



**SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE**  
in the  
**CITY OF NEW YORK**

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Welcome to Saint Thomas Church, 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.

The Reverend Canon Carl F. Turner, *Rector*

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**THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT**

**MARCH 21, 2021**

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**THE LITANY and SOLEMN EUCHARIST – 11 a.m.**  
**sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir**

**PRELUDE** Vater unser im Himmelreich *Georg Böhm*  
(1661-1733)

**THE ORDINARY OF THE MASS** Missa Inter vestibulum et altare *Francisco Guerrero*  
(1528-1599)

*The People stand at the entry of the Choir and Ministers*

**THE GREAT LITANY** *Thomas Tallis*  
(c. 1505-1585)

**O GOD** the Father, Creator of heaven and earth,  
*Have mercy upon us.*

O God the Son, Redeemer of the world,  
*Have mercy upon us.*

O God the Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the faithful,  
*Have mercy upon us.*

O holy, blessed, and glorious Trinity, one God,  
*Have mercy upon us.*

Saint Mary, Mother of God our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
*Pray for us.*

All holy Angels and Archangels, and all holy orders of blessed spirits,  
*Pray for us.*

All holy Patriarchs, Prophets, Apostles and Martyrs; and all the blessed company of heaven,  
*Pray for us.*

Remember not, Lord, our offences, nor the offences of our forefathers; neither take thou vengeance of our sins: spare us, good Lord, spare thy people, whom thou hast redeemed with thy most precious blood, and be not angry with us for ever.  
*Spare us, good Lord.*

From all evil and mischief; from sin, from the crafts and assaults of the devil; from thy wrath, and from everlasting damnation,  
*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From all blindness of heart; from pride, vain-glory, and hypocrisy; from envy, hatred, and malice, and all uncharitableness,  
*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From all inordinate and sinful affections; and from all the deceits of the world, the flesh, and the devil,  
*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From lightning and tempest; from earthquake, fire and flood; from plague, pestilence, and famine;  
from battle and murder, and from sudden death,

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

From all sedition, privy conspiracy, and rebellion; from all false doctrine, heresy, and schism;  
from hardness of heart, and contempt of thy Word and Commandment,

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

By the mystery of thy holy Incarnation; by thy holy Nativity and Circumcision; by thy Baptism,  
Fasting, and Temptation,

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

By thine Agony and bloody Sweat; by thy Cross and Passion; by thy precious Death and Burial;  
by thy glorious Resurrection and Ascension; and by the Coming of the Holy Ghost,

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

In all time of our tribulation; in all time of our prosperity; in the hour of death, and in the day of judgment,

*Good Lord, deliver us.*

We sinners do beseech thee to hear us, O Lord God; and that it may please thee to rule and govern  
thy holy Church universal in the right way;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee so to rule the heart of thy servant, The President of the United States, that he  
may above all things seek thy honour and glory;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to bless and preserve all Christian Rulers and Magistrates, giving them grace  
to execute justice, and to maintain truth;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to illuminate all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, with true knowledge and  
understanding of thy Word; and that both by their preaching and living they may set it forth, and  
show it accordingly;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to send forth labourers into thy harvest;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to bless and keep all thy people;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give to all nations unity, peace, and concord;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give us an heart to love and fear thee, and diligently to live after thy  
commandments;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give all thy people increase of grace to hear meekly thy Word, and to  
receive it with pure affection, and to bring forth the fruits of the Spirit;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to bring into the way of truth all such as have erred, and are deceived;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to strengthen such as do stand; and to comfort and help the weak-hearted;  
and to raise up them that fall; and finally to beat down Satan under our feet;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to succour, help, and comfort, all who are in danger, necessity, and tribulation;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to preserve all that travel by land, by water, or by air; all women in childbirth,  
all sick persons, and young children; and to shew thy pity upon prisoners and captives;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to defend, and provide for, the fatherless children, and widows, and all that are desolate and oppressed;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to have mercy upon all men;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to forgive our enemies, persecutors, and slanderers, and to turn their hearts;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give and preserve to our use the kindly fruits of the earth, so as in due time we may enjoy them;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to give us true repentance; to forgive us all our sins, negligences, and ignorances; and to endue us with the grace of thy Holy Spirit to amend our lives according to thy holy Word;

