

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

2 NOVEMBER 2014



THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I
8:00 AM

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THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, P. 323

THE WORD OF GOD

Voluntary—Trumpet Tune

Antony Holborne

The Opening Acclamation

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

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

The Collect for Purity *The Book of Common Prayer, p. 323*

The Song of Praise: Glory be to God on high *p. 324*

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O almighty God, who hast knit together thine elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of thy Son Christ our Lord: Grant us grace so to follow thy blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys which thou hast prepared for those who unfeignedly love thee; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

The Lessons

The First Lesson: Revelation 7:9-17

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made

them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 34:1-10, 22 (*Said by all*)

- 1 I will bless the Lord at all times;*
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
 - 2 I will glory in the Lord;*
let the humble hear and rejoice.
 - 3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord;*
let us exalt his Name together.
 - 4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me*
and delivered me out of all my terror.
 - 5 Look upon him and be radiant,*
and let not your faces be ashamed.
 - 6 I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me*
and saved me from all my troubles.
 - 7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him,*
and he will deliver them.
 - 8 Taste and see that the Lord is good;*
happy are they who trust in him!
 - 9 Fear the Lord, you that are his saints,*
for those who fear him lack nothing.
 - 10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger,*
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.
 - 22 The Lord ransoms the life of his servants,*
and none will be punished who trust in him.
- Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,*
and to the Holy Ghost:
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,*
world without end. Amen.

The Second Lesson: I John 3:1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The congregation stands for the reading of the Gospel.

The Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

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

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

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Lord Jesus Christ, Most Merciful Redeemer, Friend and Brother,
help us this day and everyday to see Thee more clearly,
to follow Thee more nearly, to love Thee more dearly,
for Thy Name's sake. Amen.

The Blessing & Dismissal

Voluntary—Trumpet Tune (from *Heroic Music*) G. P. Telemann

*The Flowers today are given to the Glory of God
and in thanksgiving for the Baptism of Bayley Angela Becker.*

*The Aumbry Lights are given to the Glory of God
and in loving memory of Frank Rhodes,
by his daughter, Dawn Johnston*

— PARISH NOTICES —

PATTI SMALL will be available after both services today to take photos of individuals and families for the Parish Directory. If you have not already taken advantage of having your photo taken, please feel free to do so today.

FESTIVAL EVENSONG for the Feast of All Saints will be sung this afternoon at 4:00 pm. The Parish Choir, under the direction of Mark Engelhardt, will sing music of Victoria, Bernard Rose, Stanford, and Bullock. A wine and cheese reception will be held in the lounge immediately following. All are invited!

ST. PETER'S ECW is overseeing Episcopal Health Services Children's Toy Drive and will be collecting toys to be taken to the Diocesan Convention on 14 November. There is a great need to provide these needy children with a little something for Christmas. They will be distributed at a Christmas Party at St. John's

Hospital, Far Rockaway, under the direction of the Rt. Rev. Chilton Knudsen, Assistant Bishop, and the Rev. Cecily Broderick, Vice President of Mission, Episcopal Health Services. Please bring a new, unwrapped toy costing \$10 for a boy or girl between the ages of 1 and 16. These toys are to be brought to St. Peter's on Sunday, 9 November and placed in the collection box in the narthex.

ISLAND SYMPHONY, our artists-in-residence, will present their annual concert NEXT Sunday, November 9 at 2PM in the Church. **The program will feature Beethoven's *Leonore Overture #1*; Dvorak, *Romance in F* - with Guest Performer, Annalisa Welinder, Violin; and the Dvorak *Symphony #5 in F, Op. 76 (24)*. Annalisa Welinder, a 13 year old violinist, began her studies around the age of four at the North Shore Suzuki School. After finishing 8 Suzuki violin books in about 2-1/2 years, she began to study with Professor Philip Setzer, a renowned violinist with the Emerson String Quartet. Three years later, in 2011, she auditioned for and was accepted to the Julliard School of Music's Pre-College division, where she has been Concertmaster and Principal 2nd Violin, and now studies with Professor Ann Setzer. Annalisa has also undergone extensive training at the Meadowmount School of Music and studied with virtuoso violinist Stephanie Chase. Admission to the program is free, but donations are gratefully received.**

COMING EVENTS AT ST. PETER'S

- *Sunday, November 2*, 4 pm EVENSONG FOR ALL SAINTS
- *Sunday, November 9*, 2 pm ISLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CONCERT
- *Sunday, November 16*, 3 pm *Vox Aquarum* CONCERT \$20/\$15
- *Thursday, November 20*, 11:30 ECW Meeting
- *Sunday, November 23*, following 10:15 Choral Eucharist—
ST. PETER'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT WORKSHOP (All Children invited; any arts & crafts donations welcomed)
- *Sunday, November 23*, 7:30 pm ILLUMINE IN CONCERT \$20/\$15
- *Saturday, November 29*, CHRISTMAS SEASON FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT (more info to be announced)
- *Saturday, November 30*, Get ready for Christmastime! Our ANGEL TREE will be ready with ornaments with names of children who need our help to make their Christmas happy!

- *Sunday, December 7, 11:30 - 2 pm CHRISTMAS FAIR*
- *Sunday, December 14, 4 pm LESSONS AND CAROLS FOR ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS (Free Will Offering)*
- *Saturday, January 10, 2015, St. Peter's First Annual Three Kings Festival! We will be celebrating "Little Christmas"; We welcome outside vendors! Please invite your family, neighbors, and friends to sell and/or shop/ and enjoy this gala! More information to follow.*

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK OF SUNDAY 11/2/14

We pray for those seeking healing: Ann, Barry, Bill, Bradley, Bruce, Bryan, Chris, Daniel, David, Debbie, Donald, Donna, Dotty, Ellen, Gil, Heidi, Jack, LaJune, Leo, Linda, Louie, Louise, Patrick, Paul, Phil, Ryan, Samantha;

We pray for those in military service, and especially for Eileen, John, Kyle, and Robert;

We pray for those with special needs: the unemployed; for all who suffer from addictions; for all who have AIDS and those who care for them; for those suffering from Ebola and for their families and friends, for those living in fear of Ebola, and for all who work to care for the sick and cure Ebola;

We pray for our companion dioceses of Torit & Ecuador-Central;

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for St. Paul's, Great Neck; St. George's, Hempstead; St. John's, Hempstead; Trinity-St. John's, Hewlett; Holy Trinity, Hicksville; Delegates to Diocesan Convention; St. Philip & St. James, Lake Success;

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for Iglesia Episcopal de Cuba; and the Dioceses of Kabba (Nigeria); Kdugli & Nuba Mountains (Sudan); Kaduna (Nigeria); Kafanchan (Nigeria); Kagera (Tanzania); Kajiado (Kenya).



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**EVENSONG
FOR THE
FEAST OF
ALL SAINTS**

**SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 2, 2014
4:00 PM**

**Introit: O Quam Gloriosum—Victoria
Responses: Bernard Rose
Psalm 148—Anglican Chant: H. Aldrich
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis—Stanford in G
Anthem: Give us the wings of faith—Ernest Bullock**

**The Parish Choir
Mark Engelhardt, Organist and Director**

Information: 631-665-0051 x. 24

— MUSIC AT ST. PETER'S 2014-2015 SEASON —

- ◆ *Sunday, October 5, 4 pm* MARK ENGELHARDT, *organist, in Concert* \$20/\$15
- ◆ *Sunday, November 2, 4 pm* EVENSONG FOR ALL SAINTS' *The Parish Choir sings music of 20th century England* (Free Will Offering)
- ◆ *Sunday, November 16, 3 pm* *Vox Aquarum in Concert. The debut public performance of a new vocal quartet on Long Island.* \$20/\$15
- ◆ *Sunday, November 23, 7:30 pm* *Illumine in Concert. Chris O'Hara, trumpet; Sarah Moyer, coloratura soprano; and Mark Engelhardt, Organ/Harpsichord in the concluding concert of a Fall tour.* \$20/\$15
- ◆ *Sunday, December 14, 4 pm* LESSONS AND CAROLS FOR ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS for Choirs, Brass and Organ *The Parish Choir with Brass will sing favorites of the season, new and old* (Free Will Offering)
- ◆ *Sunday, February 15, 4 pm* "The Vocal Artist" *Music for voice and piano performed by Victoria Wolfe, Kathleen O'Rourke, and Chris Reames with Kanako Reames at the piano.* \$20/\$15
- ◆ *Sunday, March 15, 4 pm* EVENSONG SUNG UPON THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT *The Parish Choir sings English music of the seventeenth century.* (Free Will Offering)
- ◆ *Sunday, April 19, 4 pm* BRADLEY BURGESS, *organist, in Concert* \$20/\$15
- ◆ *Sunday, May 17, 4 pm* VESPERS SUNG UPON ASCENSION SUNDAY *The Parish Choir sings music of the Italian Renaissance.* (Free Will Offering)



*Additional concerts at St. Peter's,
but not part of the Music at St. Peter's Concert Series*

Sunday, October 26, 4 pm & Sunday, March 8: eVOCO VOICE COLLECTIVE, a newly-formed choral ensemble, specializing in unaccompanied choral works for Mixed Voices.

Sunday, November 9, 2 pm ISLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Music of Beethoven and Dvorak. (Free)



***Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.***

My parents introduced me to Jesus. They rarely gave lectures. They just lived and I observed. They lived the Beatitudes by loving, forgiving, giving, and seeking God. I saw my parents pray and study the Bible. I heard my parents share God's miracles, wonders, blessings, and encouragement with others. And most of all, I saw my parents give.

My parents were guides and mentors to my brother and me, accompanying us on the path of walking the Way. Part of that walk, as my dad says, is giving God the 3-T's: time, talent, and treasure. Papi, an Episcopal priest in Houston, and Mami never forced my brother, Alex (now an Episcopal priest in Manor, TX), or me to go to church. But we saw their dedication and countless hours at church preparing, cleaning, creating, listening, and counseling without complaining. We have had many people come into our home to eat, sleep, and be refreshed. Papi and Mami taught us by example that we are blessed to be a blessing.

The more I give, the more I am blessed. I give the time God has granted me, and my beatitude is that a 24-hour day accommodates my full-time teaching career, 9-hour course load for a doctorate, music ministry, walking, cooking, texting, writing, singing, movies, family, travel, and friends.

I give the talent God has given me, and my beatitude is that I can write



new songs and hear how my songs have touched and moved others towards faithfulness.

I give the treasure God has entrusted me, and my beatitude is that I can be generous to my church, all the bills are paid and there is money left over to travel to visit my son.

I like to think Jesus, as a son, is like me, a daughter, blessed to have received the gift of loving parents who taught us what blessedness looks like in God's kingdom.

We all need guides and mentors to follow the Way of Jesus. The walk is not always easy, but we are never alone and infinitely blessed.

Reflection Questions

- Who is your mentor in following the Way of Jesus?
- How is it that in giving we receive?
- What does the path of the Beatitudes look like for you?



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November 2, 2014

St. George's, Brooklyn celebrates its 145th church anniversary

St. George's Episcopal Church in Brooklyn recently celebrated its 145th anniversary. Founded in 1869, St. George's has been at its current site since 1887 and its building is a designated Brooklyn landmark.



The Newark Boys Chorus, led by Donald C. Morris, Music Director



Canon Glenworth Miles

The day began with a special Founder's Day Service and concluded with a benefit concert featuring the choirs of St. George's and the Newark Boys Chorus. Proceeds from the concert will benefit the Pipe Organ Fund.

For the complete story and pictures from the event submitted by Denise Harris, please visit the diocesan website: www.dioceseli.org.



Members of the St. George's choirs, led by George Davey

New Ministry Celebrations

On **Saturday, November 8 at 10 am**, the Rev. Karen Davis-Lawson (pictured right) will be installed as rector of St. George's, Astoria where she has been priest-in-charge since July 2011.



Youth Walk 24.5 Miles on Pilgrimage from Babylon to Garden City



The pilgrims gathering together before they begin on Fri, Oct. 24. Photo submitted by Myra Garnes Shuler.

The pilgrims traveled from Christ Church, Babylon to Cathedral of the Incarnation over the course of three days and concluded with a Pilgrim's Mass.

For more pictures, visit the diocesan website.

