

### Sunday Services

10 AM • Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
with Children's Sunday School

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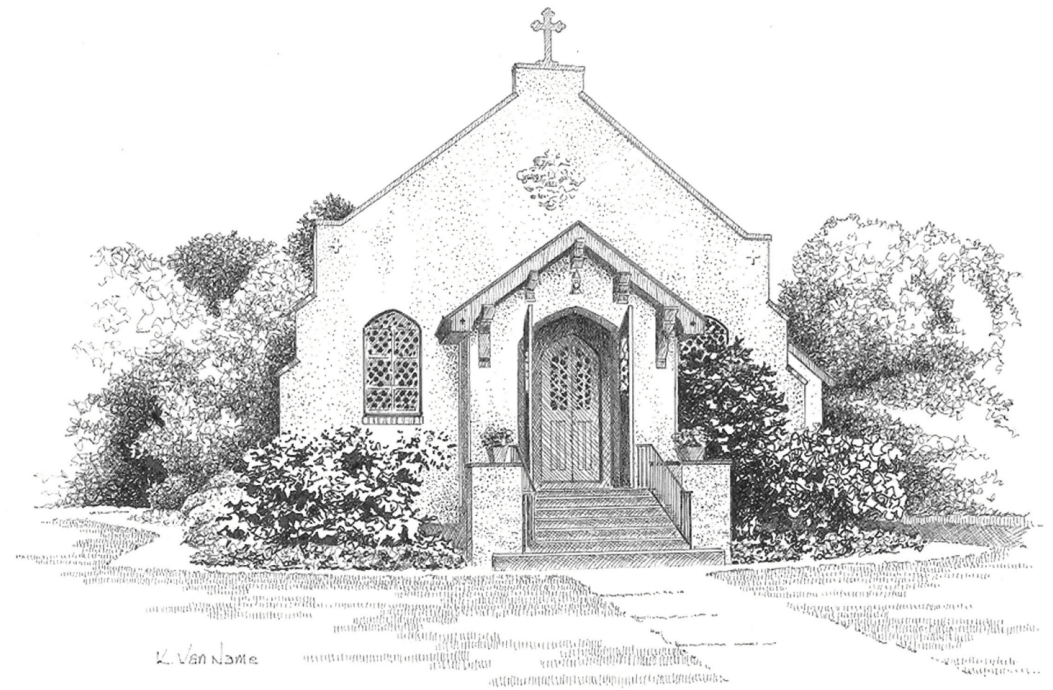
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## **St. John's Episcopal Church**

*Jesus said:*

*“Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden,  
and I will give you rest.”*



### **Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**October 12, 2025 • 10 AM**

**Holy Eucharist, Rite II**

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## Prelude

## Processional Hymn 397

*Now Thank We All Our God*

## Opening Acclamation (BCP 355)

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*People* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

## Collect for Purity (BCP 355)

## Hymn of Praise S-280

*Gloria in Excelsis*

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## The Collect

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**If you'll already be in NYC, you may meet us at the Cathedral and join us for the tour and luncheon for \$50.**

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## Field Trip to The Cathedral Church of Saint John the Divine

Join us for a day of fellowship and fun in New York City! Over 100 years ago, the trustees of the Cathedral Church of Saint John the Divine conceived its mission to be a house of prayer for all people, an instrument of church unity, and a center of intellectual light and leadership in the spirit of Jesus Christ.

Today, as the mother church of the Episcopal Diocese of New York and the seat of its bishop, the Cathedral Church of Saint John the Divine serves the many diverse people of our diocese, city, nation and world through the worship of God; pastoral, educational and community outreach activities; cultural and civic events; international ecumenical initiatives; and the preservation of the great architectural and historic site that is its legacy.

**Date of Field Trip:** Monday, November 17, 2025

**All Inclusive Cost:** \$75

- 8:15 AM** Arrive at St. John's to board a luxury shuttle  
**8:30 AM** Depart Southampton  
**11:00 AM** Guided Tour to explore the many highlights of the Cathedral's history, architecture, and artwork, from the Great Bronze Doors to the seven Chapels of the Tongues. Learn about the daily services, events, and programs that welcome and inspire visitors from around the world.  
**12:15 PM** Midday Eucharistic Service in the Chapel of St. Ambrose.  
**1:00 PM** Enjoy a 3-course luncheon at Tartina, located across from the Cathedral. Tartina is modern in approach and Italian in spirit with a contemporary, chef-driven menu of fresh, seasonal rustic Italian cuisine with a notable all-Italian wine list.  
**2:15 PM** Board shuttle for the return trip home

**Space on the bus is limited to 28 passengers, so please sign up early and secure your spot by making payment to St. John's prior to November 9.**

## The Liturgy of the Word

### The First Reading

*Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7*

A Reading from the Book of Jeremiah.

These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon.

Thus says the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

The word of the Lord.

*People*

**Thanks be to God.**

### Psalm 66:1-11

**1 Be joyful in God, all you lands; \*  
sing the glory of his Name;  
sing the glory of his praise.**

**2 Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! \*  
because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you.**

**3 All the earth bows down before you, \*  
sings to you, sings out your Name."**

**4 Come now and see the works of God, \*  
how wonderful he is in his doing toward all people.**

**5 He turned the sea into dry land,  
so that they went through the water on foot, \*  
and there we rejoiced in him.**

**6 In his might he rules for ever;  
his eyes keep watch over the nations; \*  
let no rebel rise up against him.**

**7 Bless our God, you peoples; \*  
make the voice of his praise to be heard;**

8 Who holds our souls in life, \*  
and will not allow our feet to slip.

9 For you, O God, have proved us; \*  
you have tried us just as silver is tried.

10 You brought us into the snare; \*  
you laid heavy burdens upon our backs.

11 You let enemies ride over our heads;  
we went through fire and water; \*  
but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.

### **The Second Reading** *2 Timothy 2:8-15*

A Reading from the Second Letter of Saint Paul to Timothy.

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David-- that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;  
if we endure, we will also reign with him;  
if we deny him, he will also deny us;  
if we are faithless, he remains faithful--  
for he cannot deny himself.

Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

The Word of the Lord

*People*           **Thanks be to God**

### **Gospel Hymn 620**

### *Jerusalem, My Happy Home*

### **The Gospel**

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

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

*Luke 17:11-19*

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee.

### **October Book Club Meeting**

The St. John's Book Club's will meet on October 23<sup>rd</sup> to discuss Allen Levi's *Theo of Golden*. Please consider locating a copy soon, as it may be difficult to find. We're grateful for Lisa Gillespie, who was able to graciously secured a few copies to share. Join us for good conversation and community and invite your friends as all are welcome.

### **Rector's Bible Study Continues**

Rector's Bible Study continues on Wednesdays at Noon and all are welcome to meet with us. You're encouraged to bring lunch and enjoy a time of scripture, conversation, and fellowship together.

### **St. John's Knitting Group**

We're looking for looking for anyone who enjoys any type of needlework: knitting, crochet, needlepoint, and weaving. All are welcome to join us on Wednesdays from 2-4. Yarn and needles will be provided. If you're a complete novice, don't worry - we're happy to teach you! We regularly knit for "Christmas at Sea" a venerable Episcopal endeavor, crafting warm hats, scarves and neck warmers for mariners in the merchant marine. We also collect other items such as toiletries and decks of cards to go into their gift bags. Questions? Please contact Georgette Chapek.

— *Dedications* —

**The flowers at the Altar this week were given in the Glory of God and in loving memory of Jimmy Ferrer by Jeanne Ferrer.**

— *Announcements* —

**Join us for Coffee & Fellowship after the Service**

Good morning! We invite you to stay and join us for Coffee and Fellowship Hour after today's Service. It's a wonderful time to connect with friends old and new, share conversation, and enjoy light refreshments together. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Serve in Worship this Fall**

Please note that sign-up sheets are available after church in the narthex for those interested in participating in Sunday worship activities! Please take a moment to sign up to serve as an usher, a greeter, a reader, choir member, Sunday School teacher, or eucharistic minister. No expertise is required--only an enthusiastic and willing heart to serve!!

**Please Join the Choir this Fall**

This fall welcomes the return of St. John's Church Choir! Join Peter Ludlow and Emily Paccasassi each week as, together, we make a joyful noise and lead others in worship. Singers of all ability levels are encouraged to participate! Each week, we will rehearse on Sunday mornings before church beginning at 9:00 in the parish hall.

As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

*Celebrant*      The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People*          **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*After the Gospel reading, children are invited to attend Sunday School for the remainder of the service. Please follow the Cross to the Sunday School room.*

**The Sermon**

**The Rev. Jeremy Carlson**

**Nicene Creed (BCP 358)**

**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—Form III (BCP 387)

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy  
**Hear our prayer.**

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy  
**Hear our prayer.**

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy  
**Hear our prayer.**

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

*Silence*

*Celebrant and 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

*People Stand or Kneel*

### Closing Hymn 563

*Go Forward, Christian Soldier*

### The Dismissal (BCP 366)

*Celebrant:* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

### Postlude

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In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior  
Christ has taught us,  
we are bold to say,

*People and Celebrant*

**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 Invitation to Communion (BCP 364)**

*Priest*

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.

**Postcommunion Hymn 645  
verses 1,2**

*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*

### **Postcommunion Prayer (BCP 365)**

*Celebrant*

Let us pray.

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence*

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

### **Confession of Sin**

*The Deacon or Celebrant says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

*Minister and 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.**

*The Priest stands and says*

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 (BCP 360)**

*Celebrant* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

### **Announcements**

## **The Liturgy of the Table**

### **Offertory Sentence**

### **Doxology Hymn 380, verse 3**

### **The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharistic Prayer B (BCP 367)**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift 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 Him thanks and praise.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

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

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. In fulfillment of his true promise, the Holy Spirit came down from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to your Church the power to serve you as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations.

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 S-125**

*Celebrant and People*

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*The People stand or kneel*

*Then the Celebrant continues*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.

Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

*Celebrant*

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

*Celebrant and People*

**We remember his death,**

**We proclaim his resurrection,**

**We await his coming in glory;**

*The Celebrant continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.