Blessed are you, O Lord and Lover, source of beauty and depth of passion. Strengthen and inspire us to do the word we hear and live the faith we confess. Amen.

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MISSION
In the spirit of the Gospels, the mission of Trinity Church Wall Street is to build generations of faithful leadership, to build up neighborhoods, and to build financial capacity for holy service in New York City and around the world. Our mission is grounded in our core values.

VISION
We seek to serve and heal the world by building neighborhoods that live gospel truths, generations of faithful leaders, and sustainable communities.

CORE VALUES

Faith
“For truly I tell you, if you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you.” —Matthew 17:20

Integrity
“Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.” —Philippians 4:8

Inclusiveness
“There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus.” —Galatians 3:28

Compassion
“When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick.” —Matthew 14:14

Social Justice
“He has showed you what is good; and what the Lord requires of you: to do justice, and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God.” —Micah 6:8

Stewardship
“There will come seven years of great plenty throughout all the land of Egypt. After them there will arise seven years of famine, and all the plenty will be forgotten in the land of Egypt; the famine will consume the world.” —Genesis 41:29–30

Core Values guide us in carrying out our mission and realizing our vision. By their nature, core values are touchstones for prayer, discernment, ongoing conversation, and action. We seek a deep understanding and ongoing engagement with Trinity’s Core Values. Over the years, we will continue reflecting on what our Core Values mean in their application; how they challenge and inform decisions and actions in Trinity’s ministries, and how they help our ministries be aligned with our mission and vision.
Welcome to St. Paul’s Chapel

Please add your voice and heart to the prayers. Everyone is welcome at Jesus’ Table, and everyone’s voice is needed to tell the Good News of God’s love in Christ. Please help others find a place near you, and greet the person next to you as we prepare to worship together.

If you would like to pray with someone confidentially, for yourself or others, go through the doors closest to the pulpit during communion time. A prayer minister will meet you in the foyer.

If you would like to learn more about the Episcopal Church, or how you can become a member of Trinity Church, please visit www.trinitywallstreet.org/membership.

About this Service

Our current liturgical season, the Season after Pentecost, is by far the longest of the Episcopal Church year. It is also called Ordinary Time, a phrase borrowed from the Roman Catholic Church. The beginning of the season is determined by the date of Easter, and its conclusion is determined by the date of the first Sunday of Advent. In 2018, there are twenty-seven weeks after Pentecost, spanning more than half of the entire calendar year.

A common practice among Episcopal churches is to change the appropriate liturgical elements at the start of each new season. Often these changes are directed by the Book of Common Prayer, such as the acclamations named for use in the Lenten and Easter seasons. However, liturgical leaders also decide which Prayers of the People, Eucharistic Prayer, Blessing, and Dismissal are used in services. You may notice, as the summer progresses, that we will use a variety of prayers representing both traditional and expansive ways of invoking the divine.

Sources: The Book of Common Prayer, An Episcopal Dictionary of the Church

The Entrance Rite

Prelude

Cantabile, Op. 37

Joseph Jongen (1873-1953)

Introit

At the sound of the bell, please stand as you are able.

Miserere mihi Domine, quoniam ad te clamavi tota die.

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I have called out to you all the day.

—Psalm 85:3

Gregorian Chant Mode 8

Acclamation

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God’s kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

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Opening Hymn

Hymnal 372

1 Praise to the living God! All praised be his Name
2 Formless, all lovely forms declare his loveliness;
3 His Spirit floweth free, high surging where it will;
4 Eternal life hath he implanted in the soul;

who was, and is, and is to be for ay the same.
holily, no holiness of earth can his express.
in prophet’s word he spoke of old; he speaketh still.
his love shall be our strength and stay while ages roll.

The one eternal God, ere aught that now appears:
Lo, he is Lord of all. Creation speaks his praise,
Established is his law, and changeless it shall stand,
Praise to the living God! All praised be his Name

the first, the last, beyond all thought his time-less years!
and everywhere above, below, his will obeys.
deep writ upon the human heart, on sea, on land.
who was, and is, and is to be, for ay the same.

Words: Medieval Jewish liturgy; tr. Max Landsberg (1845-1928) and Newton M. Mann (1836-1926)
Music: Leoni, Hebrew melody; harm. Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1875, alt.
**Collect for Purity**

*Celebrant*  Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

*All*  Amen.

**Gloria**

Hymnal S 236

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**Gloria continues on next page.**
The Collect of the Day  

Celebrant  
God be with you.  

People  
And also with you.  

Celebrant  
Let us pray.  

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All  
Amen.

Please be seated.

The Liturgy of the Word  

The First Reading  

Song of Solomon 2:8-13  

Reader  
A Reading from the Song of Solomon.

The voice of my beloved! Look, he comes, leaping upon the mountains, bounding over the hills. My beloved is like a gazelle or a young stag. Look, there he stands behind our wall, gazing in at the windows, looking through the lattice.

My beloved speaks and says to me: “Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away; for now the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth; the time of singing has come, and the voice of the turtledove is heard in our land. The fig tree puts forth its figs, and the vines are in blossom; they give forth fragrance. Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away.”

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.

People  
Thanks be to God.
The Psalm

Psalm 45:1-2, 7-10

The choir sings the refrain, then all repeat and sing as indicated.
Verses are chanted on the reciting tone; change pitch on underlined syllables and with each new line of text.

Choir
My heart is stirring with a noble song; let me recite what I have fashioned for the king,*
my tongue shall be the pen of a skilled writer.
You are the fairest of men; *
grace flows from your lips, because God has blest you for ever.

All
Your throne, O God, endures for ever and ever,*
a scepter of righteousness is the scepter of your realm;
you love righteousness and hate iniquity.
Therefore God, your God, has anointed you *
with the oil of gladness above your fellows.

REFRAIN

All your garments are fragrant with myrrh, aloes and cassia,*
and the music of strings from ivory palaces makes you glad.
The royal daughters stand among the ladies of the court; *
on your right hand is the queen, adorned with the gold of Ophir.

REFRAIN

The Second Reading

James 1:17-27

Reader
A Reading from the Letter of James.

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from
the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. In
fulfillment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would
become a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak,
slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God’s righteousness. Therefore rid
yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness
the implanted word that has the power to save your souls.

But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are
hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror;
for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like.
But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not
hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing.
If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.

People   Thanks be to God.
Reader   After the reading of the Gospel, all children are invited to follow the cross to Children’s Chapel. They will return at the Peace.

Sequence Hymn

Please stand as you are able.

Words: Frances Ridley Havergal (1836-1879), alt.; Music: Hollingside, John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876)
The Holy Gospel

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

People  Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon  Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around Jesus, they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.)

So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him, “Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?” He said to them, “Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written, ‘This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching human precepts as doctrines.’ You abandon the commandment of God and hold to human tradition.”

Then he called the crowd again and said to them, “Listen to me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile. For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People  Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

Silence follows the sermon.

The Rev. Elizabeth Blunt
The Creed

Please stand as you are able.

Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith (b. 1926); Music: Nettleton, melody from A Repository of Sacred Music, Part II, 1813

The Prayers of the People

PRR p. 212, adapted

Reader Pour out your Spirit upon all flesh and inspire us, O Holy One, that we may proclaim your prophecy of justice and speak your message of compassion and love.

Let your Spirit rest upon your Church like tongues of fire, O God, to inspire us to do your will.

I will sing to God as long as I live:

People I will praise my God while I have my being.

Reader Let your glory go forth into all the world to guide the leaders of the nations and all in authority; especially Donald our president, Andrew our governor, and Bill our mayor, that they may obey your Spirit and bless your people.

I will sing to God as long as I live:

People I will praise my God while I have my being.

