GRACE AND HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL



"Jesus Speaks Near the Treasury" by James Tisso

The Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost October 29, 2023 • 10:30 a.m.

Welcome! We are glad you are here.

- If you are a visitor or new attendee, we invite you to fill out a welcome card, found in your pew, and place it in the offering plate. Use the QR code to the right to access the online form.
- If you need a hearing assistance device, please ask an usher.
- Restrooms are available in Founders' Hall. A changing station is available in the restroom at west end (rear) of the Cathedral. 🗖



Service Notes

- Please rise, as able, for portions of the service marked with an asterisk (*).
- Donations may be placed in the offering, made through the Cathedral website: kccathedral.org, by scanning the QR code to the right or by texting "GIVEtoGHTC" to 73256. Thank you for your generosity.



HOLY EUCHARIST

Voluntary: Capriccio, FbWV 515

Johann Jakob Froberger

The Word of God

* Opening Hymn: 11 "Awake, my soul, and with the sun"



Words: Thomas Ken (1637-1711), alt. Music: Morning Hymn, melody François Hippolyte Barthélémon (1741-1808); harm. The Church Hymnal for the Church Year, 1917. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-710278.

* OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

page 355

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

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

Presider 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: S236 Canticle 13, A Song of Praise: Benedictus es, Domine



 $Music: John \, Rutter \, (b. \, 1945). \, Copyright: @ \, 1985, \, Oxford \, University \, Press, \, Inc. \, All \, Rights \, Reserved. \, Reprinted \, under \, One License.net \, \#A-710278.$

* Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LESSONS

First Lesson: Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18

Lector The Lord spoke to Moses, saying:

Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy.

You shall not render an unjust judgment; you shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great: with justice you shall judge your neighbor. You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not profit by the blood of your neighbor: I am the Lord.

You shall not hate in your heart anyone of your kin; you shall reprove your neighbor, or you will incur guilt yourself. You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the Lord.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 1 sung by the choir; chant by Edward John Hopkins

page 585

Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, *

nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!

Their delight is in the law of the Lord, *

and they meditate on his law day and night.

They are like trees planted by streams of water,

bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; *

everything they do shall prosper.

It is not so with the wicked; *

they are like chaff which the wind blows away.

Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, *

nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.

For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, *

but the way of the wicked is doomed.

Second Lesson: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

Lector

You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, but though we had already suffered and been shamefully mistreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, though we might have

made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.

The Word of the Lord

People Thanks be to God.

* Gospel Hymn: Voices Found 124 "Brother, sister, let me serve you"



Words and Music: Richard Gillard; arr. Betty Pulkingham. Copyright: @1977 Scriputre in Song (admin. Integrity Music/ASCAP, c/o Integrity Media inc., 1000 Cody Road, Mobile, AL 36695. Used by permission. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-710278.

* The Holy Gospel: Matthew 22:34–46

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of

them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: "What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?" They said to him, "The son of David." He said to them, "How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying,

"The Lord said to my Lord,
"Sit at my right hand,
until I put your enemies under your feet"?

If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?" No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

* The Nicene Creed page 358

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, Form I

page 383

Intercessor With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

Intercessor For the peace from above, for the loving kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray

to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, for the unity of all peoples, and

for those in our Diocesan Cycle of prayer, especially Grace Episcopal Church, Liberty, and all military

members and their families, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For Diane, our Bishop; Andy, our Dean; Barbara, our Deacon, the Search Committee for the election of

a new Bishop, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For Joe, our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For this city for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to

the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to

the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For those on our Cathedral prayer list, and for any others,

Silence.

let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and

for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed,

Silence.

let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the

Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to

Christ our God.

People To thee, O Lord our God.

Silence.

The Presider adds a concluding Collect.

Confession and Absolution

page 360

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

All Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will,

and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your Name. Amen.

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 page 360

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Announcements

BLESSING OF THE TRICK-OR-TREATERS

CELEBRATION PRAYER page 830

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.

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

All

Almighty, ever loving and giving God, from whom comes every good and helpful gift, help us through our faithful stewardship to acknowledge that all things come from you, and to learn that it is in giving that we receive; give us grateful hearts and make us cheerful givers who experience joy and grace as we, putting our trust in you, expect the unexpected. Guide us and strengthen us as we make our gifts of time, talent, and treasure to Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral for the spread of your kingdom; all of which we ask in the name of your greatest gift, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence page 376

Presider Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Ephesians 5:2

Offertory Anthem: "Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes"

David Hurd

Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes; and I shall keep it to the end.

Give me understanding and I shall keep your law; I shall keep it with all my heart.

Make me go in the path of your commandments, for that is my desire.

Incline my heart to your decry, and not to unjust gain.

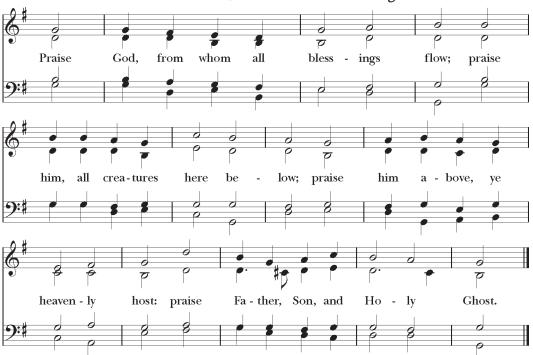
Turn my eyes from watching what is worthless; give me life in your ways.

Fulfill your promise to your servant which you make to all who fear you.

Behold, I long for your commandments; in your righteousness preserve my life.

text: Psalm 119:33-38, 40

* Presentation Hymn: 380 "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow" verse 3



Words: Thomas Ken (1637–1711). Music: Old 100th, melody from Pseaumes octante trois de David, 1551, alt.; harm. after Louis Bourgeois (1510?–1561?). All Rights Reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-710278.

S120: The Holy Eucharist II, Lift up your hearts: Sursum corda



Presider

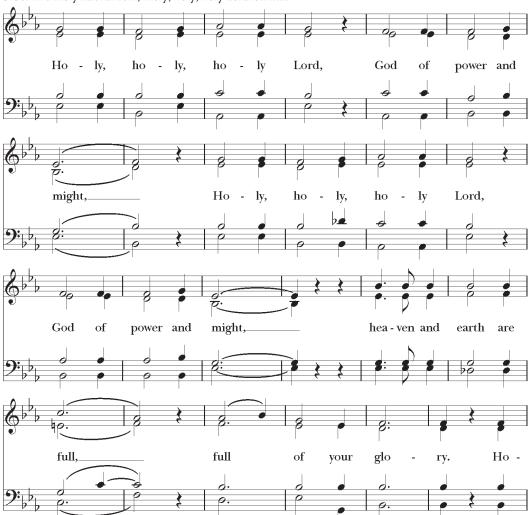
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

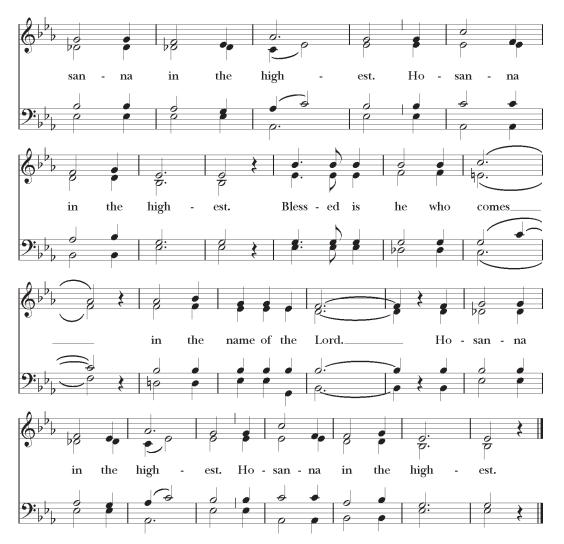
Here a Proper Preface is sung or said on all Sundays, and on other occasions as appointed.

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:

All

S130: The Holy Eucharist II, Holy, holy, holy Lord: Sanctus





Music: From Deutsche Messe, Franz Peter Schubert (1797–1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Copyright: Adaptation copyright © 1985, G.I.A. Publications, Inc. All Rights Reserved. Reprinted under One License net #A-710778

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.

Presider

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.

All AMEN.

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

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

S164: The Holy Eucharist, Fraction Anthem: Jesus, Lamb of God: Agnus Dei



Music: From Deutsche Messe; Franz Peter Schubert (1797–1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Adaptation copyright © 1985, G.I.A. Publications, Inc. All Rights Reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-710278.

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 page 365

All are welcome to receive communion or a blessing.

For intinction of wafers, come to the main altar rail. To receive from the common cup, come to the chapel rail. For gluten-free bread, cross your hands palms down. For a blessing, cross your hands over your chest.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

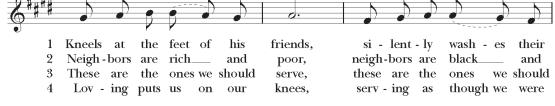
In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

— From The Prayer Book for the Armed Services

COMMUNION HYMN: 602 "Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love"









Words: Ghanian; tr. Thomas Colvin (b. 1925), alt. Music: Chereponi [Jisu, Jisu], Ghanaian folk song, adapt. Thomas Colvin (b. 1925). Copyright: Words: Copyright © 1969 by Hope Publishing Company, Carol Stream, IL 60188. Used by permission. Music: Copyright © 1969 by Hope Publishing Company, Carol Stream, IL 60188. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-710278.

* Postcommunion Prayer

page 365

Presider Let us pray.

People 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.

* THE BLESSING

* Dismissal

Following the dismissal,

People Thanks be to God.

* Closing Hymn: 610 "Lord, whose love through humble service"



Words: Albert F. Bayly (1901-1984), alt. Music: Blaenhafren, Welsh melody. Copyright: Words: Copyright © 1961, Albert F. Bayly. Used by permission of Oxford University Press. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-710278.

Serving Today

Presider & Preacher The Very Rev. Dr. Andrew C. Keyse

Deacon The Rev. Barbara Wegener

Musicians The Trinity Choir; Dr. Paul Meier; Dr. Lucas Fletcher

Lector Donna Knoell
Intercessor LeeAnne Hays

Eucharistic Ministers Kay Woolley, Bob Johnson

Acolyte Jeff Johnson, Ric Sweeting, Charles Shipley

Ushers Jordan Kenning, Steve Moore, Beth Keyse, Lindsey Kenning

Greeters Bill Boyd, Connie Boyd
Altar Guild Kristy Moore, Sharon Cheers
Sound/Livestream Kristy Moore, Curtis Hamilton

Cathedral Kids Clare Stern-Burbano, Dani Valencia Mortensen

Cathedral Prayer List

Pray for: Gio Sosa & family; Doyle White; Pat Miller; Jim Royer; Trae Allen; Lisa Loe; Richard Linton; Tammy Harvin; Chase Sutton; Ann Ryder; Lili E.; Charlotte Colburn; Mike Guidry; Ellen Spake; Denny E; Peggy & Dennis and family; the Anthony Family; Archer Wegener; Pete Fortner; Margaret Brogdon; Sally Chapple; David Myers; Diane and Dave Barker; Mike Barzee & Family; Bob Myhren; Donna Carril; Brend E.; Diego Garcia; Jonathon Gonzalez; Dan Welch & Willard Welch; Mark McDowell; Linda E.; Nelda Leon; Cynthia Dietrich; Fred. W; Bonita White; Thaddeus Samuel Withers; Gloria Stocks; First Responders

Comfort and Peace: Diane Liming Weyland & family; the Web family; the Frizzle family; Melissa Kilpatrick and family; the Gonzalez family; the Smith family; the Crumrine family; the Miller family; the Self family; Janet Sweeting & family; Ruth Rhinehart & family; all families affected by gun violence

Children & Youth Prayers: Peace in the middle east; Grandparents return home safely from traveling; Thankful for coming to church and my friends; Going to do fun things with my family; Thankful for my soccer team winning their game; For Clare in her new role at the Cathedral and that she continues to do well in school; End of violence in Middle east and reconciliation happens between Israel and Palestine; For my team to win their next game; For my pets

Pray for the Departed: Joyce Liming; Don Webb; Jan Frizzle; Brad Kilpatrick; Juan Manuel Gonzalez; Pastor Mark E. Smith; Robert Crumrine; Harley Miller; Hank Self; Joanne Repass Jones; for all who have died from gun violence

Diocesan Prayer Cycle: Grace Episcopal Church, Liberty: The Very Rev. Robin James, Rector; Military Members—Active Duty, Reserve & Guard Forces, Veterans, Retirees & their families

For the complete prayer list: kccathedral.org/prayers

To place a person on this prayer list, please contact Deacon Barbara Wegener, **bwegener@kccathedral.org**.

Requests are held in prayer for 90 days.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

October 29

Donna McGuire

October 31

Tom Brill

November 2

Richard Morse Jr. Andy Rhoads Joe Ungashick Hilda & Stephen Davis Please contact the Cathedral office if we have omitted your birthday or anniversary:

816.474.8260 or jtoma@kccathedral.org.

Today's Flowers

are given to the Glory of God and ...

in thanksgiving for my granddaughters, Grace Leonard and Maya McLeroy—Carolyn McLeroy

Donations of any amount toward the weekly flowers can be given by anyone who wants to acknowledge special events or people in their lives.

See kccathedral.org/flowers for more information or contact Julie Toma, jtoma@kccathedral.org.



Cathedral Staff: The Very Rev. Dr. Andrew C. Keyse, Dean; The Rev. Barbara Wegener, Deacon; Dr. Paul Meier, Director of Music; Dr. Lucas Fletcher, Associate Organist; Clare Stern-Burbano, College, Youth & Children's Minister; Julie Toma, Cathedral Administrator; Melissa Kilpatrick, Communications Coordinator; Holly Campbell, Events Coordinator; Steve Berman, Finance Coordinator; Joan Bergstrom, Sacristan & Volunteer Coordinator; Angie Graham, Property Manager; Mike Guidry, Assistant Property Manager; The Very Rev. Peter J. DeVeau, Dean Emeritus; Canon John Schaefer, Canon Musician Emeritus

The Vestry (with committee assignments): Candace McDowell, Senior Warden, candyleemc@att.net (Finance, Budget); Michael Thomas, Junior Warden, madresfield63@gmail.com (Buildings & Grounds, Finance); David Barker, Treasurer; Valerie Johnson, Clerk (Social Outreach); Steve Moore, Chancellor. Julie Brogno (Welcome/Newcomers, Children & Youth); Sharon Cheers (Security, Budget, Buildings & Grounds); Sara Copeland (Community Engagement); Pat Decker (Stewardship); Blain Lagergren (Stewardship); Paula Livingston-Lewis (Social Outreach); Ron Michka (Budget, Stewardship, Community Engagement); Mathias Nichols (Buildings & Grounds); Kay Woolley (Buildings & Grounds)

Adults

Sunday

Adult Formation: Discussions with the Dean 9:15 a.m. • Common Room

Please come join with Dean Andy as we develop topics for deeper discussion and conversation. Who knows where the Spirit will lead us?

Tuesday

GHTC's Virtual Cafe • 7:30 a.m.

Please join us for our weekly conversation in GHTC's Virtual Cafe! Tuesday mornings from 7:30–9 a.m. For details, visit **kccathedral.org/other-activities**.

Women's Bible Study • 12:30 p.m.

Conversation is lively, thought-provoking, and often irreverent. All are welcome. Visit the WBS page, **kccathedral. org/adultformation/wbs** for more information.

Lectionary Bible Study • 6:45 p.m.

We study the lessons for the upcoming Sunday. Join the Lectionary Bible Study group in Realm or visit the LBS page, **kccathedral.org/adultformation/lbs** for more details.

Children

Formation Class • 9:15 a.m.

Join us for formation hour and wonder about God with your friends and teachers and hear sacred stores as told with the help of Godly Play resources!

Cathedral Kids • 10:30 a.m.

Cathedral Kids meets during the first half of the 10:30 a.m. worship service and during this time we weave together our sacred stories and our Episcopal identity with the Weaving God's promises curriculum! Children attending Cathedral Kids will meet their parents or guardians inside the tower doors during the passing of the peace.

Come join the fun!

Questions? Contact Clare, **childrensformation@kccathedral.org** for more information.

Youth & College

Come join us for regular youth programs.

Youth Formation—9:15 a.m. with light breakfast options

Worship—10:30 a.m.

Youth Group at 6 p.m. Dinner is provided!

Questions? Contact Clare, cstern@kccathedral.org.



Diocesan Convention Youth Presence Lock-in

Diocesan Convention
Youth Presence
Lock-in

Invite friends ... and tell them how to register online at wemoyouth.formstack.com/forms/conventionlockin2023

Check in begins on Friday, November 10 at 5 p.m. and ends at 6:30 p.m.

Location: Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral

Check out is at 9:45 a.m. on Saturday, November 11 (although you're welcome to stay with your youth leader or parent/guardian and observe the Convention Business Session!)

If you have any questions during the online registration process, please contact Fr. David Wilcox by phone at 816.361.9159 or by email at **wemoyouth@diowestmo.org**.

