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Sunday Services

9:30 AM English Service 9:30 AM Servicio en inglés 上午9:30 英文崇拜

11:00AM Chinese Service: 11:00AM Servicio en chino 1:00PM Spanish Service 1:00PM Servicio en español 下午1:00 西班牙文崇拜

上午11:00 中文崇拜

Wednesday Services

Chinese Service 10:00AM 10:00AM Servicio en chino

中文崇拜 上午10:00

Thursday Morning Prayer

10:00AM English, in the Chapel

'All are welcome!



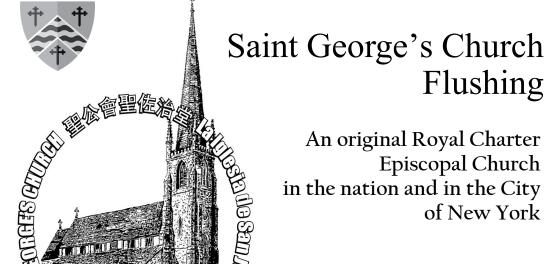
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3:28 Galatians all one in Christ Jesus You are

Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Trilingual Service September 8th, 2024 11:00 AM



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Welcome to St. George's

Welcome! Whoever you are, whatever your origin, wherever you are in your spiritual pilgrimage, you are one of us: *a child of God*.

St. George's Parish is a Christian community that celebrates the wondrous diversity of God's people; we are an inter-cultural church where worship is offered each week in three languages: English, Mandarin and Spanish.

We trust that God has called you here today. Please complete a visitor's envelope so we can tell you more about St. George's.

If you are unfamiliar with the pattern of worship in the Episcopal Church, simply relax in the liturgy and allow the rest of those present to carry you along in your worship, participate and be comfortable. You are invited to share Holy Communion with the congregation and we hope you will come to the coffee hour in the Parish Hall following this service.

Once again, welcome to this very old church that ministers in the present for the sake of a vibrant and faithful future.

In preparation for worship please silence all cell phones.

Sunday September 8th, 2024

A Big Welcome To All Who Visit Us This Morning!

Intentions for intercession

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: For the Anglican Communion

Diocesan Cycle: For the Diocese of Long Island

Archbishop of Canterbury Justin Welby, Presiding Bishop Michael Curry, newly elected

Presiding Bishop Rt. Rev. Sean Rowe, Diocesan Bishop Lawrence Provenzano.

Assisting Bishops Geralyn Wolf and William Franklin, Daniel Allotey.

Our Parish Clergy Fr. Paul Xie, Rev. Carrie Lu Zhang.

We remember in our prayers for healing of Body, Mind and Spirit the following persons:

Lida Watson, Kevin Pilgrim, Kenny Brown, Pauline Kelly, Emma Morales,

Robert Paul Ramirez, Gladys Gonzalez, Lois Newland, Shirley Wee, Henry Chang,

Alison Murray, Desmond Chambers, Debbie Rainford, Deshaine Rainford,

Dwight Phillips, Candice Mothersille, Beverly Dixon, Olga Gooding, Hilary Mears,

Rebecca Gardner, Winnifred Barnett, Muriel Paisley-Prawl & Eric Prawl,

Paramjit Mahta, Ava Clarke, Blaise Scalsi, Keith & Marie Brashaw, The Labi Family,

Gloria Harrison, Edward Johnson, Floyd Bloomfield, Maximilian Henry,

Rohan Singh, Tiffany Grajales, Demetrius Philips, Sangra Singh and Paula Mesquita.

*** Homecoming Sunday is today. We will have BBQ after trilingual service. Welcome to join us!



Sermon

The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358

The Prayers of the People Form IV

BCP p. 338

Confession of Sin

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Peace

Presentation

54 (LEVS II)

THE LITURGY OF EUCHARISTY

Sanctus and Benedictus - \$ 125

The Lord's Prayer - \$119

Plainchant

Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem - S 164

Communion Hymn - 146 (LEVS II) & 671

The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A

Post Communion Prayer

Blessing

Hymn in Procession 525

Postlude

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Prelude

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Schubert

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Gathering and Entrance Rites

Hymn in Procession - 427

Holy Eucharist: Rite II

BCP355

Gloria in Excelsis Deo

S 280

Collect of the Day

Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always resist the proud who confide in their own strength, so you never forsake those who make their boast of your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 35:4-7a

Say to those who are of a fearful heart, "Be strong, do not fear! Here is your God. He will come with vengeance, with terrible recompense. He will come and save you." Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped; then the lame shall leap like a deer, and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy. For waters shall break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert; the burning sand shall become a pool, and the thirsty ground springs of water.

Psalm: 146

- Hallelujah! Praise the Lord, O my soul! I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.
- 2 Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth, for there is no help in them.
- When they breathe their last, they return to earth, and in that day their thoughts perish.
- Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! whose hope is in the Lord their God;
- Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; who keeps his promise for ever;
- Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, and food to those who hunger.
- 7 The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind; the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;
- The Lord loves the righteous; the Lord cares for the stranger; he sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked.
- The Lord shall reign for ever, your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah!

The Second Reading

James 2:1-10, 14-17

My brothers and sisters, do you with your acts of favoritism really believe in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ? For if a person with gold rings and in fine clothes comes into your assembly, and if a poor person in dirty clothes also comes in, and if you take notice of the one wearing the fine clothes and say, "Have a seat here, please," while to the one who is poor you say, "Stand there," or, "Sit at my feet," have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Has not God chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith and to be heirs of the kingdom that he has promised to those who love him? But you have dishonored the poor. Is it not the rich who oppress you? Is it not they who drag you into court? Is it not they who blaspheme the excellent name that was invoked over

you? You do well if you really fulfill the royal law according to the scripture, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." But if you show partiality, you commit sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become accountable for all of it. What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill," and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

The Gospel Acclamation

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The Holy Gospel:

Mark 7:24-37

From there he set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophoenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, "Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs." But she answered him, "Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs." Then he said to her, "For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter." So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone. Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue. Then looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, "Ephphatha," that is, "Be opened." And immediately his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. They were astounded beyond measure, saying, "He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak."