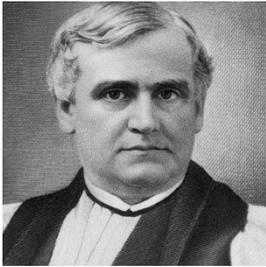


The 3rd Sunday After the Epiphany

The Collect of the Day

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

This Week in the Episcopal Church



January 23: On this day in 1893, Phillips Brooks, Bishop of Massachusetts, abolitionist, who wrote the words to “O little town of Bethlehem” (Hymn 79), died. Brooks was the rector of Trinity Church, Boston, from 1869 to 1891, and was then elected Bishop of Massachusetts, and died two years later.

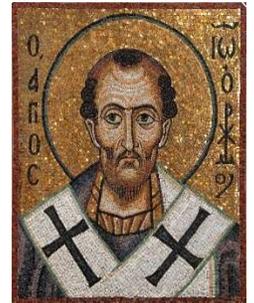
January 24: On this day in 1944, Florence Li Tim-Oi, the first woman priest in the Anglican Communion, was ordained by Bishop Ronald Hall of Hong Kong. After a storm of protest, she moved to Canada, where she was able to perform her priestly duties until her death in 1992.



January 25: On this day the Episcopal Church celebrates the Conversion of Saint Paul the Apostle. Before his conversion, Paul was known as “Saul,” a Pharisee who persecuted early Christians. “Now as Paul was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, ‘Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?’ He asked, ‘Who are you, Lord?’ The reply came, ‘I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do.’ The men who were travelling with him stood speechless because they

heard the voice but saw no one. Saul got up from the ground, and though his eyes were open, he could see nothing; so they led him by the hand and brought him into Damascus. For three days he was without sight, and neither ate nor drank” (Acts 9:3-9, NRSV).

January 27: On this day in 398, John Chrysostom was consecrated bishop of Constantinople. The name Chrysostom (“Golden Mouth”) was given to him because of his eloquence. Audiences were warned not to carry money when they went to hear him speak, because people became so engrossed in his words that they often failed to notice pickpockets. See “A Prayer of St. Chrysostom” (p. 102, BCP).



January 28: On this day in 1274, Thomas Aquinas, Italian priest and friar, died. Aquinas immersed himself in the ideas of Aristotle, and then undertook to explain Christian ideas and beliefs in language that would make sense to those who studied the teachings Aristotle, which was a very dangerous and radical undertaking in the thirteenth century.

January 29: On this day in 1769, Thomas Middleton, the first Anglican bishop of Calcutta, was born in Kedleston in Derbyshire, England.



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All Souls' Episcopal Church Annual Congregation Meeting – 1/27/2019



Please join us in Taylor Hall **after the 10:30am** service for the **Annual Congregation Meeting** which will be presented by the members of the Vestry. The meeting will be a time to reflect on our congregation's accomplishments over the past year and for the Vestry to present its plans for 2019. Please join us and let your voice be heard on way to shape the future of All Souls'. Brunch will be served.

Stewardship Opportunities at All Souls'

During this exiting time of transition, we have **numerous stewardship opportunities** to donate your talents and time to our Church Community. Stewardship is rooted in the belief that we have all inherited wonderful and unique gifts from God. This recognition of our giftedness leads to a life of gratitude and desire to share our gifts with our family, church and community. This year, these opportunities will also include **two vacant positions in our Vestry**. Prior to the annual meeting, please **consider any nominees (yourself included) to fill these positions**. Feel free to speak to any of the current Vestry members about nominations or any questions you may have about these **integral leadership roles in our congregation**.

Flowers for the Altar

Please consider donating \$50 in thanksgiving for a special occasion, a special person or in remembrance of a departed loved one. Two arrangements are used on the main altar. One is later placed in the Memorial Garden and you may take home the other one. An acknowledgment of your contribution will be placed in the Service Bulletin.



Search Corner Information

On January 16, 2019, the Search Committee and the Vestry met with Bishop Eaton to discuss their findings, share their views and opinions, and provide feedback related to the candidate(s) recently interviewed. The Committee is now waiting for further instructions from Bishop Eaton. Please continue to keep them your prayers as they move forward in this very important process.

Hospitality



If your surname begins with A - E, a reminder that there is an opportunity for you to provide a much-needed food item for our hospitality next **Sunday, February 3rd**. Please check with Joyce Foreman this morning and ask her what she needs for next Sunday. **Items needed usually are a starch (pasta, potato, etc.), a meat, a salad, a vegetable and a dessert.**

Prayer List

We are continuously updating our church's Prayer List. If you would like to add the name of a loved one, a place, an organization, an event or a situation to the Prayer List, please email us at: parishoffice@allsouls.org

Stay Connected! Visit our website: www.allsoulsmb.org & sign up to receive our Weekly Newsletter by email

Epiphany Season

TRAFFIC ADVISORY: The Miami Marathon will take place on Sunday, January 27, 2019. We recommend all those entering Miami Beach between 6:00 am to 10:00 am utilize the Julia Tuttle Causeway. The McArthur and Venetian Causeways will have scheduled closures.

January 27th

The 3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Sung Eucharist 10:30 am

Annual Congregation Meeting

11:45 am

Saturday, February 2nd

Centering Prayer

All Souls' Episcopal Church 10:30 am

February 3rd

The 4th Sunday after Epiphany

Holy Eucharist 8:00 am

Sung Eucharist 10:30 am

Saturday, February 9th

Centering Prayer

All Souls' Episcopal Church 10:30 am

February 10th

The 5th Sunday after Epiphany

Holy Eucharist 8:00 am

Sung Eucharist 10:30 am

We Hold in Prayer †

For peace throughout the world.

The strengthening of our congregational life in this time of transition.

For Healing:

Baby Ailia, Bob, Bobby, Bronwen, Carmela Dana, Daphne, Darryl, Dennis, Gary, Glen, Greg, Rafael, Jim, Karen, Deacon Katon, Ken, Reverend Kleban, Lily, Malu, Nellie, Obie, Paul, Rafael, Ray, Richard, Rick, Rito, Rose, Santos, Sheila, Bishop Sturdie, Tania and Tony.

All Hospice and Palliative Care Units.

The dying and those who watch and care for them and mourn for their loss.

Heavenly Father, giver of life and health: Comfort and relieve your sick servants, and give your power of healing to those who minister to their needs, that those for whom our prayers are offered may be strengthened in their weakness and have confidence in your loving care; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen †

