



# SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE

in the  
CITY OF NEW YORK

The Reverend Canon Carl F. Turner, *Rector*  
Dr. Jeremy Filsell, *Organist and Director of Music*  
The Reverend Charles F. Wallace, *Headmaster*

Welcome to Saint Thomas, a parish of the Episcopal Diocese of New York.  
Our mission is to worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ  
through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage.

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THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

OCTOBER 13, 2019

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## CHORAL EUCHARIST — 11 a.m.

Setting	Missa Salve Intermerata	<i>Thomas Tallis</i> (c. 1505-1585)
Prelude	Prelude and Fugue in A, BWV 536	<i>Johann Sebastian Bach</i> (1685-1750)
Hymn 390		LOBE DEN HERREN
The Opening Acclamation and the Collect for Purity		
Gloria in excelsis		
The Collect of the Day		
The Lesson	2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c	
Psalms 111		Anglican Chant ( <i>Taylor</i> )

*(Sung by the Choir. Please remain seated.)*

**I** WILL give thanks unto the Lord with my whole heart,\* secretly among the faithful, and in the congregation.

2 The works of the Lord are great,\* sought out of all them that have pleasure therein.

3 His work is worthy to be praised and had in honour,\* and his righteousness endureth for ever.

4 The merciful and gracious Lord hath so done his marvellous works,\* that they ought to be had in remembrance.

5 He hath given meat unto them that fear him;\* he shall ever be mindful of his covenant.

6 He hath shewed his people the power of his works,\* that he may give them the heritage of the heathen.

7 The works of his hands are verity and judgment;\* all his commandments are true.

8 They stand fast for ever and ever,\* and are done in truth and equity.

9 He sent redemption unto his people;\* he hath commanded his covenant for ever; holy and reverend is his Name.

10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;\* a good understanding have all they that do thereafter; his praise endureth for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,\* and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,\* world without end. Amen.

The Epistle 2 Timothy 2:8-15

Hymn 567

ST. MATTHEW

The Holy Gospel Luke 17:11-19

Annual Appeal Sermon Series: 'The Choir School' – The Rector

The Nicene Creed  
The Prayers of the People (Please kneel.)  
After each petition the people say:  
Lord, have mercy.

The Confession and Absolution  
The Peace  
The Greetings (Please be seated.)  
At the Offertory, Motet

Robert Whyte  
(c. 1538-1574)

**A**D te levavi oculos meos,  
qui habitas in caelis.  
Ecce sicut oculi servorum in manibus  
dominorum suorum; sicut oculi ancillae  
in manibus dominae suae: ita oculi  
nostri ad Dominum Deum nostrum,  
donec misereatur nostri.

Unto thee lift I up mine eyes:  
O thou that dwellest in the heavens.  
Behold, even as the eyes of servants look  
unto the hand of their masters,  
and as the eyes of a maiden unto the hand of  
her mistress: even so our eyes wait upon the  
Lord our God, until he have mercy upon us.

Psalm 123: 1-2

The Great Thanksgiving  
Sanctus and Benedictus  
The Eucharistic Prayer  
The Lord's Prayer  
The Breaking of the Bread  
Invitation to Communion

*All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion.  
The Sacrament is distributed at the High Altar and, for convenience and accessibility,  
also at the Chantry Chapel Altar. Gluten free hosts are available; please ask the priest at the altar rail.*

At the Communion, Agnus Dei  
and Motet

William Byrd  
(c. 1540-1623)

**E**GO sum panis vivus,  
qui de caelo descendi.  
Si quis manducaverit ex hoc pane,  
vivet in aeternum.  
Alleluia.

I am the living bread  
which came down from heaven.  
Whosoever shall eat of this bread,  
shall live forever.  
Alleluia.

*Saint John 6:51-52; Corpus Christi, Lauds Antiphon to the Benedictus*

The Postcommunion Prayer  
The Blessing and Dismissal  
Hymn 493  
Voluntary

Praeludium pro organo pleno, BWV 552i

AZMON  
Johann Sebastian Bach

*Healing and intercessory prayer will be offered by clergy and trained lay volunteers in  
the Chantry Chapel at the conclusion of today's service for anyone who desires it.*

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**CHORAL EVENSONG with the Admission of Choristers — 4 p.m.**

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Prelude	‘The peace may be exchanged’, from Rubrics	<i>Dan Locklair</i> (b. 1949)
Hymn 382		GENERAL SEMINARY
Versicles and Responses		<i>Matthew Martin</i> (b. 1976)
Psalms 69:1-22, 30-37; 70	Anglican Chant ( <i>Battisbill, Wesley, Talbot</i> )	
	The Book of Common Prayer, Page 421	
Lessons		Micah 6:1-8 and Luke 7:36-50
Admission of Choristers		
Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in C		<i>Bryan Kelly</i> (b. 1934)
The Greetings	( <i>Please be seated.</i> )	
Hymn 470		BEECHER
Sermon	Father Moretz	
At the Offering, Anthem	‘Jubilate Deo’	<i>Matthew Martin</i>

**O** BE joyful in the Lord, all ye lands: serve the Lord with gladness,  
and come before his presence with a song.  
Be ye sure that the Lord he is God; it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves;  
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.  
O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise;  
be thankful unto him, and speak good of his Name.  
For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is everlasting;  
and his truth endureth from generation to generation.

*Psalm 100*

The Final Prayer and Blessing		
Psalm 150	( <i>Sung by the Choir.</i> )	Anglican Chant ( <i>Talbot</i> )
Voluntary	Exultate	<i>Bryan Kelly</i>

**5:15 P.M. ORGAN RECITAL**

Edward Hewes  
*London, United Kingdom*

**MUSIC NOTES**

Thomas Tallis (c.1505-1585) lived at a remarkably turbulent time in the history of the English Church, witnessing Henry VIII’s reign, Queen Mary’s re-establishment of the Roman rite and the subsequent changes under Queen Elizabeth I. With such a changeable political and religious scene it is no surprise that Tallis’s sacred choral music should be so diverse. He began his career as organist at the Benedictine Priory at Dover, and then served at Waltham Abbey until the dissolution of the monasteries in 1540. Following a short period as a lay clerk at Canterbury Cathedral he became a Gentleman of the Chapel Royal, a position he retained until his death.

Whilst Tallis and his pupil William Byrd enjoyed royal favor through their compositions for the Anglican liturgy, it must be said that, at heart, both remained loyal to the old religion and it is in their Latin output that the two composers are at their most expressive. The *Missa Salve Intemerata* is an early work, which is reminiscent of large-scale 15th century choral writing. It is based on a motet of the same name, the text of which is a lengthy invocation of the Virgin Mary.

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The flowers today are offered to the glory of God and in memory of the following:  
*Doris and Frederick Blymer, Robert Erskine Douglas, William Harris Douglas,*  
*Francis Laurens Vinton Hoppin and Margaret Crane Hurlbut.*

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## DAILY OFFICE AND MASS

**Monday Eucharist: 12:10 p.m. only, due to the public holiday**

Tuesday through Friday Services: 8 a.m., 12:10 and 5:30 p.m.

*(The Tuesday 12:10 p.m. Healing Eucharist includes the laying on of hands and anointing of the sick)*

Saturday Eucharist: 12:10 p.m.

*Choral Evensong on Tuesday, October 15, at 5:30 p.m.*

*Choral Evensong on Wednesday, October 16, at 5:30 p.m.*

*Festal Evensong for the Eve of Saint Luke on Thursday, October 17, at 5:30 p.m.*

### Prayers at the Shrine of Our Lady of Fifth Avenue

Monday through Saturday at 12 p.m.

*Intercessions may be sent via the website by using the Prayer Request Tab  
or by leaving a written request in the box near the Shrine itself.*

**Confessions** in the Resurrection Chapel, Saturday, October 19 from 11 to 11:45 a.m.

Confessor – Father Moretz

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20 – THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

**8 A.M. SAID EUCHARIST**

**9 A.M. SUNG EUCHARIST**

Sermon by Mother Turner

**11 A.M. CHORAL MATTINS AND CHORAL EUCHARIST**

Sermon by Mother Turner

**4 P.M. CHORAL EVENSONG**

Sermon by the Rev. Michael Lapsley SSM  
Director of the Institute for Healing of Memories  
Cape Town, South Africa

## PARISH NOTICES

If you are a visitor this morning, **we welcome you to Saint Thomas Church** and hope that you are with us again soon. We encourage you to complete a Welcome Card which you can find in the narthex at the front of the church.

You are invited to **Coffee Hour**, which takes place in Andrew Hall following this service. To get there, take the Great Staircase to your left at the front of the nave. Also, if you would like to hear from us, please sign the Parish Guest Book.

There is a **guided tour** of the church following the voluntary at the end of this service. To join the tour, please meet the tour guide by the gallery stairs in the narthex.

**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** today at 12:45 p.m. on the fifth floor of the parish house. Fr. Turner will host an informational meeting for all those interested in joining the upcoming pilgrimage to the Holy Land in Lent 2020 (March 18-28).

**Nursery:** We welcome our youngest members and guests to Saint Thomas Church. Nursery care is available for infants and young children of parents attending the 9 and 11 a.m. liturgies. If your child would like to attend the nursery, please ask one of our ushers or staff who will kindly direct you. Once at the nursery, parents will be asked to sign their children in and will receive a silent pager for use during the service.

**Sunday School.** Children who are in pre-school through 6th grade are invited to attend Sunday School classes at Saint Thomas Church. Class usually meets on Sundays at 11 a.m., and the children are brought down to church during the service prior to Holy Communion. Registration is open for both Nursery and Sunday school using an online form found on the Saint Thomas website under Families/Sunday School.

A quiet area is available in the Chantry Chapel for **Children and Families** who wish to worship together. Accompanied young children are welcome to use this space during the 9 and 11 a.m. liturgies, where they are invited to enjoy a range of Bible stories and soft toys.

**Faith Alive.** A new group for children and teens will meet each month at 10 a.m. in the Sunday School room on the third floor of the parish house. If you are 11+ years old, were confirmed last May or are about to be confirmed next year, this group is for you. The Sunday meetings for the remainder of 2019 are October 20, November 17 and December 15. For more information, please contact Mother Alison Turner at [ATurner@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:ATurner@SaintThomasChurch.org).

**COME STAY GROW GIVE. This Sunday marks the fourth week of the 2020 Annual Appeal.** Fr. Turner will share his thoughts on the Choir School as part of the Sermon Series. How fortunate we are to have the privilege of worshipping in the only church in the United States with a residential Choir School. As reflected in our Mission Statement, “To worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage,” the school is integral to all that we do and has been for one hundred years. Supporting the Choir School is also our largest form of outreach. With a school budget of \$3.3 million, the Annual Appeal provides necessary, unrestricted funding for musical training, education and scholarship aid. If you love music and our beautiful Anglican services, please make a pledge to the 2020 Annual Appeal and support this very special tradition.

**Annual Appeal Sermon Series.** For the Fall season, our parish will take part in a sermon series as a part of our parish’s Annual Appeal for 2020. This 11 a.m. series will include our clergy and guests who will be preaching on themes that will explore the joys and responsibilities of our common life.

**October 13:** The Rector – The Choir School

**October 20:** Mother Turner – Children and Families

**October 27:** Father Cheng – Education and Formation

**November 3:** The Rev. Andrew C. Mead, *Rector Emeritus* (All Saints’ Sunday)

**November 10:** The Rev. Dr. Daniel Heischman,

*Executive Director of the National Association of Episcopal Schools (NAES)*

(Remembrance Sunday and Choir School Centennial Alumni Weekend)

**November 17:** The Rector – The Strategic Plan

**November 24:** The Rev. Dr. Sam Wells, *Vicar of St. Martin-in-the-Field, London, UK* (Commitment Sunday)

Please help the **Figure Skating in Harlem** organization by donating snacks in bulk for their afterschool program. This organization helps girls transform their lives and grow in confidence, leadership and academic achievement. Snacks may be dropped off at reception by **TODAY**. Donated items may also be purchased online and delivered directly to the church. Checks, payable to Saint Thomas Church earmarked, “Afterschool snacks” are also appreciated. If you have questions, please see Linda Morfi or Damara Greene or email [LMorfi@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:LMorfi@SaintThomasChurch.org).

**Oktoberfest.** On Friday, October 18, Saint Thomas will celebrate the dress, cuisine and music of Austria and Germany. The evening will start with a reception at 6:30 p.m. in the living room, then move to Andrew Hall to feast on a delicious dinner by Heidi Thomas, chef at the Choir School and expert in German/Austrian cuisine, while listening to the music of Street Beat Brass Band. Tickets cost \$55 and are available if you leave a check at reception or pay through the web. You can also charge your credit card at the 11 a.m. Coffee Hour through the Square. Phone reservations will not be accepted.

On Saturday, October 19, at 3 p.m., **Concerts at Saint Thomas** welcomes Christophe Mantoux in the second of five *Grand Organ Series* recitals of the season. Currently Organiste Titulaire at the Church of Saint-Séverin in Paris, Mantoux brings a Belle Époque program of Franck, Vierne, Tournemire, Duruflé and Messiaen exploring the Parisian colors of The Miller-Scott Organ. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased on the Church website, by calling the Concerts Office at 212.664.9360, or at the door.

On Saturday October 26, the **18-30s Ministry** will be visiting the Storm King Art Center. This is a great way to get out of the city for a day and meet some of your fellow young adults in the parish. If you are interested in going, please RSVP to [YoungAdults@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:YoungAdults@SaintThomasChurch.org). If you have any questions about the trip, feel free to contact Dan Fowler ([daniel.fowler80@gmail.com](mailto:daniel.fowler80@gmail.com)) for more details.

**The Bookstore and Gift shop** is located on the first floor of the parish house, and is open following the 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. services. Currently in stock: *Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices*, by Scott Gunn and Melody Wilson Shobe; 2020 Christian Pocket Diary, *Light on the Mountain: Greek Patristic and Byzantine Homilies on the Transfiguration of the Lord*, translated by Brian E. Daley, S.J.; *On the Dormition of Mary: Early Patristic Homilies*, translated by Brian E. Daley, S.J.; and *Gateway of Life: Orthodox Thinking on the Mother Of God* by Mary B. Cunningham. Contact: [Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org). Major credit cards accepted.

## ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

**Theology Class.** Today, at 10 a.m., on the fifth floor of the parish house, Fr. Cheng will conclude his three-part series on “**The Tudor Prayer Books: 1549, 1552, and 1559.**” The series is an exploration of the Books of Common Prayer promulgated under Edward VI and Elizabeth I, and, in particular, how these liturgical texts shed light on key theological debates of the English Reformation. This Sunday’s class will focus on the Prayer Book of 1559 and the influence of Elizabeth I on Anglican liturgy and theology to this day. Next Sunday, we welcome a special guest, the Rev. Michael Lapsley SSM, a South African Anglican priest and founder of the Institute for Healing of Memories (IHOM). Fr. Lapsley will present a class entitled “**Redeeming the Past: Healing Memories of Individuals, Communities and Nations.**” Since the 1990s, IHOM has facilitated workshops that enable people from different racial, religious, and social backgrounds to reach a better understanding of themselves and of each other.

**Pilgrims’ Course II.** During the five Tuesdays of October, from 6:30 to 8 p.m., we will be offering the Pilgrims’ Course II series. The series is open to parishioners who were confirmed or received at Saint Thomas Church since 2015. This coming Tuesday’s class will cover the structure and governance of the Episcopal Church and the Anglican Communion. The instructors will be Fr. Cheng and the Rector. We will be discussing chapter 18 from the text *Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices*, by Scott Gunn and Melody Wilson Shobe, which is available for purchase in the bookstore. For more information about the series, email Fr. Cheng at [PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org).

**Friday Bible Study.** All are welcome to join the parish’s Friday lunchtime Bible Study. The class runs for an hour in the parish house living room following the 12:10 p.m. Mass. Under Fr. Ryan Bennett’s guidance, the class is currently studying the Gospel According to John, including an in-depth exploration of the text as a group.

For regular email updates on the life of the parish and notices from the Rector, please contact Fr. Moretz at [MMoretz@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:MMoretz@SaintThomasChurch.org), or text STC5THAVE to 22828. For more information about the parish’s Adult Christian Education program, please contact Fr. Cheng, Theologian in Residence, at [PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org](mailto:PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org). For regular email updates on Adult Christian Education, please text THEOLOGY to 22828.



### ASSISTING CLERGY

The Reverend Matthew Moretz, *Associate Rector*

The Reverend Adam Spencer, *Associate for Pastoral Care*

The Reverend Alison J. Turner, *Associate for Children and Family Ministry*

The Reverend Dr. Patrick S. Cheng, *Theologian in Residence*

The Reverend Ryan Bennett, *Assistant Priest*

Sister Marie Promise Atelon SSM, *Seminarian*

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