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April 13, 2025

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 box in the Crossing. 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 11:00 a.m., 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. We hope you will help them follow the service, sing the hymns, and use the bulletin and Prayerbook. At the back of Grace Chapel, the chapel to the left as one faces the High Altar, there is a soft space available. If you feel the need to step out, we have space in the Parlor which has the livestream of the service, so you can follow along that way.



Today at the Cathedral

Holy Eucharist, 8:15 a.m.

The Dean's Forum, 9:30 a.m., Parlor

Sung Holy Eucharist, 11:00 a.m.
with the Cathedral Choir

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

Graduation Service and Baccalaureate
Service Lunch for all. Together, 1:00 p.m.
Cathedral and Crowley Room

Choral Evensong for Passiontide,
4:00 p.m.
with the Schola Cantorum

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

This Week at the Cathedral

Monday, April 14

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

Choir Rehearsals, 6:45–9:30 p.m.

Education for Ministry, 7:00–9:00 p.m., Zoom

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Tuesday, April 15

Cathedral Staff Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Crowley Room

Chrism Mass, 11:00 a.m.

Cathedral Crafters, 12:30–2:30 p.m.

Vestry Meeting, 6:00–8:00 p.m.

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Wednesday, April 16

Holy Eucharist, 6:30 p.m.

Williams Pavilion Meeting, 5:00–6:30 p.m.

Cathedral Foundation Meetings, 6:30–8:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 17

Morning Prayer, 8:00 a.m.

Choir Rehearsal, 6:00 p.m.

Maundy Thursday, 7:00 p.m.

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Friday, April 18

Choir Rehearsal, 10:45 a.m.

Good Friday, 12:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross, 2:30 p.m.

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

Saturday, April 19

Choir Rehearsal, 6:45 p.m.

Easter Vigil, 8:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 20

Morning Prayer, 7:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist, 8:15 a.m.

Sung Holy Eucharist for Easter Day, 11:00 a.m.

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

Easter Egg Hunt, 12:30 p.m., Gallery

Compline, 8:00 p.m. via Facebook

In Today's Liturgies

8:15 a.m.

Celebrant & Preacher	Father True
Acolyte	Steve Ott
Lector & Intercessor	Kathleen Chichester
Eucharistic Minister	Steve Ott, Mary Beth Starring
Lay Healing Minister	Helen Trombley
Sound	Ruthven Williams

11:00 a.m.

Celebrant & Preacher	Father True
Verger	Clem Prabakaran
Thurifer	Emery Dumas
Crucifer	Chris Hooker
Lector	Prema Prabakaran
Acolyte	Linda O'Brien
Intercessor	Joe Poisson
Eucharistic Ministers	Joe Poisson, Emery Dumas, Sr. Margaret Ruth, Clem Prabakaran
Healing Minister	Prema Prabakaran
Technology	Flo Williams, John LaDuke

4:00 p.m.

Officiant	Father True
Crucifer	Ruth Richards
Lector	Erin McClellan

Sign our online visitor register here:



Announcements

Confession

The sacramental rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent, also known as Confession, will be available in the days leading up to the Triduum by appointment with Father Anthony Estes. To make an appointment, write to him at aestes@detroitcathedral.org.

Easter Egg Hunt

On Easter Sunday, April 20, we offer an Easter Egg Hunt after the 11:00 service. Please donate individually wrapped candy or non-food items for the annual Easter Egg hunt, in the marked container in the lobby by Sunday, April 13. Thank you for your support!

Easter Flower Forms

Easter Flower Forms are available in the gallery. Please submit your form by *tomorrow* for inclusion in the Easter bulletin.

Behold His Redeeming Work

On Wednesdays, 7:00–8:00 p.m. from April 23 to June 4, we'll reflect on the healing stories of Jesus and explore how they reveal his ongoing work of redemption—then and now. Each week, we'll dive into a powerful story of healing, restoration, and hope, and ask: *What does it mean to behold Christ's redeeming work?* and *How are we invited to participate in that work today?* Come and open the eyes of your faith with us. **All are welcome.** Bring your questions, your story, and your curiosity. Write to Father Anthony Estes with questions at aestes@detroitcathedral.org.

Cathedral Crafters

The Cathedral Crafters meet on the first and third Tuesday of every month, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the Cathedral library. The next meeting is: **April 15**. For questions, please contact info@detroitcathedral.org.

Feeding Hungry People

Thank you to all of the members of the Cathedral community who have expressed support for the Feeding Hungry People program and offered ideas. We hope to restart the program before too long. Please contact Joan Wadsworth to sign up for the mailing list at joanwadsworth@gmail.com or by text 248.946.9311.

CHIP

The Community Homeless Interprofessional Program continues to meet here at the Cathedral. The next opportunity to visit CHIP is **April 27**, at 9:15 a.m.

From the Stewardship Committee

Thank you! We are deeply grateful for your generous pledges to St. Paul's. With over 54 pledges received, your commitment shines brightly, ensuring our cathedral remains "A Beacon of Light: Stewardship for Generations." If you haven't had a chance to pledge yet, there's still time! We continue to accept pledge cards both on paper and digitally. Your faith and generosity illuminate the path forward, helping us share God's love with future generations. Thank you! – Gail Busby, Don Wiggins, Joe Poisson

Fill out your virtual pledge here:



Donate with E-Giving here:



Intercessions

We give thanks for Cathedral parishioners and friends celebrating birthdays: Jennifer, Melvina, David, Glenn, Charity, and Tim.

We lift up those for whom prayers have been requested: Liam, Kirk, Terry, Jim, Gloria Ann, Connie, Cheryl, Steven & Family, Vivian, Tim, Janice, David & Family, Joan, Kay, Lorraine, and Briana. *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 an end to gun violence and to the pain and suffering it causes. May God inspire and strengthen us in our work to interrupt and prevent violence and to support each other in our anger and grief.

We pray for peace throughout the world, that we may be led to a lasting peace, which must come from our collective commitment to justice and peace for all God's people.

We pray for those in uniform serving our country at home and abroad, and for the ongoing ministries of Crossroads and the Altar Guild.

We pray for Sean, 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 England. **In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer** we remember St. Katherine's, Williamston; Nativity Church, Bloomfield Township; and St. John the Evangelist, Piedra Blanca, in the Dominican Republic.

The Cathedral Staff and Vestry

The Staff Zack Cummins, *Facilities Manager* • Robin Doher, *Financial Administrator* • Charlotte Comstock, *Director of Operations and Provost* • Erin McClellan, *Parish Coordinator* • Dr. Sarah Simko, *Associate Organist & Communications Coordinator* • Canon Jeremy David Tarrant, *Organist & Choirmaster / Canon Precentor*

The Clergy The Reverend Anthony C. Estes, *Associate Priest and Detroit Church Partnership Missioner* • The Right Reverend Dr. Bonnie A. Perry, *Eleventh Bishop of Michigan* • The Very Reverend Timothy True, *Interim Dean*

The Vestry John LaDuke, *Warden* • Frank Kong, *Treasurer* • Phillip Allmond • David Baschal • Jim Hooker • Mark Savitskie •



Senior Warden • Joseph Poisson, *Junior Warden* • Bren O'Connor, *Secretary/Clerk* • Elaine Belz • Barbara Bosler • Gail Busby • Ruthven Williams

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