

THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



September 6, 2026

10:15

Welcome to St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church!

Thank you for joining us for today's worship service. All visitors are welcome guests!

Please fill out a welcome card from the pews and put it in the offering plate so we can get to know you!

The Soft Space at the front of the church has activities for our youngest members to play.

Restrooms are found via the front left doors of the Sanctuary and through the Cloister – follow the signage!

✠ CHORAL EUCHARIST, RITE II ✠

THE PRELUDE

Sonata No. 3: Adagio

Felix Mendelssohn

The People stand as the procession enters

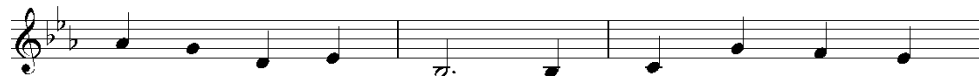
HYMN 653

The Hymnal 1982

REPTON



1 Dear Lord and Fa - ther of man - kind, for -
 2 In sim - ple trust like theirs who heard, be -
 3 O Sab - bath rest by Gal - i - lee! O
 4 Drop thy still dews of qui - et - ness, till
 5 Breathe through the heats of our de - sire thy



1 give our fool - ish ways! Re - clothe us in our
 2 side the Syr - ian sea, the gra - cious call - ing
 3 calm of hills a - bove, where Je - sus knelt to
 4 all our striv - ings cease; take from our souls the
 5 cool - ness and thy balm; let sense be dumb, let



1 right - ful mind, in pur - er lives thy ser - vice find, in
 2 of the Lord, let us, like them, with - out a word, rise
 3 share with thee the si - lence of e - ter - ni - ty in -
 4 strain and stress, and let our or - dered lives con - fess the
 5 flesh re - tire; speak through the earth - quake, wind, and fire, O



1 deep - er rev - erence, praise, in deep - er rev - erence, praise.
 2 up and fol - low thee, rise up and fol - low thee.
 3 ter - pret - ed by love! in - ter - pret - ed by love!
 4 beau - ty of thy peace, the beau - ty of thy peace.
 5 still, small voice of calm, O still, small voice of calm.

Words: John Greenleaf Whittier (1807-1892), alt. Music: *Repton*, Charles Hubert Hastings Parry, (1848-1918), alt.

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

TRINITY EXPANSIVE

Celebrant Blessed be God: most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity.

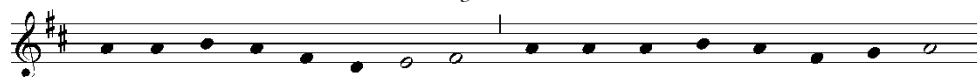
People And blessed be God's reign, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

The Celebrant says Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS DEO *The Hymnal 1982*

NEW PLAINSONG



1. Glo - ry to God in the high-est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.



2. Lord God, hea-ven-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship you,



we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ,



on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,



4. you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us;



5. you are scat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer.



6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,



7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit,



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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP 357

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

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.**

INVITATION TO CHILDREN'S CHAPEL

Any children wishing to participate may come forward and follow the cross to chapel for songs and story.

✠ THE WORD OF GOD ✠

The People sit

THE FIRST LESSON

Exodus 12:1-14

The Lector says A reading from the book of Exodus.

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbor in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and

This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the Lord; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

PSALM 149

TONE VIII



to inflict on them the judgement de/creed; *
this is glory for all his faithful people. / Hallelujah!

THE EPISTLE

Romans 13:8-14

The Lector says A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans.

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, “You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet”; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, “Love your neighbor as yourself.” Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

Besides this, 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.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The People stand

ALLELUIA

The Cantor sings the Alleluia, all repeat it



Verse: This is the day that the Lord has made;
we will rejoice and be glad in it.

THE GOSPEL

Matthew 18:15-20

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

Jesus said, “If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth

will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The People sit

THE SERMON

The Rev. Chana Tetzlaff
Associate for Children, Youth, and Families

The People stand

THE 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:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
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 and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He 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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Form III: BCP 387

The Leader and People pray responsively

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. We pray especially for **Jan, Esther, Sam, David, Pam, Myron, Scott, Pat, Amy, George, Stephanie, Scott, Rex, Del, Susan, Brandon, and St. Leonard's Ministries.**

Silence

The People may add their own petitions silently or aloud

The Celebrant concludes

O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE CONFESSION

The Deacon says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence is kept.

**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 Priest says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord

The People may be seated for the Welcome & Announcements

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

Anyone celebrating a birthday or anniversary is encouraged to come forward

O God, our times are in your hand:

Look with favor, we pray, on your servant(s) as *they* begin another year.
Grant that *they* may grow in wisdom and grace,
and strengthen *their* trust in your goodness all the days of *their* life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE OFFERTORY



Offering baskets will be distributed to the congregation; please give as you're able in support of the mission and ministries of St. Chrysostom's. You may also give via QR Code, texting GIFTSTC to 73256 or by tapping the blue discs on the pews.

OFFERTORY

Trust

Richard Proulx

I place my trust in you, O Lord, I place all my trust.
My soul proclaims that you are my God.
In your hands I put my destiny through length of days.
All my trust is in you, my God.
I place my trust in God all my days.
Psalm 31:14-15

The People stand

THE DOXOLOGY

The New English Hymnal

DIVA SERVATRIX



Words: after Paul the Deacon (c 720–99)

Tune: Diva servatrix, in the Bayeux Antiphoner, 1739



THE HOLY COMMUNION



THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP 361

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

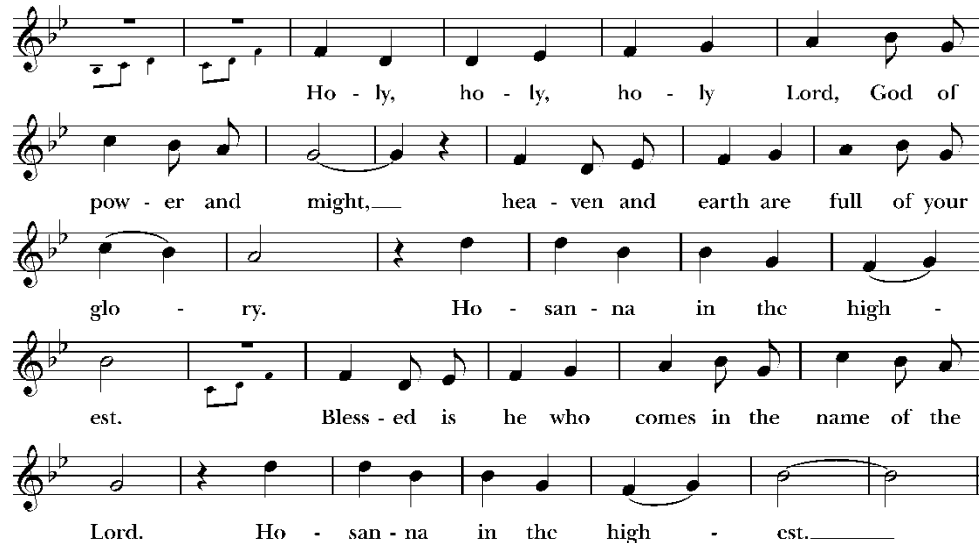
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth. For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world. 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:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS *The Hymnal 1982*

Calvin Hampton



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow - er and might, — hea - ven and earth are full of your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high -
est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. —

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The People stand or kneel. The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious God: 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 maker of all. Jesus 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 Savior 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 Jesus 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:

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

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, Almighty God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling Christ's 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 Christ. 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 Jesus Christ our Savior. By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER *said by all*

The Celebrant says

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

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.**

Give us this day our daily bread.

**And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread

FRACTION ANTHEM

The Hymnal 1982

David Hurd

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

there - fore let us keep the feast.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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The Celebrant offers the following Invitation

The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All baptized people and all those seeking a deeper relationship with Christ are invited to receive Holy Communion. Please come forward to the altar rail at either the High Altar or the Crane Chapel, and return to your pew using the side aisles. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. If you prefer instead to receive a blessing, simply cross your arms over your chest.

COMMUNION

Benedictus

Franz Schubert

Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord.

At the invitation of the Celebrant, the People stand

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

said in unison

BCP 365

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.

THE FINAL BLESSING

BCP 339

The Celebrant pronounces God's blessing upon the People

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

1 Lord, make us ser - vants of your peace: where there is
 2 Where all is doubt, may we sow faith; where all is
 3 Je - sus, our Lord, may we not seek to be con -
 4 May we not look for love's re - turn, but seek to
 5 Dy - ing, we live, and are re - born through death's dark

1 hate, may we sow love; where there is hurt, may we for -
 2 gloom, may we sow hope; where all is night, may we sow
 3 soled, but to con - sole, nor look to un - der - stand - ing
 4 love un - self - ish - ly, for in our giv - ing we re -
 5 night to end - less day: Lord, make us ser - vants of your

1 give; where there is strife, may we make one.
 2 light; where all is tears, may we sow joy.
 3 hearts, but look for hearts to un - der - stand.
 4 ceive, and in for - giv - ing are for - given.
 5 peace, to wake at last in hea - ven's light.

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THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
 People Thanks be to God.

THE POSTLUDE

Trumpet Voluntary

John Stanley



PARTICIPANTS IN THIS SERVICE

The Rev. Chana Tetzlaff, *Preacher*

The Rev. Dr. Ian Burch

The Rev. Dr. Sam Portaro

The Rev. Deacon Annette Mileski

The Choir of St. Chrysostom's Church

St. Chrysostom's Singers

Richard Hoskins, *Music Director & Organist*

Mike Sammon, *Verger*

Jane Nicholl Sahlins and Olivia Smith, *Lectors*

Angie Yorath, *Intercessor*

Travis Trott, Lynn Belding, and Josh McNiven, *Altar Guild*

Piers Dykstra, *Crucifer*

Lynn Belding, *Chalice Bearer*

Angie Yorath and Mark Fisher, *Flower Guild*

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Felix Mendelssohn: Adagio *Sonata No. 3*

Richard Proulx: Trust

Franz Schubert: Benedictus *Mass in G*

John Stanley: Trumpet Voluntary

THE SUMMER FESTIVAL OF SACRED MUSIC

This morning's choral music is given to the Glory of God
by Daniel Bender
and by Henry & Barbara Brewster

THE CHOIR

Erica Schuller, Lisa Rogers Lee, Chuck Chandler, Ed Frazier Davis

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S SINGERS

Karen Meader, Barbara Jones, Ann Vikstrom, Angie Yorath
John Covell, Mark Hull, Jeff Ammons, James Frederiksen, John Kapnick, Ryan Kin

CARILLONNEUR

Jim Fackenthal

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847) wrote music of elegant beauty, exquisitely crafted and filled with the signatures of his style: gracious melodies, drama, elegant counterpoint and an inventive sense of variation. He wrote three preludes and fugues, six sonatas, and other miscellaneous works for organ, all elegantly crafted and exploiting the many colors of the instrument. The *Third Sonata*, in A Major, ends with a lyrical *Adagio*, played on the quiet stops of the organ.

Richard Proulx (1937-2010) was one of the leading and influential church musicians of the second half of the 20th century. Longtime Director of Music at Holy Name Cathedral, he also served on the 1982 Hymnal Commission. He wrote a vast number of anthems, motets, hymn tunes, and organ works for the church and his music remains in constant use. *Trust*, a two-voice motet based on verses from Psalm 31, is set in lyrical lines over a rich accompaniment. The motet is dedicated "in friendship and gratitude" to Douglas Hoffman.