EXPECT THE

All things work together for good for those who love God

Sunday, November 12

Please join us for lunch at 11:45 a.m. in Founders' Hall to celebrate our spiritual lives together as we each continue our journey of stewardship discernment.

Sunday, December 3

We bless pledges during all three services.

What do we want for Grace and Holy Trinity in 2024? We want to work together for the good of all and go beyond our expectations for something better. We want to **Expect the Unexpected**! If we ask for what is expected, that's what we'll get; but, when we ask for the unexpected, we'll get so much more.

When you pledge to the work and ministry of the Cathedral, you are putting your faith and trust in all of us to expect the unexpected, so that what we get/give/share/learn is so much more than we could have ever imagined. Thank you for that trust.



You may make your financial commitment by mailing your pledge card to the Cathedral, putting it into the offering or by making your pledge online using the QR code.

Questions about pledging?
Use the QR code to see our Pledging FAQ.



All Things Episcopal Podcast

Members of the Campus Ministry Commission have begun reaching out to college students and young adults in a new way with a podcast, All Things Episcopal. The purpose of All Things Episcopal is to create a platform to talk about our faith and to introduce some basics about the Episcopal Church, including why we do some of the things we do that may sometimes be a mystery (or even an obstacle) to those new to our denomination. We want to introduce the Episcopal Church from multiple perspectives and

with different voices, utilizing social media to find out what questions students may have about who we are and what we do. We think podcasting offers a great opportunity to meet young adults where they are and share our faith in a way that is personal, comfortable and always accessible. We hope that these sessions will be a bridge to connect college students with local parishes and with other young adults.

Look for All Things Episcopal wherever you listen to your favorite podcasts!

Our Hosts



The Rev. David Kendrick St John's Episcopal Church, Springfield



The Rev. Collin Larimore
Grace Episcopal Church, Carthage



Clare Stern-BurbanoGrace & Holy Trinity Cathedral, Kansas City

allthingsepiscopal.transistor.fm



Announcements

Outreach: Trick-or-Treat so Others Can Eat Food Drive



During the month of October we will be collecting shelfstable food that will be donated to local food pantries.

Costume Blessing & Fall Festival

Sunday, October 29 • 10:30 a.m.

Wear your costume to church and get it blessed! After the service there will be games and treats in the courtyard.



Raja Yoga Wednesday, November 1 • 6 p.m.

Raja Yoga is a practice of contemplation and experience

which helps engage our being with the holy presence. This prayer practice seeks to integrate Raja Yoga philosophy and Christian theology in a way that honors both. This will be a breathwork and seated practice, not a pose (Hatha) practice. Dress comfortably, no equipment needed. All are welcome. Questions? Contact Clare, **cstern@kccathedral.org**.



Hymn Sing

Sunday, November 5 • 3:30 p.m.

Join us to sing your favorite hymns. We ask that you submit hymn requests from *The*



Hymnal 1982 and Wonder, Love, and Praise in advance. You'll find the submission link on our Upcoming Events page, **kccathedral. org/upcoming-events**. Submitted hymns will be drawn out of the hat as we go through the event. If there is time remaining, we will take additional hymn requests at the Hymn Sing.

Kirkin' o' the Tartan Sunday, November 12 • 8 & 10:30 a.m.

Join us Sunday, November 12 for our annual Kirkin' o' the Tartan! We will display all the tartan



banners and enjoy listening to a piper at the 8 a.m. service and the Kansas City St. Andrew Pipes and Drums at the 10:30 a.m. service. So put on your kilt and come celebrate with us!

Holy Hands 4th Sunday Volunteers Needed

We are currently seeking two volunteers to complete the five-person Holy Hands Hospitality Team that serves the fourth Sunday of each month. To sign up, please contact **volunteers@kccathedral.org**.

All Saints' Sunday

Sunday, November 5—Name deadline: Tuesday, October 31

On this day, we will honor all those who have died in the past year. Please email names of personal friends and family who have passed away in the last twelve months to **communications@kccathedral.org**. *Emails must be received no later than Tuesday, October 31*.



Those names will be included in the bulletin and in our Book of Remembrance. If you wish to honor someone who passed away beyond the last year, there will be a time in the service where you will be invited to say their name(s) aloud.

kccathedral.org/volunteer

FIND YOUR PLACE TO SERVE AT GRACE AND HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

