

Easter Day

Holy Eucharist at 8 am

April 17, 2022



We invite you to make this place yours.

Here is a place that is ancient and new, a faith that we hold going back to Jesus, back to his spiritual ancestors, back to those who walked the earth and found holy ground. And what we do is often based on really ancient patterns—worship and music; loving service to the poor, the hurting, the lonely; working for justice and peace; lively, fearless education and formation of minds and souls. And that faith is also completely contemporary, engaged in the culture and the needs of the moment.

What we are for

The dignity and worth of every person. An open minded, passionate commitment to truth. The importance of everyone's own spiritual journey. God's friends wherever we find them. Seeking Christ in every person who comes through the door. The sacredness of life's rites of passage. The value of community. The hard work necessary to make sure that all are welcomed. Telling the truth about life's challenges. A "user-friendly" church experience. Children, youth and families.

What we are against

Claiming to have all the answers. Elitism and exclusivism, especially in church. Bigotry for any reason. Authoritarianism. Indifference to injustice and suffering. Certitude in the face of ambiguity and superficial answers to hard questions. Boring sermons, bad music and general cluelessness. (So, God help us, because we don't always avoid these!)

What we value

Community, open hearts, open minds, open arms. Faith. Fortitude. Staying current, but equally staying rooted in tradition. Reason and honesty. Civic responsibility as New Yorkers, Americans and global citizens. Debate that allows for mutual respect. Music and beauty for their own sake. Joy in God's creation. Anyone who makes an effort to get to know and follow Jesus.

Welcome!



Welcome to St. Bart's! Thanks for joining us for worship this morning. We are glad that you are here.

Because of the continued spread of COVID-19, masks are required for all worshippers. We also ask that, when possible, you allow space between your party and others.

We appreciate your patience and cooperation as we continue to prioritize the health and safety of our whole community.

The people stand as the presider enters.

The Opening Acclamation

Presider Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

The Collect for Purity

Presider Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets

are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may

perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Gloria in excelsis

All 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 Ministry of the Word

The Collect for Easter Day

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

Presider Let us pray.

Almighty God, who through thine only-begotten Son Jesus Christ hast overcome death and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by thy life-giving Spirit; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit ever,

one God, world without end.

All Amen.

The people sit.

The First Lesson Acts 10:34-43

Lector A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christhe is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

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

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

All Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his mercy endures for ever.

Let Israel now proclaim, "His mercy endures for ever."

The Lord is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation.

There is a sound of exultation and victory in the tents of the righteous:

"The right hand of the Lord has triumphed! the right hand of the Lord is exalted! the right hand of the Lord has triumphed!"

I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord.

The Lord has punished me sorely, but he did not hand me over to death.

Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the Lord.

"This is the gate of the Lord; he who is righteous may enter."

I will give thanks to you, for you answered me and have become my salvation.

The same stone which the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes.

On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

The Second Lesson 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Lector A reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

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

The people stand.

The Holy Gospel Luke 24:1-12

Presider The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Presider On the first day of the week, at early dawn, the women who had come with Jesus from Galilee

came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they went in, they did not find the body. While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again." Then they remembered his words, and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

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

After the preacher introduces the sermon, the people sit.

The Sermon The Reverend Peter D. Thompson, Vicar

The people stand.

The Nicene Creed

All We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

Presider With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, and for the unity of all

peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For our Bishops, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to

the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us

pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let

us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and

captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to

the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our

life, to Christ our God.

People To thee, O Lord our God.

Presider O Lord Jesus Christ, who didst say to thine Apostles, Peace I leave with you, my peace I give

unto you; Regard not our sins, but the faith of thy Church, and grant it that peace and unity which is agreeable to thy will; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one

God, world without end.

All Amen.

The Peace

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

The people exchange a sign of God's peace with one another and then sit.

Announcements

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

* Please place your offering in one of the plates as you exit the chapel. Ushers can assist you.

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The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up unto the Lord.
Presider Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People It is meet and right so to do.

Presider 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. But chiefly are we bound to praise thee for the glorious resurrection of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and hath taken away the sin of the world; who by his death hath destroyed death, and by his rising to life again hath won for us

everlasting life.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and

magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

All 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.

Presider All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst

make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until

his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

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.

All AMEN.

The Lord's Prayer

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

All 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 Fraction Anthem

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Invitation to Communion

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The people sit.

At the Communion

- All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. At this time, communion is offered to the people in one kind (bread) only. The Episcopal Church teaches that the Sacrament is fully present even when received in only one kind.
- The clergy sanitize their hands immediately before the distribution of communion, and bread that is distributed to the congregation is kept covered on a separate table during the Eucharistic Prayer.
- Please keep six feet of distance from one another while approaching the communion station. After receiving communion from the priest, step aside, remove your mask and consume the bread. Ensure that your mask is completely on before returning to your seat.
- If you require a gluten-free wafer, simply request one from the communion minister when the bread is offered to you.
- Those who do not wish to receive communion are still invited to receive a blessing. Please cross your arms over your chest to indicate you would like a blessing.

The people stand.

The Prayer after Communion

Presider

Let us pray.

All

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 Blessing

Presider

The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always.

All Amen.

The Dismissal

Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

Service Participants

Presider and Preacher The Reverend Peter D. Thompson

Lector Miriam Schneider **Altar Guild** Mark Schmidt **Ushers** Holly Bellows, Isaiah Chabala

Director of Facilities Corey Durney **Director of Maintenance** Willie Gonzalez **Facilities** Anthony Thomas



At Easter we remember loved ones and offer thanksgiving for special blessings through gifts of flowers and music to the church. Together, we remember and celebrate.

Easter Flowers

Mary Abraham and Rob Radtke In loving memory of those we love, but see no longer

Martha Ball In loving memory of my father Eugene Ball

> Mary-Hart Bartley In loving memory of family and friends we see no more

Palmer & Sarah Bessey In loving memory of Palmer & Marion Bessey and James & Sarah Isherwood

Dickie Ann Boal Johnson In loving memory of Davie Lee and Bill Slates

Kathleen BreitenIn loving memory of David, Edna, Jim,
Helen, Vincent and Mary

Dr. Bruce R. Brown *In loving memory of Dr. Anthony J. DeNapoli*

Christian Burke & Laurence Velcoff In loving memory of the Van Cortlandt Swans

> **Megan Burnham** In loving memory of Jim and Anne Burnham

David Carson and Barry Hoff *In loving memory of Barbara Carson and Margaret Hoff*

Julie Castillo *In loving memory of my sister Norma Burgos Castillo*

> Isaiah Z. Chabala In loving memory of Janet Namwila Chabala

> > Aaron Clark

Robin Clune-Hutchins *In loving memory of Elizabeth Vandemark*

Marianthe Colakis *In loving memory of Leonidas Colakis*

> Catherine and Michael Collins In loving memory of The Rev. Denver L. Hart

Patricia Conway

Constance Evans *In thanksgiving for St. Bart's clergy and staff*

Gerald Flick and Elena Seha In loving memory of those we love, but see no longer

Luke Failla In loving memory of Michelle Connelly

Marilyn, Edwin and Lyle Foster In loving memory of Rev. Malcolm L. Foster

William and Lee Anne Fry In loving memory of Louise Best, Donald Stout, Cathy & The Rev. William N Fry III

The Glover FamilyIn loving memory of Beryl and
Sterling Holder, Mary and William Glover,
and Andrew Glover

Cheryl GoodenIn loving memory of John & Audrey
Gooden

Stephanie Guerard *In loving memory of Dick & Hilda Kautz*

Constance Harnisch In loving memory of Ruth Mary Baldwin

Edith N. Hernandez

Maria T. Hollenbeck In loving memory of Genelle Jenkins who died January 3rd

Natalie and Kenneth Johnson In thanksgiving for our children and grandsons

Becky Karver *In loving memory of Helen Rowe*

Adelaide Kent In loving memory of Miriam Vartanian

Sarah Kerner & Richard Cobb In loving memory of Richard (Dick) & Virginia Kerner; Tilmon & Irene Cobb

John Kotheimer *In loving memory of Jack & Dolly Kraus*

Susan Lay In loving memory of my parents, Rosemarie and Theodore Lay

Falisha Mamdani

The McCullough Jeffries family In loving memory of Andrew McCullough Jeffries

Carol M. Mitchell *In loving memory of Bruce & Sean Mitchell*

Lara Mizrack *In loving memory of my grandparents*

The Rev. Canon Andew J. W. Mullins and Mrs. Cathy Mullins In loving memory of Jamie Christine Mullins

The Rev. Zack Nyein and Dr. Michael Waterson In loving memory of Charles Coatney and Allen Waterson

Christine Nylander In loving memory of Valentine Arthur Wordsworth Nylander

Molly O'Neil Frank and Lincoln Frank In loving memory of Katharine O'Neil Bidwell

William Orlando In loving memory of Ann & Alphonse Orlando and Harriet & William Orlando

> **Brad Peebles** In loving memory of Nell, Richard & Rory Peebles

Joanna Pickett In loving memory of Doris & Clair Johnson, Dale McNulty, Timmy Waesche, Robin & Paul, William E. Johnson

> Percy Preston, Jr. In loving memory of Mr. & Mrs. Veryl Preston and Mr. and Mrs. Irving B. Kingsford

Karen Raven *In loving memory of Dave & Sally Raven*

The Rodríguez-Leach Family In loving memory of Altagracia Rodríguez & Jorge A. Rodríguez

> Karen Schadow In thanksgiving for my family

Thank You and May God Bless You!