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to grant to all the faithful departed eternal life and peace,

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

That it may please thee to grant that, in the fellowship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, Blessed Michael the Archangel, Blessed John the Baptist, the holy Apostles Peter and Paul, Blessed Thomas our Patron, and all the saints, we may attain to thy heavenly kingdom,

*We beseech thee to hear us, good Lord.*

Son of God: we beseech thee to hear us.

*Son of God: we beseech thee to hear us.*

O Lamb of God: that takest away the sins of the world;

*Grant us thy peace.*

O Lamb of God: that takest away the sins of the world;

*Have mercy upon us.*

O Christ, hear us.

*O Christ, hear us.*

Lord, have mercy upon us.

*Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Christ, have mercy upon us.

*Christ, have mercy upon us.*

Lord, have mercy upon us.

*Lord, have mercy upon us.*

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And with thy spirit.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

**O** **ALMIGHTY** God, who alone canst order the unruly wills and affections of sinful men: Grant unto thy people that they may love the thing which thou commandest, and desire that which thou dost promise; that so, among the sundry and manifold changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

*The People sit.*

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### THE LESSON

Jeremiah 31:31-34

*The Lector concludes*

The Word of the Lord.

*The People respond*

Thanks be to God.

**H**AVE mercy upon me, O God, after thy great goodness:  
 according to the multitude of thy mercies do away mine offences.  
 2 Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness: and cleanse me from my sin.  
 3 For I acknowledge my faults: and my sin is ever before me.  
 4 Against thee only have I sinned, and done this evil in thy sight:  
 that thou mightest be justified in thy saying, and clear when thou art judged.  
 5 Behold, I was shapen in wickedness: and in sin hath my mother conceived me.  
 6 But lo, thou requirest truth in the inward parts: and shalt make me to understand wisdom secretly.  
 7 Thou shalt purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean: thou shalt wash me,  
 and I shall be whiter than snow.  
 8 Thou shalt make me hear of joy and gladness: that the bones which thou hast broken may rejoice.  
 9 Turn thy face from my sins: and put out all my misdeeds.  
 10 Make me a clean heart, O God: and renew a right spirit within me.  
 11 Cast me not away from thy presence: and take not thy holy Spirit from me.  
 12 O give me the comfort of thy help again: and stablish me with thy free Spirit.  
 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 EPISTLE

Hebrews 5:5-10

*The Subdeacon concludes*      The Word of the Lord.  
*The People respond*              Thanks be to God.

*The People stand.*

## HYMN

## CROSS OF JESUS

1 Cross of Je - sus, cross of sor - row, where the  
 2 Here the King of all the a - ges, throned in  
 3 O mys - ter - ious con - de - scend - ing! O a -  
 4 Cross of Je - sus, cross of sor - row, where the

blood of Christ was shed, per - fect Man on  
 light ere worlds could be, robed in mor - tal  
 ban - don - ment sub - lime! Ve - ry God him -  
 blood of Christ was shed, per - fect Man on

thee did suf - fer, per - fect God on thee has bled!  
 flesh is dy - ing, cru - ci - fied by sin for me.  
 self is bear - ing, all the suf - fer - ings of time!  
 thee did suf - fer, per - fect God on thee has bled!

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint John.  
*People* Glory be to thee, O Lord.

*After the Gospel, the Deacon says*

*People* The Gospel of the Lord.  
 Praise be to thee, O Christ.

## SERMON

The Rector

## THE NICENE CREED

*Said by all, standing. It is customary to bow at the underlined words.*

**I** BELIEVE in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the life of the world to come. Amen.

## THE PEACE

*The Celebrant introduces the Peace*

**O**NCE we were far off,  
 but now in union with Christ Jesus we have been brought near  
 through the shedding of Christ's blood, for he is our peace.

*People* The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
 And with thy spirit.

## THE GREETINGS

## THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## AT THE OFFERTORY, ANTHEM

*Sung by the Choir.*

*William Byrd*  
 (c. 1542-1623)

**D**OMINE salva nos, perimus:  
 impera, et fac Deus tranquillitatem.

*O Lord, save us, for we perish:  
 give the word, O God, and create calm.*

*Magnificat antiphon, Vespers, 4th Sunday after Epiphany (after Matthew 8:25-26)*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*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.

*The Celebrant sings the Preface*

**I**T is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should  
at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord,  
holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

Who dost bid thy faithful people cleanse their hearts, and  
prepare with joy for the Paschal feast; that, fervent in prayer  
and in works of mercy, and renewed by thy Word and  
Sacraments, they may come to the fullness of grace which  
thou hast prepared for those who love thee.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the  
company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious  
Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

#### **SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS**

*Sung by the Choir.*

**S**ANCTUS, Sanctus, Sanctus  
Dominus Deus Sabaoth.  
Pleni sunt caeli et terra Gloria tua.  
Hosanna in excelsis.

*Holy, holy, holy,  
Lord God of Hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.*

Benedictus qui venit  
in nomine Domini.  
Hosanna in excelsis.

*Blessed is he that cometh  
in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.*

#### **THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

*The People kneel. The Celebrant continues the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes*

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

*The People respond* AMEN.

#### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

*The Celebrant says*

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

*Celebrant and People*

**O**UR 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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
*People* Therefore let us keep the feast.

## AGNUS DEI

*Sung by the Choir.*

**A**GNUS Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
miserere nobis.  
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,  
dona nobis pacem.

*O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,  
have mercy upon us.  
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,  
grant us thy peace.*

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

**B**EHOLD the Lamb of God: behold him that taketh away the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

*People* Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof,  
but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

## AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION *(for those unable to receive Holy Communion)*

**I** BELIEVE in thee, O my Jesus, present in the most holy Sacrament of the Altar;  
I love thee above all things, and I desire to receive thee into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace thee, and I unite myself to thee as if thou wast already there.  
Never permit me to be separated from thee!  
O Lord Jesus Christ, let the sweet and consuming force of thy love absorb my whole soul, that I may  
die for the love of thee, who wast pleased to die for the love of me. Amen.

## AT THE COMMUNION, MOTET

*Sung by the Choir.*

*Thomas Tallis*

**I**N ieiunio et fletu orabant sacerdotes:  
Parce, Domine, parce populo tuo;  
et ne des haereditatem tuam in perditionem.  
Inter vestibulum et altare  
plorabant sacerdotes, dicentes:  
Parce populo tuo.

*In fasting and weeping the priests prayed:  
Spare, Lord, spare thy people  
and give not thine heritage over to perdition.  
Between the porch and the altar  
the priests lamented, saying:  
Spare thy people.*

*Joel 2 vv. 12, 17*

## THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

*Said by all, kneeling.*

**A**Lmighty 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 SOLEMN PRAYER OVER THE PEOPLE

*Deacon* Bow down before the Lord. *(Silence is kept.)*

*The Celebrant prays*

**G**RANT, Almighty God, that thy people may recognize their weakness  
and put their whole trust in thy strength, so that they may rejoice for ever  
in the protection of thy loving providence; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

1 Just as I am, with - out one plea, but that thy  
 2 Just as I am, though tossed a - bout with man - ya  
 \* 3 Just as I am, poor, wretch - ed, blind; sight, rich - es,  
 4 Just as I am: thou wilt re - ceive; wilt wel - come,  
 5 Just as I am, thy love un - known has bro - ken

