

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Choral Eucharist at 11 am

October 30, 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!

A Choral Feast

Several Sundays throughout the year are designated *A Choral Feast* and celebrate a specific theme, composer, or a major choral work. For this commemoration of all the faithful departed, the music is taken from the traditional Latin Mass for the dead, the *Requiem*, in the setting by Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924). It is heard today in the 1893 version for soloists, choir, chamber orchestra, and organ.

We recognize with gratitude the *Friends of A Choral Feast*, whose generosity makes possible the additional rehearsal and resources needed for these services.



Children, Youth, and Families

Nursery available from 8:45 am - 12:45 pm in Room 53.

10 am Activities Hour in the Community House

StoryMakers (Grades K-5), Room 52 Youth at the Center (Grades 6-12), Room 33

Our ushers will be glad to guide you.

11 am Kids' Church (Grades K-5)

Children are invited to follow the cross to the chapel during the second hymn for singing, a lesson, and prayers designed especially for elementary schoolers. Parents and younger children are welcome to join in. Children will return to the church during The Peace.

Kids' Activity Bags and PRAYground

A carpeted play area with supply bags, leaflets, and activities for children is provided under the front-right balcony of the church. Rocking chairs are available for pregnant women and parents of infants. We encourage you to take advantage of this space during the worship service.

Sacramental Participation

All children are welcome to participate in Holy Communion at the discretion of their parents/guardians. Those not receiving are invited forward to receive a blessing from a member of the clergy. Additionally, the baptism of infants and young children is customary in the Episcopal Church. Should you wish to explore Holy Baptism, please speak with a member of the clergy.

Prelude Prélude: Maestoso, from Symphony No. 1, Op. 14, Louis Vierne (1870-1937)

The people stand with the choir.

Introit and Kyrie St. Bartholomew's Choir and Orchestra

Requiem æternam Grant them eternal dona eis, Domine, rest, O Lord,

et lux perpetua, luceat eis and let perpetual light shine on them.

Te decet hymnus, A hymn becometh Thee, Deus in Sion, O God, in Zion,

et tibi redetur votum and a vow shall be paid to in Jerusalem.

Exaudi orationem meam;

Geda, in Zion, and a vow shall be paid to Thee in Jerusalem.

Give ear to my prayer;

ad te omnis caro veniet.

All flesh shall come to thee.

Lord have mercy:

Kyrie eleison, Lord have mercy; Christe eleison. Christ have mercy. Kyrie eleison. Lord have mercy.

Music: from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924).

The Ministry of the Word

The Collect for the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Presider The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, the Maker and Redeemer of all believers: Grant to the faithful departed the unsearchable benefits of the passion of your Son; that on the day of his appearing they may be manifested as your children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns

with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

The people sit.

The First Lesson Wisdom 3:1-9

Lector A reading from the Wisdom of Solomon.

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

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

Psalm 130 St. Bartholomew's Choir

Out of the depths have I called to you, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice; let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication.

If you, Lord, were to note what is done amiss, O Lord, who could stand?

For there is forgiveness with you; therefore you shall be feared.

I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for him; in his word is my hope.

My soul waits for the Lord, more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning.

O Israel, wait for the Lord, for with the Lord there is mercy;

With him there is plenteous redemption, and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

Music: Anglican chant by H. Walford Davies (1869-1941).

The Second Lesson 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Lector A reading from the First Letter to the Thessalonians.

We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died. For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

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

Children in grades K-5 are invited to follow the processional cross from the front of the church to the chapel for children's worship time. Adult family members are welcome to join.

The people remain seated for the first part of the movement and stand with the presider.

Libera Me St. Bartholomew's Choir and Orchestra, Jeff Morrissey, soloist

Libera me, Domine,
de morte aeterna,
in die illa tremenda,
quando coeli

Deliver me, O Lord,
from eternal death
on that dreadful day
when the heavens

quando coeli when the heavens movendi sunt et terra, and the earth shall be moved, dum veneris judicare and Thou shalt come

saeculum per ignem. to judge the world by fire.

