THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

This service booklet is used at both the 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. services. The hymns, choral, and organ music listed are for the 10:30 service only.

David Conte (b. 1955) PRELUDE Soliloquy

THE WORD OF GOD

INTROIT Intret oratio mea

Anglican Chant: F. Burgomaster

Let my petition come before you; incline your ear and hear my prayer, O Lord. O Lord, my God, my Savior, by day and night I turn to you. For I am full of trouble; my life is at the brink of the grave.

- Psalm 88

- 8:00 The People stand as the procession enters. The service begins with the Opening Acclamation.
- 10:30 The People stand and sing the hymn.

HYMN 51: "We the Lord's people"

Decatur Place

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant 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

• 8:00 The Gloria is said by all

All Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

> Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

• 10:30 The Gloria is sung by all Organ Glo-ry to God in the high - est, peace to his peo-ple on earth. God, heaven-ly King, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we Lord give_ you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. wor - ship you, we Organ on - ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord Je - sus Christ, God, Lamb of God, take a - way of the world: you the sin have mer - cy on us; You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther: Organ re - ceive our prayer. For you a-lone are the Ho-ly One, you a-lone are the Lord, You a - lone are the most. high__ Je - sus Christ, Spi with the Но ly rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. Α men. Α men.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The People sit.

THE FIRST LESSON Job 19:23-27a

Job said,

"O that my words were written down!

O that they were inscribed in a book!

O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever!

For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth;

and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God,

whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another."

Lector The Word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 17:1-9 Exaudi, Domine

- Hear my plea of innocence, O Lord;
 give heed to my cry; *
 listen to my prayer, which does not come from lying lips.
- 2 Let my vindication come forth from your presence; * let your eyes be fixed on justice.
- Weigh my heart, summon me by night, * melt me down; you will find no impurity in me.
- 4 I give no offense with my mouth as others do; * I have heeded the words of your lips.
- My footsteps hold fast to the ways of your law; * in your paths my feet shall not stumble.
- 6 I call upon you, O God, for you will answer me; * incline your ear to me and hear my words.
- 7 Show me your marvelous loving-kindness, *
 O Savior of those who take refuge at your right hand from those who rise up against them.
- 8 Keep me as the apple of your eye; * hide me under the shadow of your wings,
- 9 From the wicked who assault me, * from my deadly enemies who surround me.

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Lector The Word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.**

The People stand.

HYMN 526: "Let saints on earth in concert sing"

Dundee

THE HOLY GOSPEL Luke 20:27-38

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to Jesus and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her."

Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive."

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

THE SERMON The Rev. David Hodges

A period of silence is kept. Then the People stand.

THE NICENE CREED

Celebrant Let us affirm our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

All 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

As the beloved of the Lord, we have been chosen as the first fruits of salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth. May we live this vocation to proclaim the good news in word and deed, and pray to the Lord Jesus Christ for the needs of the world, saying, "O God, we call upon you; / Hear our prayer and be our refuge, O Lord."

The People kneel, as able.

We pray for the Church of God, remembering Sarah, Archbishop-elect of Canterbury; Sean, Presiding Bishop; Deon, our Bishop; and for the clergy and ministry leaders of St. Peter's. Walking in the paths of our God, our feet will not stumble; let our footsteps hold fast to the ways of God's law.

In our diocesan cycle we pray for Grace Episcopal Church in Kirkwood, and the Episcopal Church of All Saints and Ascension, our Companion Community. In the Anglican Communion, we pray for the Church in the Province of the West Indies. O God, we call upon you;

Hear our prayer and be our refuge, O Lord. People

We pray for all nations and their leadership, remembering Donald, our President, and Mike, Lector our Governor; may those in positions of power have eyes fixed on holy and compassionate justice, heeding the cries of the poor and those seeking refuge, that all would be treated with dignity and live their lives in grace and safety. We pray for those places consumed by war, violence, and oppression, that there would be deliverance from the assaults of wickedness that surround the innocent; may holy love prevail. O God, we call upon you;

Hear our prayer and be our refuge, O Lord. People

Lector In observance of Veterans Day, we pray for those who have labored in the service of our country at home and abroad. In your wisdom, may they be kept daily in your grace; strengthen them throughout all trials, tribulations, and temptations, with all courage and kindness. In commemoration of St. Martin Tours, Patron of Soldiers, may they be clothed with mercy and share that mantle of compassion, that all people in every place would be led to perfect peace and tranquility. O God, we call upon you;

Hear our prayer and be our refuge, O Lord. People

We pray for those with any need in our parish and community, remembering Craig Lector Campbell, Teenie Followell, Garth Fort, John Marshall, Howard Price, Judith Roos, [_______,] and Goldie Wirth. May we recall the marvelous loving-kindness the Lord has shared with us, and let those in sorrow, trouble, illness, or distress have hearts comforted through our every good work and word in the eternal comfort and good hope of Christ. O God, we call upon you;

Hear our prayer and be our refuge, O Lord. People

We pray for the departed, remembering Bob Buecker, Suzanne Forsyth, [_____,] and Ethel Lector Martinez. As we hold the departed in our hearts, may we trust that within the communion of saints they are held in eternal life as children of the resurrection, for God is not the God of the dead, but of the living. O God, we call upon you;

Hear our prayer and be our refuge, O Lord. People

Lector Let us pray for our own needs, and for those of others.

Silence is kept.

Celebrant Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers, which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence is kept.

Most merciful God, Celebrant

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.

Celebrant

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.

The People stand.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

After the Peace, the People sit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY PRAYERS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

Everyone participating in worship is invited to make an offering in gratitude for God's generosity. If you would like to make an offering, you may scan the code to the right and follow the prompts.



ANTHEM

Sasha Johnson Manning (b. 1963)

I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth.

After my awaking, He will raise me up, and in my body I shall see God.

I myself shall see and my eyes behold him who is my friend and not a stranger.

- Job 19:25-27

The People stand and sing.

THE PRESENTATION (Hymn 380, st. 3)

Old 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

- Thomas Ken

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A

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 him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, 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 ET BENEDICTUS

• 8:00 Said by all

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.

• 10:30 Sung by the Choir

Missa Papae Marcelli, G. P. da Palestrina (c. 1525-1594)

Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus, Holy, holy, holy, Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Lord God of hosts.

Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in excelsis. Hosanna in the highest.

Mass IV, Plainsong, Mode 8

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The People kneel, as able.

Celebrant 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. ΑII Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant

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 forever. AMEN.

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

All 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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Celebrant 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.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion by coming to the altar rail where you may kneel or stand.

Please tell the clergy if you require gluten-free Bread.

Crossing your arms over your chest will let the clergy know you would like to receive a blessing but not the Bread and/or Wine.

COMMUNIO Dominus regit me

Plainsong, Mode 2

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not be in want; he makes me lie down in green pastures and leads me beside still waters.

- Psalm 23

AGNUS DEI

Missa Papae Marcelli, G. P. da Palestrina (c. 1525-1594)

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. have mercy on us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,

dona nobis pacem. grant us peace.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

The People kneel, as able.

All 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 BLESSING

The People stand and the procession leaves the church.

HYMN 624: "Jerusalem the golden"

Ewing

THE DISMISSAL

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY Wind Songs

Samuel Adler (b. 1928)

II. "Spun upon a whirling star"

MUSIC NOTES The anthem at the Offertory was commissioned by Sarah Bryan Miller in memory of her mother, Eleanor C. "Dolly" Miller. Bryan was a parishioner and devoted member of the St. Peter's Choir who sang until her death in 2020. For many years, she was also the classical music critic of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Her love of music, pursuit of excellence, and deep Christian faith inspired all who knew her.

Continuing our exploration of the music of Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (c. 1525-1594), the Choir sing the Sanctus and Agnus Dei from his *Missa Papae Marcelli*. This six-voice mass, composed in honor of Pope Marcellus II, employs more florid contrapuntal writing in the Sanctus than it does in the Gloria (sung last week). The final section of the Agnus Dei expands the choral texture to seven voices while including a three-voice canon.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Given to the glory of God in memory of our loved grandparents, by Mark Pye and DeWayne Trainer.

PRAYER LIST

For Family and Friends: Craig Campbell, Teenie Followell, Garth Fort, John Marshall, Howard Price,

Judith Roos, Goldie Wirth

For the Faithful Departed: Bob Buecker, Suzanne Forsyth, Ethel Martinez For the Men and Women of the Armed Forces: Alexandra Maranto

For Those Committed to Our Ongoing Prayers: Lee Arten, Victor Belyan, Bev Bouchard, Virginie Brightman, Wendell Covington, Ralph Dacey, Kathryn Dewein, Margaret Ruth Dewein, Bonnie and Rich Essick, Prissy Evans, Nolan Fagan, Don Franz, Margie Franz, Christy Garesche, Annette Goldman, Maria Greider, John Hartman, Emily Hintz, Jeff Hirsch, Jack Howard, Ian, Mike Kolman, Kary Matthews, Sharon Trainer Mauney, Bob Messey, Cheryl Meyer, Randy Meyer, Liza Nash, Chris O'Connor, Maddie O'Keefe, David Orlowski, Holly Parks, Kimberly Penning, Chi Chi Rassieur, Sara Rigel, Hudson Rosencrans, Sally Russell, June Sellenriek, Martha Shaffer, Jill Smock, Dewayne Stapes, Abbot Thomas, Mia Tiefenbrunn, Don Wallace, Anne Wetzel, and Rolla Wetzel

THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

8:00 A.M.

Celebrant The Rev. Dr. Nathan Haydon

Preacher The Rev. David Hodges

Organ David Sinden

Lectors Patty Weisensee, Bud Wilson Ushers Rich Huck, Tony Randazzo

Altar Guild Didi Noelker

10:30 A.M.

Celebrant The Rev. Dr. Nathan Haydon

Preacher The Rev. David Hodges

Assisting Clergy The Rev. Zack Rugenstone

Musicians The St. Peter's Choir

David Sinden, Organist and Choirmaster

Acolyte Masters Andrea Osman, DeWayne Trainer

Acolytes Sloane Stockwell, Charlotte Craig, Johanna Sanchez, Emma

Fouke, Elliot Reed, Charlie Miller

Lectors Kathryn Haydon, Bruce Ryder

Ushers Allan Ivie, Josh Schafer, Matt Sokolich, Liza Weiss

Altar Guild DeWayne Trainer

Counters Jerry and Bonnie Freeland

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP & MUSIC

CHORAL EVENSONG TODAY

Choral Evensong will be held today at 5:00 p.m. This traditional service of scripture, prayer, and music in the evening, sung by the St. Peter's Singers, includes music by William Smith, John Sheppard, and William Byrd. All are welcome at this service, and a reception follows.

KIRKIN' OF THE TARTANS

During the service of Morning Prayer on Sunday, November 16, at 10:30 a.m., we will observe the annual tradition of Kirkin' of the Tartans which celebrates the Scottish roots of the Episcopal Church. We will be joined by the St. Louis Caledonian Pipe Band for this service.

OUTREACH

ST. PETER'S WINTER COAT DRIVE

St. Peter's is collecting warm winter clothing for men served by Trinity Episcopal Church. The need remains great among our unhoused and underhoused neighbors. Needed Items: Warm, waterproof coats with hoods (no puffy coats, please) - L, XL, XXL; Waterproof gloves, hats, and socks - L, XL, XXL; Insulated underwear - L, XL; Mylar thermal blankets. You may scan the QR code to view or shop from our Amazon Wishlist and have items agent directly to the abstract wife are also welcome.



and have items sent directly to the church! Monetary gifts are also welcome - please note "Coat Drive" on your check or envelope. If you can help with counting and delivering items, please contact Sandy Knight at (314) 707-6627 or knightsj21@gmail.com. This drive ends Sunday, November 16.

FOOD DRIVE UPDATE

Thanks to your incredible generosity, St. Peter's set a new record for food bags collected over the month! We are within reach of our annual goal of 1,500 bags - a milestone that reflects the compassion and commitment of our parish community. As we celebrate this progress, we are reminded that the need for food security has never been greater. Let's finish the year strong and reach our goal together!

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL AND SUNDAY SCHOOL

- Children's Chapel is offered in Grace Chapel from 10:15 to 10:25 a.m. All children and parents are invited. Children are then escorted down to their Sunday school classes.
- Sunday School classes begin at 10:30 a.m.
- Nursery is offered in the lower level of the Little Building from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Please contact Didi Noelker, Director of Children & Family Ministries, at dnoelker@specstl.org with any questions.

YOUTH GROUP

St. Peter's Youth Group meets tonight at 5:00 p.m. in the confirmation classroom downstairs (or, as the St. Peter's youth recently renamed it: "SPY HQ"). All youth, grades 6-12, are invited to be part of this Sunday evening community where we share in discussions about faith, life, and how the two intersect - plus have plenty of fun along the way. For more information, contact the Rev. Zack Rugenstone at zackr@specstl.org

STEWARDSHIP & PARISH LIFE

REGISTER TODAY: INVITE WELCOME CONNECT WORKSHOP

Registration is still open for our Saturday, November 22 Invite Welcome Connect Workshop, led by Mary Parmer. Mary is one of the founders of this nationally recognized ministry that has inspired transformation in congregations across the country. Don't miss this great opportunity to learn from a leading voice in the areas of invitation, hospitality, and connection on Saturday, November 22, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Registration is required. Lunch will be provided; a \$10 registration fee



helps offset food costs. Scan the QR code or visit our website for more details and registration.

TUESDAY MORNING BREAKFAST

On the second Tuesday of every month, parishioners gather in the Undercroft at 7:15 a.m. to share some fellowship and a great meal. The next Tuesday Morning Breakfast will be on November 11, and all are welcome to join!

END-OF-YEAR GIVING

We invite you to reflect on the blessings of this past year and consider making an end-of-year gift to support the mission of St. Peter's. Your generosity enables us to provide meaningful ministries, maintain our sacred spaces, and serve as a place of faith and community for all who seek it. There are many ways to give, including one-time gifts, charitable IRA rollovers, stock donations, or by starting or updating your online giving. Thank you!

FRIDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP

The Prayer Group is open to all. The group meets on Fridays at 10:00 a.m. in the Elliot Room. This group also focuses on the current week's Gospel to prepare for a more meaningful Sunday worship experience. For information, please contact Sally Lemkemeier at lemkemeier@aol.com

CALL FOR ENTRIES: CHILDREN'S ART SHOW

The Gallery of St. Peter's will feature a Children's Art Show this December! We invite you to share framed, two-dimensional artwork by the children you love - no matter their age now or where they live. See www.specstl.org/children for more details. Questions? Contact Nancy Grimes at nlgrimes@aol.com or (314) 603-3582.

ESTATE SALE THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Estate Sale such a success! Thanks to the generosity of our donors, the hard work of our volunteers, the support or our clergy and staff, and all who shopped and shared the word, we raised meaningful funds to support the JustFood Truck and St. Peter's ministries.

FORMATION

RECTOR'S FORUM AND BREAKFAST

This season, we welcome guest speakers from across our parish and the wider St. Louis community to join us for Rector's Forum. Each week will bring a new voice, a new perspective, and a new opportunity to explore how faith connects with the world around us. Come enjoy a hearty breakfast (beginning at 8:45 a.m.) and conversation/speakers (beginning at 9:15 a.m.). The cost of breakfast is \$9. Kids under 5 eat free!

Last week's presenter was Ken Andreski. If you would like to contact him about his presentation on crime and scam prevention, he can be reached at kandreski@cityofladue-mo.gov.



November 9: Pilgrimage to Turkey

Members of St. Paul's clergy, staff, and congregation recently traveled on a pilgrimage through Turkey, tracing the missionary journeys of the Apostle Paul. They will share highlights, reflections, and photos from their travels in a special presentation exploring the faith, history, and culture of this remarkable region, the cradle of Christianity.



November 16: Giving Tree Kickoff

This Sunday's Rector's Forum marks the kickoff of our annual Giving Tree Program - and this year's effort includes a new way to give back! We'll welcome special guests Jennifer Krassinger, Executive Director of GiFT (Giving is a Family Tradition), and James Clark, Vice President of Urban League.



November 23: Chris Krehmeyer, President & CEO of Beyond Housing

Chris shares how one organization is transforming lives and communities across the St. Louis region. From revitalizing neighborhoods to expanding access to housing, health care, and education, Beyond Housing's work offers a powerful example of what can happen when people come together with a shared purpose. Chris will reflect on lessons learned through decades of community partnerships and how faith communities can play a vital role in building stronger, more connected neighborhoods for all.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S

Sunday	Nov. 9	The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist			
		8:45 a.m.	Parish Breakfast	Undercroft	
		9:00 a.m.	Nursery Care Opens	Little Building	
		9:15 a.m.	Rector's Forum	Undercroft	
		10:15 a.m.	Children's Chapel	Grace Chapel	
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist		
			Sunday School	Classrooms	
		5:00 p.m.	Choral Evensong	CDVIIO	
			St. Peter's Youth Group	SPY HQ	
Monday	Nov. 10	6:00 p.m.	Inquirers' Class	Elliot Room	
Tuesday	Nov. 11	7:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Grace Chapel	
-		8:30 a.m.	Zoom Bible Study	Online	
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Wednesday	Nov. 12	7:30 a.m.	Bible Study	Elliot Room	
		5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist	Grace Chapel	
Thursday	Nov. 13	9:00 a.m.	Yoga	Undercroft	
•	_	10:00 a.m.	Centering Prayer	Grace Chapel	
		5:15 p.m.	Probationers Rehearsal	Choir Room	
		6:00 p.m.	Choristers Rehearsal		
		7:15 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal		
Friday	Nov. 14	8:00 a.m.	A.A.	Classroom	
•	•	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group	Elliot Room	
Sunday	Nov. 16	_	y-Third Sunday after Pentecost		
		8:00 a.m. 8:45 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Parish Breakfast	Undercroft	
		9:00 a.m.	Nursery Care Opens	Little Building	
		9:00 a.m.	Rector's Forum	Undercroft	
		10:15 a.m.	Children's Chapel	Grace Chapel	
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	- 1- 7-	
		-	Morning Prayer with Kirkin' of the Tartan		
			Sunday School	Classrooms	
		5:00 p.m.	St. Peter's Youth Group	SPY HQ	

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