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IN NEWARK

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Prelude – “Le Banquet Celeste”
Wolff von Roos

Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)

Entrance Hymn 397

Now thank we all our God

Please stand at the sound of the bells and join in singing the hymn. After the procession, the Priest sprinkles the people with holy water as a sign of their baptism.

Introit – Dignus est Agnus

Adapted by Samuel F. Weber (b. 1947)

The Cantor sings the Antiphon. The Priest kisses and censes the altar with frankincense and myrrh, the gifts of the Magi at Jesus's birth, in honor of Christ's sacrifice, and presence among us in the Blessed Sacrament.

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honor. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever. *Ps.* O God, give to your king your judgment, and your justice to the king's son. *Revelation 5 & Psalm 72*

Kyrie – Mass of the Emmanuel

James McGregor (1930-2022)

Please join the Cantor in singing the Kyrie & Gloria.

Cantor *All*
Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e, e - le - i - son.

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Gloria in excelsis Deo

Robert Powell (b. 1937)

1. Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo-ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven-ly King, al -

-migh - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we
 praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the
 Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you take a - way the sins of the world; have
 mer - cy on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
 ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the
 Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly
 Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Collect of the Day

Please sing 'Amen' on a monotone throughout the service unless otherwise indicated. This prayer sets the theme for the day, reflected in the Gregorian Chant, as well as the readings and post-communion prayer.

Priest The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Priest Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Daniel 7:9-14

Please be seated for the Readings and the Psalm.

Reader A Reading from the Book of the prophet Daniel.

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened. I watched then because of the noise of the arrogant words that the horn was speaking. And as I watched, the beast was put to death, and its body destroyed and given over to be burned with fire. As for the rest of the beasts, their dominion was taken away, but their lives were prolonged for a season and a time. As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual – Psalm 93

W. Benjamin Hutto (1947-)

The Cantor sings the Gradual alone

- 1 The LORD is King;
he has put on splendid apparel; *
the LORD has put on his apparel
and girded himself with strength.
- 2 He has made the whole world so sure *
that it cannot be moved;
- 3 Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; *
you are from everlasting.
- 4 The waters have lifted up, O LORD,
the waters have lifted up their voice; *
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.
- 5 Mightier than the sound of many waters,
mightier than the breakers of the sea, *
mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.
- 6 Your testimonies are very sure, *
and holiness adorns your house, O LORD,
for ever and for evermore.

Second Reading

Revelation 1:1-8

Reader A Reading from the Revelation to John.

The revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave him to show his servants what must soon take place; he made it known by sending his angel to his servant John, who testified to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, even to all that he saw. Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of the prophecy, and blessed are those who hear and who keep what is

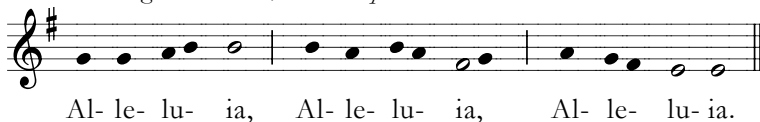
written in it; for the time is near. John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

The Cantor sings the Alleluia, then all repeat.



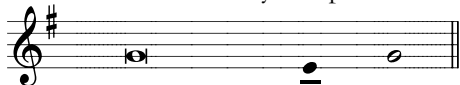
Cantor Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come!
All repeat Alleluia

Holy Gospel

John 18:33-37

Please remain standing for the Gospel, which is censed with frankincense and myrrh as a way of giving honor to the ancient account of the life, death, and resurrection of Our Lord. It is customary to make three small signs of the cross with one's thumb on the forehead, lips, and heart, asking God for the Gospel to be in our minds, on our lips, and in our hearts.

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



Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Homily

Father J. Brent Bates, Rector

Please be seated when the homilist says ‘✠ In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.’

Nicene Creed

Please stand for the Creed. The music can be found inside the back cover of the blue Hymnal.

Prayer Biddings

Please remain standing for the Prayers of the People. The Priest makes special prayer biddings.

