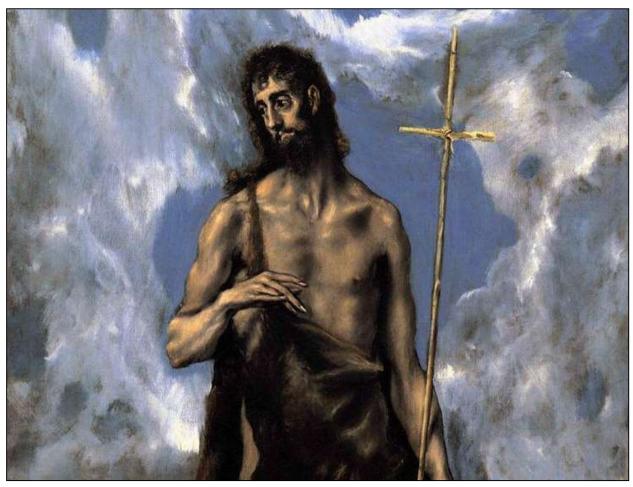


St James Cathedral

Restore. Reimagine. Rebuild.



"John the Baptist" by El Greco

Holy Eucharist & Holy Baptism Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 1, 2023 at 9 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 here, and this service is designed to actively engage them in worship. There is an open space to the front right of the pews for children 5 and under to play under your supervision and a changing station for parents of our youngest members under the church in the restrooms.

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. 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 Center desk in the narthex.

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.

GET INVOLVED

There are a variety of ways to become involved, whether you are a committed follower of Christ, an occasional visitor who appreciates our programming, or fall somewhere in between. Refreshments are available after the service, where we look forward to getting to know you and helping you connect with this vibrant and historic community!

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James,

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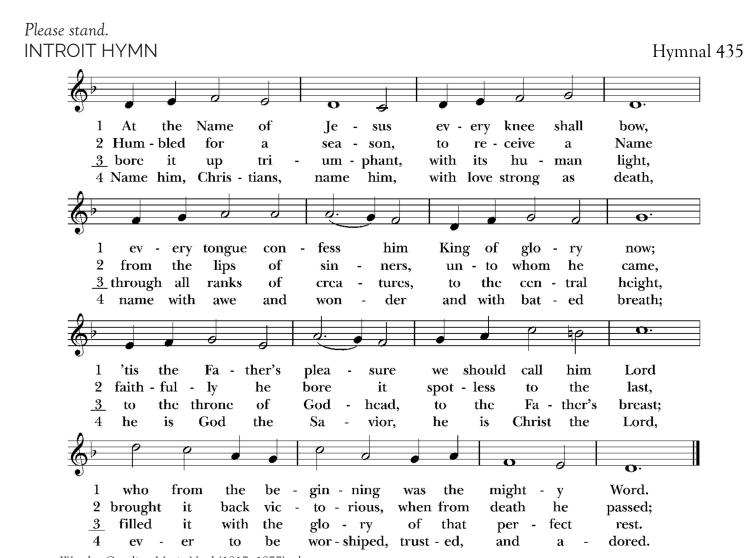
Provost of the Cathedral



THIS WEEK'S ENEWS

Gathering

VOLUNTARY



Words: Caroline Maria Noel (1817-1877), alt.

Music: King's Weston, Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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

Presider There is one Body and one Spirit;

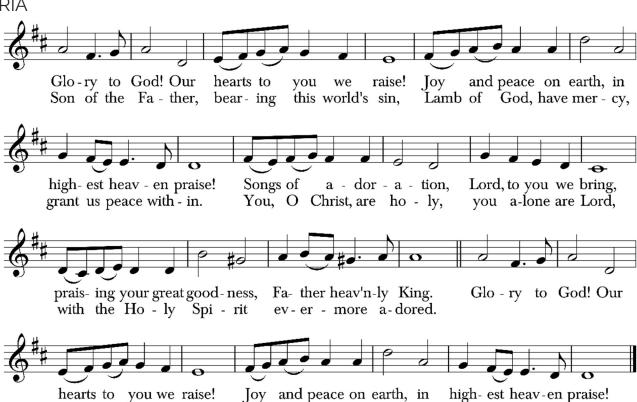
All There is one hope in God's call to us;

Presider One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

All One God and Father of all.

The presider welcomes the people to the service.

GLORIA



Words: Edwin Le Grice (1911-1992)

Music: Judas Maccabeus, George Frederic Handel (1685–1759)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God be with you.

All And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Philippians. (2:1–13)

Christ encourages you, and his love comforts you. God's Spirit unites you, and you are concerned for others. Now make me completely happy! Live in harmony by showing love for each other. Be united in what you think, as if you were only one person. Don't be jealous or proud, but be humble and consider others more important than yourselves. Care about them as much as you care about yourselves and think the same way that Christ Jesus thought: Christ was truly God. But he did not try to remain equal with God. Instead he gave up everything and became a slave, when he became like one of us.

Christ was humble. He obeyed God and even died on a cross. Then God gave Christ the highest place and honored his name above all others.

So at the name of Jesus everyone will bow down, those in heaven, on earth, and under the earth. And to the glory of God the Father everyone will openly agree, "Jesus Christ is Lord!"

My dear friends, you always obeyed when I was with you. Now that I am away, you should obey even more. So work with fear and trembling to discover what it really means to be saved. God is working in you to make you willing and able to obey him.

The Word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

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ALLELUIA

As the Gospeller carries the Gospel book past the play area, all children are encouraged to join in the procession, gathering around as the Gospel is read.



Music: Caribbean traditional, arr. John L. Bell (b. 1949)

HOLY GOSPEL

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. (21:28–32) All Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "Tell me what you think about this: A man had two sons. He went to the first son and said, 'Son, go and work today in my vineyard.' The son answered, 'I will not go.' But later the son changed his mind and went. Then the father went to the other son and said, 'Son, go and work today in my vineyard.' The son answered, 'Yes, sir, I will go and work,' but he did not go. Which of the two sons obeyed his father?" The priests and leaders answered, "The first son."

Jesus said to them, "I tell you the truth, tax collectors and sinners will enter the kingdom of God before you do. John came to show you the right way to live. You did not believe him, but they believed him. Even after seeing this, you still refused to change your ways and believe him."

The Gospel of the Lord.

All Praise to you, Lord Christ.

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SERMON

The Rev. Canon Steven Balke Canon for Pastoral Care & Outreach

Rite of Holy Baptism

PRESENTATION OF THE BAPTISMAL CANDIDATE

Presider The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Presenters We present Theodore William Shelton to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

The parents and godparents are asked on behalf of the candidate,

Presider Parents and godparents, will you be responsible for seeing that Theo is brought up

in the Christian faith and life?

Presenters I will, with God's help.

Presider Will you by your prayers and witness help Theo to grow into the full stature of

Christ?

Presenters I will, with God's help.

EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATE

Please remain seated. The presider asks the presenters

Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against

God?

Presenters I renounce them.

Presider Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the

creatures of God?

Presenters I renounce them.

Presider Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Presenters I renounce them.

Presider Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

Presenters I do.

Presider Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Presenters I do.

Presider Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

Presenters I do.

Please stand.

The presider addresses the congregation, saying

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support Theo in his life in

Christ?

All We will.

Presider Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own

baptismal covenant.

BAPTISMAL COVENANT

Presider Do you believe in God the Father?

All I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Presider Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

All I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord. He was conceived by the power of

the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the

Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Presider Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

All I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Presider Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the

bread, and in the prayers?

All I will with God's help.

Presider Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and

return to the Lord?

All I will with God's help.

Presider Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

All I will with God's help.

Presider Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

All I will with God's help.

Presider Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of

every human being?

All I will with God's help.

PRAYERS

Presider Let us now pray for Theo, who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

Leader Deliver him, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Open his heart to your grace and truth.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Fill him with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Keep him in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Teach him to love others in the power of the Spirit.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Send him into the world in witness to your love.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader Bring him to the fullness of your peace and glory.

All Lord, hear our prayer.

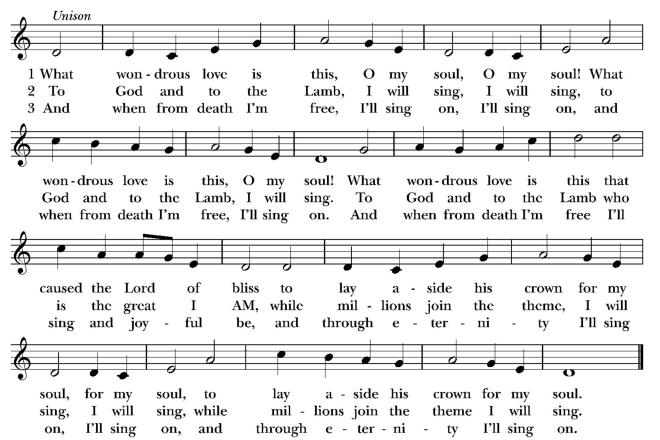
Presider Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son

may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory;

who lives and reigns now and forever. Amen.

PROCESSION TO THE FONT

Hymnal 439



Words: American folk hymn, ca. 1835

Music: Wondrous Love, from The Southern Harmony, 1835; alt.

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

Presider The Lord be with you.
All And also with you.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All It is right to give God thanks and praise.

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The presider pours water over the candidate, saying

Theodore William, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The presider anoints the candidate with the Oil of Chrism, saying

Theo, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever. **Amen.**

The presider prays for the candidate, saying

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon Theo the forgiveness of sin, and have raised him to the new life of grace. Sustain him O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give him an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

All We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

PEACE

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

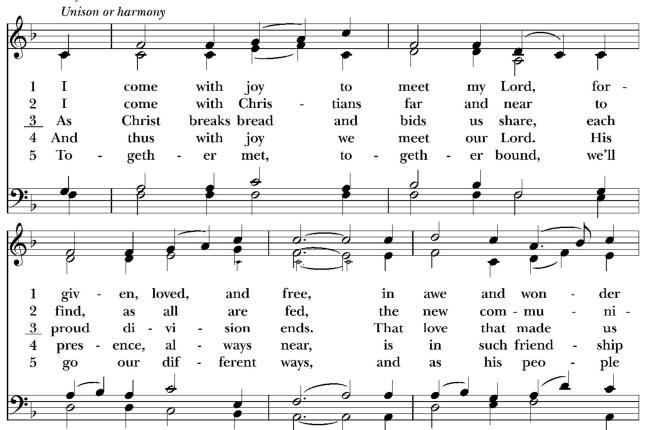
Your offering supports the ongoing mission of St. James Cathedral, including the St. James Meals, Meals Among Us, and Summer in the City. <u>Contributions are welcome online</u> at SaintJamesCathedral.org/give, by texting "SJC" to 73256, or you may place checks and cash in the collection plate.

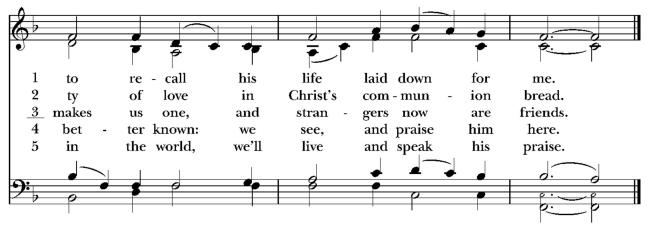
Please stand.

OFFERTORY HYMN

Hymnal 304

Once the ushers have brought up the collection to the altar, all children and guardians are invited to gather around the altar for Communion.





Words: Brian A. Wren (b. 1936), alt.

Music: Land of Rest, American folk melody; adapt. and harm. Annabel Morris Buchanan (1889-1983)

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Presider God be with you.

All And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Reader Why is it right to give God thanks and praise?

All Listen, and we will hear.

Lord of all life, you created the universe, where all living things reflect your glory. You give us this great and beautiful earth, to discover and to cherish. You give us friends and families busy streets for young and old, the life of an earthly city fulfilled in your city to come. You made us all, each wonderfully different, to join with the angels and sing your praise:



We thank you, loving Father, because, when we turned away, you sent Jesus, your Son. He gave his life for us on the cross and shows us the way to live. Send your Holy Spirit that these gifts of bread and wine may be for us Christ's body and his blood.

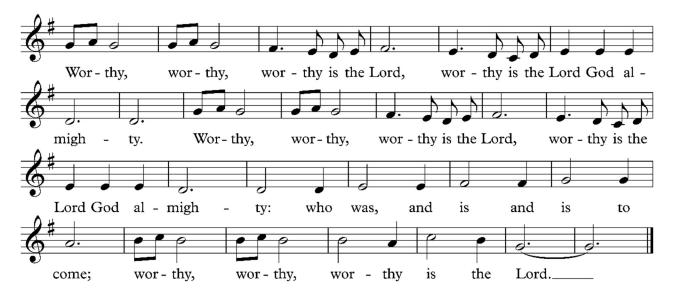
Reader Why do we share this bread and wine?

All Listen, and we will hear.

On the night before he died, when darkness had fallen, Jesus took bread. He gave thanks, broke it, and shared it with his disciples, saying: "This is my body, given for you. Do this to remember me."

After they had eaten, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and shared it with his disciples, saying: "This is my blood, poured out for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins."

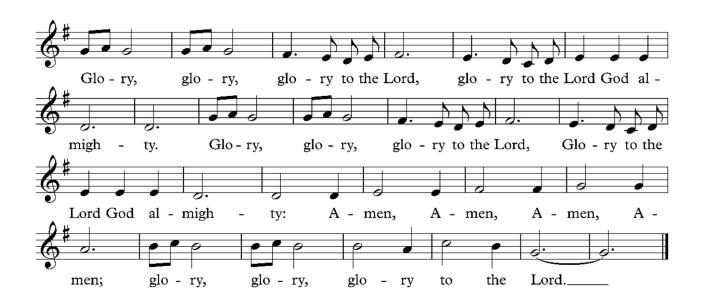
So Father, with this bread and this cup we celebrate his love, his death, his risen life. As you feed us with these gifts, send your Holy Spirit, and change us more and more to be like Jesus our Savior.

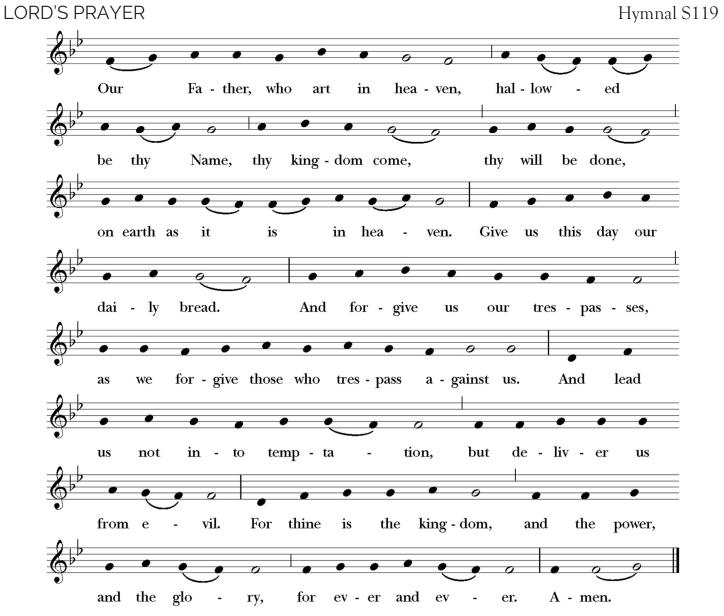


Reader How do we follow Jesus Christ?

All Listen, and we will hear.

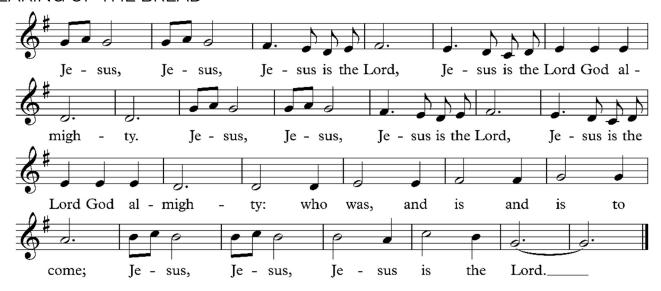
Help us, Father, to love one another, as we look forward to that day when suffering is ended, and all creation is gathered in your loving arms. And now with all your saints we give you glory, through Jesus Christ, in the strength of the Spirit, today and for ever.





Music: Plainsong

BREAKING OF THE BREAD



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. If you prefer to receive a blessing, come forward and cross your arms over your chest. Let the priest know if you would prefer a glutenfree wafer.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

This Little Light of Mine

Sung by the Junior Choristers

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: Att. to John Fawcett (1739/40-1817)

Music: Sicilian Mariners, Sicilian melody; first published The European Magazine and London Review, 1792, alt.

The clergy are joined at the altar rail by the candidate and his parents. Handing a candle lighted from the Paschal Candle, the presider says

God has delivered us from the dominion of darkness and has given us a place with the saints in light. Theo, you have received the light of Christ; walk in this light all the days of your life.

All

Shine as a light in the world to the glory of God the Father.

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



ANNOUNCEMENTS

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THIS WEEK

THE FORUM: SEASON OF GRATITUDE In this week's forum, led by the Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James, you'll hear the story of the community of St. James from its beginnings on the muddy banks of the Chicago River to its establishment as the cathedral of the Diocese of Chicago over 100 years later.



THIS WEEK'S ENEWS

CHORAL EVENSONG tonight, October 1 at 4 p.m. The Cathedral choir will sing a setting of the Preces and Responses by Margaret Burk, Director of Choral Activities at Carthage College, and Evening Service in D minor by Walmisley. As a prelude beginning at 3:30 p.m., Canon Director of Music Stephen Buzard will play Trois Danses by Jehan Alain.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS will take place this Saturday, October 7 at 10 a.m. on the Plaza. Join us with your animal friends for blessings, treats, and fellowship with our neighbors.

UPCOMING

1871 CHICAGO FIRE WALKING TOUR Join Sally Sexton Kalmbach, renowned Chicago historian and tour guide, next Sunday, October 8 at 12:30 p.m. to commemorate the anniversary of the Chicago Fire of 1871. Tour will last 90 minutes and costs \$35. All proceeds will go to St. James Outreach Ministries. See the enews or website to sign up.

RECOGNITION OF SUSAN BARRISH'S MINISTRY will be held next Sunday, October 8 following the 11 a.m. service. All are invited to join in Kyle's Place for cake, fellowship, and a time to share our gratitude for Susan's many years of service to the Meals Ministry.

OPEN HOUSE CHICAGO Docents needed! Does your love of St. James intersect with your interest in architecture? Are you friendly? Then you should be a volunteer greeter for Open House Chicago (October 14–15). Architectural and historical expertise are not required. Contact Laura Jenkins at *Laura.M.Jenkins@iCloud.com* or see this week's enews for more information.

PRE-ADVENT JOINT RETREAT WITH ST. MARTIN'S: "WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?" All are welcome to join our next joint retreat with St. Martin's on Saturday, October 28 from 9–3 p.m. here at the Cathedral led by renowned spiritual director Juan Reed. See the enews or website to sign up.

VOCES8 RETURNS TO ST. JAMES on Friday, October 27 at 7:30 p.m. St. James is proud to welcome back this world-renowned ensemble. The program, Draw on Sweet Night, features music by Tallis, Brahms, Pärt, and more! Tickets are on sale now and are expected to sell quickly. Get your tickets at *SaintJamesCathedral.org/VOCES8*.

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

FOR THOSE COMMENDED TO THE PRAYER OF THE CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY: Shirley, Sarah, Brenda, Ellen, Richard, Nancy, Maliha and Nasir, Ginger, Viola, Kelly, Jane, Loya and Andronica, Hailey, Ibukun, Brian, Anne

FOR ALL THOSE WHO DIED BY GUN VIOLENCE IN CHICAGO IN THE PAST WEEK INCLUDING: Timmie, Marquese, Amaris, LaVelle

DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE: Bishop's Staff at St. James Commons: Office of the Bishop; Offices of Operations, Networking, and Ministries; and staff of our Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk

ST. JAMES CAPITAL CAMPAIGN entitled *Restore Reimagine Rebuild* was launched at our Annual Meeting. All parishioners will be contacted with more information on this campaign, but in the meantime you can view the campaign brochure at *SaintJamesCathedral.org/Capital-Campaign*.

"HOME. That's what I think of when I think of St. James. I was attending another church, but when I came to St. James, I felt pulled out of my shell and began to get involved. St. James is more than the music, it is the people, and their acceptance of one another, that is so special."

-Cilla Esiri-Olowopopo, Chapter Member





LITURGICAL MINISTERS

PRESIDER: PREACHER:

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James 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-Jun)	Cathedral
WEEKDAYS	9 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Zoom
		(see enews, or website)	
	12:10 p.m.	Holy Eucharist	Cathedral
	5:45 p.m.	Choral Evensong (Wednesdays, Sept-June) Cathedral	

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