

**THE PARISH CHURCH
OF
TRINITY + ST. PHILIP'S CATHEDRAL
IN
THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF NEWARK, NEW JERSEY**



**NOVEMBER 27, 2016
8AM & 10AM HOLY EUCHARIST SERVICE
THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
THE REV. DR. JOHAN JOHNSON
CELEBRANT AND PREACHER**

**THE INTERNATIONAL CATHEDRAL AT 608 BROAD ST. NEWARK, NJ 07102,
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ORDER OF SERVICE

THE 8AM SERVICE - RITE I BEGINS ON PAGE 323 OF THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

THE 10AM SERVICE – RITE II BEGINS ON PAGE 355 OF THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

Today we welcome back as our Celebrant and Preacher The Rev. Dr. Johan Johnson

THE PRELUDE

Wachet Auf

Russell Schultz-Widmar

Leader Today is the First Sunday of Advent, in which we recall the hope we have in Christ.

God told Abraham that through him all the nations of the world would be blessed, because he trusted and put his hope in God. The Old Testament spoke of the coming of Christ, of how a Saviour would be born, a king in the line of King David. He would rule the world wisely and bless all the nations. We too believe in God's promise to send Jesus again to this world to establish his kingdom upon the earth.

(A person lights the First Candle here)

Hope is like a light shining in a dark place. As we look at the light of this candle we celebrate the hope we have in Jesus Christ.

Leader Let us pray.

All God of Abraham and Sarah and all the Patriarchs of old, you are our Father too. Your love is revealed to us in Jesus Christ, Son of God, and Son of David. Help us in preparing to celebrate his birth, to make our hearts ready and to place our hope in you. Help us today and every day to worship you, to hear your word, and to do your will by sharing your hope with others. We ask it in the name of the one who was born in Bethlehem. Amen.

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

O come, o come, Emmanuel (Veni, veni, Emmanuel)
Verses 1-3, 8

H 56

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

The congregation stands as the presiding priest proclaims:

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People **His mercy endures for ever.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

8am
10am

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TRISAGION

S 102

THE OPENING COLLECT

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness and put on the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The congregation is seated for the proclamation of God's word

A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah 2:1-5

The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

In days to come
the mountain of the LORD's house
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be raised above the hills;
all the nations shall stream to it.
Many peoples shall come and say,
'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,
to the house of the God of Jacob;
that he may teach us his ways
and that we may walk in his paths.'
For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.
He shall judge between the nations,
and shall arbitrate for many peoples;
they shall beat their swords into ploughshares,
and their spears into pruning-hooks;
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war any more.

O house of Jacob,
come, let us walk
in the light of the LORD!

8am The Word of the Lord.
10am Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 122

Laetatus sum

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1 I was glad when they said to me*
"Let us go to the house of
the LORD."

2 Now our feet are standing *
within your gates, O Jerusalem.

3 Jerusalem is built as a city *
that is at unity with itself;

Refrain

4 To which the tribes go up,
the tribes of the LORD, *
the assembly of Israel,
to praise the Name of the LORD.

5 For there are the thrones of
judgment, *

the thrones of the house of David.

Refrain

6 Pray for the peace of Jerusalem*

"May they prosper who love you.

7 Peace be within your walls *
and quietness within your towers.

Refrain

8 For my brethren and
companions' sake, *

I pray for your prosperity.

9 Because of the house of
the LORD our God, *

I will seek to do you good."

Refrain

THE EPISTLE

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans 13:11-14

You know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

8am The Word of the Lord.

10am Here what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE GRADUAL HYMN

Sleepers, wake! (Wachet auf)

H 61

(verses 1&2 before the Gospel; verse 3after)

THE GOSPEL READING

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to
Matthew 24:36-44

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said to the disciples, “But about that day and hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. For as the days of Noah were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left. Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

THE REV. DR. JOHAN JOHNSON

THE NICENE CREED

The congregation stands to affirm their faith.

8am

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10am

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We remain standing as we offer our prayers.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

8am

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10am (Form) I

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Praying for our Clergy. Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Mark, our Bishop, Johan our Priest; and all bishops and other ministers;

Praying for our leaders. Barack, our President; Chris our Governor; and Ras our Mayor.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. Especially for **Ryan** Anthony Bailey Jr, **Judith** Bateman, **Grace** Blackwell, **Lisa** Bullock, **Sandra** Burgess, **Florence** Bustamante, **Lurline** Byass, **Clayton** Cable, **E. Corrine** Churchman, **Lucinda** Cranshaw, **Alex** Doughty, **Elizabeth** Edwards, **Ewart** Field, **Raymond** Fushea, **Adrienne** K. Garnes, Gordon C. Gladden, **Rosmarie** Glaspie, The Rev. **David** Hamilton, **Lillian** James, **Anzella** King-Nelms, **Isaiah** Lyman, **Samuel** Macfoy, **Gene and Eva** Massey, **Hilton** Maulsby, **Bernice** Mayes, **Joseph** McGibbons, **Cedric** McPherson, **Mabel** Meyler and Family, **Princess Ann** Millard, **Cynthia** Nelson, **Estelle** Nelson, **Dorothy** Parker, Dr. **Algernon** Phillips, **Florence** K. Quartey, **Wilma** Roberts, **Myrtle** Seymour, **Michael** Schenck, **Alberta** Shelton, **Arlene** Sherman, Ena “**Jennie**” Smith, Bishop Spong, **Sonny and Regina** Summers, **Ethel** Thomas, **Hazel** Lucinda Thomas, **Roger** Watson and **Genetta** Williams.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. John’s Church in Montclair, N.J.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Diocese of Kansas (Province VII, The Episcopal Church).

And for our families, friends, and neighbors.

PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

Celebrant Let us pray.

Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in

giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

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THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

CATHEDRAL ANNOUNCEMENTS PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAY, ANNIVERSARIES, AND FOR THOSE TRAVELING

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY SELECTION

8am

Soon and very soon

L 14

10am

Hark, a Thrilling Voice is Sounding

Greg Matheny

THE SECOND COLLECTION FOR HAITI

DOXOLOGY

Praise God

H 380, verse 3

Celebrant All things come of thee O Lord.

People **And of thine own have we given thee. Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

8am

The Eucharistic Prayer

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The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread

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10am

The Eucharistic Prayer A

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The Lord's Prayer (*sung*)

L 264

The Breaking of the Bread

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SANCTUS

S 114

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord

Hosanna in the highest.

You are invited to either kneel or remain standing for the Great Prayer of Thanksgiving.

ANGUS DEI

S158

Celebrant O Lamb of God, that takes away the sins of the world,
People **have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant O Lamb of God, that takes away the sins of the world,
People **have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant O Lamb of God, that takes away the sins of the world,
People **Grant us thy peace.**

HOLY COMMUNION

The Eucharist is Christ's gift freely given and shared. It is the greatest sacrament of reconciliation that the Church has to offer. All are welcome to come to the Lord's Table. Please allow the ushers to guide you. You may receive Communion standing or kneeling. You may either drink from the cup or the Minister will intinct the host into the wine or the grape juice for you.

Gluten-Free Communion Wafers- Gluten-Free Communion wafers are now available. If any parishioner requires gluten-free hosts, please see one of the ushers.

COMMUNION HYMNS

8am

Taste and See L 154

10am

Taste and See L 154

Soon and very soon L 14

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

8am

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10am

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THE BENEDICTION

THE CLOSING HYMN

Lo! He comes, with clouds descending (Helmsley) H 57

POSTLUDE

Postlude

F. A. Reissiger

THE DISMISSAL

TODAY'S LITURGICAL MINISTERS

8AM

Lector: Carol Jenkins **Intercessor:** Carol Jenkins

Eucharistic Ministers: Genetta Williams

Acolytes: Gloria Carby, Gail Barkley, Pat Churchman, Vanessa Wigfall
and Amber Thompson-Quartey

Ushers: Anthony Smith, Vanessa Hill, and Cynthia Thompson-Quartey

Altar Guild: Lileth Basteani and Judy Ashman-Peterkin

Musician: Dr. Theresa Marshall-Thomas

10AM

Lector: Margaret Lowe **Intercessor:** Gail Barkley

Eucharistic Ministers: Margaret Lowe

Acolytes: Gloria Carby, Gail Barkley, Pat Churchman, Vanessa Wigfall
and Amber Thompson-Quartey

Ushers: Osbourne Williams, Vanessa Hill, Timur Davis, John L Smith

Altar Guild: Carmen Bennett, Minieve Williams and Gail Barkley

Counters: Yvette Garland, Lorna Sargent, Cecille Taylor-Simpson

MISSION STATEMENT

We believe in and strive to serve God. Historic Trinity & St. Philip's Cathedral of the Diocese of Newark is an Episcopal Church within the Anglican Communion, central to the Diocese. Following the example of Jesus Christ, we strive to build our community, to embrace diversity and foster change through spiritual growth, hospitality, Christian formation, and education. We are committed to be a beacon of light and hope to Newark and the greater community.

PRAYER FOR THE CITY OF NEWARK

Almighty God, in your Word you have given us a vision of that Holy City to which the nations of the world bring their glory. Behold and visit we pray the City of Newark. Renew the ties of mutual regard, which form our civic life. Send us honest and able leaders. Enable us to eliminate poverty, prejudice and oppression; that peace may prevail with righteousness, and justice with order, and that men and women from different cultures and with differing talents may find with one another the fulfillment of their humanity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Noonday Service is at 12:10pm every Wednesday.

Dean Sabune is available to meet with members at the Cathedral. Please call for an appointment at 973-622-3505.

The new email for the church office (Celia Pratt-office administrative assistant)
churchoffice@tspcathedral.org

Second Collection

Because of the devastation of Hurricane Matthew on Haiti, there will be a second collection the month of November for the people of Haiti. The money will be divided between Episcopal Relief and Development Fund and Food for the Poor in Haiti.

Save these Dates

- Nov. 29th is the next “Listening Tables” from the Diocese. All are encouraged to attend especially the newly elected Deputies to Convention, and Vestry members.
- Sunday, Dec. 11th, at 3pm, will be “The Memorials to the Lost”. Once again we will draw attention to those victims of gunfire in Newark and Essex County. Each t-shirt will be hung on a cross and have the name of each victim.



2017 Stewardship Pledge

The 2017 Pledge Cards are due no later than Sunday, December 18, 2016. Your generosity is appreciated as we look forward to calling a permanent Dean/Rector.

2016 Attitude of Gratitude Campaign

As a reminder, your four (4) months Attitude of Gratitude contributions are due on Sunday, December 18, 2016. These contributions will assist in closing the financial deficit in the 2016 budget. Envelopes are available in the rear of the church and the ushers are ready to assist in giving you one in the event you cannot locate yours. Please add your name and envelop number to the envelope.

A heartfelt "Thank You" for your responses.

The Stewardship Committee

- December Thursday, Dec. 22nd, will be the Living Nativity starting at 5, 6, and 7pm. Volunteers are needed for this production, so please see the ushers for the for the sign-up sheet for rehearsal dates!
- December 24th is our Christmas Eve Service, with caroling at 10:30pm and the 11pm Holy Eucharist Service.
- December 31st will be our Night Watch Service to ring in the New Year, starting at 10:30pm with caroling, and the 11pm Holy Eucharist Service.
- January 8, 2017 from 4 to 8pm St. Philip's Committee will host their annual Holiday Party. Come join us at the Hanover Manor, at 16 Eagle Rock Ave in E. Hanover, NJ. Tickets are \$65.00. Please make checks payable to St. Philip's Committee.

ADVENT

-The Church begins a new Liturgical year

-Advent lasts for **four weeks**, from the first Sunday of Advent until Christmas Day

-“**Advent**” means “**coming**”.

-The Advent season is a time of prayer and preparation for the feast of Christmas

-Customs of the season include the **Advent Wreath** (3 violet & 1 pink candle) and the **Jesse Tree** (symbols of the family of Jesus)

-Vestments during Advent are **violet**

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The Rt. Rev. Mark M. Beckwith, Bishop

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The Rev. Canon Sandye Wilson

The Rev. Canon John Hartnett

The Rev. Canon Wade Renn

The Rev. Canon Thomas Pike

CLERGY

The Very Rev. Petero A. N. Sabune

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Theophilus Thomas, Fellow Verger

Eric Ofosuhene, Verger

ELECTED LEADERSHIP 2016

Wardens: Gail Barkley and Michael D. James

Clerk - Edith Gallimore Treasurer - Marcia Rogers

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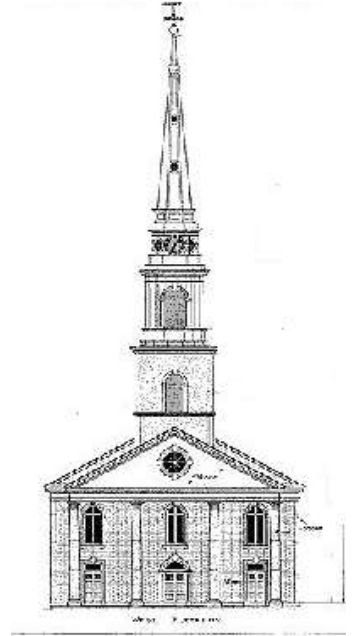
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CATHEDRAL STAFF

Celia Pratt, Administrative Assistant

Waymon Thomas, Cathedral Sexton

Dr. Deborah S. King, Director of Arts Ministry



Cathedral Hours

Wednesday 12:10 Noonday Holy Eucharist Service;

Opened daily for prayer 9am-2pm, M-F

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