Franz Schubert's *Mass in G* is a beloved and gracious work, showing all the hallmarks of his compositional style: beautiful and lyric melodies, an appropriate sense of grandeur and tenderness, and an engaging quality that lifts the soul. The *Sanctus* begins with great majesty and, at the "Osanna" develops into a brilliant fugal texture. The Benedictus, a trio for Soprano, Tenor, and Baritone, is one of his most lovely and lyrical works. It begins with the Soprano singing the main theme, which is then joined by the other voices, weaving melodic variations around the original theme. The soloists are Erica Schuller, Chuck Chandler, and Ed Frazier Davis.

John Stanley (1713-1786), blind English organist, composer and conductor, enjoyed the esteem of his famous colleagues, especially Handel, whose oratorios Stanley conducted after Handel's death. He wrote many works for organ and harpsichord as well as chamber music. The *Trumpet Voluntary* was originally written for organ but its joyous music was quickly appreciated by trumpeters and arranged for solo trumpet and organ.

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THE SUMMER FESTIVAL OF SACRED MUSIC

We offer our heartfelt thanks to our Summer Choir who have filled our services with beautiful music over these past three months. It is a great joy to make music each Sunday with these wonderful singers.

We also offer our sincere gratitude to the following generous parishioners and friends who have supported The 2026 Summer Festival of Sacred Music. Their gracious support of our choral music is deeply appreciated.

Daniel Bender
Barbara & Henry Brewster
Victor & Jean Elting
Mark & Laura Fisher
James & Marilyn Fredericksen
Karen Hagberg
William A. Hargrave
The Hoskins Family

Bruce & Elizabeth Jacobs
John Kapnick & Colleen Desmond
Anne Livingstone
Karen Meader
Mike Sammon
Sheryl Scott
Gretchen & Michael Zook

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S

Week at a Glance

Today – Bible Study 8:45am, Coffee Hour 11:30am

Monday – Office closed

Tuesday – Rector's Bible Study 12:00pm

Wednesday – Wednesday Lunches 7:30am, Parish Book Club 1:30pm,
Spoken Eucharist 6:00pm

Thursday – Zoom Bible Study 10:15am

Saturday – Lay Weeders 8:00am

The offices will be closed tomorrow, September 7th, for Labor Day.



Youth Lessons/Schedule

Nursery (Classroom 5)
Children's Church – Communication and Jesus

An invitation to Children's Church is given after The Collect of the Day, before the first reading. Children are invited to go downstairs together for the weekly lesson and will return at The Peace.

Kickoff Sunday!

Sunday, September 13th after the 10:15 service

Join us to celebrate the start of our program year with a full choir, backpack blessing, special coffee hour, and treats for children. There will also be opportunities for parishioners to meet Ms. Bea Douma, the new Head of School, as well as attend Day School tours of their facilities! We hope to see everyone there and ready to celebrate after a relaxing summer!

Cardio: An Adult Educational Forum

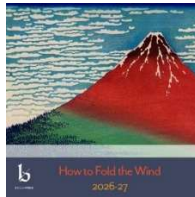
Sundays beginning September 13th after the 10:15 service

In Ephesians, the Apostle Paul prays for members of the nascent church: "that the eyes of your heart" may be enlightened; he locates wisdom and authentic perception in the "heart" and not only the "head." In this spirit, we're calling our adult educational forum "Cardio," and we invite you to join us as we work out this muscle together. This Fall, we'll survey major life-cycle phenomena: sexuality, spirituality and parenting (construed broadly!), grief and dying.

Stay tuned for more details. Questions? Reach Dr. Michelle Harrington at MAHphd@proton.me.

BELLA VOCE

SATURDAY – SEPTEMBER 19 AT 7:30 P.M.



Led by Andrew Lewis, Bella Voce opens the season with **How To Fold the Wind**, a presentation of bold contemporary works by composers such as Caroline Shaw, Veljo Tormis, Anna Thorvaldsdottir, and Matthew Recio



Join us for our Fall Fundraiser!

We will be gathering together on **September 24th, at 5:30pm** at the Woman's Athletic Club to celebrate and support St. Chrysostom's. We hope you can join us! There will be light bites and refreshments!

To secure your spot, please grab a ticket at the link here!



Stare at the Sun Concert

Saturday, September 26 at 7pm

One of Chicago's most exciting and innovative choral groups returns with a program focusing on our relationship to seasonal change and ecological continuity, featuring pianist Chuck Foster in Jonathan Dove's *The Passing of the Year*, with works of Judith Weir, David Shapiro, Veljo Tormis, and Paul Mealor.

St. Leonard's Sunday

Sunday September 27th

Join us for St. Leonard's Sunday! This is the Sunday of the year where we celebrate the special relationship between St. Chrysostom's and St. Leonard's Ministry—an Episcopal ministry in our diocese that has been supporting citizens returning from incarceration. St. Leonard's Ministries (SLM) is an incredibly special ministry, one where people experiencing some of the most difficult parts of their lives are surrounded by skilled care, job training, mental health support, and housing. In my years of ministry, I have never seen a direct service ministry that is more expertly run. Our preacher will be from SLM, and the culinary students will help make our coffee hour extra delicious. To learn more or to get involved, visit <https://slministries.org/> or email me, ian@saintc.org.

Children's/Youth Programming

Looking to sign up your kid for Confirmation, Sunday School, or other programming?

[Check out the Summer newsletter here!](#)



There's lots of info on events, sacraments, family resources, and more!

Most programming **is on Sundays** so make sure to check it out.

Questions? Contact Rev. Chana at chana@saintc.org

Other Upcoming Events

Monthly Book Club

The second Wednesday of the month at 1:30pm

After a summer off, the reading is back! Join some parishioners for a monthly book club, starting back up on **September 9**. The group meets on zoom or in-person; to get the zoom link, or if you have any questions, please contact Dee Jarrett Dow at rosebowl@mac.com.

Our selection for September is: *The Gales of November: The Untold Story of the Edmund Fitzgerald*, by John U. Bacon.

Fabric Arts Club

Bring your knitting, crocheting, needlepoint, quilting, or any other handwork you'd like to work on in a nice Sunday evening community. We will meet in the Rector's Study from **5-6:30pm** on the second Sunday of each month, the next one being, **Sunday, September 13th**. The church will provide coffee, tea, and cookies! Any questions or to RSVP, contact ian@saintc.org.

Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, October 4th at 1pm

Join us for our annual blessing of the animals, outside in the courtyard. All pets and friends are invited, stuffed or unstuffed! You are also welcome to bring a picture of a loved one.

Vox Venti Concert

Saturday, October 17th at 4pm

Led by Matthew Recio, Vox Venti presents a program tracing the architecture of love, itself...how we build it, lose it, and raise it again from wreckage. Works from Jocelyn Hagen, Steven Sametz, Dale Trumbore, & Reena Esmail, anchored by the stunning centerpiece, "Four Songs of Love," by Sen-David Sandstrom.



Ministry Opportunities

Looking for another service time?

Come join us on WEDNESDAYS at 6pm for our evening Eucharist!

This service is a short, spoken Eucharist with some time for contemplation in the middle of your week. Come to the John Chrysostom (Crane) Chapel on the left side of the sanctuary!

Bedsheet and Deodorant collection for Deborah's Place

Over the next month we will be collecting twin bed sheet sets and deodorant for the permanent residential programs at Deborah's Place. These programs house 25 women in dormitory style rooms, as well as 40 women in studio apartments. Our goal is to collect 25 sheet sets and 75 women's deodorants. Please bring items to the cart at the back of the church. Questions? Contact Liz Kohlbeck at elizabethkohlbeck@yahoo.com.

St. Chrys Closet Update!

After several years at Church of the Ascension, the St. Chrys closet is looking for a **new home starting September 1st**. You can read more at the article through the QR code.

The closet is no longer accepting donations at this time.

If you have any questions, or information to share, please contact Liz at 920-254-4735.



