SUNDAY OF THE
CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL:
THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
JANUARY 27, 2019, 8:00AM

ST. PAUL’S CHAPEL
BROADWAY AND FULTON STREET, NEW YORK CITY
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.” —Phileippians 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 to the altar rail at the end of the service.

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

According to liturgical scholar Joseph Tylenda, writing in Saints and Feasts of the Liturgical Year, the Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle occurred in the second year after the Ascension of Our Lord. The feast originated in Gaul in the 6th century and is celebrated on January 25, the presumed date of the transfer of the relics of St. Paul to the basilica of St. Paul Outside-the-Walls built by Emperor Constantine on the Ostian Way in Rome. This celebration is the only observance of the conversion of a saint found in the liturgical calendar.

About St. Paul’s Chapel

We celebrate the feast today because this chapel is named for St. Paul and stands as a continuing testimony to his witness. When it first opened in 1766, St. Paul’s was a “chapel-of-ease” for those who did not want to walk a few blocks south along unpaved streets to Trinity. A decade later, the Great Fire of 1776 destroyed the first Trinity Church, but St. Paul’s survived, thanks to a bucket brigade dousing the building with water.

Until the second Trinity Church was rebuilt in 1790, many, including George Washington, made St. Paul’s their church home. On April 30, 1789, after Washington took the oath of office to become the first President of the United States, he made his way from Federal Hall on Wall Street to St. Paul’s Chapel, where he attended services.

Over the next two centuries, the ministries of St. Paul’s expanded along with the city. Community outreach was a primary focus, with services to accommodate the needs of immigrants, working women, and the homeless.

After September 11, 2001, St. Paul’s became the site of an extraordinary, ‘round-the-clock relief ministry to rescue and recovery workers for nine months. Though the World Trade Center buildings collapsed just across the street, there was no damage to St. Paul’s, earning it the nickname “the little chapel that stood.”

About St. Paul

Paul, who was once known as Saul of Tarsus, was a zealous Jew and fervent persecutor of the first Christians. However, he experienced a radical, supernatural conversion to Christianity on the road to Damascus and immediately began a campaign of preaching and planting churches.

Paul became the foremost interpreter of the teachings of Jesus, handing on in careful, systematic argument what he had received (1 Corinthians 11:1-2). His letters to the various churches that he founded identify him as the first Christian theologian. In them Paul carefully sets out Christian doctrines such as
the nature of grace and sanctification, justification by faith alone, and how Christians are one in Christ, emphasizing that there is no partiality or discrimination in Christ’s reign: “There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus” (Galatians 3:28).

Source: The Rev. Bruce W. B. Jenneker

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**The Entrance Rite**

**Acclamation**

*from the Third Song of Isaiah* BCP p. 87

The altar party is seated informally.
At the sound of the bell, please stand as you are able.

**Celebrant** Arise, shine, and give God glory.
**People** Our light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon us.

**Introduction**

With confidence Saint Paul wrote to Timothy: “I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what he has entrusted to me” (2 Timothy 1:12). Converted when, dazzled by a blinding light, he fell from his horse on the way to Damascus, Saul, the zealous Jewish Pharisee, became Paul, the passionate apostle to the Gentiles. A voice from heaven stopped him in his tracks and convinced him that the message of the good news of Jesus Christ was indeed from God, and that henceforth he must proclaim Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the living God.

**Festival Responsory**

*from Ecclesiasticus 44, adapted*

**Celebrant** Let us sing the praises of our famous ancestors:
**People** The Lord blessed them with great glory.

**Celebrant** Some of them have left behind a name:
**People** So that we may declare their praise.

**Celebrant** The assembly declares their wisdom:
**People** And the congregation proclaims their praise.
**Prayer**

*Celebrant*  
Lord God of hosts, in your amazing grace you called Saul of Tarsus, the enemy and persecutor of the Church, to be Christ’s dedicated servant and the apostle of Christ’s good news to all nations: as we recall his conversion, give us the same grace in our lives, that like Paul we will boldly proclaim Christ’s Gospel of radical liberation and abundant new life.