Tremens factus sum ego et timeo I quake with fear and I tremble dum discussio venerit awaiting the day of account and the wrath to come,

quando coeli when the heavens

movendi sunt et terra. and the earth shall be moved. Dies illa, dies irae, Day of mourning, day of wrath,

calamitatis et miseriae, of calamity, of misery,

dies magna the great day, et amara valde. and most bitter.

Requiem aeternam Eternal rest dona eis, Domine, give to them, O Lord,

et lux perpetua luceat eis. and let perpetual light shine upon them.

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The Holy Gospel John 5:24-27

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who hears my word and believes him who sent

me has eternal life, and does not come under judgment, but has passed from death to life. Very truly, I tell you, the hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. For just as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself; and he has given him

authority to execute judgment, because he is the Son of Man."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

After the preacher introduces the sermon, the people sit.

The Sermon The Right Reverend Dean E. Wolfe, Rector

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

Intercessor

Good and Gracious God, you have promised to hear those who cry to you day and night. Hear now our fervent prayers.

Advocate for the persecuted, you call us to work for justice and to care for the oppressed. Open our eyes to the reality of suffering within this city and throughout the globe. Make us servants, eager to attend to others' needs. Guide us as we hold the powerful to account and fight for the liberation of the poor.

Good and Gracious God,

People Hear our fervent prayer.

Intercessor

Healer of brokenness and disease, you wash away our sadness and our pain. Bind the wounds of all who are injured in body, mind, or spirit, including...and those we now name.

The people may add their own petitions.

Heal, too, the wounds of our world: end violence, soothe bitterness, and make us well.

Good and Gracious God,

People Hear our fervent prayer.

Intercessor

Source of all blessings, you have entrusted us with gifts beyond measure. We thank you for this remarkable community, in which we have each found a place, for food and shelter, for our family and our friends, and for every one of your gifts, including those we now name:

The people may add their own petitions.

Help us as we strive to be good stewards of this, our church home. Challenge us to ask boldly for the generous support of its mission. Inspire us to share joyfully from our resources so that it can prosper and thrive.

Good and Gracious God,

People Hear our fervent prayer.

The Remembrance

Presider We remember those who have died in the past year, including:

The clergy read the names of the departed.

Presider We also remember all others who have died, offering their names either silently or aloud.

The people are invited to offer the names of their loved ones.

Pie Jesu Olivia Sue Greene, soloist

Pie Jesu Domine, Gentle Lord Jesus, dona eis requiem sempiternam. Gentle Lord Jesus, grant them eternal rest.

Music: from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924).

The Peace

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

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

Welcome and Announcements

The 2023 Pledge Campaign—Bold in Asking, Joyful in Sharing

Member Reflection by Conrad Tinney

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

- ** Please place your offering in one of the plates being passed. Ushers can assist you.
- *You may also give by scanning the QR code to the right with your mobile device or visit bit.ly/STB-Give
- Friendly Reminder: On Commitment Sunday, November 13, all 2023 Pledges will receive a blessing. Please place your 2023 pledge at: stbarts.org/pledge.
- Thank you for gifts to the ministry and mission of St. Bart's!

Offertoire St. Bartholomew's Choir and Orchestra

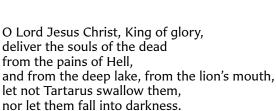
O Domine Jesu Christe, Rex gloriæ, libera animas defunctorum de poenis inferni, et de profundo lacu: de ore leonis, ne absorbeat tartarus: ne cadant in obscurum.

Hostias et preces tibi Domine, laudis offerimus: tu suscipe pro animabus illis,

tu suscipe pro animabus illis, quarum hodie memoriam facimus.

Fac eas, Domine, de morte transire ad vitam, Quam olim Abrahæ promisisti et semini ejus. Amen.

Music: from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924).



