SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE

in the CITY OF NEW YORK



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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2022 AT 5:30 P.M. ALL SOULS' DAY

SOLEMN REQUIEM 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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Recording and Photography during the service is not permitted.

The People stand at the entry of the Choir. As the ministers go to the Altar, this chant is sung by the Choir

INTROIT Sung by the Choir Plainsong

REQUIEM aeternam dona eis, Domine: et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Te decet hymnus Deus in Sion, et tibi reddetur votum in Jerusalem.

Exaudi orationem meam; ad te omnis caro veniet.

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord:
and let light perpetual shine upon them.
Thou, O God, art praised in Sion,
and unto thee shall the vow be performed
in Jerusalem:
Thou that hearest the prayer,
unto thee shall all flesh come.

KYRIE

YRIE eleison.
Christe eleison.
Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, 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.

ETERNAL Lord God, who holdest all souls in life: Give, we beseech thee, to thy whole Church in paradise and on earth thy light and thy peace; and grant that we, following the good examples of those who have served thee here and are now at rest, may at the last enter with them into thine unending joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The People sit.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE LESSON Isaiah 25:6-9

The Subdeacon concludes

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The People stand.

THE GRADUAL

Sung by the Choir

REQUIEM aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis.

In memoria aeterna erit justus: ab auditione mala non timebit.

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and may light perpetual shine upon them. The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance: He shall not be afraid of any evil tidings. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and may light perpetual shine upon them.

The People stand.

THE HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 11:25-30

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

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

HOMILY Mo. Turner

Associate for Children and Family Ministry & School Chaplain

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

People

Let us pray to God our Creator saying, Lord, have mercy.

The People kneel.

Loving God, thou hast called thy people together in the mystical body of Jesus Christ our Savior. Give to thy whole Church in heaven and on earth thy light and thy peace.

People Lord, have mercy.

Grant that all who have been baptized into Christ's death and resurrection may die daily to sin and rise to newness of life, and that we, with our Redeemer, may pass through the grave and gate of death to our joyful resurrection.

People Lord, have mercy.

Grant to us who are still on our earthly pilgrimage, and who walk as yet by faith, that thy Spirit may lead us in holiness and righteousness all our days.

People Lord, have mercy.

Grant to thy faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sin and serve thee with a quiet mind.

People Lord, have mercy.

Grant that our brothers and sisters increasing in the knowledge and love of thee, may go from strength to strength in a new life of perfect service.

People Lord, have mercy.

Grant to all who mourn, a sure confidence in thy tender mercy, that, casting all their sorrow on thee, they may know the consolation of thy love.

People Lord, have mercy.

Give courage to all who are bereaved, that in the days ahead they may hold fast to the comfort of a holy hope, and joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love.

People Lord, have mercy.

Help us entrust our brothers and sisters to thy never-failing care and love. Receive them into the arms of thy mercy, and remember them according to the favor thou bearest for thy people.

People Lord, have mercy.

Silence is kept. Then the Celebrant concludes with this collect

A LMIGHTY God, we remember this day before thee thy faithful servants; and we pray that, having opened to them the gates of larger life, thou wilt receive them more and more into thy joyful service, that, with all who have faithfully served thee in the past, they may share in the eternal victory of Jesus Christ our Lord; who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The People stand.

THE PEACE

The Celebrant says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

The People sit.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY CHANT

Plainsong

DOMINE Jesu Christe, Rex gloriae, libera animas omnium fidelium defunctorum de poenis inferni, et de profundo lacu:

Libera eas de ore leonis, ne absorbeat eas tartarus: ne cadant in obscurum. Sed signifer sanctus Michael repraesentet eas in lucem sanctam, quam olim Abrahae promisisti, et semini ejus.

Hostias et preces tibi, Domine, laudis offerimus: tu suscipe pro animabus illis, quarum hodie memoriam facimus.

Fac eas, Domine, de morte transire ad vitam. Quam olim Abrahae promisisti, et semini ejus. O Lord Jesus Christ, King of glory, deliver the souls of the departed from the pains of hell and the bottomless pit:

Deliver them from the lion's mouth, that hell devour them not: may they not fall into darkness, but let Saint Michael, the standard bearer, lead them into the holy light, which thou once promised to Abraham and his seed.

Sacrifices and prayers do we offer to thee, O Lord: do thou accept them for those souls in whose memory we make this oblation.

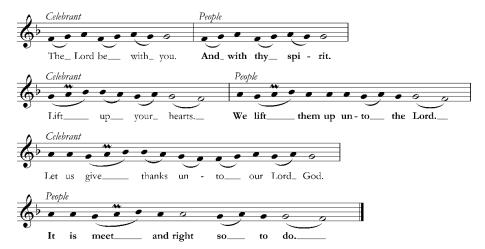
Make them, O Lord, to pass from death to life, which thou once promised to Abraham and his seed.

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The People stand.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



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. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who rose victorious from the dead, and doth comfort us with the blessed hope of everlasting life; for to thy faithful people, O Lord, life is changed, not ended; and when our mortal body doth lie in death, there is prepared for us a dwelling place eternal in the heavens. 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

SANCTUS, sanctus, sanctus

Dominus Deus Sabaoth.

Pleni sunt caeli et terra gloria tua.

Holy, holy, holy,

Lord God of Hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Hosanna in the highest.

Benedictus qui venit
in nomine Domini.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Celebrant continues the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes

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.

The People respond

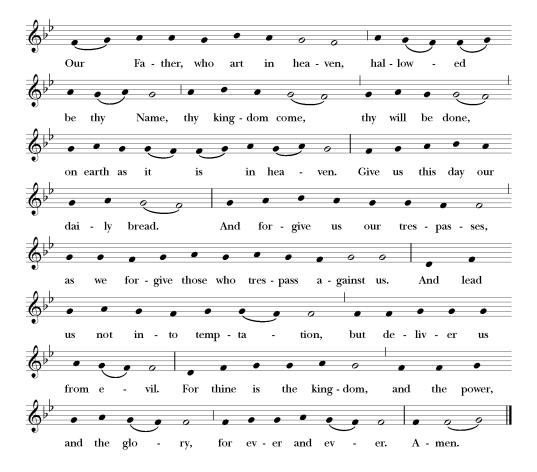
AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Celebrant says

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

People and Celebrant



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

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

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

AGNUS DEISung by the Choir

A GNUS Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem sempiternam.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant them eternal rest.

LUX AETERNA Sung by the Choir Plainsong

Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine, cum sanctis tuis in aeternum: quia pius es.
Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine: et lux perpetua luceat eis.
Cum sanctis tuis in aeternum: quia pius es.

for thou art gracious.

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord:
and let light perpetual shine upon them.

With thy saints for evermore:
for thou art gracious.

with thy saints for evermore:

Let light eternal shine upon them, O Lord:

After Communion, silence is kept for a while.

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

The Celebrant says

Let us pray.

The People stand. The Celebrant says alone

A LMIGHTY God, we thank thee that in thy great love thou hast fed us with the spiritual food and drink of the Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and hast given unto us a foretaste of thy heavenly banquet. Grant that this Sacrament may be unto us a comfort in affliction, and a pledge of our inheritance in that kingdom where there is no death, neither sorrow nor crying, but the fullness of joy with all thy saints; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE DISMISSAL

Celebrant The Lord be with you. People And with thy spirit.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord;

People And let light perpetual shine upon them.

May the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

People Amen.

As the Ministers depart, the Choir sings

IN PARADISUM

Plainsong

In paradisum deducant te Angeli, in tuo adventu suscipiant te martyres, et perducant te in civitatem sanctam Jerusalem.

Chorus angelorum te suscipiat, et cum Lazaro quondam paupere aeternam habeas requiem.

May the Angels lead thee into Paradise; and the martyrs receive thee at thy coming and bring thee into the holy city Jerusalem.

May the choir of angels receive thee, and mayest thou, with Lazarus once poor, have everlasting rest.

The Choir and people leave in silence.

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.

The **Bookstore** and **Giftshop** is open following the 11 am Mass until 3 p.m. Please access the shop via the Parish House entrance round the corner at 1 West 53rd Street where you will find a wide selection of books, devotional items, and beautiful gifts including Ben Sheen's new CD 'In London Town.'

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.

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

* indicates livestreamed.

Monday - Saturday

12 p.m. Shrine Prayers and Holy Eucharist*

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*

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