Seeking Delegates for the Diocesan Convention

Each year, our diocese (a body comprising 120 parishes under the leadership of our Bishop as well as the democratically elected Standing Committee) meets yearly to conduct the business of the church. In addition to all clergy, each parish is invited to send 4 delegates. At the moment, we have just one delegate. If you're interested in the governance of the larger church (budgets, salaries, social issues, strategic planning etc.), please contact Sr. Warden Robert Valente (robertpvalente@gmail.com) or the Rector, Ian Burch (ian@saintc.org). This year's convention will have an online component on **Tuesday November 10, 6:30pm**, and will be in person on **Saturday November 14, 9am-5pm** in Rockford, IL.

CHIAPAS PROJECT UPDATE

Scan the QR code to read **August's** issue!



GRIEF SUPPORT CIRCLE St. Chrysostom's offers a Grief Support Circle that provides a deep level of care for the grieving person who is interested in dealing with the emotions of life stresses following the death of a loved one. Our goal will be to support and pray for one other as we move forward through the loneliness and isolation of grief. We meet at 9:00 AM the 4th Sunday of each month in the Campeau Room. Email Lynn Belding or Mike Sammon (mike@saintc.org) for more information.

PARISH PRAYER LIST Each week in the service leaflet we publish the first names of those on our Prayer List, which are spoken out loud during the service. Names will remain on the list for one month, and may be re-submitted as needed! Please use the QR code at the right to submit a name to the Prayer List; names received by Thursday will be included in the following Sunday's prayers.



ST. CHRYS KITCHEN MINISTRY

Every Wednesday 7:30 to 9:00am **Bagged lunch drop off by parishioners and neighbors**

- ➔ Lunches are taken to our neighbors in Chicago's Englewood neighborhood and LaSalle Street Church's Breaking Bread Ministries.
- ➔ **DRIVERS NEEDED!** Please let Mike Sammon know if you are willing to help drive lunches to their destination.

Every third Tuesday of the month 4:30pm **Meal for neighbors in need**

- ➔ Liz Kohlbeck and the team start cooking all day in the kitchen and serve to anyone who needs some food.

Email Mike Sammon (mike@saintc.org) or Liz Kohlbeck (elizabethkohlbeck@yahoo.com) with any questions!

RECOGNITION THURSDAYS AT ST. LEONARD'S

St. Leonard's Ministries was founded 70 years ago by an Episcopal Priest to serve the recently incarcerated, a population that remains under served. By providing medical, psychological and addiction care, the men and women are prepared for job training on site to find employment and have the capability to live on their own. On **the last Thursday of each month**, St. Chrysostom's sponsors Recognition Thursday to honor those who have been recognized by SLM for an accomplishment, whether it is being sober for a year, getting a GED or High School Diploma, or perhaps making it through a tough patch in their lives with grace. Recognition Thursday is held at the campus near the United Center. You are encouraged to join fellow parishioners at the ceremony. Contact Mike Sammon or John Craib-Cox (mike@saintc.org or jccdesign@me.com) for more details.

SUBMISSIONS If you or your group or ministry at St. Chrysostom's would like to share news, updates, or upcoming events with our community through our communications, please email our Associate for Communications, Emily Birks (emily@saintc.org). She'll be glad to work with you on content, timeline, and which of our publication(s) are best suited to your announcement! Submissions must be received by noon on Thursday for inclusion in that week's communications.



STAY IN THE LOOP! Be sure you're on our email list so that you don't miss any news from St. Chrysostom's! Follow the QR code at left, contact the Parish Office at 312-944-1083, or email info@saintc.org and we'll be sure you're added. Find us on Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, and on the web at www.saintc.org. Any of our clergy or staff will be glad to assist you!

FLOWER GUILD MINISTRY & ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATIONS The Flower Guild's ministry is to provide floral designs to enhance our worship experience, and we accept donations of altar flowers to partially defray the cost of floral arrangements. Altar flowers may be donated in memory of a loved one, or in celebration of a blessing or milestone.



To donate, please use the QR code at left, or contact the Parish Office (info@saintc.org). **A minimum donation of \$100 is requested.** Please note that at least one week's notice is needed for inclusion in any Sunday service leaflet. To learn more about the Flower Guild's work, please email Angie Yorath (mayorath@sbcglobal.net).



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