We offer sacrifices and praise to thee, O Lord, receive them in behalf of those souls whom we this day commemorate. Grant, O Lord, that they may pass from death to life,

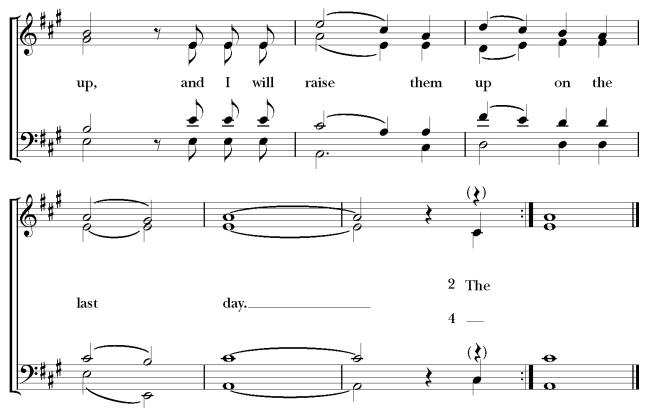
as thou didst promise to Abraham and to his seed. Amen.



The people stand as the hymn begins.

Hymn 335 (Stanzas 1-2, 4)





Words: Suzanne Toolan (b. 1927), adapt. of John 6. Music: *I Am the Bread of Life*, Suzanne Toolan (b. 1927); arr. Betty Pulkingham (1928-2019).

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you. People And also with you. Presider Lift up your hearts. People We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Presider

> Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who rose victorious from the dead, and comforts us with the blessed hope of everlasting life. For to your faithful people, O Lord, life is changed, not ended; and when our mortal body lies in

death, there is prepared for us a dwelling place eternal in the heavens.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus St. Bartholomew's Choir and Orchestra

Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt cæli et terra gloria tua.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Music: from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924).

Presider

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me"

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Presider

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

All AMEN.

The Lord's Prayer

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

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

The presider breaks the bread. Silence is kept.

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 the altar rail. Please follow the instructions of the ushers. Both bread and wine are offered. After receiving the bread, please wait for the chalice of wine if you would like to receive it.
- Wine is only received by drinking from the common cup. Those who do not choose to drink from the common cup may cross their arms to indicate that they would prefer not to receive wine. They are also invited to touch the chalice should they wish.
- At the request of the Bishop of New York, St. Bart's does not permit intinction (dipping the bread in the wine) at this time. The Episcopal Church teaches that the Sacrament is fully present even when received in only one kind. If you do not wish to receive the wine, please be assured that you are still a full partaker in the Eucharistic feast.
- At the High Altar, communion may be offered by unmasked ministers. Those who would prefer to receive communion from a masked minister should proceed to the communion station in the West End (rear) of the church.
- 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 that you would like a blessing.
- If you are unable to travel to a communion station, please alert an usher so that communion can be brought to you.

Agnus Dei St. Bartholomew's Choir and Orchestra

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi dona eis requiem.

Lux æterna luceat eis, Domine, Cum sanctis tuis in æternum, quia pius es.

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

Music: from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924).

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest.

Let eternal light shine on them, O Lord, with thy saints throughout eternity, for thou art merciful.

Grant them eternal rest, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them.

In Paradisum St. Bartholomew's Choir and Orchestra

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

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

Music: from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924).

In paradise may the angels receive them; at thy coming may the martyrs receive thee, and bring thee into the holy city Jerusalem.

There may the choir of angels rece ive thee, and with Lazarus, once a beggar, mayst thou have eternal rest.

The Prayer After Communion

Presider All Let us pray.

Almighty God, we thank you that in your great love you have fed us with the spiritual food and drink of the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ, and have given us a foretaste of your heavenly banquet. Grant that this Sacrament may be to 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 your saints; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn 625



Words: Richard Baxter (1615-1691); rev. John Hampden Gurney (1802-1862). Music: *Darwall's 148th*, melody and bass John Darwall (1731-1789).

The Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude Allegro (Symphonie No. 2, Op. 20), Louis Vierne (1870–1937)



The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in memory of Sue Graham Ungaro Mingus.

Día de los Muertos Celebration

Join us immediately after the service as we honor the Mexican tradition of Día de los Muertos with an altar of remembrance and a fiesta on the terrace. All are welcome.

Service Participants

Presider The Reverend Meredith E. Ward Preacher The Right Reverend Dean E. Wolfe Deacon The Reverend John F. Wirenius Subdeacon The Reverend Peter Thompson Assisting Clergy The Reverend Zack Nyein

Lectors Mary-Hart Bartley, Connie Evans **Intercessor** Bernadette Chapman

Altar Guild Mary-Hart Bartley, Lara Mizrack
Verger Barbara Neale
Crucifers Mark Lugo, David Carson
Acolytes Joe Bessey, Sarah Bessey
Ushers Holly Bellows, Doug Jones, Bob Kiely, Mairim Pina, Karen Raven
Bill Rowe, Trish Tidwell, Paul Tollefson, Robert Watson, Lisa Wolfe

St. Bartholomew's Choir St. Bartholomew's Choristers

Orchestra

Violin Sarah Vonsattel Viola Celia Hatton, Elise Frawley, Halam Kim, Maren Rothfritz Cello Caitlin Sullivan, Valeriya Sholokhova, Thapelo Masita, Daniel Haas Bass Andrew Roitstein Horn Laura Weiner, Aaron Korn Harp Frances Duffy

Associate Organist and Choirmaster Alexander Pattavina **Organist and Choirmaster** Dr. Paolo Bordignon

Director of Communications Kara Flannery **Assistant Communications Director** Ben Castellanos **Livestream Producers** Leo da Silva, Chloe Pitkoff

Interim Director of Facilities Charles Bryant Director of Maintenance Willie Gonzalez Facilities Anthony Thomas Flower Guild Susan Powell

The Vestry of St. Bart's

Miriam K. Schneider, William ("Bill") Fry IV, Wardens

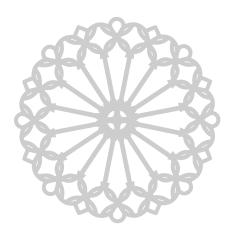
Joe Bessey, Kathleen Breiten, A. Christian Burke, David Lee Carson, Luke Failla, Rachel Farrar, James Ferrara, Tim Hook, Astrid Horan, J. Patrick Hornbeck II, Mary Robin Jurkiewicz, Keith Rook, Craig Simmons, Robert Watson

We continue to hold in our prayers:

Giuseppina, Avery, Joseph, Neil, Shawn, Shelia, Diana, Beth, Lorita, Joseph, Gabrielle, Marilyn, Jason, Selena, Eileen C.

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- **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 Connect Card.
- **To learn more about our upcoming events** and to register for classes, please visit **stbarts.org/calendar**.
- **To make a prayer request** please visit **stbarts.org/prayers**.



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.)



MEET US AFTER

CHURCH

2023 Pledge Campaign Launch

The 2023 Pledge Campaign, Co-Chaired by Kari Parks and Bill Rowe, has launched with the theme, *Bold in Asking, Joyful in Sharing*. Check your mailbox for your pledge campaign packet and make your pledge—it's easy. Visit **stbarts.org/pledge** to place your 2023 pledge online, or mail it to the church using the materials you received. On November 13th, Commitment Sunday, our pledges, and the good work they will support in 2023, will receive a special blessing and we will *joyfully* celebrate after the 11 am service.

Newcomers are welcome to all gatherings. Learn more at stbarts.org/sunday.

Virtual Coffee Hour

12 PM VIA ZOOM

Catch up with other virtual worshippers immediately after the service.

Día de los Muertos

12:15 PM ON THE GREAT TERRACE

Join us as we honor the Mexican tradition of Día de los Muertos with an altar of remembrance and a fiesta.

Autumn EXPLORE Class

1:30 PM IN PERSON

An introduction to the Christian Faith as expressed by the Episcopal Church, as well as an orientation to our community at St. Bart's

St. Tabitha's Guild

2 PM ON THE GREAT TERRACE

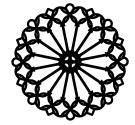
Knit/crochet for various charities both in-person and virtually. All are welcome.

Living Christ Sangha

3-4:30 PM VIA ZOOM

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





Sunday, November 6, 2022

All Saints' Sunday

- #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

A New Baptismal Font for St. Bart's

Artist Mel Ahlborn, Director of Illumination Studio, introduces the baptismal font she created for St. Bart's and reflects on the meaning of baptism and the way in which art continues to enhance the life of the Church.

ONGOING & UPCOMING

Weekday Opening Times

The Church is open Monday through Friday, 9 am-5 pm for prayer and meditation.

The Bookstore is also open during these hours.

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

EXPLORE Classes

SUNDAYS, OCTOBER 16-30, 12:30-2 PM, VESTRY ROOM

If you are considering officially joining St. Bart's or learning more about the Episcopal tradition, join us for EXPLORE—an interactive class with our clergy and parishioners. Register at **stbarts.org/explore-class**.

20s/30s October Hangout!

This Sunday, St. Bart's is celebrating Día de Los Muertos on the Great Terrace, and it seemed like the perfect event for us to celebrate and then follow up with a 20s/30s afterparty! Join us on the terrace following the 11am service, and at approximately 1:30 pm, anyone who wants more food, drink, and company, can transition over to The Stag's Head pub at 252 East 51st Street.

Disability and the Body of Christ: A Bible Study

TUESDAYS, OCTOBER 18-NOVEMBER 15, 7-8 PM

The Reverend Zack Nyein and accessibility consultant Janina Sajka examine what scripture tells us about disabilities and the people who have them.

St. Bart's Players' present The Mystery of Edwin Drood

OCTOBER 19-30, HUDSON GUILD THEATER

Based on the unfinished novel by Charles Dickens, this production lets the audience vote on the outcome, so no two performances are alike! For information and tickets, visit **stbartsplayers.org**.



Women and the Gender of God

THURSDAYS, OCTOBER 20-DECEMBER 8, 7-8 PM

The Reverend Peter Thompson and the Reverend Meredith E. Ward tackle the controversial topic of God's gender through Professor Amy Peeler's new book, *Women and the Gender of God*, described as "a robust theological argument against the assumption that God is male."

C.S. Lewis and the Inklings

WEDNESDAYS, OCTOBER 5-NOVEMBER 9, 6:30-8 PM

The Reverend John Wirenius, Deacon, leads a discussion on the life and work of C.S. Lewis. Sessions will also touch on the Inklings, a group of Lewis' literary and scholarly friends.

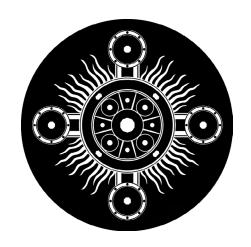
Fare Share 2022

NOVEMBER 25, AT 6 PM

Become a Hunger Responder for Fare Share 2022! Crossroads' annual Fare Share 2022 will take place on the Friday after Thanksgiving. Over 400 guests will enjoy a holiday carry-out dinner. Learn more and help Crossroads reach their fundraising goal at crossroadsnyc.org.

Support Rob Radtke and Episcopal Relief and Development!

Starting October 10, parishioner Rob Radtke is walking the 500-mile Camino de Santiago pilgrimage route to raise funds for Episcopal Relief & Development's flagship program addressing the needs of children, Moments That Matter®. To learn more about his pilgrimage and to follow his progress, check out his website (www.robradtke.com). You can also follow him on Instagram and Twitter (@RobRadtke). Rob asks everyone at St. Bart's to hold him in their prayers and invites people to support his fundraising effort, which you can do through his website. Every gift will be matched dollar for dollar up to \$75,000.



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