- ✠ **The Church:** Pray for *Justin Welby*, Archbishop of Canterbury, *Sean Rowe* our Primate, *Carlye Hughes* our Bishop, and *Bartholomew* and *Francis*, primates of the other branches of the One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church. Pray for the growth and sustainability of our parish and for our ministries: The food pantry, coffee hour, choir, choristers, acolytes, ushers and readers, altar guild, virtual grace and bible study, 20s/30s, the ministry fellowship, those who worship online, and our leadership, the Members of Vestry, *Darriea* and *Andre*, our Wardens, *Egan* our Ministry Fellow, *Wolff* our Director of Music, *Eleanor* our Postulant for the Priesthood in seminary, and *Brent* our Rector.
- ✠ **The Nation & World:** Pray for *Joseph* our President and *Kamala* our Vice President, Members of Congress, Justices of the Supreme Court, *Phil* our Governor, and *Ras* our Mayor. Pray for the people of the nations of the world, especially Lebanon, Palestine, Israel, Sudan, Nigeria, Ghana, Liberia, Haiti, Ukraine, and Russia. Pray for peace and justice in the Middle East, for those who are suffering, and all who have been killed.
- ✠ **Parish Prayer List:** Pray for our parishioners, *Ethelyn Washington*, *Alman Clarke*, *Dolores Carter-Brown*, *Beverly Brathwaite*, and *The Elisée Family*; and our family and friends, *Trisha Ferguson*, cousin of Judith Alexander-Edwards, *Orlan Springer*, friend of Keith Beckles, *Clarence Barnes*, brother of Willa Barnes, *Damion H. Arthur*, son of Pat Arthur, *Brandon Bates*, brother of Fr. Bates, *Geraldine Clarke*, wife of Alman, *Andrew Svekla*, brother-in-law of Allie Ulrich, and his wife and children, *Joanne Murray*, mother of Andre Murray, and *Robert Alexander*, brother of Judith Alexander-Edwards.
- ✠ **Birthdays:** Give thanks for those whose birthdays are this week, especially *Rashanda Cummings* (11/24), and last week, *Marlene Alene* (11/19), *Winifred Langevine* (11/19), *Joseph Elisee* (11/20), and *Madison Pigott* (11/23).
- ✠ **Departed:** Pray for the recently departed, especially *Vernon Kearney* (11/16/24), brother of Tony Kearney, *Pat Anthony Vargas* (November 2024), cousin of Judith Alexander-Edwards, and *Brother Duncan Eyre* (9/14/24), and those departed in years past, *Louie Crew Clay* (11/27/19), husband of Ernest Clay, *Rhonda Dover* (11/28/21), mother of Courtney, and grandmother of Lilly and Chad, *Elaine Davis* (11/28/22), *Victoria Richardson* (11/29/19),

mother of Alice, and grandmother of Antonio and Christina, and *Lynmarie Francis* (11/19/22), sister of Charmin Davies.

Prayers of the People

The Cantor leads the Prayers of the People

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Here and after each petition, please respond



Cantor Lord, in your mer- cy. *People* Hear our prayer

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

✠ We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

The Priest adds a concluding Collect

O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Confession of Sin

Priest Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Please kneel or bow profoundly for the Confession and say

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest proclaims God's absolution of sin saying

Almighty God have mercy on you, ✠ forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

The Peace

Please stand for the peace.



Priest The peace of the Lord be al- ways with you. *People* And al- so with you.

Announcements

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Please be seated during the preparation of the Altar, stand for the hymn, then stand or kneel for the Eucharistic Prayer. All baptized Christians of any tradition are welcome to receive the Blessed Sacrament; Speak to the priest to discuss baptism. Please receive the bread on the tongue or folded hands with palms up. Wine may be sipped, but dipping bread is not allowed. If you need the Blessed Sacrament brought to your pew, please signal an usher.

Offertory Antiphon – Postula a me

Adapted by Samuel F. Weber (b. 1947)

The Offertory Antiphon is sung by the Cantor.

Ask of me, and I will give you the nations for an inheritance and the ends of the earth for your possession. *Ps.* I am appointed king by him over Sion his holy mountain, preaching his commandment. *Psalms 2*

Offertory Hymn 435

At the name of Jesus

Please stand and join in singing the hymn.

Eucharistic Prayer D

Sanctus – Robert Powell (b. 1937)

Please remain standing for the following.



Priest The Lord be with you. *People* And al- so with you.



Priest Lift up your hearts. *People* We lift them to the Lord.



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

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks;
for you alone are God, living and true,
dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever.
Fountain of life and source of all goodness,
you made all things and fill them with your blessing;

you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance.
 Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day,
 and beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise.
 Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven,
 we acclaim you and glorify your Name as we sing:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and
 might hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est._____

Please kneel or remain standing as the Priest continues.

We acclaim you holy Lord, glorious in power.
 Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love.
 You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care,
 so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures.
 When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death.
 In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you.
 Again and again you called us into covenant with you,
 and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.
 Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time
 you sent your only son to be our Savior.
 Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin.
 To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation;
 to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy.
 To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death;
 and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.
 And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us,
 he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe,
 to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.
 When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father,
 having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end;
 at supper with them he 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.”

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption.
Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead,
proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory;
and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us,
this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.
We praise you, we bless you, we give thanks to you, and we pray to you, Lord our God.

Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us,
and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be
holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation,
the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit,
a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church,
redeemed by the blood of your Christ.

Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ,
and those whose faith is known to you alone;
bring them into the place of eternal joy and light.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary,
with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs,
and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past.

We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ Our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ,
all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever.