*All*  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

**Gloria**

*All*  
Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to God’s people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**The Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant*  
God be with you.  
*People*  
And also with you.  
*Celebrant*  
Let us pray.  
O God, by the preaching of your apostle Paul you have caused the light of the Gospel to shine throughout the world: Grant, we pray, that we, having his wonderful conversion in remembrance, may show ourselves thankful to you by following his holy teaching; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

*All*  
Amen.

*Please be seated.*
The Liturgy of the Word

The First Reading

Acts 26:9-21

Reader

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

After he was in prison for some time, Paul was permitted to state his case before King Agrippa. Paul said to the king, “Indeed, I myself was convinced that I ought to do many things against the name of Jesus of Nazareth. And that is what I did in Jerusalem; with authority received from the chief priests, I not only locked up many of the saints in prison, but I also cast my vote against them when they were being condemned to death. By punishing them often in all the synagogues I tried to force them to blaspheme; and since I was so furiously enraged at them, I pursued them even to foreign cities.

“With this in mind, I was traveling to Damascus with the authority and commission of the chief priests, when at midday along the road, your Excellency, I saw a light from heaven, brighter than the sun, shining around me and my companions. When we had all fallen to the ground, I heard a voice saying to me in the Hebrew language, ‘Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me? It hurts you to kick against the goads.’ I asked, ‘Who are you, Lord?’ The Lord answered, ‘I am Jesus whom you are persecuting. But get up and stand on your feet; for I have appeared to you for this purpose, to appoint you to serve and testify to the things in which you have seen me and to those in which I will appear to you. I will rescue you from your people and from the Gentiles—to whom I am sending you to open their eyes so that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, so that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me.’

“After that, King Agrippa, I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision, but declared first to those in Damascus, then in Jerusalem and throughout the countryside of Judea, and also to the Gentiles, that they should repent and turn to God and do deeds consistent with repentance. For this reason the Jews seized me in the temple and tried to kill me.”

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

People

Thanks be to God.

The Psalm

Psalm 67

Reader

Let us read Psalm 67 responsively by half-verse.

People

Be merciful to us, O God, and bless us, *

show us the light of your countenance and come to us.

Reader

Let your ways be known upon earth, *

your saving health among all nations.

Reader

Let the peoples praise you, O God; *

let all the peoples praise you.

Reader

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, *

for you judge the peoples with equity

and guide all the nations upon earth.

Reader

Let the peoples praise you, O God; *

let all the peoples praise you.
Reader The earth has brought forth its increase,*
People may you, our own God, give us your blessing.
Reader May you give us your blessing,*
People and may all the ends of the earth stand in awe of you.

The Second Reading
Galatians 1:11-24
Reader A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Galatians.

I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that the gospel that was proclaimed by me is not of human origin; for I did not receive it from a human source, nor was I taught it, but I received it through a revelation of Jesus Christ.

You have heard, no doubt, of my earlier life in Judaism. I was violently persecuting the church of God and was trying to destroy it. I advanced in Judaism beyond many among my people of the same age, for I was far more zealous for the traditions of my ancestors. But when God, who had set me apart before I was born and called me through his grace, was pleased to reveal his Son to me, so that I might proclaim him among the Gentiles, I did not confer with any human being, nor did I go up to Jerusalem to those who were already apostles before me, but I went away at once into Arabia, and afterwards I returned to Damascus.

Then after three years I did go up to Jerusalem to visit Cephas and stayed with him fifteen days; but I did not see any other apostle except James the Lord’s brother. In what I am writing to you, before God, I do not lie! Then I went into the regions of Syria and Cilicia, and I was still unknown by sight to the churches of Judea that are in Christ; they only heard it said, “The one who formerly was persecuting us is now proclaiming the faith he once tried to destroy.” And they glorified God because of me.

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

People Thanks be to God.

The Holy Gospel
Matthew 10:16-22
Please stand as you are able.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.
Deacon Jesus said, “See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved.”

The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.
The Sermon
Silence follows the sermon.

The Nicene Creed
Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant We believe in one God,
All the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is,
seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.
The Prayers of the People

Reader  
St. Paul encourages us to rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, and persevere in prayer.  
(Romans 12:12)

Let us therefore make our prayers to God with confidence, saying,  
May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace: (Romans 15:5)

People  
And make us bold ministers of the Gospel of Christ.

Reader  
Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with  
mutual affection. (Romans 12:9-10)

Strengthen all Christian people by your Holy Spirit, that we may live as a royal  
priesthood and a holy nation to the praise of Jesus Christ our Savior.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace:

People  
And make us bold ministers of the Gospel of Christ.

Reader  
The grace of God is given to ministers of Christ Jesus for the priestly service of the  
gospel, so that the people's offering may be acceptable, sanctified by the Holy Spirit.  
(Romans 15:15-16)

Bless Michael our Presiding Bishop; Andrew, Allen, and Mary, our Bishops; and all the  
bishops, clergy, and people; that by faithful proclamation of your word we may be built  
on the foundation of the apostles and prophets into a holy temple in the Lord.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace:

People  
That we may proclaim the good news of Christ.

Reader  
Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 2:5).

Guide and direct all who make decisions for the common welfare and give humility and  
wisdom to all who govern, especially Donald our President, Andrew our Governor, and  
Bill our Mayor.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace:

People  
That we may proclaim the good news of Christ.

Reader  
There is no longer Jew or Greek, slave or free, male and female; for all of you are one in  
Christ Jesus. (Galatians 3:28)

Hold in your embrace the poor and needy, those who are oppressed, exploited, or  
abused, those who are the victims of injustice and discrimination, bullying and violence.  
Give your grace to all who work for justice, reconciliation, and peace, and all who bring  
light to those in darkness.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace:

People  
That we may proclaim the good news of Christ.

Reader  
Keep alert, stand firm in your faith, be courageous and strong. (1 Corinthians 16:13)

Grant us the grace to live our Core Values of Faith, Integrity, Inclusiveness, Compassion,  
Social Justice, and Stewardship, and to discern where you are leading us in our  
commitment to Neighborhood, Leadership, and Capacity.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace:

People  
That we may proclaim the good news of Christ.
Reader
Listen, I will tell you a mystery! We will not all die, but we will all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. (1 Corinthians 15:51)

Remember in your mercy all those who have gone before us and who have been well-pleasing to you from eternity; preserve in your faith your servants on earth and bring us to share everlasting life with you.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace:

People
That we may proclaim the good news of Christ.

Celebrant
May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 15:5-6)

All
Amen.

Confession and Absolution

Deacon
In a dark and disfigured world, we have not held out the light of life:

Lord, have mercy.

People
Lord, have mercy.

Deacon
In a hungry and despairing world, we have failed to share our bread:

Christ, have mercy.

People
Christ, have mercy.

Deacon
In a cold and loveless world, we have kept the love of God to ourselves:

Lord, have mercy.

People
Lord, have mercy.

Celebrant
Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

Please stand as you able and gather around the altar, bringing your bulletin with you.

An usher collects the offering.
The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give our thanks and praise.
Celebrant All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places, our true and loving God; through Jesus Christ, your eternal Word, the Wisdom from on high by whom you created all things. You laid the foundations of the world and enclosed the sea when it burst out from the womb; You brought forth all creatures of the earth and gave breath to humankind.

And now we give you thanks because, in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore, as the morning stars sing your praises, we join the heavenly chorus and all creation as we shout with joy:

Sanctus

All Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blest is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise. Of your grace, you gave Jesus to be human, to share our life, to proclaim the coming of your holy reign and give himself for us, a fragrant offering.

Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, you have freed us from sin, brought us into your life, reconciled us to you, and restored us to the glory you intend for us.

We thank you that on the night before he died for us Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, gave it to his friends and said: “Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you. Do this to remember me.”

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said: “Drink this, all of you: this cup is the new Covenant in my Blood, poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sin. Do this to remember me.”

And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ’s coming in glory, and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed, and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

All Dying, you destroyed our death.
Rising, you restored our life.
Christ Jesus, come in glory!
Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Christ. Grant that we, burning with your Spirit's power, may be a people of hope, justice and love. Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with [blessed ______, and] all your people into the joy of our true eternal home.

