

SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE
in the
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2022 AT 5:30 P.M.
ALL SAINTS' DAY

SOLEMN EUCHARIST

sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

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.

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PRELUDE

Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr, Op. 67/i

Max Reger
(1873-1916)*The People stand at the entry of the Choir. As the ministers go to the Altar, this chant is sung by the Choir*

INTROIT

Plainsong (Mode I)

GAUDEAMUS omnes in Domino, diem festum celebrantes sub honore Sanctorum omnium:
de quorum solemnitate gaudent angeli, et collaudant Filium Dei.

Exsultate iusti in Domino: rectos decet collaudatio.

Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto:
sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen.*Rejoice we all, and praise the Lord, celebrating a holy day in honour of all Saints: for whose solemnity the angels are joyful, and glorify the Son of God.**Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous: for it becometh well the just to be thankful.**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.**Psalm 33:1*

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Celebrant says

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

*The People kneel. Silence is kept.**Celebrant and People***M**OST merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against
thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we earnestly repent.
For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.*The Celebrant says***T**HE Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and
remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life,
and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. **Amen.***The People stand.*

GLORY be to God on high,
 and on earth peace,
 good will towards men.
 We praise thee, we bless thee,
 we worship thee, we glorify thee.
 We give thanks to thee for thy great glory,
 O Lord God, heavenly King,
 God the Father almighty.
 O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
 O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
 Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.
 For thou only art holy;
 thou only art the Lord;
 thou only, O Christ.
 With the Holy Ghost, art most high
 in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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 People sit.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**THE EPISTLE**

1 John 3:1-3

The Subdeacon concludes

People The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

PSALM 149*Sung by the Choir*Anglican Chant (*Alcock*)**CANTATE DOMINO**

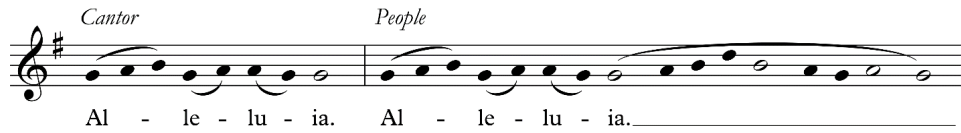
O SING unto the Lord a new song : let the congregation of saints praise him.
 Let Israel rejoice in him that made him : and let the children of Sion be joyful in their King.
 Let them praise his Name in the dance : let them sing praises unto him with tabret and harp.
 For the Lord hath pleasure in his people : and helpeth the meek-hearted.
 Let the saints be joyful with glory : let them rejoice in their beds.
 Let the praises of God be in their mouth : and a two-edged sword in their hands;
 To be avenged of the heathen : and to rebuke the people;
 To bind their kings in chains : and their nobles with links of iron.
 That they may be avenged of them, as it is written : Such honour have all his saints.

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 People stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Plainsong (*Mode VI*)



Cantor Ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light.



THE HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 5:1-12a

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

HOMILY

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 says

LORD Jesus Christ, who saidst unto thine apostles, "Peace I give to you;
 my own peace I leave with you:" Regard not our sins, but the faith of thy Church,
 and grant us the peace and unity of that heavenly City, where with the Father and
 the Holy Spirit thou livest and reignest, now and for ever. **Amen.**

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

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

AT THE OFFERTORY, ANTHEM

Sung by the Choir

Kenneth Leighton
 (1929-1988)

GAUDEAMUS. Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous:
 for it becometh well the just to be thankful.
 Rejoice we all, and praise the Lord:
 celebrating a holy day in honour of all saints, alleluia.

As the anthem concludes, please stand and join in the following hymn

Give us the wings of faith to rise with - in the veil, and see the saints a-bove, how great their joys, how great their glo-ries be.

Once they were mourning here below, and wet their couch with tears;
 They wrestled hard, as we do now, with sins and doubts and fears.

We ask them whence their victory came; they, with united breath,
 ascribe their conquest to the Lamb, their triumph to his death.

They marked the footsteps that he trod, his zeal inspired their quest,
 and, following their incarnate God, they reached the promised rest.

Our glorious leader claims our praise for his own pattern given;
 while the long cloud of witnesses show the same path to heaven.

Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant *People*

The Lord be with you. And with thy spi - rit.

Celebrant *People*

Lift up your hearts. We lift them up un - to the Lord.

Celebrant

Let us give thanks un - to our Lord God.

People

It is meet and right so to do.

The Celebrant continues

IT 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, in the multitude of thy saints, hast compassed us about with so great a cloud of witnesses, that we, rejoicing in their fellowship, may run with patience the race that is set before us; and, together with them, may receive the crown of glory that fadeth not away.

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

HOLY, holy, holy,
Lord God of Hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of thy Glory,
Glory be to Thee, O Lord most High.

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

The People kneel.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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

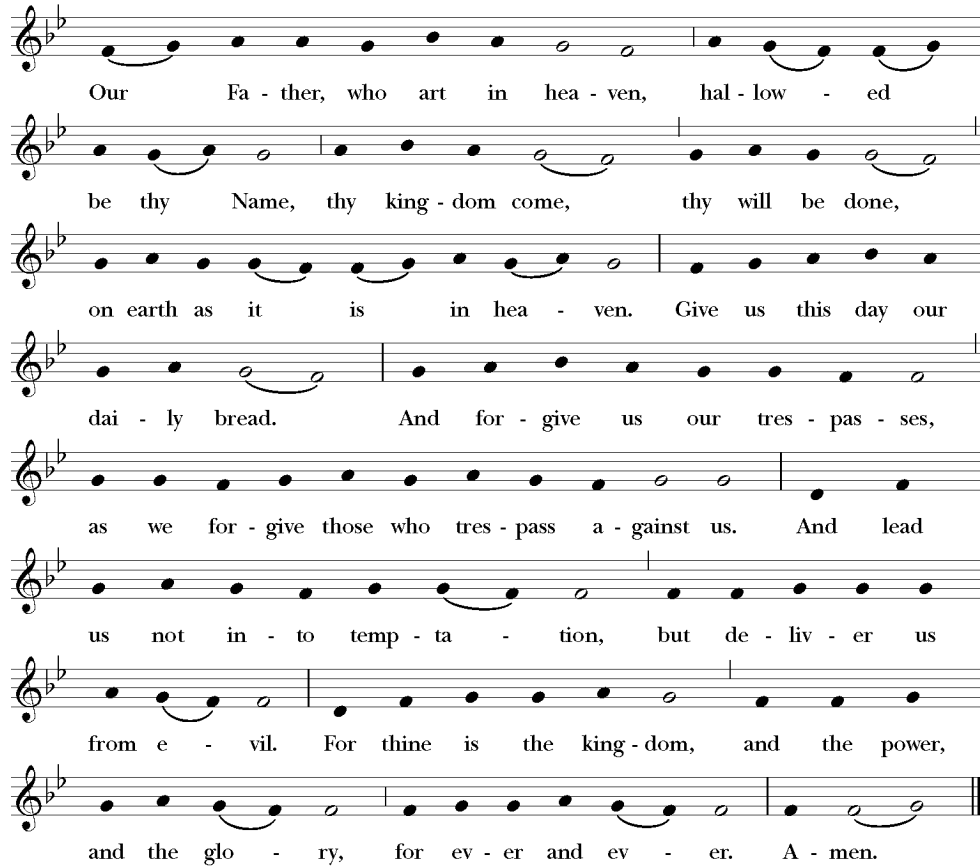
AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Celebrant says

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

People and Celebrant



Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

BEHOLD 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 shouldst come under my roof,
but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.**

ACT OF SPIRITUAL 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.

AGNUS DEI

Sung by the Choir

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

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Said by all, kneeling

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.

SOLEMN BLESSING

The Celebrant says

MAY Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate this festival of all the Saints, be now and evermore your guide and companion in the way. **Amen.**

May God, who has bound us together in the company of the elect, in this age and the age to come, attend to the prayers of his faithful servants on your behalf, as he hears your prayers for them. **Amen.**

May God, who has given us, in the lives of his saints, patterns of holy living and victorious dying, strengthen your faith and devotion, and enable you to bear witness to the truth against all adversity. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People **Thanks be to God.**

VOLUNTARY

Placare Christe Servulis *from* Le Tombeau de Titelouze

Marvel Dupré
(1886-1971)

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

* indicates livestreamed.

Monday - Saturday

12 p.m. Shrine Prayers and Holy Eucharist*

Wednesday – ALL SOULS' DAY

5:30 p.m. Solemn Requiem Eucharist*

sung by the Choir of Men and Boys

Thursday

5:30 p.m. Choral Evensong*

sung by the Choir of Men and Boys

Friday

5:30 p.m. Contemplative Prayer

In the Resurrection Chapel

Saturday

11-11:30 a.m. Confessions, Spiritual Advice,
Ministry of Healing in the Resurrection Chapel

Confessor: Father Schultz

11:30 a.m. Rosary* at the Shrine of our Lady of
Fifth Avenue

Next Sunday: November 6, All Saints' Sunday

9 a.m. Sung Mass

*especially suitable for Children and Families
followed by Coffee Hour in the Parish House*

11 a.m. Procession and Solemn Eucharist*

*sung by the Choir of Men and Boys
Sermon by The Rector*

4 p.m. Solemn Evensong*

*sung by the Choir of Men and Boys
Sermon by Fr. Moretz
followed by a chamber recital by Margaret Carpenter Haigh,
soprano, and William Simms, lute and theorbo**

PARISH NOTICES

The Reverend Dr. Kara Slade, Associate Rector of Trinity Church in Princeton and Canon Theologian of the Diocese of New Jersey, will be delivering Saint Thomas Church's **2022 Fall Theology Lecture**. The lecture will be held from **6:30 to 8:00 pm on Tuesday, November 8, 2022** on the Fifth Floor of the Parish House and via Zoom (information in our E-News). This lecture will take place immediately after Tuesday's Choral Evensong, and will conclude with a short reception in the Parish House Living Room. This lecture, entitled **"Christ the Center of Time,"** is based on Dr. Slade's recent book "The Fullness of Time: Jesus Christ, Science, and Modernity." The lecture is free to attend, but RSVP's are appreciated. Please contact Fr. Matthew Moretz, Vicar, at mmoretz@saintthomaschurch.org, to let him know you will be attending, or to receive a reminder with the Zoom credentials the day before.

Saint Thomas Church Tours are available on Sundays after the 11 a.m. service. It is a great way to experience and learn about the church. Tours generally last an hour and 15 minutes. If you are interested, please meet the Tour Guide on the south side of the Narthex near the "Tour Guide – Meet Here" sign.

The Noble Singers, our children's parish choir for singers ages 5-12, under the Direction of Mrs. Rebecca Kellerman-Filsell, sings at the 9 a.m. Mass on Sundays during the program year. We welcome new singers at any time! No audition is necessary, just enthusiasm and a love of music. For more information, and to register your singer for the Fall Term, contact RKellerman@SaintThomasChurch.org.