1 blood was shed for me, and that thou bidd'st me  
 2 con - flict, man - ya doubt; fight - ings and fears with -  
 3 heal - ing of the mind, yea, all I need, in  
 4 par - don, cleanse, re - lieve, be - cause thy prom - ise  
 5 ev - ery bar - rier down; now to be thine, yea,

1 come to thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.  
 2 in, with - out, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.  
 3 thee to find, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.  
 4 I be - lieve, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.  
 5 thine a - lone, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

6 Just as I am, of thy great love  
 the breadth, length, depth, and height to prove,  
 here for a season, then above:  
 O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Words: Charlotte Elliot (1789-1871) Music: *Woodworth*, William Batchelder Bradbury (1816-1868)

## THE DISMISSAL

*Deacon* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.  
*People* Thanks be to God.

## VOLUNTARY

Aus tiefer Not

*Graham Ross*  
 (b. 1985)

## THIS AFTERNOON

### 3 p.m. Solemn Evensong

*sung by the Boys of the Saint Thomas Choir*

**Lenten Sermon Series – Dreams and Visions'**

V: *The New Jerusalem*

**Preacher: Fr. Brown**

*\*This service is video livestreamed and then available on-demand.*



## PARISH NOTICES

### Coffee Hour

We continue to host our Virtual Coffee Hour which will use the Zoom platform to host a virtual meeting at 12:45 p.m. Contact Fr. Moretz at [MMoretz@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:MMoretz@SaintThomasChurch.org) to learn more and receive login credentials.

**Adult Education** series on the **Second Letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians** continues this Sunday at 10 am. Often described as St. Paul's most emotional letter, Second Corinthians addresses powerful themes about suffering, strength in weakness, generosity, and authentic ministry. We will examine how these themes are relevant to our lives today. [Click here](#) to RSVP for the online class or contact Fr. Cheng at [PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org).

### Children and Families' Gatherings

**Faith Alive** (for ages 11+) will meet today at 9:30 a.m. over Zoom. All families are welcome to join **Sunday Zoom!** at 10:15 a.m. today. Throughout Lent, we will focus on new ways of praying. If you know a family that would like to receive our regular newsletter or to obtain login information for either the Sunday Zoom! or Faith Alive, contact **Mother Turner** at [ATurner@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:ATurner@SaintThomasChurch.org).

**Pilgrims' Course 2021** continues this Tuesday, March 23. The course is a comprehensive introduction to the Christian faith as received and understood by the Episcopal Church. The course is taught by the Rector and Fr. Cheng over Zoom, and meets most Tuesdays until May. This week's topic is: **"They Recognized Him in the Breaking of the Bread": The Eucharist at the Heart of Our Common Life**. Please [Click here](#) to RSVP for the online class or contact Fr. Cheng at [PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org).

**Concerts at Saint Thomas** presents two Holy Week Meditations featuring Organist and Director of Music, Jeremy Filsell, playing a Lenten offering of the music of Marcel Dupré on Monday, March 29, at 6:45 p.m. followed by Dupré's seminal *Le Chemin de la Croix* on Tuesday, March 30, at 6:45 p.m. Both Meditations will be presented via livestream following the Holy Monday and Holy Tuesday Solemn Eucharists. Anyone registered for and attending these services in-person is invited to stay for the Meditations. [Ticket packages](#) for *Concerts at Saint Thomas*' 2021 digital concert presentations are available for both the **Beethoven 32@32 Series** (Recitals VI-VIII) and **Marcel Dupré: The Complete Works for Organ Series** (Recitals III-VI). Support *Concerts at Saint Thomas* by becoming a *Friend of Music*. To make your donation with our team, email [concerts@saintthomaschurch.org](mailto:concerts@saintthomaschurch.org) or call 212-664-9360. For more information about our 2021 offerings, visit [www.saintthomaschurch.org/music/concerts](http://www.saintthomaschurch.org/music/concerts).