Upcoming Events

Sun, Nov 2

Michael Ralph - New Ministry Celebration | 6 pm | St. Mark's, Westhampton Beach

Fri, Nov 7 & Sat, Nov 8

Live Simulcast Event: "Women of Faith - From Survival to Revival" | 6:30 pm to 9 pm | Caroline Church, Setauket

Sat, Nov 8

Prayer Breakfast | 9:30 am | St. Alban the Martyr, St. Alban's

Harvest Fair | 10 am to 4 pm | St. John's, Huntington

Convention Choir Rehearsal | 10 am | Mercer School, Garden City

For complete listing of events & details, visit: www.dioceseli.org



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adopt-a-family
for Christmas

2014 Adopt-A-Family

Many families struggle financially, especially at Christmas time. The Adopt-A-Family Program of the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island provides an opportunity for churches, parochial schools and church organizations to "adopt" a household in need for Christmas.

Deadlines:

- Due date for Adoption & Referrals: **Friday, October 17, 2014**
- Drop-off date for gifts: **December 4, 2014**
- Celebration for people who shop, wrap and refer families: **December 12 or 16, 2014**
- Distribution to EHS clients/patients: **Wednesday, January 14, 2015.**

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NOVEMBER 2, 2014 – TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ALL SAINTS' DAY / ALL FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Although All Saints' Day is celebrated each year on November 1, since it is one of the seven principal feast days on the church's lectionary calendar, many Episcopal churches will celebrate All Saints' Day today, the first Sunday in November. However, on the lectionary calendar, today, November 2, is also the Commemoration of All Faithful Departed.

What is the difference between All Saints' Day and the Commemoration of All Faithful Departed?

"In the New Testament, the word 'saints' is used to describe the entire membership of the Christian community," explains "Holy Women, Holy Men: Celebrating the Saints" (Church Publishing, 2010). "From very early times, however, the word 'saint' came to be applied primarily to persons of heroic sanctity" (p. 664).

So although All Saints' Day, November 1, technically, includes all deceased Christians, historically, there has been a strong inclination to remember and honor our personal loved ones on a separate day.

In the Catholic Church this remembrance on the day after All Saints' Day is called All Souls' Day, when the bereaved have the opportunity to offer prayers and masses for loved ones who have died. However, "Holy Women, Holy Men" explains that this practice was rejected by many Protestant reformers because the theology behind the observance was associated with the medieval doctrine of Purgatory along with the practice of paying for masses to be said for the dead to assist their souls into heaven.

"Holy Women, Holy Men" goes on to explain that at the time of the English Reformation in the mid-16th century, All Souls' Day was integrated into the celebration of All Saints' Day in the Church of England. But by the 19th century, some parishes influenced by the Anglo Catholic Revival reinstated the observance of All Souls' Day on November 2. The 1979 Book of Common Prayer officially restored the observance in the Episcopal Church, renaming it the Commemoration of All Faithful Departed.

As "Holy Women, Holy Men" notes, although the observance had been eliminated for hundreds of years, "a renewed understanding of its meaning has led to a widespread acceptance of this commemoration among Anglicans, and to its inclusion as an optional observance in the calendar of the Episcopal Church" (p. 664).

Collect for All Saints' Day (November 1)

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen (Book of Common Prayer, p. 245).

Collect for All Faithful Departed (November 2)

O God, the Maker and Redeemer of all believers: Grant to the faithful departed the unsearchable benefits of the passion of your Son; that on the day of his appearing they may be manifested as your children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and for ever. Amen ("Holy Women, Holy Men," p. 665).



"The Vision," from the manuscript "De Coelata Via" by St. Agostino of Hippo (104-130),
Bibliothèque Sainte Geneviève, Paris, France

— **St. Peter's by-the-Sea Episcopal Church** —

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The Most Reverend Katherine Jefferts Schori, DD *Presiding Bishop*
The Right Reverend Lawrence C. Provenzano, DD *Diocesan Bishop*
The Right Reverend Johncy Itty, DD *Sunday Celebrant*
Mark Engelhardt *Organist and Choirmaster*
Sara Merrigan *Preschool Director*

The Wardens and Vestry of the Parish

Salvatore Basile, Senior Warden
Brian Clark, Junior Warden
Kathleen Malloy, Clerk of the Vestry
Roger Burmeister
Debbie Crawford
Chris Elton
Joseph Goncalves
George Justice
Edward Perry
Julia Fienga Schneider
Carl M. Siciliano



Praising God, Serving Neighbor

*We seek to worship the Lord as one loving family
by serving our parish and community
through prayer, music, education, and outreach*