Newcomers and visitors, welcome! We are a servant church in the heart of the city. May you find here, by God’s grace, that which feeds your soul, and leave here with a heart prepared to serve.

“I am the WAY, the TRUTH and the LIFE” - Jesus
Morning Prayer

Voluntary: “Wer nur den lieben Gott läßt walten,” BWV 647

Johann Sebastian Bach

Hymn #518: “Christ is made the sure foundation”

1. Christ is made the sure foundation,
   Christ the head and corner stone,
   God on high, in exultant jubilation
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2. All that dedicated city, dearly loved of God on high, in exultant jubilation
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3. To this temple, where we call thee, come, O Lord of hosts, to day; with thy wonted loving kindness
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4. Here vouchsafe to all thy servants what they ask of thee to gain; what they gain from thee, for ever
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   binding all the Church in one; holy Zion’s help for ever, and her confidence alone.
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   pours perpetual melody; God the One in adoring in glad hymns eternally.
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   hear thy servants as they pray, and thy fullest benediction shed with in its walls always.
   hear thy servants as they pray, and thy fullest benediction shed with in its walls always.

   with the blessed to retain, and hereafter in thy glory evermore with thee to reign.
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Opening Sentence

Officiant Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!
INVITATORY AND PSALTER

Officiant  Lord open our lips.
People     And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.
All        Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

ANTIPHON

All        Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed: Come let us adore him. Alleluia.

CHRIST OUR PASSOVER

1 Corinthians 5:7–8; Romans 6:9–11; 1 Corinthians 15:20–22

All        Alleluia.
Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; *
therefore let us keep the feast,
Not with the old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, *
but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth. Alleluia.
Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; *
death no longer has dominion over him.
The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; *
but the life he lives, he lives to God.
So also consider yourselves dead to sin, *
and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.
Christ has been raised from the dead, *
the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.
For since by a man came death, *
by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.
For as in Adam all die, *
so also in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.

ANTIPHON

All        Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed: Come let us adore him. Alleluia.
The Psalm Appointed
Psalm 31:1–5, 15–16

All  In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; 
let me never be put to shame; *
    deliver me in your righteousness.

Incline your ear to me; *
    make haste to deliver me.

Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe,
for you are my crag and my stronghold; *
    for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me.

Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, *
    for you are my tower of strength.

Into your hands I commend my spirit, *
    for you have redeemed me,
    O Lord, O God of truth.

My times are in your hand; *
    rescue me from the hand of my enemies,
    and from those who persecute me.

Make your face to shine upon your servant, *
    and in your loving-kindness save me.”

The Lessons
Acts 7:55–60

Reader  Filled with the Holy Spirit, Stephen gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. “Look,” he said, “I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!” But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, “Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.” Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, “Lord, do not hold this sin against them.” When he had said this, he died.

The Word of the Lord.

People  Thanks be to God.
Canticle 9

All Surely, it is God who saves me; *
I will trust in him and not be afraid.
For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, *
and he will be my Savior.
Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing *
from the springs of salvation.
And on that day you shall say, *
Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;
Make his deeds known among the peoples; *
see that they remember that his Name is exalted.
Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, *
and this is known in all the world.
Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, *
for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

John 14:1–14

Reader Jesus said, “Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.”

Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.”

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Homily
Canticle 21

All

You are God: we praise you;
You are the Lord: we acclaim you;
You are the eternal Father:
All creation worships you.
To you all angels, all the powers of heaven,
Cherubim and Seraphim, sing in endless praise:
    Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
    heaven and earth are full of your glory.
The glorious company of apostles praise you.
The noble fellowship of prophets praise you.
The white-robed army of martyrs praise you.
Throughout the world the holy Church acclaims you;
    Father, of majesty unbounded,
    your true and only Son, worthy of all worship,
    and the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide.
You, Christ, are the king of glory,
the eternal Son of the Father.
When you became man to set us free
you did not shun the Virgin' s womb.
You overcame the sting of death
and opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers.
You are seated at God' s right hand in glory.
We believe that you will come and be our judge.
    Come then, Lord, and help your people,
bought with the price of your own blood,
    and bring us with your saints
to glory everlasting.

The Apostles’ Creed

All

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
    He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
    and born of the Virgin Mary.
    He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
    was crucified, died, and was buried.
    He descended to the dead.
    On the third day he rose again.
    He ascended into heaven,
    and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
    He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.
The Prayers

Officiant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Officiant Let us pray.
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.

Suffrages

Officiant Show us your mercy, O Lord;
People And grant us your salvation.
Officiant Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
People Let your people sing with joy.
Officiant Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
People For only in you can we live in safety.
Officiant Lord, keep this nation under your care;
People And guide us in the way of justice and truth.
Officiant Let your way be known upon earth;
People Your saving health among all nations.
Officiant Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
People Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.
Officiant Create in us clean hearts, O God;
People And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

Collects

Officiant Let us pray.
Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus
Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that
leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity
of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our
Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in
your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach
peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after
you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the
coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
Hymn #457: “Thou art the Way, to thee alone”

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INTERCESSIONS AND THANKSGIVINGS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Silence
The People may add their own petitions.
The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

CELEBRATION PRAYER

All 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 lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
Announcements

General Thanksgiving

All Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

Dismissal

Officiant Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.
People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.
Officiant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.

Voluntary: “Carillon de Longpont,” op. 31 no. 21

Louis Vierne

The Very Rev. Dr. Andrew C. Keyse, Officiant
Dr. Paul Meier, Organist
Julie Brogno, Lector
Kaylie Kahlich, Singer

The Bishop has asked that we use the Eucharistic lectionary rather than the Office Lectionary during Morning Prayer to keep in line with the Easter narrative.

During this time when we can only worship online we would like you to consider giving online as well. Please go to kccathedral.org to make or pay on a pledge, give a gift, or make a donation. Or you may use the QR code to the right. Thank you for your generosity.
Weekly Events

During this time when we can’t be together physically, the Cathedral is offering the following online services and events to keep us all connected.

Sundays

• **Children’s Worship Time** via Zoom, takes place from 9:15-10 a.m. Linda Martin and Julie Brogno host this meeting which includes some social time, music, a Bible story and prayer. Contact Julie for the meeting link, childrensformation@kccathedral.org.

• We will be livestreaming **Morning Prayer** from the Nave at 10:15 a.m. Watch on Facebook or YouTube. Bulletins are here. After the service, join us for a virtual **Coffee Hour** via Zoom! To join, click here.

Tuesdays

• Please join us for our weekly conversation in **GHTC’s Digital Cafe**! Tuesday mornings from 7:30–9:00. To join, click here. Meeting ID: 568 607 781 Password: 582827. You may also dial in by phone: 312 626 6799.

• **Women’s Bible Study** will meet via Zoom at 12:30 p.m. Contact Candy McDowell at 816.741.0992 or candyleemc@att.net for information on how to participate.

• **Fellowship Gathering** via Zoom at 3 p.m. with the @wemoyouth community. Link posted on all WEMO Youth social media. For youth in grades 6-12 and youth leaders.

Wednesdays

• **Noonday Prayer** will be livestreamed from the Nave at 12 noon. Watch on Facebook or YouTube. Bulletins are here.

• At 6:30 p.m., you may participate in our **Dean’s Forum & Compline** via Zoom. Dean Keyse will resume teaching the bible study he began during Lent, *The Book of Revelation (or The Revelation of John)*. Check out the Adult Formation page on the Cathedral website for a class description. To join the Zoom session, click here. Meeting ID: 424 683 903 Password: 138017.

Thursdays

• **Compline** via Zoom at 8 p.m. with the @wemoyouth community. Link posted on all WEMO Youth social media. For youth in grades 6-12 and youth leaders.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

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Please contact the Cathedral office if we have omitted your birthday or anniversary: 816.474.8260 or jsweeting@kccathedral.org.

Cathedral Prayer List

**Pray for:**

**Healing**—Dave Willis; Liza Townsend; Ted Cowles; Ken McCandless; Steve Smith; Patrick Lee; Jim Starcev; Nan Schooling; Fiona (Leona) Schaefer; Nancy Wright; Matalin Page; Sonya Kittrell; Donna Carril; Jeff Oliver; David With; Lida Moffett; Thaddeus Samuel Withers

**Peace & Comfort**—Matt Levi & family; John Buchanan’s family; Kathy Jennings & family

**Healing Strength**—Willard Welch; Jessica Lynn Knox

*To place a person on this prayer list, please contact the church office: communications@kccathedral.org. Requests are held in prayer for 90 days.*