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Listing as of April 3, 2022

Mary Anna Smith In loving memory of Helen King and Arthur Riddick Smith, Jr.

Kit Smyth Basquin In loving memory of Joseph Smyth and Virginia Gibbs Smyth and Stuart Low

Ekaterina Sukhanova In thanksgiving for Tatyana Sukhanova

> **Ann Taylor** In loving memory of Judge and Mrs. Robert L. Taylor

The Rev. Peter Thompson In thanksgiving for Matthew G. Gibson

John Troccoli *In loving memory of Virginia Troccoli*& Felisa Estrada

Emily Trueblood and Ernest Patrikis

Richard E. Unger In loving memory of George A. Goff, Thomas V. Steffel, Renato D. Alipit & Shiro Morita

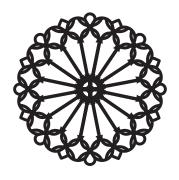
Andrew Wolf In loving memory of Emily Ayre, Madeline Turin, Lara Kinne, Dan Finnegan, and Ed Moylan

Buddy, Penny, Matthew, and Andrew Wolf In loving memory of Elizabeth, Betty, and Morton Wolf

The Right Rev. Dean E. Wolfe and Mrs. Ellen Frantz-Wolfe In loving memory of William Wolfe

In loving memory of William Wolfe & Mildred Wolfe, Jacob Frantz & Mildred Frantz

William Yates and Andreas Dirnagl In loving memory of those in our hearts, but no longer with us



Easter Music

Mary Abraham and Rob Radtke In thanksgiving for the ministry of The Rev. Peter Thompson

Mary-Hart Bartley In thanksgiving for the St. Bart's musicians

Craig Benner and Darren Wong *In loving memory of Eric Benner*

Palmer and Sarah Bessey *In loving memory of Palmer & Marion Bessey and James & Sarah Isherwood*

Dickie Ann Boal Johnson *In loving memory of Ruth and Richard Boal*

Ben and Maria Bowman

Madge Briggs In loving memory of William F. Briggs

David Budd & Catherine Belford Budd In loving memory of our parents, Lillian & Glenn Belford and Mary & Henry Budd

> **Megan Burnham** In thanksgiving for the Burnham and Honorof family

David Carson and Barry Hoff *In loving memory of Barbara Carson and Margaret Hoff*

Robin Clune-Hutchins *In loving memory of Evangeline Vandemark*

Richard Cobb *In thanksgiving for Sarah Kerner*

Stephen J. Dohnalek In loving memory of R. Neil Proffitt and Stephen & Wilma Dohnalek Sr.

Constance Evans In loving memory of Millie Brinn, a dear friend

Kara Flannery In loving memory of Mark Flannery

Joy and Richard Garland

Robert and Karen Gutheil In loving memory of Herman, Viola and Warren Gutheil and Bill and Paula Fisher

Judy Hall In thanksgiving for all who make St. Bart's such a special place **Sarah Kerner** *In loving memory of Virginia Kerner*

> **Tim Martin** In loving memory of Don and Audrey Martin

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Mugavero In loving memory of Ann C. Mugavero, St. Bart's singer

Karen RavenIn loving memory of Dave & Sally Raven

Steven K. Sakson and Janie L. Rothleder In loving memory of my mom Alice

> Mary Anna Smith In loving memory of Jeffrey Harmon Smith

Ekaterina Sukhanova In loving memory of Boris Sukhanov & Nina Ovechkina

Marsh Taylor In loving memory of Jane Orans

R. Marshall Taylor In loving memory of The Rev. Dr. Robert E. Taylor

The Rev. Peter Thompson *In loving memory of Nancy Van Cleef*

Susan TomIn loving memory of
Terrence Michael Lallak

Jama Toung In loving memory of the 40,000 New Yorkers who perished from COVID and Ukrainian people

Mary R. Trudel In loving memory of David Charles Facer

> **John Troccoli** In thanksgiving for my husband

> > **Christine Van Bree**

William Yates and Andreas Dirnagl In thanksgiving for St. Bart's Clergy and its phenomenal pastoral care

The Yurke-Davis family In thanksgiving for Patricia Davis and Joan Waldron



- ** Thank you for joining us today. If you are new to St. Bart's, please visit **stbarts.org/connect/im-new** or scan the QR code to the right to fill out our online Welcome Card.
- If you are new to St. Bart's, please pick up a welcome bag at St. Bart's Central near the entrance in the back of the church.
- To learn more about our upcoming events and to register for classes, please visit **stbarts.org/calendar.**



Free Parking

We offer parking free of charge for Sunday services. The garage is on the south side of East 51st Street (between 3rd and Lexington Avenues). Request a parking voucher from an usher or someone at St. Bart's Central. Vouchers are valid for 12 hours or until midnight, whichever comes first. (Because some have asked, please note that each redeemed parking voucher costs St. Bart's \$15.)



Virtual Coffee Hour with the Clergy

12:30 TO 1 PM VIA ZOOM (PASSWORD: 282860)

Join the clergy and staff for conversation. Drop in to say "Hello." All are welcome—we love meeting new people joining us from near and far!

LGBTQ+ Community Brunch

2 PM TO 3 PM VIA ZOOM

Join members of our LGBTQ+ Community for virtual brunch and conversation.

Living Christ Sangha

3 TO 4:30 PM VIA ZOOM

Weekly meditation practice with sitting and walking meditation, reading and sharing.

Easter Brunch at Inside Park Restaurant

12 TO 3 PM

Enjoy of a 10% discount for parishioners. For reservations, please call 212-593-3333 or visit insideparknyc.com.



Sunday, April 24, 2022

The Second Sunday of Easter

- # Join us in person at 8 am, 9 am, 11 am, and 5 pm.
- **You may also join our Sunday morning livestream service at 11 am on our website (<a href="style="style-type: style-type: sty

The Forum at 10 am

Values, Vision, and Belonging: How to Reckon with the Climate Emergency Karenna Gore, the Founder and Executive Director of the Center for Earth Ethics at Union Theological Seminary, returns to St. Bart's to discuss the ongoing climate crisis and how we as people of faith can best respond.

ONGOING " AND " UPCOMING

For more information and to register, visit stbarts.org.

Weekday Opening Times

The Church is open Monday through Friday 10 am-2 pm for prayer and meditation. The Bookstore is also open during these hours.

New Classes this Season

You Are God's People: Wrestling with The First Letter of Peter

WEDNESDAYS, APRIL 20-JUNE 1 7-8 PM (NO CLASS MAY 18)

Anglicans around the world are reading the first letter of Peter ahead of this summer's Lambeth Conference in Canterbury, England. St. Bart's will join them through this evening discussion led by The Reverend Peter Thompson. Participants are encouraged to purchase *The First Letter of Peter: A Global Commentary*, produced by an international group of three dozen scholars in preparation for the Lambeth Conference.

The Rise and Fall of Mars Hill: Case Studies in the Modern Megachurch

THURSDAYS, MAY 5-JUNE 30 (NO CLASS MAY 19), 7-8 PM

Episcopalians and other mainline Protestants are sometimes envious of the success enjoyed by evangelical megachurches, but such success is often temporary and can present problems of its own. Using the podcast *The Rise and Fall of Mars Hill* as a template, The Reverend Peter Thompson and The Reverend Zack Nyein look at the ways in which megachurches have both succeeded and failed over the past few decades. Sessions will also be informed by the new Discovery+documentary *Hillsong: A Megachurch Exposed*.

StoryMakers at Home in Eastertide

BEGINNING THE WEEK OF APRIL 24

This Easter season we will once again offer StoryMakers at home activity boxes for elementary schoolers. They will be available for delivery or pickup at St. Bart's beginning Sunday, April 24. Sign up at stbarts.org/kids.

St. Bart's Parents' Circle: Wind Down Wednesdays

WEDNESDAYS, APRIL 27-MAY 25, 8:15-9:15 PM

Parents and guardians of children and teens are invited to to gather with the Reverend Zack Nyein Wednesday nights on Zoom. Grab a favorite beverage and come for a relaxed time of reflection and support at the close of day. We will frame our conversations using Amelia Richardson's book, *The Hopeful Family: Raising Resilient Children in Uncertain Times*. Registration and details at stbarts.org/kids.

St. Ives' Guild

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 12:30-1:30 PM

If you are either an Episcopalian or a lawyer, please join the St. Ives' Guild for a Zoom gathering on May 1 at 12:30 pm to celebrate Law Day! New York Diocesan Chancellor and St. Bart's parishioner Alice Yurke will tell us about her work for the Diocese.

Join St. Bart's on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

MAY 16-27, 2023

We are excited to spread the word about our journey to the Holy Land in 2023. Join fellow parishioners and friends in a spiritual and transformational opportunity like no other. Read Bishop Wolfe's letter of invitation here. For further details and to download the brochure, please visit stbarts.org/holyland2023.

St. Bartholomew's Conservancy Gala Organ Concert

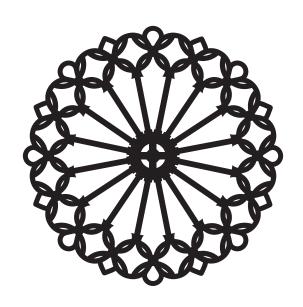
TUESDAY, MAY 24 AT 7 PM

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