

Cathedral Windows

A Weekly Newsletter for the Cathedral Community

April 28, 2024
The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Welcome! Our vision is to be an extraordinary spiritual gathering place where people of all backgrounds and ages are welcome to question and learn, pray, worship and serve; being loved by God in ways that change and improve their lives and the lives of others.

Visitors are encouraged to fill out a blue pew card and place it in the offering plate. Please ask a clergy person or usher if you have questions. All are welcome—if you are looking for a church home, you have one here.

About Receiving Communion – Please know that this is God’s table and any person seeking to be fed from it will not be turned away. To receive the consecrated bread, extend your hands and it will be placed in your palm. Should you choose to receive the consecrated wine, you may guide the chalice gently to your mouth taking a small sip. Those desiring gluten-free Communion should ask the clergy when coming forward for Communion. Anyone may come forward at the time of Communion and receive the blessing instead, by crossing your arms across your chest.

When returning to your seat after making your communion, please return to your pew by using the side aisles. At the 11:00 a.m. Eucharist, Communion is offered at the High Altar, and in Grace Chapel, a barrier-free location to the left of the pulpit.

Prayers for healing, for you or another, are offered in St. Barnabas Chapel and Nativity Chapel (at the front of the Cathedral on the right-hand side) during Communion.

About Children and Worship – Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me, for to them belongs the Kingdom of God.” We believe that the place of a child is in worship in the Cathedral. You’ll be surprised at how quickly they engage and follow along. If they are restless, you may go with them to the back for a bit, or to the soft space at the back of Grace Chapel (the chapel to the left as one faces the High Altar). The Cathedral is a big room with space for such things. If very young children are crying over your comfort level as a parent, slip out if you need to do so, and come back in with them as soon as you are comfortable. During the program year, on the third Sunday of each month during the Coffee Hour that follows the 11:00 a.m. *Messy Church*, a Christ-centered, intergenerational offering intended for all ages to engage through hands-on activity, celebration, and community.

Today at the Cathedral

Morning Prayer, 7:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist, 8:15 a.m.

Breakfast for Hungry People, 9:15 a.m., Barth Hall

Bible Study, 9:30 a.m., Library

Sung Holy Eucharist, 11:00 a.m.

with the Schola Cantorum

Coffee Hour, 12:15 p.m., Barth Hall

Choral Evensong, 4:00 p.m.

with the Cathedral Choir

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine:

Glory to God from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. Amen.

Ephesians 3:20-21

This Week at the Cathedral

Monday, April 29

Alcoholics Anonymous, 5:00–6:15 p.m., Barth Hall

Education for Ministry, 7:00 p.m., Zoom

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Tuesday, April 30

Cathedral Staff Meeting, 9:30–10:45 a.m., Crowley

Holy Eucharist, 12:10 p.m., Nativity Chapel

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Wednesday, May 1

Noonday Prayer, 12:10 p.m., Nativity Chapel

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Thursday, May 2

Holy Eucharist, 12:10 p.m., Nativity Chapel

Treble Choristers, 6:15–7:45 p.m.

Cathedral Choir, 7:00–9:00 p.m.

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Friday, May 3

Open Cathedral, 11:00–2:00 p.m.

Noonday Prayer, 12:10 p.m., Nativity Chapel

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Saturday, May 4

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Sunday, May 5

Morning Prayer, 7:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist, 8:15 a.m.

Breakfast for Hungry People, 9:15 a.m., Barth Hall

Bible Study, 9:30–10:30 a.m., Library

Sung Holy Eucharist, 11:00 a.m., *1789 Prayerbook*

Coffee Hour, 12:15 p.m., Barth Hall

Cathedral Evensong, 4:00 p.m.

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Sign our online visitor register here:



In Today's Liturgies

7:30 a.m.

Officiant Helen Trombley

8:15 a.m.

Celebrant Dean Hunter

Preacher Dean Hunter

Acolyte Helen Trombley

Lector/Intercessor Kathleen Chichester

Eucharistic Minister Helen Trombley

Lay Healing Minister Steve Ott

Sound Rudy Williams

11:00 a.m.

Celebrant Bishop Perry

Preacher Dean Hunter

Verger Emery Dumas

Crucifer Sr. Margaret Ruth

Lector Prema Prabakaran

Intercessor John Swearingen

Acolyte Sr. Margaret Ruth

Eucharistic Minister Emery Dumas,

Clem Prabakaran,

Sr. Margaret Ruth

Healing Minister Prema Prabakaran

Technology Linda O'Brien, Mike Dagle

4:00 p.m.

Officiant Dean Hunter

Preacher John Abdenour

Crucifer Matt O'Brien

Lector Mary Grahame Hunter

Technology Linda O'Brien, John LaDuke

The Cathedral Staff and Vestry

The Staff Zack Cummins, *Facilities Manager* • Robin Doher, *Financial Administrator* • Charlotte Comstock, *Director of Operations and Provost* • Dr. Sarah Simko, *Associate Organist & Communications Coordinator* • Canon Jeremy David Tarrant, *Organist & Choirmaster / Canon Precentor* **The Clergy** The Rev'd Anthony C. Estes, *Associate Priest and Detroit Church Partnership Missioner* • The Venerable Dr. Timothy W. Spannaus, *Deacon* • The Very Rev'd Dr. S. Scott Hunter, *Dean* • The Right Rev'd Dr. Bonnie A. Perry, *Eleventh Bishop of Michigan* • The Rev'd Judith Schellhammer, *Priest Associate* **The Vestry** Mike Dagle, *Senior Warden* • John LaDuke, *Junior Warden* • Michael Piggins, *Secretary* • Frank Kong, *Treasurer* • Elaine Belz • Gail Busby • Jim Hooker • Joseph Poisson • Bob Prout • John Swearingen • Ruthven Williams • Conley Worsham

In Memoriam – David Bartlett – today at 4:00 p.m.

At Evensong this afternoon, the Cathedral community will have an opportunity to remember the life and work of David Bartlett who served as Organist and Choirmaster from 1982 until 2000. The service will be sung by the Cathedral Choir and a homily will be offered by John Abdenour, a choir alumnus and Assistant Organist to Mr. Bartlett.

Historic Liturgies Series

As a part of our 200th Anniversary Celebrations we will offer a series of liturgies from each of the three historic Books of Common Prayer used over the course of the worship life of the congregation. These services will be offered at **11:00 a.m. on May 5** (BCP 1789), **May 26** (BCP 1892), and **June 9** (BCP 1928). Not intended as reenactments, these liturgies give us the opportunity to experience the various ways in which our worshipping life has been shaped in the 200 years of our congregation.

Choral Evensong for Ascension Day

Choral Evensong is offered on Thursday, May 9 at 7:00 p.m. as we observe the Feast of the Ascension.

Music at Mid-day

Our series of free noontime organ recitals continues at 12:30 p.m., on the second and fourth Fridays, September through June (except in Lent): **May 10** Sarah Simko **May 24** Jeremy David Tarrant.

Cathedral Crafters

This group meets on the first and third Tuesdays of the month from 12:30–2:30 p.m. The next session is **May 7**. We welcome all new and seasoned knitters/crafters. At present we are knitting prayer shawls, prayer squares, hats and scarves for Cathedral guests in need. If you want to know more, contact us at info@detroitcathedral.org.

Messy Church

Our next offering is May 19. Stop by and check it out! If you have any questions or would like more information, write to Carmen Piggins at carmenawilliams90@gmail.com.

Stewardship Pledge Cards and Forms

You may continue to return pledge cards in the offering plate, to the Cathedral office, and online. If you have questions, please contact a member of the stewardship committee, Gail Busby at Gailb@detroitcathedral.org.

Next Date for Baptism: May 19

Holy Baptism will be available during the 8:15 and 11:00 a.m. services on Pentecost, Sunday, May 19. To schedule a baptism, please contact the Cathedral office at 313.831.5000. Requests with required information should be made at least two weeks in advance as preparation is necessary.

Saturday May 18, 5:00 p.m.*

Annual Spring Choral Concert and Ice Cream Social

The Cathedral Choir presents its annual evening of choral music, featuring works of Charles Villiers Stanford in honor of the 100th anniversary of the death of this giant of sacred music. This program also includes music of Edward Bairstow, Margaret Bonds, and Undine Smith Moore, as well as contemporary composers Kenneth Burton and Philip Moore. *Suggested donation at the door: \$10 adults; \$5 students and seniors.*

*Please note the time of this concert (5:00 p.m.), as an erroneous time was previously published.

Intercessions and Thanksgivings

We give thanks for Cathedral parishioners and friends celebrating birthdays: Erin, Ruthven, Lilly, Beth, Steven, Cheryl, Katharine, and Patricia.

We pray for the repose of the soul of June McGehee, wife of the Right Rev'd Coleman McGehee, Eighth Bishop of the Diocese of Michigan.

We lift up those for whom prayers have been requested: Gene, Anthony, Shelley, Michelle, Richard and Jan, Sean, Rob, Pam, Larry, Cheryl, Lilly, Darell, Zellyar, Irene, Matthew, Elaine, Gavin, Melvina, Edgar, Kathryn, Arjun, James, the Price family, and Bettie. *You may add yourself or a loved one to this list by calling 313.833.4409 or e-mailing us: info@detroitcathedral.org.*

We pray for the healing of our brokenness in the wake of gun violence. We pray for the courage and compassion to link prayer with tangible actions to protect all in our society, especially those most vulnerable.

We pray for immediate ceasefire and cessation of hostilities in Gaza and the West Bank, Palestine, and in Israel. We pray for justice, reconciliation, safety, and true peace for all who live between the Jordan River and the Mediterranean Sea.

We pray for those in uniform serving our country at home and abroad, **and for the ongoing ministries of** Crossroads, Williams Pavilion, Advantage Health, and the Living Stones Editor.

We pray for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Bonnie, our Bishop; for Elizabeth, Presiding Bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Donald and Craig, Lutheran Bishops in Lower Michigan; and for Moisés, Bishop of the Dominican Republic.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church of Bangladesh.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we remember St. Michael's, Lansing; St. Paul's, Brighton; and Christ the King, Puerto Plata, in the Dominican Republic.

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Volunteer Spotlight

Acolytes

We are seeking to add new volunteers to our corps of acolytes. Acolytes carry the processional cross, light candles, and set up for the Eucharist for the 8:15, 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. services. You choose how often you can serve. For any questions, write to Emery Dumas at emeryja21@hotmail.com.

Opportunities to Help

Would you have time to pick up bread at Give Thanks Bakery on Saturday for our Sunday breakfast? Give Thanks Bakery (3800 Woodward, across from Orchestra Hall) donates bread for our Sunday breakfast. Pick up time is 12:45 (the bakery closes at 1pm). There's easy parking and generally we receive eight to ten loaves of bread and some pastries. There's a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Call Joan Wadsworth, 248-946-9311, to volunteer or if you have questions.

Feeding Hungry People: Sunday Morning Breakfast

We would love to have your help! We start at 8:00 a.m., serve breakfast at 9:15, and clean up until 10:30. If you cannot commit to the entire time, we'd love to have you for any amount of time you can give. If you've thought about helping and would like to give us a try, this would be a perfect time. Call Joan Wadsworth, 248.946.9311, for more information.