Please affirm the consecration of the Bread & Wine as the Body & Blood of Christ by exclaiming the Great Amen.



People A- MEN.


The Lord's Prayer

The Priest begins



And now as our Sa- vior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Please continue



Our Fa-ther, who art in hea-ven, hal-low-ed be thy Name,
thy king-dom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in
hea-ven. Give us this day our dai-ly bread, and for-give us our tres-
pass-es, as we for-give those who tres-pass a- gainst us. And lead us
not in- to temp-ta- tion, but de-liv-er us from e- vil. For thine is the
king-dom and the pow'r and the glo-ry, for ev-er and ev-er. A-men

The Fraction

The Priest breaks the bread.



Priest Christ our Pass-o-ver is sac-ri-ficed for us.



People There-fore let us keep the feast.

Agnus Dei – Mass of the Emmanuel

James McGregor (1930-2022)

Please join the Cantor in singing the Agnus Dei.



Lamb of God you take a -

-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us. Lamb of
 God you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us.
 Lamb of God you take a-way the sins of the world, grant us peace.

Invitation to Receive the Blessed Sacrament

Please come forward immediately after the following invitation in order to receive the Blessed Sacrament. Please be seated after receiving the Blessed Sacrament.

✠ Behold the Lamb of God. Behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
 Blessed are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.

The people may privately say the Prayer of Humble Access for preparation to receive the Blessed Sacrament

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him and he in us. Amen.

A Prayer of Spiritual Communion for all who worship remotely or do not want to receive the Blessed Sacrament

In union, O Dear Lord, with the faithful at every altar of your Church, where your blessed Body and Blood are being offered to the Father, I desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving. I present to you my soul and body, with the earnest wish that I may ever be united to you. And since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself to you, and embrace you with all the affections of my soul. O let nothing ever separate me from you. Let me live and die in your love. Amen.

Communion Antiphon – Sedebit Dominus

Adapted by Samuel F. Weber (b. 1947)

Please be seated as the Cantor sings the Communion Antiphon.

The Lord sits as King for ever. The Lord will bless his people with peace. *Ps.* Bring to the Lord glory and honor, bring to the Lord the glory due his name, adore the Lord in his holy court. *Psalm 29*

Communion Hymn 433

We gather together

Please stand, join in the singing of the hymn, and remain standing until the dismissal.

Postcommunion Prayer

After any remaining Sacrament has been consumed and the Altar has been cleared, the Priest says

Hear, O Lord the prayers of those whom you have nourished with the food of immortality: and grant that as we rejoice to obey the commandments of Christ the King, we may be made worthy to dwell with him in heaven, where he lives and reigns forever and ever. *Amen.*

Blessing

The Priest offers a blessing

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever.



People A- men.

Dismissal

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.



People Thanks be to God.

Exit Hymn 135

Songs of thankfulness and praise

Postlude – Improvisation on “Duke Street”

Wolff von Roos

GRACE NOTES

NOVEMBER 24, 2024

Welcome to our visitors this morning. We hope you will fill out a visitor’s card located in your pew. All are welcome to join us at Coffee Hour upstairs in the Parish House after Mass. We are very glad to have new families worshipping with us! An usher would be happy to show you our Kid’s Corner.

Online giving for anyone is easy at <http://bit.ly/GraceOnlineGiving>.

BLESSING OF PLEDGES TODAY

Today we will bless all pledges that have been received. It is still not too late to make your pledge! Paper pledge cards are available at the end of your pew, and the online pledge card may be accessed by scanning this QR code or by typing in this link into your browser: <https://bit.ly/GraceChurchPledge2025>.

We are continually thankful for all who have given their time, treasure, and selves to the ministry and mission of Grace Church. The primary income that sustains our



parish is the donations of its members. Your contributions provide beautiful music and liturgy, help sustain this building as a place of prayer and worship, feed hundreds of neighbors in need of nourishment throughout the year and support the outreach of music to the youth of our City through the Choir School. Thank you for your continued support. We have so far received 24 pledges, a total of \$58,160, from the following people:

Oladele & Comfort Abogan	Renvy H. Briggs	Jewel Lowe
Ellen Annan	Ernest Clay	Tara Murphy
Willa Barnes	Sylvia Christie	Scott & Susy Norris
J. Brent Bates	Tracy Cummings	Egan Pemberton
Judy Beck	James Drayton	Darriea Pigott
Keith Beckles	The Kayjay Family	Jose Torres
Ottie Blamah-Sah	Tony & Rosemary Kearney	Daphne Turner
Henry & Beatrice Breton	Mike Lindstrom	Peter Woolley

ALL WEEKDAY SERVICES CANCELED THANKSGIVING WEEK

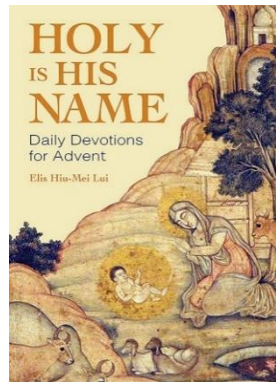
All weekday services for this upcoming week are cancelled while the staff is away for the Thanksgiving holiday. The Food Ministry next Saturday, November 30, is also canceled and will resume Saturday, December 7. Sunday services are unaffected. We wish you and your family a happy Thanksgiving!