Reader Let your glory go forth to comfort all who live under poverty, violence, or threat, that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

I will sing to God as long as I live:

People I will praise my God while I have my being.
Reader Bless this community, that we may have the grace to live our Core Values of Faith, Integrity, Inclusiveness, Compassion, Social Justice, and Stewardship; and the wisdom to discern where you are leading our Strategic Task Forces in the areas of the Trinity Commons Parish Center, Housing and Homelessness, Racial Justice, Leadership Development, and Mission Real Estate Development.

I will sing to God as long as I live:

People I will praise my God while I have my being.

Reader Comfort with your life-giving Spirit those for whom we pray. We remember especially our Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, the Most Reverend Michael B. Curry, as he recovers from surgery.

I will sing to God as long as I live:

People I will praise my God while I have my being.

Reader Raise into your resurrection life those who have died.

I will sing to God as long as I live:

People I will praise my God while I have my being.

Silence

Celebrant Let the fire of your divine love descend upon us, O God, to inspire and heal, to renew and empower, that the earth may be filled with your glory, and all creation sing to you in praise; through Jesus Christ the Risen One, in the power of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

Confession and Absolution EOW p. 19

Deacon Let us confess our sins to God.

All God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.

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

All Amen.
The Holy Eucharist

The Peace

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

The People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Welcome

Please be seated.

The Offertory

The ushers collect the offering.

Set Me as a Seal

Set me as a seal upon thine heart, as a seal upon thine arm: for love is strong as death.
Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it.

—Song of Solomon 8:6-7

At the Presentation

Please stand as you are able as the offering is brought forward.

Words: Thomas Ken (1637-1711); Music: Old 100th, melody from Pseaumes octante trois de David, 1551, alt.; harm. after Louis Bourgeois (1510?-1561?)
The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

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

Music: from A Community Mass; Richard Proulx (1937-2010)
Celebrant

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: “Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all 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.

Celebrant

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ’s Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with [__________ and] all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

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

Celebrant As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,
All Our Father in heaven,
    hallowed be your Name,
    your kingdom come,
    your will be done,
    on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
    as we forgive those
    who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
    and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
    and the glory are yours,
    now and for ever. Amen.

Fraction

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.
Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Please be seated.

The ushers will bring you forward by row to receive communion. We receive at one station at the front of the center aisle and return to our seats by the side aisles.

Communion will also be served in the balconies on both sides. If you need to receive communion at your seat, please notify an usher.

All who hunger for God are cordially invited to this table, including children. You may consume the bread and then drink from the chalice (please grasp the bottom of the chalice to guide it to your lips). Also, you may dip the bread in the wine and then consume it, or you may leave the bread in your palm for the chalice-bearer to dip in the wine and place on your tongue. Gluten-free wafers are available. Those who do not wish to receive communion are welcome to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

If you would like to pray with someone confidentially, for yourself or others, please go through the doors closest to the pulpit and a prayer minister will meet you in the foyer.
Communion Anthem

There is a Balm in Gilead

There is a balm in Gilead
To make the wounded whole;
There is a balm in Gilead
To heal the sin-sick soul.

Some times I feel discouraged,
And think my work's in vain,
But then the Holy Spirit
Revives my soul again.

If you cannot sing like angels,
If you can't preach like Paul,
You can tell the love of Jesus,
And say He died for all.

—Spiritual

Communion Hymn

At the final verse, please stand as you are able.
Concluding Rite

Post-Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

All God of abundance,
you have fed us
with the bread of life and cup of salvation;
you have united us
with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth
in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever
in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

The Blessing

Celebrant Life is short, and we do not have much time to gladden the hearts of those who make the journey with us. So be swift to love, and make haste to be kind. And the blessing of God, who made us, who loves us, and who travels with us, be with you now and for ever.

