-er us
from e-vil. For thine is the king-dom, and the power,
and the glo-ry, for ev-er and ev-er. A-men.


Breaking of the Bread

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Christ our Pas - s o - ver is sac - ri - fied for us;
therefore let us keep the feast.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.


Presider  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.

COMMUNION

- All are welcome to receive communion or a blessing.
- For gluten-free bread, cross your hands palms down.
- For a blessing, cross your hands over your chest.

* POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

All  Eternal God, heavenly Father,
you have graciously accepted us as living members
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
and you have fed us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you
with gladness and singleness of heart;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

* Blessing

* Sending Hymn #371: “Thou, whose almighty word”


* Dismissal

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

    Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

The Reverend Ron Verhaeghe, Presider & Preacher  
Dr. Paul Meier, Director of Music  
Renee Neff-Clark, Lector & Eucharistic Minister

Lindsey Lang, Cantor  
Deante Finnie, Acolyte

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The Vestry: Paula Henderson Connors, Senior Warden; Terri Curran, Junior Warden; Jonathan Sternberg, Clerk; Steve Moore, Chancellor; Phyllis Biddle; Sharon Cheers; Jeff Johnson; Kristen Ellis Johnson; Donna Knoell; Candy McDowell; Ron Michka; Richard Morse; Ryan Thomas.
Announcements for the Week of November 10, 2019

Up Next

Readers Book Club
Today • 11:45 a.m.
Our next Readers Book Club Meeting is today in the Founders’ Hall Multipurpose Room. We will discuss Little Fires Everywhere, written by Celeste Ng. For info contact Jackye Finnie, jpfinnie@aol.com, or Joyce Morrow, jemorrow@kcc.rr.com.

Olivier Latry Recital
Today • 7 p.m.
Olivier Latry, Titular Organist at the Cathedral of Notre-Dame in Paris and William T. Kemper Artist in Residence at KU, is one of the premier organists of our time. Tickets are available at chambermusic.org/specialperformances19-20.html or at the door.

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Holiday Food for St. Mary’s
November and December
During November and December, please bring food for St. Mary’s pantry to make someone’s holiday dinner special. Visit kccathedral.org/upcoming-events for suggested items.

Crittenton Stocking Stuffers
November 10–30
This year Outreach will be collecting items for stocking stuffers for the teens in the residential program at Crittenton Children’s Center. For a list of suggested items, visit kccathedral.org/upcoming-events. Please remember these teens as you are doing your holiday shopping.

HappyBottoms Attitude of Gratitude Fundraiser
November 14
The Cathedral is proud to be a sponsor for the HappyBottoms Attitude of Gratitude fundraiser. For more information and to purchase tickets, please visit happybottoms.org.

Movie Night at the Cathedral
November 15
If you’re a movie buff, don’t miss our Movie Night. The movie for November is The Help. We’ll meet downstairs in the Founders’ Hall Cathedral Café for a potluck dinner (please bring a dish to share) and movie, followed by discussion.

Kirkin’ o’ the Tartan
November 17 • 8 & 10:15 a.m.
The St. Andrew Pipes and Drums join us for the annual Kirkin’ o’ the Tartan service. Cathedral members are encouraged to don their Scottish attire and bring your favorite shortbread recipe.

Choral Evensong & Organ Recital
November 17 • 5 p.m.
Evensong is a service of hymns, choral anthems, Bible readings and prayers. Holy Communion will NOT be celebrated at this Evensong. The November recital is by Dr. Elisa Williams Bickers. Dr. Bickers is the Associate Director of Music and Principal Organist at Village Presbyterian Church in Prairie Village, Kansas.

BackSnack Family Bag Packing—Thanksgiving
November 24 • 9 a.m.
Please consider being part of this holiday tradition and help pack family bags for BackSnack children. Family bags contain additional food for families over the Thanksgiving holiday. Packing will take place in Haden Hall between services.

Thanksgiving Eve Service
November 27 • 12:05 p.m.
This year we will celebrate our Thanksgiving Eve service at 12:05 p.m., instead of in the evening. If you are available during the lunch hour, come celebrate with your church family and give thanks for all your blessings.

AdventFest
December 1 • 11:30 a.m.
Join us for an intergenerational event on Sunday, December 1, in Founders’ Hall, to make an Advent wreath with live greens for your home. Supplies will be provided (if you have supplies, feel free to bring them). Please bring clippers to trim greens. A $10 donation to cover the cost of supplies is greatly appreciated. There will also be other craft opportunities for the children. Sign up at coffee hour starting today, visit bit.ly/AdventFest2019, or contact Christy Dorn, cdorn@kccathedral.org.

LGBT+ Gathering
December 1 • 6 p.m.
All LGBT+ gatherings are scheduled to be held in Founders’ Hall at 6 p.m. on the first Sunday of the month. If you have any questions, please send an email to lgbt@kccathedral.org.

The Mesner Puppet Theater presents The Nativity
December 6 • 10 a.m. & 7 p.m.
December 7 • 2 & 5 p.m.
December 8 • 2 p.m.
A cast of forty puppeteers tells the beloved story with larger-than-life biblical characters and musical accompaniment. For tickets, please visit mesnerpuppets.org.

William Jewell College presents The City Come Again
December 9 • 11:30 a.m.
William Jewell College’s gift to the city in words and music, features the college’s Handbell Choir, Concert Choir, conductor Dr. Anthony Maglione and organist Dr. Ann Marie Rigler. This event is free.

A Bit Further Out

Movie Night at the Cathedral—December 13
Women of Grace Christmas Luncheon—December 14
Messiah Singalong—December 14

Ongoing Activities

Adult Forum—Jesus and the Gospels
Sundays • 9:15 a.m. • Haden Hall Purple Door Room

Women’s Bible Study
Tuesdays • 12:30 p.m. • Common Room

Qigong and Tai Chi
Thursdays • 12:45 p.m. • Common Room

The Cloud of Unknowing
1st & 3rd Thursdays • 7:15 p.m. • Common Room
Vestry Nominations
At the Annual Meeting of the congregation on January 26, 2020, four members of the Cathedral will be elected to the Vestry, Class of 2023. The Vestry oversees the temporal affairs of the Cathedral parish and works closely with the Dean in guiding the life and ministry of the Cathedral. Serving on the Vestry is a wonderful opportunity to give back to the Cathedral community and help shape its future. Meetings are held 10 times a year, currently on the fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m. (This day and time are subject to change with the new leadership.) Regular attendance is essential. Vestry members are expected to serve on at least one Standing Committee or Strategic Plan Committee.

Currently these include:

- Social Outreach
- Ministries to GHTC (Newcomers, Hospitality and Care, Congregational Life)
- Ministries to our community and beyond (Ecumenical and Interfaith Engagement, Community Engagement, Social Justice)
- Building and Grounds
- Stewardship
- Finance
- Budget
- Safety and Security

Nominees for Vestry must be committed parishioners who:
1. regularly attend Sunday Eucharist;
2. actively participate in the life of the parish; and
3. have been pledges members of the Cathedral for at least six months prior to the election.

If you would like to nominate yourself or another parishioner, you may submit that person’s name via email to vestry@kccathedral.org no later than December 15, 2019. (Before nominating someone else, please discuss with that person first.) The nominating committee will evaluate potential candidates and publish the slate in early January.

Cathedral Prayer List

Pray for:
- Healing—Judy Poitier; Stephen Pla; Michael Haight; Jim Royer; Gaelle Marchand; Elizabeth; Dan Anderson; Ann Foster; Peggy Morgan; Jan Carson; Rhonda Hawkins; Jim & family; Bishop John Buchanan; Zan Crum; Dave Gaddy-Cox; Ken Bontrager; Joe & Jackye Finnie; Yolie Polakowski; Lois Stewart; Nan Schooling; Phineas Gitta; Ken McCandless
- Healing & Strength—Jennifer Olson; Eric & Burma Cenovich

Peace & Comfort—Becky Knetter’s family; Esther Morton’s family; Maxine Sweeting’s family; Merideth Sterenberg’s family; Marilyn Swoboda’s family; Leonard Steinle’s family; Jason Knetter’s family & friends; Advilda Sawyer

Strength & Patience—Laura Heid

Our prayers have also been asked for—Jan Frizzle; Loretta Nichols

We pray for Bishop Field as he visits St. Mary’s Church in Fayette. Please pray for their ministries.

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 held in prayer for 90 days.

Thank you for your generous support of the playground resurfacing project! Your donations have totaled $15,401 so far and have shown that our Cathedral family values the safety and well-being of all children that visit our campus. Please donate now online at app.securegive.com/KCCathedral or mark your donation with “playground” and put it in the offering plate or mail it to the office. Thank you for your support!

Young Adults
The Young Adults of GHTC are a growing group of friends who enjoy fellowship and community along their spiritual journey, together. Should you or someone you know join us?

The Young Adults meet outside of the Cathedral for conversation, content and other activities meant to enrich our lives. We’re an inclusive and expanding population of the Cathedral with an evolving mission founded on faith and friendship. To attend the next gathering, please text Nick Smith at 917.371.7665 or email ns928689@gmail.com. Ideas, general feedback and suggestions for our group are welcome, post at yaghtc-sarahah.com.

Holy Hands Ministry
Do you enjoy food?
If so, the Holy Hands Ministry is the perfect opportunity for you! Holy Hands Ministry brings people together each Sunday, following the services, to have conversation and enjoy a snack.

What is expected?
Once each month, September through May you bring 3 or 4 snacks to share. These may be homemade or purchased. Team members arrange their snacks on the tables for everyone to enjoy.

When do you need me?
You can join any of our teams that serve one Sunday a month (or on 5th Sundays) after the 8 a.m. or 10:15 a.m. service.

Special Events Team
This team will plan special hospitality events throughout the year. We need members who like to plan these events and decorate!

Interested? Have questions? Please Contact Leticia Porter at leticiaaporter@gmail.com.
This Week’s Calendar

Sunday • November 10
  8 a.m.  Holy Eucharist
  9 a.m.  Hospitality Time
  9:15 a.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Children’s Choir
  9:15 a.m.  Adult Forum: Jesus and the Gospels
  9:30 a.m.  High School Bible Study
  10:15 a.m.  Holy Eucharist
  10:20 a.m.  Children’s Chapel & Godly Play
  11:30 a.m.  Hospitality Time
  11:45 a.m.  Order for Evening and Holy Eucharist
  12:30 p.m.  Conversations & Coffee
  12:30 p.m.  Women’s Bible Study

Tuesday • November 12
  12:05 p.m.  Holy Eucharist
  6 p.m.  Meeting: Stephen Ministry Team
  6:45 p.m.  Youth Group

Wednesday • November 13
  12:05 p.m.  Tai Chi & Qigong
  6 p.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Handbell Ensemble
  7 p.m.  Rehearsal: Trinity Choir

Thursday • November 14
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  5 p.m.  Choral Evensong
  7 p.m.  Organ Recital: Elisa Bickers

Visit kccathedral.org for more calendar information.