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

AMEN.

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

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.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

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.

All who hunger for God are cordially invited to share the Gifts of God offered at this table, including children. Whoever you are, wherever you are in your life's journey, you are welcome here.

It is our custom to receive the bread in the upturned palms of our hands, eat the bread immediately, and then take a sip from the chalice. Please grasp the bottom of the chalice to guide it to your lips. You may choose to dip the bread in the wine and then eat it, or you may leave the bread in your palm for the chalice-bearer to dip it in the wine and place on your tongue. You may receive both the bread and the wine, or only the bread or only the wine, as you choose.

Gluten-free wafers are available; please let the minister know that you need one.

If you do not wish to receive communion you are invited to come forward to receive a blessing, indicating your desire by crossing your arms over your chest.
Concluding Rite

Post-Communion Prayer

Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant Let us pray.
All Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you
as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Celebrant May Christ, the Onlybegotten and Anointed One, be manifest in you, that your lives may
be a light to the world. And the blessing of God almighty, Loving Creator, Living Word,
and Life-giving Spirit be among you, and remain with you always.
All Amen.

Dismissal

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

If you would like to pray with someone confidentially, for yourself or others, please come forward to the altar rail.

Please take this bulletin home with you.

Flowers

To donate flowers, e-mail flowers@trinitywallstreet.org.
February 8-9, 2019 | St. Paul’s Chapel

This conference, featuring screenings of Do the Right Thing and Blindspotting, explores how cinema can reveal structural racism, foster dialogue, and ignite transformation towards healing and reconciliation. The evening of February 8 features a film screening and panel discussion on Spike Lee’s Do the Right Thing that is free and open to all.

Speakers include:

Melissa Harris-Perry, PhD, professor and Maya Angelou Presidential Chair at Wake Forest University; founding director of the Anna Julia Cooper Center

The Very Rev. Dr. Kelly Brown Douglas, theologian and author, Stand Your Ground: Black Bodies and the Justice of God; Dean of Episcopal Divinity School at Union Seminary; Trinity’s Theologian in Residence

Greg Garrett, PhD, professor of English at Baylor University; author, The Gospel According to Hollywood; Theologian in Residence, American Cathedral in Paris

Catherine Meeks, PhD, executive director of the Absalom Jones Center for Racial Healing; former chair of the Beloved Community: Commission for Dismantling Racism

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Yarn, needles, and patterns are available and expert instruction is provided. Join in the fun and fellowship! Free and open to all.

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Sundays, 12:30–2:30pm
Sept. 16, Oct. 21, Nov. 11, Dec. 2, Jan. 6,
Feb. 10, March 10, April 28, May 19, June 9

Mondays, 5:30–7:30pm
Sept. 24, Nov. 19, Dec. 17 (Christmas party),
Jan. 28, Feb. 25, March 25, June 24

For more information, contact Janet MacMillan at macmilj@yahoo.com or 201.915.9814.
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St. Paul’s Chapel
Free

Come as you are, find a seat, and hold a candle.
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A short informal training is offered on your first day.

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May 24–27, 2019

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December 22–26, 2019

*Flexible dates; stay for the entire retreat or just a few days.

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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
Whole Community Learning
10am, various locations
Jesus: Rebel Peacemaker (the Epiphany Unit) explores the radical implications of Jesus’ command to love enemies through various lenses, informing our social action. Today: Adults will attend the Rector’s Forum at St. Paul’s Chapel. Youth will meet at the back portico of St. Paul’s after the 9:15am service. Gather by the pulpit where a docent will guide you around our historic building.

Rector’s Forum
10am, St. Paul’s Chapel
Come hear the Rector provide updates on current and upcoming projects and lead an open forum for parishioners to ask questions. All are welcome. Refreshments will be available.

Winter Youth Chorus Concert
3pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Trinity Youth Chorus, Senior Choristers, the New Jersey Youth Chorus, Coriste Chorus. Including works for treble chorus by Elgar, Biebl, Casals, Lauridsen. Conducted by Melissa Attebury and Patricia Joyce.