ADVENT WREATH CRAFT & SNACKS FOR CHILDREN'S SUNDAY

The season of Advent begins next Sunday. All children are invited to a special coffee hour where we will make Advent wreaths and enjoy some snacks. Father Bates will also give a children's homily. We hope you will mark your calendars and encourage you to spread the word to friends and classmates!

ADVENT FORUM WITH THE RECTOR

Join Father Bates on the four Sundays of Advent at 9:15 a.m. in the Parish Parlor for a time of study, prayer, and discussion. We will read together from *Holy Is His Name*, a book of devotions for Advent, and reflect on the four canticles from the first two chapters of the Gospel of Luke associated with Advent, beginning with the Song of Mary - the *Magnificat*. These devotions explore the hope, peace, and liberation promised to us all so that we too with Mary might proclaim "holy is his name." Father Bates will order the books which will be available for a suggested donation of \$10. All are invited.



SEEKING CANDLEBEARERS GUILD OF ACOLYTES

The Guild of Acolytes is seeking a few people to serve as candlebearers during the High Mass, to be scheduled on a rotating monthly basis. Egan Pemberton is happy to schedule a short training at your convenience. Find him at coffee hour to chat and ask any questions you may have.

CALLING ALL SINGERS! NEW APPROACH FOR THE CHOIR

As Grace Church continues to move forward post-Covid, the Music Program will be trying a new approach to grow participation in the Parish Choir by making it more accessible, not requiring an every-week commitment. Instead of a weekly occurrence, the choirs will be singing on special occasions and feast days celebrated in our parish. We extend an invitation to anyone, either you or someone you know, who wants to give this a try, sharing their voice and participating in the music ministry of our parish. This is a fresh start to hopefully rebuild and continue Grace Church's strong musical history. If our choir is able to grow in good numbers, we'll have the opportunity to expand our repertoire and do some fun things down the road.

For more information or interest in giving this a try, please contact Director of Music & Organist, Wolff von Roos, at wvroos@gracechurchinnewark.org or 317-935-8180.

DECEMBER COFFEE HOUR HOSTS

Coffee Hour hosts are needed for the month of December. When you go upstairs to the Parish Hall today, consider signing up with a friend to bring a small dish. Coffee Hour is a very important ministry of our church. It is a chance for us to get to know one another and to welcome newcomers. Signing up to host is also a great and easy way to get involved in a ministry if you are new to the parish! Thank you!

PRAYER LIST

Active members of our parish – Ethelyn Washington; Mother Susy and Scott Norris; Alman Clarke; The Elisee Family; Dolores Carter-Brown; Beverly Brathwaite; Comfort Abogan; Monique Williams; Bernice Tillis; Valerie Munro; West Ambrose; Akintoye Lapite; Oyinkansola Lapite; Aidan Mandigora, and his parents Grant and Nezile; Allie Ulrich; Monique Elisée; Andy Phillips and Nadia; Fred Gaspard; Madison Pigott; Winifred Langevine; Jordan Elisée; James Porter; Joan Knowles; Beatrice Breton; Brisco Kayjay; Dolores Brown; William Carter; Paola Breton.

Friends of our parish – Trisha Ferguson, cousin of Judith Alexander-Edwards; Orlan Springer, friend of Keith Beckles; Clarence Barnes, brother of Willa Barnes; Damion H. Arthur, son of Pat Arthur; Brandon Bates, brother of Father Bates; Joseph Johnston and his family; Evelyn Cruz, mother of Ed Cruz; Geraldine Clarke, wife of Alman; Mahdia Brown-Purdie, daughter of Tony Kearney; Andrew Svekla, Allie Ulrich's brother-in-law, and his wife and children; Joanne Murray, mother of Andre Murray; Robert Alexander, brother of Judith Alexander-Edwards; Father Lloyd Prator, former Priest Associate; Dick Jaco, friend of Father Prator; Susan Webb, daughter of Sylvia

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SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Services

8:00 am - Said Mass

A simple spoken service celebrated at a side altar

10:30 am - High Mass

An elaborate sung service with choir, organ, acolytes, and incense

Weekday Services –Tuesday through Friday

**All Services Canceled this Tues-Fri*

9:00 am – Morning Prayer

12:10 pm – Midday Mass

Anointing for Healing offered Thursdays

5 pm – Evening Prayer

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