All Amen.
Closing Hymn

1 Immortal, invisible, God only wise,

2 Unresting, unhaasting, and silent as light,

3 To all life thou givest, to both great and small;

4 Thou reignest in glory, thou rulest in light,

in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,

nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;

in all life thou livest, the true life of all;

thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;

most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,

thy justice like mountains high soaring above

we blossom and flourish, like leaves on the tree,

all laud we would render: O help us to see

almighty, victorious, thy great Name we praise.

thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

then wither and perish; but nought changeth thee.

tis only the splendor of light hideth thee.

Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Crown Imperial

W. Walton

Flowers

During the heat of the summer, the Trinity Church Wall Street Flower Guild has taken time for rest and relaxation. Our glorious flowers will return this fall. For more information, contact flowers@trinitywallstreet.org.
Holiday Retreats

Thanksgiving, Advent, and Christmas

HOLIDAY RETREATS BOOK QUICKLY. REGISTER SOON AT TRINITYRETREATCENTER.ORG

THANKSGIVING RETREAT WEEK, NOVEMBER 21–25, 2018
The centerpiece of the week, of course, will be the Thanksgiving meal—but every day will be a celebration, with activities and time to reflect on our blessings. Prayer, worship, and community reflection will punctuate our late-autumn days together in the New England woods. Come for just a few days or the whole week.

AN ADVENT RETREAT: LIVING IN HOPE, DECEMBER 7–9, 2018
The season between Thanksgiving and Christmas is harried for many, but it doesn’t have to be! Join Fr. Daniel Simons, Director of Spiritual Formation at the retreat center, for a weekend of spacious reflection on Advent’s quietly hopeful and confident energy. We’ll use teaching, quiet time, and group conversation to make the season of Advent our own.

CHRISTMAS RETREAT WEEK, DECEMBER 22–26, 2018
Unplug from the busyness of the season and enjoy a festive, meaningful Christmas in West Cornwall. Participate in community Christmas-time activities: carol singing, walks in the quiet woods, conversations around the tree, common-table meals, and Christmas Eve worship by candlelight. Oh, and if there’s snow, the sledding hill is waiting. Come for just a few days or the whole week.

The price per night for each adult and teen ages 12 and older is $50 for double occupancy and $85 for single occupancy. The price for children 5–11 is $25; children younger than 5 stay free.

Register at trinityretreatcenter.org
FOR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS

Welcome to Trinity Church and St. Paul's Chapel. We're glad you're here. Come connect with us:

CONNECT Introduce yourself to our clergy, ushers, or greeters. To learn more about membership, baptism, or confirmation, or to receive emails about upcoming Trinity events, fill out a welcome card and place it in the offering plate. You can access the welcome card digitally by texting “TRINITY” to 28259.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR Visit with fellow worshippers over coffee and small bites after all Sunday services.

TAKE A TOUR Learn more about St. Paul's Chapel following the 11:15am service. Gather by the pulpit where a docent will guide you around our historic building.

TODAY

In honor of the Labor Day holiday, the Parish Center will close at 2pm.

Community Bible Study
10am, through September 16, Chapel of All Saints
Community Bible Study is breaking for the Labor Day weekend but will resume next Sunday, September 9. Information: ChristianFormation@trinitywallstreet.org.

Summer Sundays
10am, St. Paul's Chapel (outside)
For children of all ages. Children, youth, and families gather outside next to the Bell of Hope. This summer we’ll explore being “At Work with God in the World” through scripture, story, and service activities. Information: Wendy Barrie at wbarrie@trinitywallstreet.org.

EVERY SUNDAY

Nursery Care (six months through age 5)
10am-1pm, St. Paul's Chapel
The nursery is found in the Chapel of Remembrance, the small room in the southwest corner of the Chapel.

The Gospel, Times, Journal, and You
10am, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place

Brown Bag Lunch Ministry: Packing
12:30pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Brown Bag Lunch
2pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Compline by Candlelight
8pm, St. Paul’s Chapel

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
Trinity's offices and the Parish Center will be closed for the Labor Day holiday. Trinity Church will be open 8am-4pm; there will be no Evening Prayer at 5:15pm. St. Paul's Chapel will be open 10am-4pm.

Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Finding Your Vocation
6pm, Tuesdays through September 18, Parish Center
Wondering how your life can further reflect your aspirations, personality, and beliefs? Please join us as we take a new look at vocation from the inside out. This short series will use Parker Palmer’s Let Your Life Speak as a guide to explore what our lives want to do with us. Facilitated by the Rev. Alfred Loua and Prisca Doh. Drop-ins welcome. For information or to register, contact Amiriz Sanchez at asanchez@trinitywallstreet.org.
Strategic Task Force Update

The fifth meeting of our Strategic Task Forces, which bring together members of the Vestry, worshipping community and staff, will be held Thursday, September 6. At each meeting, the Task Forces discuss a specific question regarding each of our five strategic areas of mission focus:
1. The Trinity Commons Parish Center (Neighborhood)
2. Housing and Homelessness (Neighborhood)
3. Racial Justice (Neighborhood)
4. Leadership Development (Leadership)
5. Mission Real Estate Development (Capacity)

The meetings also offer opportunities to build relationships among members of the Vestry, the worshipping community, and Trinity staff.

On September 6, members will answer the question: When? What is the five/ten-year directional frame for this work?

Brief reports on the meetings are included in updated booklets available at Trinity's Chapel of All Saints and St. Paul's Chapel. Please take one and be sure to share your ideas and questions with members of the Task Forces, whose names are listed in the booklets.

On September 12, each Task Force will submit a report to the Vestry summarizing their work and answering the five questions. The Vestry will use that information as the basis for goals and guidance to the Trinity staff in developing more specific proposals and budgets to carry out the action initiatives.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul's Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Catch Your Breath
1pm, Trinity Church, Chapel of All Saints
Stop by for a time of stillness, centering, and a brief meditation. Information: Ellen at eandrews@trinitywallstreet.org.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
New Beginnings
10am, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
New Beginnings is Trinity's ministry of seniors that meets weekly for gentle yoga, Bible study, and participation in the noonday service. We also exchange news, sponsor programs and excursions of interest to those 60 and over and their friends of all ages, and encourage participation in all phases of Trinity life. Contact: Cynthia Moten at cmoten@nyc.rr.com.

Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul's Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Writing God: Spiritual Journaling
6pm, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
Journal writing is a healing process and a journey of discovery along one's spiritual path. This group is a gathering of those willing, through writing, to dive deep into the “true self.” Information: spiritualjournaling@gmail.com or 646.556.5344.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7
Brown Bag Lunch Ministry: Packing
10am-Noon, St. Paul's Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul's Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul's Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

NEXT SUNDAY
Illuminating Core Values: Inclusiveness
1pm, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
The Rev. Barbara Cawthorne Crafton, popular preacher, writer, and retreat leader, brings her unique perspective to questions we've been exploring: How do we live our core values? What spiritual practices and commitments are needed in today's church and world? Parishioners will also contribute their insights and experiences about inclusiveness, the featured core value for September. Information: kjoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

Movement Choir: Reconciliation
1:30pm, St. Paul's Chapel
The Trinity Movement Choir's dance designed to mark the 10th anniversary of the 9/11 attacks has come to have a broader meaning as audiences have applied the piece to cataclysmic events in
their own countries and lives. But the message remains the same: there is a route from agony and numbness back to life, through openness to love that breaks the chain of revenge and injury. Free and open to all. Directed by Marilyn Green with music by Jeff Repella. Information: Marilyn Green at marilyngreenart@gmail.com.

**Compline**
Compline will not be held September 9. The service will resume at 8pm, Sunday, September 16.

**COMING SOON**
**Remembering September 11**
**Bell Ringing**
8:46am, St. Paul's Churchyard

**Day Meal Pack**
11am-1pm, Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum
The Brown Bag Lunch community will join forces with more than 3,000 volunteers representing more than 40 companies, interfaith groups, and organizations to help combat hunger at the Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum. We will help assemble more than 750,000 dry meals for individuals at risk of hunger. Please arrive 30 minutes early for check-in and security. RSVP to Rase De Los Santos at rdelossantos@trinitywallstreet.org.