We are pleased to announce that The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boy's newest CD, entitled **'The Music of Gerre Hancock'** is now available to our valued Parishioners and Friends of Music. We are offering this special pre-release of our newest CD for \$15 each plus shipping and taxes, where applicable, or take advantage of our discount pricing of two for \$25.00 or three for \$30. Order yours today by emailing [Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org) and be sure to include the following: full name, address, phone number, CD order request. We will call you at the phone number provided to process your payment.

**The Bookstore and Gift Shop** is selling an inscribed Saint Thomas Church, 3-Ply Face Mask with removal PM 2.5 filter for \$8 plus shipping and taxes, where applicable. The mask may be purchased by sending an email to the [Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org). Please be sure to include your full name, address, telephone number and mask request. We will contact you at the number provided to process your payment.

**Friday Lenten Book Study.** During the season of Lent, this 1:30 p.m. class on Fridays over Zoom will study Dr. Amy-Jill Levine's book, *Sermon on the Mount: A Beginner's Guide to the Kingdom of Heaven*. The class runs for about an hour. For more information, contact Fr. Bennett at [RBennett@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:RBennett@SaintThomasChurch.org).

## SERVICES THIS WEEK AND BEYOND

**The Church is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

*Face masks, hand sanitization, health screening, and 6 ft. distancing required for entry.*

**Shrine Prayers (Intercessions) and Holy Eucharist** (Contact details are mandatory to attend Mass)

**Monday – Saturday at 12 p.m.**

*In-person, live audio stream and then on-demand.*

**Please send your requests for prayers** via the website [click here](#) or emailed to: [prayer@saintthomaschurch.org](mailto:prayer@saintthomaschurch.org)

### ✠ **FESTAL EVENSONG FOR THE EVE OF THE ANNUNCIATION**

*(NOTE: these services are video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand)*

**Wednesday, March 24 at 5:30 p.m.**

*sung by the Boys of the Saint Thomas Choir*

### ✠ **SOLEMN EUCHARIST FOR THE FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION**

**Thursday, March 25 at 5:30 p.m.**

*sung by the Boys of the Saint Thomas Choir*

**Preacher: The Rector**

*(This service will be video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand)*

### ✠ **COMPLINE WITH REFLECTIVE PRAYER**

**Friday, March 26 at 5:30 p.m.**

*sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir*

*(This service will be video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand)*

**Confessions, Spiritual Advice and Healing Ministry in the Resurrection Chapel**

**Saturday 11 to 11:45 a.m. in the Church. Confessor: Fr. Moretz**

*(need to wear a mask; chairs will be placed at an appropriate distance)*

**Young Adult Group Compline:**

**Monday evenings** (email [YoungAdults@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:YoungAdults@SaintThomasChurch.org) for more information)

**Evening Prayer and Meditation with Sister Promise SSM**

**Thursday at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom Platform**

(Contact Sr. Promise: [SrPromise@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:SrPromise@SaintThomasChurch.org) for details)

✠ **SUNDAY, MARCH 28**

**Palm Sunday**

*(NOTE: all service are video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand)*

*Services open to the public – please pre-register*

**9 a.m. Said Mass**

**11 a.m. The Liturgy of the Palms  
& Solemn Eucharist of the Passion**

*sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir*

**Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Katherine Grieb**

*Meade Professor in Biblical Interpretation, Virginia Theological Seminary*

**3 p.m. Solemn Evensong**

*sung by the Boys of the Saint Thomas Choir*

**Preacher: The Rector**

**ASSISTING CLERGY**

The Reverend Matthew Moretz, *Associate Rector  
and Interim Director of Administration*  
The Reverend Alison J. Turner,  
*Associate for Children and Family Ministry*  
The Reverend Dr. Patrick S. Cheng,  
*Theologian in Residence*  
The Reverend Ryan Bennett, *Assistant Priest*  
The Reverend Sr. Marie Promise Atelon SSM, *Deacon*

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The Reverend Canon Anne Mallonee, *Honorary Assistant*  
The Reverend David F. Mc Neeley, *Honorary Assistant*  
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