

# The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost **Holy Eucharist at 8 am**

September 29, 2024

325 PARK AVENUE AT 51ST STREET NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10022



# We invite you to make this place yours.

Here is a place that is ancient and new, a faith that we hold going back to Jesus, back to his spiritual ancestors, back to those who walked the earth and found holy ground. And what we do is often based on really ancient patterns—worship and music; loving service to the poor, the hurting, the lonely; working for justice and peace; lively, fearless education and formation of minds and souls. And that faith is also completely contemporary, engaged in the culture and the needs of the moment.

#### What we are for

The dignity and worth of every person. An open minded, passionate commitment to truth. The importance of everyone's own spiritual journey. God's friends wherever we find them. Seeking Christ in every person who comes through the door. The sacredness of life's rites of passage. The value of community. The hard work necessary to make sure that all are welcomed. Telling the truth about life's challenges. A "user-friendly" church experience. Children, youth and families.

#### What we are against

Claiming to have all the answers. Elitism and exclusivism, especially in church. Bigotry for any reason. Authoritarianism. Indifference to injustice and suffering. Certitude in the face of ambiguity and superficial answers to hard questions. Boring sermons, bad music and general cluelessness. (So, God help us, because we don't always avoid these!)

#### What we value

Community, open hearts, open minds, open arms. Faith. Fortitude. Staying current, but equally staying rooted in tradition. Reason and honesty. Civic responsibility as New Yorkers, Americans and global citizens. Debate that allows for mutual respect. Music and beauty for their own sake. Joy in God's creation. Anyone who makes an effort to get to know and follow Jesus.

#### We are so glad you are here!

# CONNECT WITH US



- **Thank you for joining us today.** If you are new to St. Bart's, please visit **stbarts.org/hello** or scan the QR code above to fill out our online Connect Card.
- **To learn more about our upcoming events** and to register for classes, please visit **stbarts.org/calendar.**
- **To make a prayer request** please visit **stbarts.org/prayers**.
- To make an appointment with the clergy, please call 212-378-0222 or visit stbarts.org/connect/clergy-and-staff.
- **Tour St. Bart's this Sunday:** Meet at the back of the church following the 11 am service for a 30-minute guided tour of our church, narthex, and chapel.
- **To locate Offering Envelopes** please visit the table in the back of the church. **Online gifts** may be made at **stbarts.org/givenow**. All contributions are tax-deductible.
- **Free Parking** is available for all Sunday services at the garage located at 136–166 East 51st Street. Request a parking voucher from an usher or someone at St. Bart's Central.

The people stand as the presider enters.

#### **The Opening Acclamation**

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

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

#### **The Collect for Purity**

Presider Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets

are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may

perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

#### Gloria in excelsis

All Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

#### The Ministry of the Word

#### The Collect for the Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Presider The Lord be with you. People And with thy spirit.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, who declarest thy almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Mercifully grant unto us such a measure of thy grace, that we, running to obtain thy promises, may be made partakers of thy heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth

with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

The people sit.

#### **The First Lesson** Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29

Lector A reading from the Book of Numbers.

The rabble among them had a strong craving; and the Israelites also wept again, and said, "If only we had meat to eat! We remember the fish we used to eat in Egypt for nothing, the cucumbers, the melons, the leeks, the onions, and the garlic; but now our strength is dried up, and there is nothing at all but this manna to look at." Moses heard the people weeping throughout their families, all at the entrances of their tents. Then the Lord became very angry, and Moses was displeased. So Moses said to the Lord, "Why have you treated your servant so badly? Why have I not found favor in your sight, that you lay the burden of all this people on me? Did I conceive all this people? Did I give birth to them, that you should say to me, 'Carry them in your bosom, as a nurse carries a sucking child,' to the land that you promised on oath to their ancestors? Where am I to get meat to give to all this people? For they come weeping to me and say, 'Give us meat to eat!' I am not able to carry all this people alone, for they are too heavy for me. If this is the way you are going to treat me, put me to death at once—if I have found favor in your sight—and do not let me see my misery." So the Lord said to Moses, "Gather for me seventy of the elders of Israel, whom you know to be the elders of the people and officers over them; bring them to the tent of meeting, and have them take their place there with you." So Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the Lord

came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again. Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My lord Moses, stop them!" But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!"

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

#### Psalm 19:7-14

All

The law of the Lord is perfect and revives the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.

The statutes of the Lord are just and rejoice the heart; the commandment of the Lord is clear and gives light to the eyes.

The fear of the Lord is clean and endures for ever; the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.

By them also is your servant enlightened, and in keeping them there is great reward.

Who can tell how often he offends? cleanse me from my secret faults.

Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get dominion over me; then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

#### **The Second Lesson** James 5:13-20

Lector

A reading from the Letter of James.

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest. My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

Lector People

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

The people stand with the presider.

**The Holy Gospel** Mark 9:38-50

Presider The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Presider John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried

to stop him, because he was not following us." But Jesus said, "Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterward to speak evil of me. Whoever is not against us is for us. For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward. If any of you put a stumbling block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell. And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched. For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another."

Presider The Gospel of the Lord.

After the preacher introduces the sermon, the people sit.

Praise be to thee, O Christ.

**The Sermon** The Reverend Meredith E. Ward, Associate Rector for Pastoral Care

The people stand.

People

#### **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

Presider With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, and for the unity of all

peoples, let us pray to the Lord,

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For our Bishops, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to

the Lord,

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it,

let us pray to the Lord,

People Lord, have mercy.

*Presider* For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering,

let us pray to the Lord,

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and

captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord,

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray

to the Lord,

People Lord, have mercy.

Presider In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our

life, to Christ our God,

People To thee, O Lord our God.

Silence is kept.

Presider Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the

prayers of thy people, and strengthen us to do thy will; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

#### **The Confession of Sin**

Presider Let us confess our sins unto Almighty God.

Silence is kept.

All Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and

deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

Presider Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins

to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and

bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

#### **The Peace**

*Presider* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

The people exchange a sign of God's peace with one another and then sit.

#### **Announcements**

#### **The Holy Communion**

#### The Offertory

- \*Please place your offering in one of the plates as it is passed. Offering Envelopes are available at the table in the back of the church. Ushers can assist you.
- You may also give by scanning the QR code to the right with your mobile device or visit **stbarts.org/givenow**. Use the same link to set up a monthly, recurring gift.

The people stand.

#### The Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up unto the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks unto our Lord God

People It is meet and right so to do.

Presider It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places,

give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God, Creator of the light, and source of life, who hast made us in thine image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ

our Lord.



Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: All

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

Presider

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

All AMEN.

#### The Lord's Prayer

Presider

And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say, 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 Fraction Anthem**

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia. People

#### The Invitation to Communion

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Presider

The people sit.

#### At the Communion

- All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Please follow the instructions of the ushers. Both bread and wine are offered. After receiving the bread, please wait for the chalice of wine if you would like to receive it.
- Wine is received by drinking from the common cup. Those who do not choose to drink from the common cup may cross their arms to indicate that they would prefer not to receive wine. They are also invited to touch the chalice should they wish.
- In the interests of public health, St. Bart's discourages intinction (dipping the bread into the wine). The Episcopal Church teaches that the Sacrament is fully present even when received in only one kind. If you do not wish to drink from the cup, please be assured that you are still a full partaker in the Eucharistic feast.
- If you require a gluten-free wafer, simply request one from the communion minister when the bread is offered to you.
- Those who do not wish to receive communion are still invited to receive a blessing. Please cross your arms over your chest to indicate that you would like a blessing.
- If you are unable to travel to a communion station, please alert an usher so that communion can be brought to you.

The people stand.

#### **The Prayer after Communion**

Presider

Let us pray.

Αll

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

#### The Blessing

Presider

The peace of God, which passeth 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 Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always.

All Amen.

#### The Dismissal

Presider Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

#### **Service Participants**

Presider and Preacher The Reverend Meredith E. Ward

**Lector** Sarah Bessey **Usher** Rob McKinney

Interim Director of Facilities Charles Bryant Director of Maintenance Willie Gonzalez Facilities Anthony Thomas

#### We continue to hold in our prayers

Karen, Kate, Robert, Ward, Rick, Keith, Margaret, Copez, Silvesta, Elizabeth, Mainy, Amparo, Nelly, Lyubov, Tatyana, Paula, Theresa, Chiree, Daniel, Virginia, Daranee





#### Newcomers are welcome to all gatherings.

Learn more at **stbarts.org/sunday.** 

#### Coffee Hour and Postcard Party with Reclaim Our Vote! 12:15 PM IN THE GREAT HALL

Join us immediately after the service for coffee, refreshments, and another voter mobilization postcard party with Reclaim Our Vote! All materials will be provided.

#### **St. Bart's Connects Launch Party**

12:30 PM IN ROOM 33

#### \* Virtual Coffee Hour

12:30 PM VIA ZOOM

Meet other virtual worshippers immediately after the service.

#### St. Tabitha's Guild

#### 2 PM VIA ZOOM

Calling all knitters and crocheters! Please consider joining our fellowship group whose ministry serves Crossroads, Jamaica Hospital, and the Seamen's Institute. Any skill level is welcome.

#### # Living Christ Sangha

3-4:30 PM VIA ZOOM

Weekly meditation practice with sitting and walking meditation, reading and sharing.



#### The 2024 Pledge Campaign

I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. John 15:11

Your generosity is critical for fulfilling St. Bart's mission and ministry. Your gifts are used to give benevolent aid and support, to pay clergy and staff salaries, to fund transformational initiatives, and to maintain our worship and community spaces. Your pledge to St. Bart's makes a difference and your participation matters. To fulfill your pledge, including setting up a monthly recurring gift, please visit **stbarts.org/givenow**.



#### October 6, 2024: The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

- \$\(\frac{1}{2}\) JOIN US IN PERSON AT 8 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM, AND 5 PM.

  YOU MAY ALSO JOIN OUR SUNDAY MORNING LIVESTREAM SERVICE AT 11 AM

  on our website (stbarts.org/worship/livestream), via YouTube or Facebook Live
  (@stbartsnyc).
- # THE FORUM AT 10 AM

**The Secret Life of the Sea: Exploration, Discovery, and Unexpected Deep-Sea Solutions:** Peter DeMenocal, President and Director of the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, discusses efforts currently being made to better understand the mysteries of the ocean and the role that ocean-related solutions can play in the fight against climate change.



# Weekday offerings to recenter your soul in God's grace and goodness.

**# HOLY EUCHARIST** • 12:05 PM IN THE CHAPEL

**Tuesdays:** with silent meditation

Wednesdays: with prayers for healing

**Thursdays:** with prayers for peace and justice

- \*\* NIGHT PRAYER MONDAY-FRIDAY AT 8:30 PM VIA ZOOM
- \$ BIBLE STUDY WEDNESDAYS AT 1 PM VIA ZOOM
- \* IMAGINE WORSHIP NYC THURSDAYS AT 7 PM IN THE CHAPEL
- CENTERING PRAYER FRIDAYS AT 9 AM VIA ZOOM

#### ONGOING AND UPCOMING

THE CHURCH IS OPEN MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 9 AM-5 PM FOR PRAYER AND MEDITATION.
THE BOOKSTORE IS ALSO OPEN DURING THESE HOURS.
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT STBARTS.ORG/CALENDAR.

#### Living Well: Inspiration for Our Personal Lives in the Bible's First Five Books

#### **TUESDAYS THROUGH OCTOBER 8, 7-8 PM VIA ZOOM**

Author Starr Tomczak leads a discussion of her new book, *Living Well: Inspired by the Story behind the Bible*. Learn more and register at **stbarts.org/livingwell**.

#### Deals with the Devil: An exploration of the Faust legend(s)

#### MONDAYS THROUGH OCTOBER 21, 6:30 PM VIA ZOOM

Deacon John Wirenius invites you on a deep dive into the origins of the stories of Faust or Faustus, a brilliant scholar who sells his soul to Satan for...what, exactly? It's the original classic of the legend, raising questions about the nature of our fallibility, of the ways our ancestors have understood and pictured ultimate evil through the centuries. Register at **stbarts.org/faust**.

# How "Democratic" Was Early Christianity?

#### THURSDAYS THROUGH OCTOBER 24, 6:30 PM VIA ZOOM

Professor Larry Welborn of Fordham University explores the politics of the early Jesus movement. Visit **stbarts.org/early-christianity** to learn more and register.

# Meet Dean Richard Sewell from St. George's College Jerusalem

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1 AT 5:30 PM IN THE CHAPEL

This is a wonderful opportunity to hear a first-hand update about the current situation in Israel/Palestine and learn of the work of St. George's College: the Anglican Center for Pilgrimage, Education, Hospitality and Reconciliation in the Holy Land. Learn more and register at **stbarts.org/stgeorges**.

### Free screening: The Rocky Horror Picture Show

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3 AT 7 PM IN ROOM 33

Join the St. Bart's Players for a free screening of *The Rocky Horror Picture Show* in the Community House. All are welcome to do the Time Warp!

#### The LGBTQ+ Film Series

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 6-9 PM, ROOM 33

Film professor and St. Bart's parishioner Anthony Perrotto hosts a bimonthly film series with an introduction, important insights, and commentary for each screening, all with LGBTQ+ themes. Our next screening will be *Supernova* from 2021. All are welcome. Learn more at **stbarts.org/lgbtqfilm**.

#### **Centering Prayer Fall Retreat**

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 9:30 AM-3 PM, ROOM 33

Approach God through stillness, silence, and community with the Centering Prayer Group of St. Bart's. Newcomers welcome. Eucharist in Chapel. Information and registration at **stbarts.org/centeringprayer**.

#### St. Francis Day: Blessing of the Animals

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6 AT 11 AM AND 5 PM

Blessing of the Animals will be offered at the 11 am and 5 pm services of Holy Eucharist. Bring your pet (or a photo) to be blessed by the clergy.

#### **Choral Evensong**

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6 AT 4 PM IN THE CHURCH

St. Bart's Singers, who lead the music each week at our Sunday 9 am service, and St. Bartholomew's Choristers will offer Stanford's Evening Service in C, as well as music of William Smith and George Dyson.

### After a long hiatus, the Island Club returns!

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 6-9 PM AT INSIDE PARK

Join friends and allies of the LGBTQ+ Community for a festive happy hour at the Inside Park Restaurant at St. Bart's (the church, not the Island!). People of all faiths and none are welcome to participate in this inclusive event. All are welcome! RSVP at **stbarts.org/islandclub**.

#### **Imagine Worship NYC**

#### THURSDAYS AT 7 PM, IN THE CHAPEL

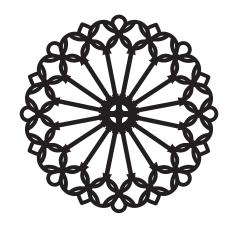
Imagine Worship NYC continues on Thursday nights in the chapel this fall. Join us for a casual, contemporary service of Holy Communion with soulful original music led by artist-in-residence Mark Miller, followed by food and hospitality. Learn more at **stbarts.org/imagine.** 

#### **Become a Chorister!**

#### ROLLING ADMISSION FROM SEPTEMBER-JUNE

Children ages 8 and up: sing with St. Bartholomew's Choristers for the 2024-2025 season! Within the framework of a choral ensemble, choristers receive a free, one-of-a-kind music education that teaches lifelong skills and values such as self-confidence, leadership, teamwork, dedication, and spirituality. Contact Alexander Pattavina (apattavina@stbarts.org) to learn more about St. Bartholomew's Choristers as well as musical opportunities for younger kids.





#### **Clergy and Staff**

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Deacon The Reverend Deacon John F. Wirenius \*

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#### The Vestry of St. Bart's

Wardens Miriam K. Schneider, Ray Vandenberg

David Carson, Rachel Farrar, James Ferrara, Dall Forsythe, Jennifer Fuller, David Hilder, Tim Hook, Natalie Johnson, Mary Robin Jurkiewicz, James Marion, Robert McKinney, Kari Parks, Craig Simmons

Chancellor Patrick MacMurray **Assistant Chancellors** Anne Rabbino, Peter Sullivan, Douglas Tanner

**Honorary Wardens** Fletcher Hodges III, Anthony P. Marshall, Percy Preston, Jr.

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