**Words and Music in Commemoration, and Calling of the Names**
3pm, St. Paul's Chapel
Trinity, in collaboration with Calling of the Names, commemorates 9/11 with words and music including Duruflé's *Requiem* and Herbert Howells' “Take Him, Earth, For Cherishing,” followed by a ceremony honoring deceased first responders and rescue and recovery workers.

**A Visit to Heavenly Bodies Exhibit**
5:45pm, Friday, September 14, Met Museum
The Visual Arts subcommittee of the Trinity’s Congregational Arts Committee is sponsoring a visit to The Costume Institute’s spring 2018 exhibition, *Heavenly Bodies: Fashion and the Catholic Imagination*, at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Open to Trinity parishioners, the exhibit is suitable for adults and children 10 and older. Admission is free; tickets will be distributed on a first-come basis to 25 parishioners. Information: Charles Jamison at charles.jamison@gmail.com and Marc McQuade at marcmcquade@gmail.com.

**Core Values: What’s Next**
**Illuminating Core Values Discussion: Inclusiveness**
1pm, September 9, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
The core value for September is inclusiveness. How do we live our core values? What spiritual practices and commitments are needed in today’s church and world? Join fellow parishioners and the Rev. Barbara Cawthorne Crafton in sharing insights and experiences. Information: kjoseph@trinitywallstreet.org.

**Living the Values Quiet Retreats**
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**Final Retreat for 2018:**
September 14-16: Stewardship

**Pricing**
$50/night (double occupancy)
For a single-occupancy room, there is a $35 surcharge per person, per night, based on availability.

**Transportation**
The retreat center operates a shuttle bus to pick up and drop off guests who take Metro-North to Wassaic Station. Free parking is available for those who choose to drive.

RSVP: trinitywallstreet.org/valuesretreats.

**Celebration Sunday**
1pm, Sunday, September 23, St. Paul's Chapel
All are invited to kick off the new program year with a picnic lunch and festive activities fair. Come learn about the ministries of Trinity Church and St. Paul’s Chapel—from social justice actions to classes for all ages to the knitting group—and sign up for something new. There will be plenty of fellowship, food, and fun—including music, face painting, and balloon art—whether you are a longtime member or a new parishioner. Information: see Barbara Inniss or email innissb@aol.com.
Values in Action: Leadership for Ministry
10am-4pm, Saturday, September 29, St. Paul's Chapel

How do you as a church leader put your core values into action? The Rev. Dr. Eric H. F. Law of Kaleidoscope Institute will facilitate a workshop for those in church leadership. We will explore how to make a difference in parish ministry through the application of core values to design, decision-making, and evaluation of parish programming. Guest speakers include the Rev. Canon Anthony Guillén of the Episcopal Church, the Rt. Rev. Mary D. Glasspool of the Episcopal Diocese of New York, and the Rev. Dr. Mark Bozzuti-Jones, Trinity's Director of Core Values and Latin America & Caribbean Relations. This program is co-sponsored by Trinity’s Congregational Academy for Sustainable Leadership (CASL), Mission and Core Values Integration Committee, and Faith Formation & Education. A light breakfast will be available at 9:30am; lunch will be provided. Information: Deborah Hope at dehope@ix.netcom.com. RSVPs appreciated by September 24 at trinitywallstreet.org/leaders.

Foundations 2018 Fall Series
1pm, Sundays, September 30-October 28, Parish Center

Foundations is a series for those seeking Adult Baptism or Confirmation, Reception, or Reaffirmation of Faith in the Episcopal Church. It is also a great opportunity to acquire a greater understanding of what it means to be an Episcopalian and Anglican for those seeking formal membership at Trinity Church and St. Paul’s Chapel. Together we will learn about scripture, theology, prayer, and much more. Join Trinity’s Vicar, the Rev. Phillip Jackson, the Rev. Elizabeth Blunt, and other clergy and staff for fun, fellowship, and interactive learning. Note: The first class, on September 30, will meet in the Chapel of All Saints in Trinity Church. For information or to RSVP, visit trinitywallstreet.org/foundations.

