

MAUNDY THURSDAY

8 a.m. Said Eucharist

12:10 p.m. Solemn Eucharist *Sung by The Gentlemen of The Choir*

5:30 p.m. **THE SOLEMN LITURGY OF MAUNDY THURSDAY:** Mandatum, The Lord's Supper, Procession to the Altar of Repose and Stripping of the Altar, followed by a Vigil of Prayer

Sung by The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Sermon by Father Fletcher

GOOD FRIDAY

Noon to 3 p.m. **THE THREE HOURS' DEVOTION** with *The Gentlemen of The Choir*
Meditations on the Seven Last Words of Christ by The Very Rev'd Joseph Britton, Dean,
Berkeley Divinity School at Yale

5:30 p.m. **THE SOLEMN LITURGY OF GOOD FRIDAY** *Sung by The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys*

Sermon by Father Austin

HOLY SATURDAY: EASTER EVEN

5:30 p.m. **THE GREAT VIGIL AND FIRST EUCHARIST OF EASTER**

Sung by The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Sermon by The Rector

EASTER DAY

8 and 11 a.m. **SOLEMN EUCHARIST** with The Saint Thomas Brass

Sung by The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Sermon by The Rector

2:30 p.m. **ORGAN RECITAL** by Frederick Teardo and Kevin Kwan

3 p.m. **SOLEMN EVENSONG**

(note time change)



ASSISTING CLERGY

The Reverend Victor Lee Austin, Ph.D., *Theologian-in-residence*

The Reverend Jonathan M. Erdman, *Curate and Youth Minister*

The Reverend Canon John Andrew, OBE, DD, *Rector Emeritus*

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SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE

**in the
CITY OF NEW YORK**

The Reverend Andrew C. Mead, OBE, DD, *Rector*

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The Reverend Charles F. Wallace, *Headmaster*



Welcome to Saint Thomas, a parish of the Episcopal Diocese of New York.

Our mission is to worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ
through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage.

Please switch off all cellular telephones and pagers.

THE SUNDAY OF THE PASSION: PALM SUNDAY MARCH 28, 2010 at 9 a.m.

SUNG EUCHARIST

ORDER OF SERVICE

THE LITURGY OF THE PALMS

The Celebrant says the Collect

ENTRANCE HYMN

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People

Amen.

As the Procession enters the Church

the People stand.

The People sit.

THE BLESSING OF PALMS

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People It is meet and right so to do.

*The Celebrant blesses the Palms and concludes "...Now
and for ever."*

People AMEN.

*The People raise their palms to be blessed
with Holy Water*

At the Holy Water Procession,

Daughter of Sion, shout for joy!

*George Frideric Handel
(1685-1759)*

ANTHEM

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE SALUTATION AND THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE EPISTLE

Philippians 2:5-11

After the Epistle,

Subdeacon

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

HYMN

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THE PASSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

ACCORDING TO SAINT LUKE

Saint Luke 23:1-49

*The People remain seated for the first part of the
Passion. At the first mention of the arrival at Golgotha,
all stand. At the mention of the death of Jesus, all kneel
in silence. Following the period of silence all stand for the
conclusion of the Passion.*

*The text of the Passion can be found on page 90 of The
New Testament of The Holy Bible.*

A period of silence follows the Passion.

The palm arrangements are offered to the greater glory of God and in loving memory of
Margaret Crane Hurlbut, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Munsel and Elizabeth van Bekkelen.

THE GREETINGS *The People sit.*

People Therefore let us keep the feast.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

AGNUS DEI Hymnal S158

AT THE OFFERTORY, HYMN 168

The Celebrant says the following Invitation

THE HOLY COMMUNION
The People remain standing.

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him that taketh away
the sins of the world.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them up unto the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People It is meet and right so to do.

AT THE COMMUNION, Anthem
Stabat Mater *Giovanni Pergolesi*

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

(The People kneel and join in saying this prayer)

THE PROPER PREFACE

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS Hymnal S114
Following which the People kneel.

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee
for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the
spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy
Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of
thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very
members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the
blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs,
through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we
humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us
with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy
fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast
prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and
glory, world without end. Amen.

The Celebrant continues and concludes with

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of
the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee; O
Father Almighty, world without end. AMEN.

And now, as our Saviour Christ hath 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 People stand for the departure of the Clergy.

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

PARISH NOTICES

A reminder: Next Sunday, Easter Day, there is no 9 a.m. celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Identical services are held at 8 and 11 a.m.

Holy Week Nursery Care will be provided for the following liturgies: Tenebrae, March 31, from 5:20 p.m. until the end of the liturgy, Maundy Thursday, April 1, from 5:20 p.m. until the end of the liturgy, Good Friday, April 2, from 5:20 p.m. until the end of the liturgy, and the Great Vigil of Easter, April 3, from 5:20 p.m. until the end of the liturgy.

Children and Families: We are holding our annual **Easter Egg Hunt** on Holy Saturday, April 3, from 11a.m. to 1 p.m. We will meet at the church. For further details and to RSVP, call or email Father Erdman.

Saint Thomas is in Phase I of a **Capital Campaign** to restore the stained glass windows and replace the chancel organ. The goal of Phase I is to raise a minimum of \$10 million. To date, generous parishioners and friends have pledged over \$9.7 million. To reach our goal, we need the participation of all who worship at Saint Thomas. If you have not yet supported this effort, please do so now. To be included in the list of donors, you may give on-line or complete a pledge card by June 30, 2010. You can find Campaign brochures in the narthex and in the Parish House. If you have any questions, please contact Ann Hall Kaplan at 212.757.7013, ext. 314 or akaplan@SaintThomasChurch.org.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

March 28 – April 4, 2010

PALM SUNDAY

11 a.m. The Liturgy of the Palms and Solemn Eucharist of the Passion
4 p.m. Solemn Evensong

MONDAY AND TUESDAY IN HOLY WEEK

8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Said Eucharist
12:10 p.m. Solemn Eucharist *Sung by The Gentlemen of The Choir*
The Sacrament of Holy Unction follows the Tuesday Solem Eucharist)
5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Said Eucharist
6:30 p.m. Musical Meditations
(Monday) Marcel Dupré's *Le Chemin de la Croix* (The Stations of the Cross)
Frederick Teardo, organ
(Tuesday) Marc-Antoine Charpentier's *Leçons de Ténèbre*
Jolle Greenleaf & Molly Quinn, sopranos, Ryland Angel, haute-contre,
Robert Mealy, violin, Emily Walhaut, gamba, Hank Heijink, theorbo, John Scott, continuo

WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK

8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Said Eucharist
12:10 p.m. Solemn Eucharist *Sung by The Gentlemen of The Choir*
5:30 p.m. **THE OFFICE OF TENEBRAE** with sung *Lamentations* and *Allegrì's Miserere*
Sung by The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys