

# St. Paul's by-the-Lake

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# The Third Sunday of Advent Rose Sunday in Advent/Gaudete Sunday

December 11, 2022

8:30a Low Mass and 10:30a Sung Mass

We welcome all who may be visitors this morning, and we hope you will come again to worship God here with us.

Today is the Third Sunday of Advent. Advent is a four-week period of preparation for Christmas. In a spirit of expectation and repentance, we look back to the time before Christ's coming in Bethlehem and look forward to his coming again in glory. It is important that we turn from our sins and prepare to stand before his glorious throne of judgment. Today is traditionally also called **Rose Sunday or Gaudete Sunday (Latin for "Rejoice")**, and marks that we are over halfway through the season.

The Rev'd Fr. Trey Garland, Rector ◆ The Rt. Rev'd Daniel Martins, Bishop in Residence Rev. Abraham Awan, Assisting Priest ◆ Rev. John Burton, Honorary Assistant Rev. Richard Higginbotham, Honorary Assistant ◆ Rev. James Steele, Honorary Assistant Rev. John Heschle, Rector Emeritus ◆ Mr. Mark Law, Organist and Choirmaster Mr. John Ngugi, Catechist ◆ Mr. David Mattocks, Sexton

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# The Order of the Mass

According to the Anglican Service Book

#### The Entrance Rite

Processional and Introit (stand)

Hymn: "Hark! A Thrilling Voice"

Hymn #9

Cantor

Rejoice ye in the Lord, and again I say, rejoice ye; let your moderation be known unto all men, the Lord is at hand: be careful for nothing, nor troubled; but in all things, by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding: shall keep your hearts and minds. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Salutation, Collect for Purity, and Summary of the Law (stand)

ASB 249

**Kyrie Eleison** (stand)

Hymn #747/ASB 250

The Collect of the Day (stand)

ASB 251

The Collect can be found on the Scripture Insert.

## The Liturgy of the Word

The Lessons (sit)
ASB 251

The Readings can be found on the Scripture Insert.

First Lesson Isaiah 35:1-10

Canticle: "The Magnificat" Hymn #658

Second Reading James 5:7-10

Gradual (sit)

Cantor Shew thyself, O LORD, thou that sittest upon the Cherubim: stir up thy strength and come. Hear, O thou

Shepherd of Israel: thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep.

Alleluia (stand)

Cantor Alleluia. Alleluia. Stir up thy strength, O Lord: and come and help us. Alleluia.

The Proclamation of the Gospel (stand)

ASB 252
The Holy Gospel

Matthew 11:2-11

The Homily (sit) Fr. Gormley

The Nicene Creed (stand)

ASB 253

The Prayers of the People, Form I (stand)
ASB 289

(This response is sung after each petition)

Lord, have mer - cy.

Confession of Sin, Absolution, and Comfortable Words (kneel)

eel) ASB 256

Greeting and Announcements (sit)

Lighting of the Advent Wreath (sit)

#### The Liturgy of the Sacrament

Offertory (stand)

Cantor O LORD, thou art become gracious unto thy land; thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob: thou hast forgiven the offence of thy people.

Hymn: "On Jordan's Banks" Hymn #10

Prayers of Preparation (stand)

Presider Blessed art thou, Lord God, King of the Universe. Through thy goodness we have this bread to offer: grain of

the earth and work of human hands. It will become for us the Body of Christ.

People Blessed be God forever.

Presider Blessed art thou, Lord God, King of the Universe. Through thy goodness we have this wine to offer: fruit of

the vine and work of human hands. It will become for us the Cup of Salvation.

People Blessed be God forever.

Orate Fratres (stand) ASB 259

Presider Mass Intentions ... May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in

peace,

People And rise in glory. Amen.

The Sursum Corda (stand)
ASB 260

The Sanctus et Benedictus (stand) Hymn #799/ASB 260

Canon of the Mass (kneel)

ASB 261

The Lord's Prayer and Libera Nos (kneel) Hymn #722/ASB 263

The Peace and the Fraction (kneel)

ASB 263

The Agnus Dei (kneel) Hymn #749/ASB 264

Prayer of Humble Access (kneel) ASB 264

Communion (sit)

Cantor Say to them that are of a fearful heart: Be strong, fear not; behold, your God will come and save you.

All baptized Christians who have been admitted to Holy Communion, are repentant of their sins, and believe in the real presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament are welcome to receive Communion. Anglicans receive on the tongue or in the right hand palm, and by guiding the chalice to their lips. If you do not intend to receive, you may instead come up for a blessing—simply cross your arms over your chest.

After receiving Communion or a blessing at the altar rail, parents may bring their children through the west side aisle to the Library for Sunday School.

Hymn: "O Day of God Draw Nigh"

Hymn #525

Hymn: "Come With Us"

Hymn #201

Post-Communion Prayers and Blessing (kneel)

ASB 266

Closing Hymn (stand)

Hymn: "Lo! He Comes With Clouds Descending" Hymn #5 (2nd tune)

Dismissal (stand) ASB 267

#### Liturgical Notes

St. Paul's liturgy comes from the Anglican Service Book, a worship book that draws on the best of the 1928 and 1979 Books of Common Prayer. Noted as ASB in the bulletin, you can find copies of this black bound book in your pew rack to follow along as we worship.

If kneeling or standing is not possible for you, you may remain seated. And finally, a friendly reminder to please be aware of personal belongings while at church—we recommend you not bring valuables to church and that you never leave your purse or such unattended.

#### Announcements

Sunday School takes place after 10:30a Mass. Children sit with their families during Mass, and after receiving Communion or a blessing, they may go upstairs to the library for the Sunday School lesson.

There are no weekday masses while Fr. Trey is away.

Thank you to all who have made their 2023 pledge. Pledge cards may continue to be turned in to the offering plate. If you did not receive a pledge card or if you need a new one, please speak to an usher.

Welcome to America Pack: If you took the name of an item to purchase for a newly-arrived refugee family, please return these items ASAP. Contact Amanda Torihara (<a href="mailto:children@stpaulsbythelake.org">children@stpaulsbythelake.org</a>) if you have questions.

Join us Saturday, December 24 for Christmas Eve Mass. We will have two Masses: 5:00p and 11:30p. Our 11:30p service will begin with music at 11:15p with a concert by our choir. Christmas Day (Sunday) Mass is at 9:30a.

## Serving at the 10:30a Liturgy

#### Serving Today

Presider & Preacher: Fr. Shane Gormley Organist and Choirmaster: Mark Law Camera/Web Support: Koji Torihara Lector: Emmanuel Lemi

Ushers: John Ngugi, Suzgo Nyirenda

#### Serving Next Week

Lector: Amanda Torihara

Ushers: Polly Zimmerman, Suzgo Nyirenda

#### Our Parish Prayers

The Altar Flowers and the Sanctuary & Shrine Lamps are given today to the greater glory of God by Jenny Glick in loving memory of her dear husband Larry. The sign-up book for alter flowers is in the narthex.

Sick & Shut-in: Fr. Burton, Fr. Higginbotham, Fr. Steele, Fr Garland, Brenda Sharon, Dashall, Peter, Waveney, Mary-Cecelia, Philomena, SuNgay, Judith, Bill, Lillian, Meredith, Janet, Robert, a situation known to God, Gloria, Mother Edith, Ket, Chris, Kimberly, Randall, Jamie

**Birthdays:** Michael Stephens, Adetomiwa Adebambo, Joana Hazelden, Paul Lartey, Kwa Ngay, Rereloluwa Olusoga, Tara Chandra, Charles Nkuku

Anniversary: Jay and Cathy Chandra

On the first of each month, the parish prayer list will be cleared. Please email Fr Garland (rector@stpaulsbythelake.org) to add a name to the prayer list.

### Parish Calendar

Mon	12/12	No Mass	Bl. Jane Frances de Chantal/Our Lady of Guadalupe	
Tue	12/13	No Mass	St. Lucy, m.	
Wed	12/14	No Mass	St. John of the Cross/Ember Day	
Thu	12/15	No Mass	Advent Feria	
Fri	12/16	No Mass	Advent Feria/Ember Day/O Sapientia	
Sat	12/17	10:00a Altar Guil	d Advent Feria/Raising of Lazarus/Ember Day	

#### Sun 12/18 Fourth Sunday of Advent

8:00a Low Mass 10:30a Sung Mass

11:30a Sunday School *(Library)* 12:00p Sudanese Dinka Prayers