BULLETIN BOARD

Trinity Church Rejuvenation Update

Trinity Church has embarked on a rejuvenation project to enhance the overall worship experience, make spaces accessible and welcoming, upgrade technology and infrastructure, and address deferred maintenance. To allow the work to proceed as efficiently as possible, the nave, or main body, of Trinity Church is closed until the work is substantially complete, in the spring of 2020 or possibly sooner. UPDATE: Workers are continuing preparations for removing the stained glass windows on the south side; beginning construction of the walls in the sacristy; and continuing research around the altar area in the chancel. Want to see the rejuvenation up close? You can follow the work at trinitywallstreet.org/rejuvenation.

Ministry Night

Ministry Night will move to a semi-annual schedule, meeting in St. Paul’s Chapel at 6pm on the fourth Tuesdays in September and January. At these meetings, chairpersons of the Congregational Council Standing Committees (arts, education, witness & outreach, community & hospitality, and membership), parishioners, and staff plan upcoming events and programs and share updates. All are welcome. For information or to RSVP, contact Summerlee Staten at sstaten@trinitywallstreet.org.

Whole Community Learning

Coming October 14!

With most Sunday services taking place at St. Paul’s Chapel during Trinity’s rejuvenation, we have an opportunity to bring the 9:15am and 11:15am worshipping communities together and to deepen relationships among parishioners of all ages. We aim to do this by creating intergenerational programming, especially during the 10am education hour. Details to come soon. Information: ChristianFormation@trinitywallstreet.org.
Greeter Ministry
Parishioners are invited to greet regular worshippers and guests to the 9am, 9:15am, and 11:15am Sunday services. Volunteer commitment is once or twice a month, for 45 minutes (volunteers are asked to arrive 45 minutes before the service). Volunteers are required to undergo a background check. Information: Dane Miller at dmiller@trinitywallstreet.org.

Background Screening Program
Trinity values the safety of the community we serve, our employees, and our volunteers. To further safeguard the vulnerable populations we serve, other members of our community, and our volunteers, Trinity is now requiring background screenings for all lay leaders and volunteers. This policy is informed by best practices among religious and non-profit communities nationwide. For more information, a list of questions and answers about the process can be found at trinitywallstreet.org/faq-background-screenings. Please contact Michael Fonteboa at mfonteboa@trinitywallstreet.org or 212.300.9904 to set up your screening or to ask any further questions.

Update: The City
Since 2014, the Trinity community has used The City, an online social media platform designed for churches, to communicate within and between Trinity's congregational groups. In anticipation of the parent company's shutdown of the platform in February 2019, Trinity will discontinue its use of The City November 1, 2018. Information: Lynn Goswick at lgoswick@trinitywallstreet.org.

IN OUR PRAYERS
This prayer list is cleared at the end of each month. To add names to the list, email worshipbulletin@trinitywallstreet.org or call 212.602.0800.

WE PRAY FOR
Cynthia Cartwright; Norma Rogers; Cynthia Smith; Roy Watson; Maria George; Roy Burrowes; Pearl Grady; Drew Pardus; Evadné Hodge; Adrian Prisecaru (husband of Donna Prisecaru); Michael Cheeseman (friend of Keith and Beckie Klein); Eufemia and Jerry Patrikios (Billy Patrikios’ parents); David Henry; Susie Edwards; Sister Ann Whittaker; Leff LaHuta; William Jayne; Marilyn Addison (Mark Addison’s mother); Susan, Amy and Kenzie Cohen (friends of Ellen and Henry Andrews);

Elsa Monaco; Anna Kuyumcuoglu; Matthew Mariano; Bob Scott; Tony Pardini; Jennifer McCue (friend of Kathy Bozzuti-Jones); Nita Wallis (aunt of Susie Edwards); Robert Goodman (father of Melissa Goodman); Robert Staas (nephew-in-law of Ruth Lovelock); Marcia Talcott (relative of MacKerrow Talcott); Mark Addison and Mark Alvino; the Most Rev. Michael B. Curry, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church; Robert Staas (Ruth Lovelock's nephew-in-law); Blaine and Jeff Davis (friends of Mark Alvino); Alberto Perez.

DEPARTED
Emily Louise Stallings (mother of Amy Roy).

IN THE MILITARY
Oliver Barnyak (Alex Burns’ friend); Randall Middleton, Christine, and Sean Reardon (Evadné Hodge's friends); Paul Watson; Peter Martinez (Beverly Flockes-Bryant's friend); Michael Dunn; Gen. Cameron Holt (Katie Basquin's friend); Zane Kupper; Margo Protan (Anesia Protain's sister); Col. Stephen Ryan (friend of Bob Zito); Rob Jones (Megan Jones’ brother); SOC Ajay James, USN (friend of Bill McCue); Graham Scarbro, USN (nephew of Amy Roy); Wonjun Seol (Yunjeong Seol's brother); Helen Guittard, (Stephen Guittard’s wife).

ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER
Today we pray for the Most Rev. Gregory James Venables and the Anglican Church of South America.

Pastoral Care
In case of illness, a death in the family, or other pastoral emergencies, please call 917.488.0717 to reach a member of the Pastoral Team on call for the week: Kristin Miles, Sister Ann, Sister Gloria, or Sister Promise. For other pastoral needs, especially pastoral conversation about life issues, call the Rev. Kristin Kaulbach Miles, Director for Pastoral Care and Community, at 212.602.0895.

Congregational Voice
"Do not fear, for I am with you, do not be afraid, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my victorious right hand" (Isaiah 41:10). This verse gives me strength knowing I am not alone.

—Cheryl Allamby
To submit an item for publication, please email lgoswick@trinitywallstreet.org at least 10 days before you would like the announcement to appear.

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

### SUNDAYS
- 8am: Holy Eucharist, St. Paul’s Chapel
- 9am: Holy Eucharist, Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church
- 9:15am: Family Eucharist, St. Paul’s Chapel
- 11:15am: Holy Eucharist, St. Paul’s Chapel
- 8pm: Compline by Candlelight, St. Paul’s Chapel

### WEEKDAYS
- 8:15am, 9am Monday–Friday: Morning Prayer Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church
- 12:05pm Monday–Friday: Holy Eucharist followed by Healing Prayer Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church
- 5:15pm Monday–Friday (except Thursdays): Evening Prayer Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church
- 5:15pm Thursdays: Evensong Chapel of All Saints, Trinity Church

## CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

### Congregational Council:
congregationalcouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. Meets 6-8pm, the third Tuesday of the month. **After a summer hiatus, the next meeting is September 18 in the Chapel of All Saints.**

### Ministry Night
- Register: September 14-16
- Register by: September 4

### Standing Committees:
- **Arts:** arts@trinitywallstreet.org
- **Community:** community@trinitywallstreet.org
- **Education:** education@trinitywallstreet.org
- **Hospitality:** hospitality@trinitywallstreet.org
- **Membership:** membership@trinitywallstreet.org
- **Witness & Outreach:** witnessandoutreach@trinitywallstreet.org

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

### Quiet Retreats

**Trinity Retreat Center**
West Cornwall, Connecticut

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**Register at**
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- **February 23-25:** Faith
  Register by February 16
- **March 16-18:** Integrity
  Register by March 9
- **April 20-22:** Inclusiveness*
  Register by April 10
- **May 18-20:** Compassion
  Register by May 8
- **June 1-3:** Social Justice*
  Register by May 22
- **September 14-16:** Stewardship
  Register by September 4

*Led by Listening Hearts ministries
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