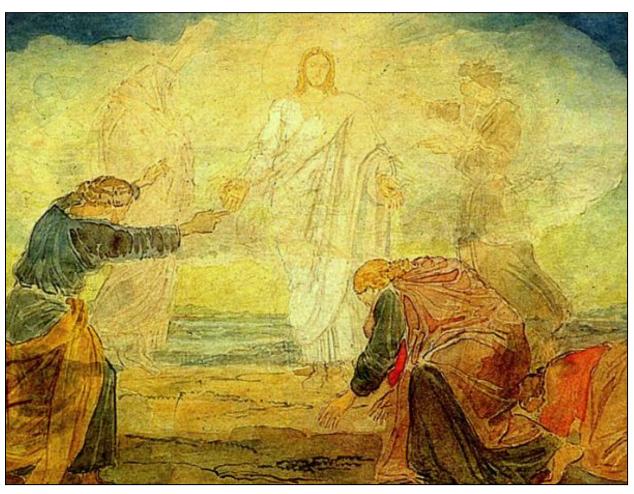


# St James Cathedral

Restore. Reimagine. Rebuild.



"Transfiguration" by Alexander Andreyevich Ivanov

# Holy Eucharist Last Sunday after Epiphany March 2, 2025 at 11 a.m.



# Welcome to St. James Cathedral!

Whether you are visiting or are a regular worshipper, you're not just welcome at St. James – you belong! This booklet contains everything you need to worship with us today. If you would like to learn about the mission and ministry of the cathedral, please complete one of the visitor cards available in the rear of the chapel and place it in the offering plate or hand it to a clergy person.

#### CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

Children are always welcome at St. James. We also offer nursery care with a changing station for parents of our youngest members. There is an open space to the front right of the pews for children to play under your supervision.

#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

We offer God's gracious gift of Holy Communion to anyone who wishes to receive it. If you prefer to receive a blessing, come forward and cross your arms over your chest. Let the priest or minister know if you would need a gluten-free wafer or alcohol-free wine. We are also happy to bring Communion to you if you are unable to come to the altar rail. Please let a priest know if this would be helpful for you.

#### **PARKING**

On Sundays, reduced-rate parking is available at R.O.W. Parking Garage (50 E. Ohio) for \$2 for up to six hours from the time of entering the garage. Discounts are also available for all-day parking at Ohio Ontario Self Park (33 W. Ontario) for \$10. To receive a reduced-rate parking voucher, please go to the welcome table in the narthex or the reception desk in the Welcome Center.

#### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Restrooms are in the Welcome Center connected to the east end of the cathedral and below the front entrance of the cathedral.

#### LIVE-STREAM NOTICE

A reminder this public service will be live-streamed and your image or the image of any children or vulnerable adults in your care may appear in the video. By your entry and presence in this service, you agree on behalf of yourself and any children or vulnerable adults attending with you to be photographed, filmed, and/or otherwise recorded, and also agree to our use of such images in any and all media.

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James,

Lisa Hackney James

Dean of the Cathedral

## Gathering

**VOLUNTARY** 

"Alléluias sereins d'une âme qui désire le ciel from L'Ascension

Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)

(Serene Alleluias of a Soul that Longs for the Heavens)

Please stand. **INTROIT HYMN** Hymnal 137 O O type! sion With Mo and E li jah nigh the in nate ses car With shin ing face and bright ar ray, Christ deigns to And faith ful hearts are raised on high by this great with the e 0 Fa ther, nal Son, and Ho ter ly the Church which Christ the share, up may on from Lord holds con verse high; and the cloud, the i day what glo shall be fest to ry which sion's for joy ful mys in ter y; Spi rit, ev One, vouch safe to bring er us moun - tain shows, where bright er than the sun he glows! the Son. Ho One bears re cord to ly on theirs bove who God with fect love. joy in per 4 strains raise the of prayer, the hymn praise. voice of by thy thy glo face face. grace see ry to

Words: Latin, 15th cent.; tr. Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1861, after John Mason Neale (1848–1866), alt.

Music: Wareham, melody William Knapp (1698-1768); alt.; harm. Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1875, after James Turle (1802-1882)

#### **OPENING ACCLAMATION**

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

All And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The presider welcomes the people to the service.

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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

The presider pronounces God's forgiveness.

#### GLORIA from Communion Service in E

Harold Darke (1888-1976)

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

#### COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

Please be seated.

# Liturgy of the Word

#### FIRST READING

A Reading from the Book of Exodus. (34:29–35)

As Moses came down from Mount Sinai with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, he did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

The Word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

The choir sings

PSALM 99

William H. Longhurst (1819–1904)

The Lord is King; let the people tremble; he is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.

The Lord is great in Zion; he is high above all peoples.

Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; he is the Holy One.

"O mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before his footstool; he is the Holy One.

Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, they called upon the Lord, and he answered them.

He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them. O Lord our God, you answered them indeed; you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds.

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and worship him upon his holy hill; for the Lord our God is the Holy One.

#### SECOND READING

A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians. (3:12-4:2)

Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

The Word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

#### GRADUAL HYMN Hymnal 129



Words: Brian A. Wren (b. 1936)

Music: Mowsley, Cyril Vincent Taylor (1907-1991)

#### **HOLY GOSPEL**

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. (9:28–43)

All Glory to you, Lord Christ.

About eight days after Peter had acknowledged Jesus as the Christ of God, Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

On the next day, when they had come down from the mountain, a great crowd met him. Just then a man from the crowd shouted, "Teacher, I beg you to look at my son; he is my only child. Suddenly a spirit seizes him, and all at once he shrieks. It convulses him until he foams at the mouth; it mauls him and will scarcely leave him. I begged your disciples to cast it out, but they could not." Jesus answered, "You faithless and perverse generation, how much longer must I be with you and bear with you? Bring your son here." While he was coming, the demon dashed him to the ground in convulsions. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the boy, and gave him back to his father. And all were astounded at the greatness of God.

The Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**SERMON** 

The Rev. A. Frank Donaghue

Priest Associate

In 325, the first ecumenical council of the Church established the Nicene Creed as a universal statement of faith for every Christian. Through the 20th century, international ecumenical councils, biblical scholars, and language experts worked together to achieve the most accurate English translation. In 2018, The Episcopal Church voted to include this version in our prayer book to reclaim the original meaning of the Nicene Creed. Notice, for example, that original Creed stated that the divine Jesus was made an incarnate human through the Holy Spirit and Mary, therefore that language is restored in this version.

Please stand.

#### **NICENE CREED**

We believe in one God, 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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. 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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

After each petition, the response is

Reader Lord, in your mercy,
All Hear our prayer.

The presider concludes, praying

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **PFACE**

The presider says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All And also with you.

The people greet each other in the name of the Lord.

# Holy Communion

#### **OFFERTORY**



Your offering supports the ongoing mission of St. James Cathedral, including the St. James Meals, Meals Among Us, and Summer in the City. Contributions are welcome online at SaintJamesCathedral.org/give by scanning the QR code, texting "SJC" to 73256, or you may place checks and cash in the collection plate.

# The choir sings OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Resplenduit facies ejus sicut sol, vestimenta autem ejus facta sunt alba sicut nix.
Et ecce apparuerunt illis
Moyses et Elias, loquentes cum Jesu.
Alleluia.

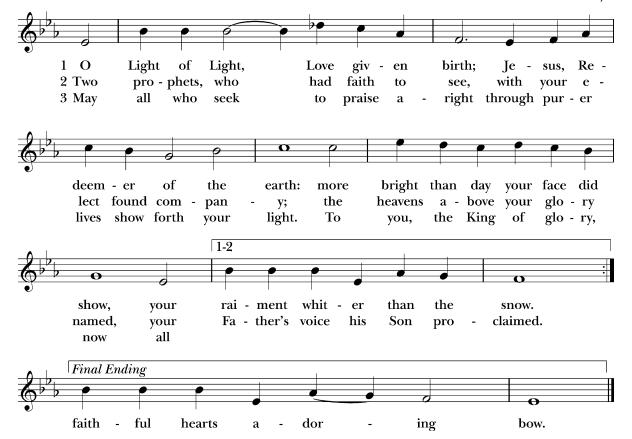
Tomás Luis de Victoria (c. 1548–1611)

His face shone like the sun, and his clothes likewise became as white as snow.

And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, speaking with Jesus. Alleluia.

#### **OFFERTORY HYMN**

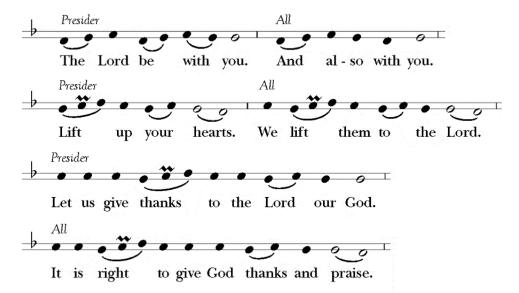
Hymnal 133



Words: Latin, 10th cent.; tr. Laurence Housman (1865–1959), alt.

Music: Elmhurst, Cary Ratcliff (b. 1953)

#### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**



It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; 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 your son Jesus Christ our Lord. 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:

#### The choir sings

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS from Communion Service in E

Darke

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy Glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

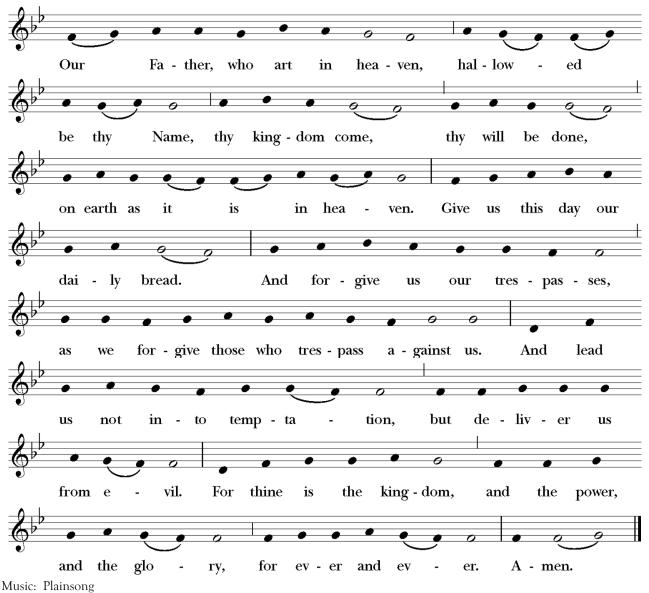
Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

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. **Amen.** 

LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal S119

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,



#### BREAKING OF THE BREAD

A period of silence is kept.

#### AGNUS DEI from Communion Service in E

Darke

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

The presider says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

We offer God's gracious gift of Holy Communion to anyone who wishes to receive it. Please come forward to the communion rail to receive the bread. Let the priest know if you would prefer a gluten-free wafer. If you prefer to receive a blessing from the priest, simply cross your arms over your chest.

All are invited to receive the chalice at the standing station at the side aisle as you return to your seat. Please let the chalice minster know if you would prefer to receive alcohol-free wine.

The choir sings

#### COMMUNION ANTHEM

T. Frederick Candlyn (1892-1964)

Christ, whose glory fills the skies, Christ, the true and only Light, Sun of righteousness, arise! Triumph o'er the shades of night; Day-spring from on high, be near; Day star, in my heart appear. Dark and cheerless is the morn unaccompanied by thee; joyless is the day's return, till thy Mercy's beams I see, till they inward light impart, glad my eyes, and warm my heart. Visit then this soul of mine! Pierce the gloom of sin and grief! Fill me, Radiancy Divine, scatter all my unbelief;

more and more thyself display, shining to the perfect day. Amen.

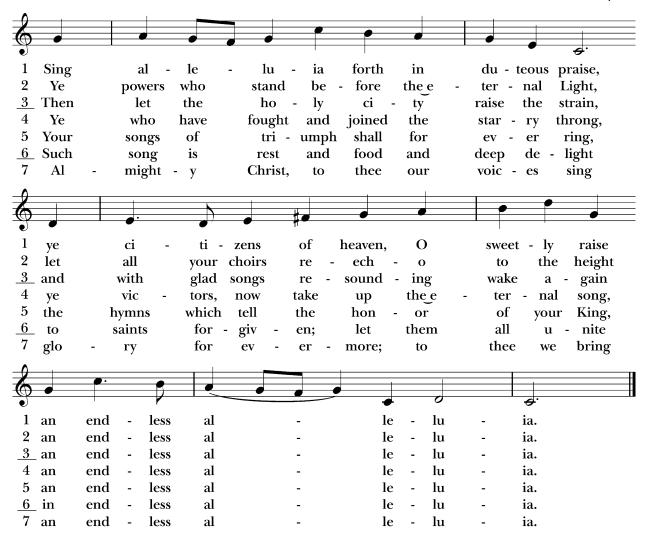
- Charles Wesley

#### POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Please stand. The presider says

Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Words: Latin, 5th-8th cent.; ver. Hymnal 1940 Music: Martins, Percy Carter Buck (1871-1947)

#### THE ST. JAMES CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PRAYER

The presider says

Let us pray.

Faithful God,

you call us to be living stones in a spiritual temple. Bless the mission and outreach of this cathedral church.

By the power of your Holy Spirit, enable us confidently to restore its fabric, trustfully to reimagine our vocation, and boldly to renew our ministries in your name.

Make this place a house in which your love dwells and in which all your people find welcome.

Grant this, we pray, through the One who leads us ever onwards in your service, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

#### **BLESSING**

The presider prays for God's blessing on the gathered people.

#### DISMISSAL

Presider Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

Alleluyas

Simon Preston (1938-2022)

#### IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

FOR THOSE COMMENDED TO THE PRAYER OF THE CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY: Brenda, Ellen, Richard, Ginger, Jane, John, Loya, Andronica, Ibukun, Ted, Bill, Nancy, Lois, Bob, Mary, Scott, Hazel, Hollis, Shari, Fran, Sara Jane, Frederick, Yvonne, Nate, Joan, Sandra, Lee, John, Paul, Greg, Tom, Ann, Kaye, Dan, Jackie

For those who have died and have been commended to the prayers of the cathedral community:  $Vinnie\ Orpen$ 

FOR ALL THOSE WHO DIED BY GUN VIOLENCE IN CHICAGO IN THE PAST WEEK, INCLUDING: Teone, Kenliada, Andre, Alfred

DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE: For our bishop, Paula, our Presiding Bishop, Sean; Congregations in the Chicago-South Deanery: St. Paul & the Redeemer in Chicago; St. Thomas in Chicago; Santa Teresa in Chicago; Trinity in Chicago Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk: La Ascención in Veracruz; St. Michael in Geiger Centre

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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#### THIS WEEK

SCHEDULE Visit *SaintJamesCathedral.org/Schedule* to see the worship and formation schedule.



ASH WEDNESDAY Next Wednesday is Ash Wednesday – Services at 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., and 6:30 p.m. Childcare is available at the 6:30 p.m. service. No evening formation is offered this week.

BOOK GROUP This month we are reading *The Stranger in the Lifeboat* by Mitch Albom. We meet <u>Tuesday, March 4</u> at 6:30 p.m. in Room 210.

MORNING PRAYER ON ZOOM every weekday at 9:00 a.m. Every Monday through Friday at 9:00 a.m., join us from the comfort of your home as we start off our day with prayer together. The Zoom Morning Prayer Link can be found on our website and the Sermon of the Day emails.

FORMATION Sundays at 10:00 a.m. in Kyle's Place: This Sunday, March 2, is the final Sunday in our series on how we try to put into practice being the people Christ calls us to be in the world. We will be thinking theologically about how we design documents like Church By-Laws, blending the spiritual and the practical. Beginning the next Sunday, March 9, we will begin a new Sunday Forum series for Lent. Stay tuned for more details.

CONFIRMATION If you are interested in knowing more about Confirmation or being Confirmed, Received, or Reaffirmed, please contact The Rev. Canon Steven Balke.



sung by the Cathedral Choir & Choristers

## SUNDAY, MARCH 2 AT 4 P.M.

The Rt. Rev. Paula E. Clark, Bishop of Chicago will preach and preside. Festive reception to follow.

#### LITURGICAL MINISTERS

PRESIDER: The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James PREACHER: The Rev. A. Frank Donaghue ASSISTING: The Rev. Canon Steven Balke

WORSHIP SCHEDULE			
SUNDAYS	8 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Spoken)	Chapel
	9 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Family)	Cathedral
	11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Choral)	Cathedral
		Live-Stream Service (see enews, website, or YouTube)	
FIRST SUNDAYS	4 p.m.	Choral Evensong (Oct-June)	Cathedral
WEEKDAYS	9 a.m.	Morning Prayer (see enews, or website)	Zoom
	12:10 p.m.	Holy Eucharist	Cathedral
	5:45 p.m.	Choral Evensong (Wednesdays, Sept-June)	Cathedral

#### **CLERGY & STAFF**

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The Rev. Canon Christopher Griffin, Community Partnerships

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The Rev. A. Frank Donaghue, Priest Associate

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