EVERY SUNDAY
Nursery Care (six months through age 5)
11am-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
Find peace and stillness as you end one week and begin the next. Come as you are, find a seat, and hold a candle. For 30 minutes let mantra-like, chant-based improvised music by The Choir of Trinity Wall Street wash over you. Learn more and access podcasts at trinitywallstreet.org/compline. Today: Josef Rheinberger, Abendlied.

THIS WEEK
MONDAY, JANUARY 28
Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.
The Broad Way Bible Study
1pm, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
Bring your lunch and join Bob Scott for lively discussion and fellowship. Information: bscott@trinitywallstreet.org.

Trinity Knitters
5:30pm, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
Are you an experienced knitter, new to the craft, or somewhere in between? Trinity Knitters welcomes you to come knit or crochet items for the housebound, children of incarcerated parents, returning veterans, and others in need. Yarn, needles, and patterns are available to all, and expert instruction is provided for first-timers. Join in the fun and fellowship! Information: Janet MacMillan at macmilj@yahoo.com or 201.915.9814.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 29
Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Scripture, Reflection, & Compline
6pm, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
Gather for spiritual nourishment and fellowship. Information: Ellen Andrews at eandrews@trinitywallstreet.org or 212.602.0753.

Reading Night at Kianga House
6:15-7:30pm, Crown Heights
Volunteers read aloud to children, ages 0-4, at Kianga House Women and Baby Shelter. Help set up a light dinner, eat with the families, and then read aloud to young children in the shelter’s recently renovated library. Volunteers are required to undergo a background check. Information: trinity.kianga@gmail.com.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30
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.

Five Reasons to Meditate
6:30-8pm, Parish Center, 56 Trinity Place
Discover for yourself, through weekly community practice, the benefits of contemplation and sacred reading for mind, body, and spirit. Find your quiet center; prepare for the work of social justice. Please RSVP: Dr. Kathy Bozzi-Jones at kbozzi-jones@trinitywallstreet.org.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31
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.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1
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.

Pipes at One First Friday
1pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Trinity offers Pipes at One concerts year-round in St. Paul’s Chapel, In 2019, on the first Friday of each month, Pipes at One will feature a varied organ program played by undergraduate and graduate students from music conservatories and organ studios in New York and throughout the United States and Canada. This week: Students from the Juilliard School, New York: Daniel Ficarri, Colin MacKnight, and Alexander Pattavina.
Friday Night Book Club
6-8pm, Trinity Church, Chapel of All Saints
Join us Fridays through March 1 for dinner and a discussion of Rachel Held Evans' *Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again*. If you are looking for engaging the Bible in a new way for the new year, this is the group for you. Information: Yunjeong Seol at yseol@trinitywallstreet.org.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2
Brown Bag Lunch
12:45pm, St. Paul’s Chapel
Information: trinitywallstreet.org/brownbag.

Youth Film Festival Kick-Off
10am-4pm, LMHQ, 150 Broadway, 20th Floor
Keep It Reel: Teens Facing Race Through Film is a youth film project exploring the topic of race through filmmaking for the 30th anniversary of Spike Lee’s *Do the Right Thing*. We invite high school students to share their voices, offer the downtown community an original point of view of life and race in NYC, and learn the art of filmmaking. Registration: Jenn Chinn at jchinn@trinitywallstreet.org.

NEXT SUNDAY
A Litany of Atlanta
2pm, February 3, St. Paul’s Chapel
*A Litany of Atlanta and Other Stories* is a developing work that explores the struggle of Africans in America to achieve the “American Dream” and how the quest for achievement has been systematically sabotaged by a white power structure and replaced by a false narrative that still prevails today. Conceived by parishioner R. A. Foy, the work is based on a narrative and themes poetically captured by W. E. B. Du Bois in *A Litany of Atlanta*, J. Chester Johnson’s “Litany of Offense and Apology for the national Day of Repentance” (October 4, 2008, the Episcopal Church’s apology for its participation in the transatlantic slave trade), and the Rev. Dr. Mark Bozzuti-Jones’ thoughts, words, and encouragement. Light refreshments. Information: Toni Foy at rafoy@hotmail.com.

Core Values
In January we focus on the Core Value of Faith

2019 Living the Values Quiet Retreats
Take some time away from the daily busyness to contemplate Trinity’s core values—faith, integrity, inclusiveness, compassion, social justice, and stewardship—and how you express these values in your everyday living. We’ll begin with thought-provoking teaching, then spend time in prayerful introspection and quiet exercises with poetry and art, meditation, and natural woodland beauty, all fueled by delicious, wholesome farm-to-table meals. You’ll come away renewed and inspired, and ready to live your values more fully in the world.

March 22-24: INTEGRITY, with Kathy Bozzuti-Jones and John Deuel
May 3-5: COMPASSION, with Kristin Miles and Donna Riley
July 19-21: INCLUSIVENESS, with Daniel Simons, Keith Klein, and Felicia Eve
September 13-15: SOCIAL JUSTICE, with Joel Gibson and Roz Hall
November 15-17: STEWARDSHIP, with Joseph and Heidi Rose

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.

Open to adult members of Trinity congregation, staff, friends, and partners of Trinity.

More information and registration at trinitywallstreet.org/valuesretreats.
COMING SOON

Mental Health First Aid Training
1:30-5pm, Tuesday, February 5, St. Paul’s Chapel
Learn about mental health and best practices in responding when a loved one or community member may be experiencing mental illness. Topics covered will include definitions of mental disorders and their impact, how to access professional resources, and crisis response training for people experiencing a range of mental health episodes and behaviors. This session is for information only, not certification. Additional sessions: February 16 and 21. Information: Episcopal Service Corps Fellow SK Doyle at sdoyle@trinitywallstreet.org.

Frederick Douglass Book Talk
7-9pm, Tuesday, February 5, St. Paul’s Chapel

Scene & Unseen: Facing Race Through Film
February 8-9, St. Paul’s Chapel
This conference, featuring screenings of *Do the Right Thing* and *Blindspotting*, explores how cinema can reveal structural racism, foster dialogue, and ignite transformation towards healing and reconciliation. These conversations in our faith communities aren’t optional; they are the gospel. The evening of February 8 features a film screening and panel discussion on Spike Lee's *Do the Right Thing* that is free and open to all. Trinity parishioners and staff are eligible for an inclusive discount to the February 9 conference; contact christianformation@trinitywallstreet.org for the promo code. Learn more and register for the full conference at trinitywallstreet.org/unseen2019.

Young Adults Dinner and Conversation
6:30pm, Tuesday, February 12, Parish Center
Young Adults (20s and 30s) are invited to dinner and conversation with Kathy Bozzuti-Jones about “What does love require of me?” Please bring $5 to contribute to dinner. RSVP to Young_Adults@trinitywallstreet.org.

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: The west window has been removed; the trenching of the floors and chopping of the walls is complete and conduit is being laid in those spaces; HVAC duct work is beginning in the south side aisle. Want to see the rejuvenation up close? You can follow the work at trinitywallstreet.org/rejuvenation.

2019 Giving Campaign Continues
There’s still time to make your 2019 stewardship pledge to Trinity. You can pick up stewardship brochures, pledge cards, and return envelopes near the entrances of Trinity’s Chapel of All Saints and St. Paul’s Chapel, or pledge online at trinitywallstreet.org/give. Information: Mother Beth Blunt at eblunt@trinitywallstreet.org or 646.216.6482.
The Sisters are In  
10:30-11:45am, weekdays, Chapel of All Saints
A Sister of St. Margaret is available for anyone who needs to talk, pray, or just sit with someone.

IN OUR PRAYERS

2019-2020 Discernment Process for the Election of Trinity Wall Street Vestry Members

The Annual Vestry Election will be held on April 23, 2019, Easter Tuesday, as specified under the 1697 Charter. January 20, 2019 through April 23, 2019 is the period of discernment where potential Vestry members of Trinity parish are identified and proposed both for the 2019 election slate, as well as for future years. The discernment process is as follows:

- Any eligible member of the congregation* may submit recommendations to the Parish Nominating Committee.
- All recommendations must be received in writing no later than February 3, 2019. The recommendations must be submitted with biographical information and should identify the person or persons making the recommendations. For recommendations submitted by letter, please send to the Parish Nominating Committee c/o Mike Hogan, 120 Broadway, New York, NY 10271 or by email sent to mhogan@trinitywallstreet.org. Suggested candidates must be Episcopal and bring specific skills or knowledge to the parish.
- The Parish Nominating Committee will review all recommendations for vacant Vestry positions for 2019-2020. The final slate of candidates will be identified by April 5, 2019.
- During the week of April 8, 2019, a mail ballot form, accompanying biographical information, along with a pre-paid envelope will be mailed to all eligible parishioners.* The ballot and pre-paid return envelopes also will be available in both St. Paul’s Chapel and the Chapel of All Saints at each service until the election starting on April 8, 2019.
- Vestry Election Day is April 23, 2019. In-person voting will be from 4pm to 8pm in St. Paul’s Chapel. Mail ballots must be received before 8pm on Tuesday, April 23. The results will be announced on the website the next morning and at the Sunday services following the election.

* All members of the parish who are 18 years or older, have officially enrolled in the parish registry, have taken Holy Communion within the preceding year (April 2018-April 2019) and have contributed to the support of the Parish in any documented amount within the preceding year (April 2018-April 2019) are eligible to make recommendations and vote in the Vestry election. The register of eligible voters is available for inspection in the Office of the Rector, 120 Broadway, 38th floor, and a member of the congregation may confirm that his or her name is included on the register by emailing mhogan@trinitywallstreet.org. Registration can also be done on election day upon application to the Rector upon proving the above-mentioned qualifications.

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); David Henry; Susan, Amy, and Kenzie Cohen (friends of Ellen and Henry Andrews); Robert Goodman (father of Melissa Goodman); Darlene Colon (cousin of Lenore Rivera); Trevisan and Pivetta families; Henry Loua and Alice Guillou (family of Alfred Loua); Gloria Stanke and Donna Stanke (relatives of Catherine Stanke); Suzanne Englund (niece of Don and Lee Englund); Janitz Valero, Journalen and Marlon Valbuena, Lyndonna M., Sam Cabuenas, Nerve Valero, Virginia Valero, and Thomas James (family and friends of Janitz Valero; Margaret La Rosa; Frederic and Louise Welsh (parents of Robin Welsh); Goulbourne Browne; Lonny Shockley; Patrick Gallagher (friend of Lonny Shockley); Michelle Oosterwal (Melba Duncan’ daughter); Grant Kennon (son of Genie Kennon); Sandra Guja and Stella Brosius; Boris Moran (Stephanie Chrispin’s brother-in-law); Ann Mugavero and the Rev. Thomas Mugavero (Amy Mugavero’s parents); Maria Siraguasa (family of Martha Graham); Richard Wallace (Madeline Long’s cousin); Carter Santo (John McCann’s cousin); Douglass Milburry (Lee Englund’s brother); Candida Rodriguez (Lillian Martir’s mother); Dan Woolley (Valerie Thurab’s uncle).

Departed: Frederic Burnham (former director of Trinity Institute); Ruby Woolley (Valerie Thurab’s aunt).
IN THE MILITARY
Oliver Barnyak (Alex Burns’ friend); Randall Middleton, Christine, and Sean Reardon (Evadné Hodge’s friends); Paul Watson; Peter Martinez (Beverly Ffolkes-Bryant’s friend); Michael Dunn; Gen. Cameron Holt (Katie Basquin’s friend); Zane Kupper; Margo Protain (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

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 COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Congregational Council:
congregationalcouncil@trinitywallstreet.org. Meets 6-8pm, the third Tuesday of the month. The next meeting is February 19 in the Chapel of All Saints.
RSVP: Summerlee Staten at sstaten@trinitywallstreet.org.

Ministry Night will be held at 6pm, the fourth Tuesdays in September and January. The next ministry night will be September 24 at St. Paul’s Chapel. RSVP: Summerlee Staten at sstaten@trinitywallstreet.org.

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.

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