

**JANUARY 21: THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

**Readings from Year B, the Revised Common Lectionary:**

Jonah 3:1-5, 10; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20

**8 am Rite I Eucharist [Chapel]**

In the traditional language of *The Book of Common Prayer*.

**8:45 am-12:15 pm Free Child Care (Through Age Five) [Room 51]**

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**9 am Eucharist [Church]**

St. Bart's Singers lead our songs of praise and sing Parry's "Dear Lord and Father of mankind."

**10 am KAIROS: Sunday School and Youth Group [4th Floor]**

We'll follow boy Jesus to the temple and learn our cast of characters in the New Testament before diving into the plot of Jesus' life story! Come embody the characters of the New Testament like John the Baptist, Peter, Paul, Mary Magdalene, Martha, Lazarus, Judas, and many more!

**10:05 am The Rector's Forum [Great Hall]**

"Welcoming the Stranger." Join us as we welcome Dr. Larry Welborn, Professor of the New Testament at Fordham University. He will guide us on a lively survey through the Gospels and their teaching on hospitality and welcome to all people, providing his expert scholarly and spiritual insights.

**11 am Choral Eucharist [Church]**

St. Bartholomew's Choir offers music of Corteccia, Parry, and Willan.

**5 pm Community Eucharist [Chapel]**

An informal and intimate service, celebrated in our beautiful Chapel.

**PASTORAL CARE:** St. Bart's Clergy are here to support you pastorally. If you are, or will be, in the hospital or are confined at home, please be in touch with us. We will be glad to arrange a visit, bring communion to you, and/or speak by phone with you. More information on pastoral services available and clergy contact information are on page 6.

**WEEKDAY SERVICES**

**Monday-Friday:** 12:05 pm Eucharist, 5:30 pm Evening Prayer  
**Wednesday:** 6 pm Eucharist; **Saturday:** 10 am Morning Prayer

**WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY**

**THE BIBLE, THE NEW YORK TIMES AND YOU:** Wednesdays, 12:45-2 pm, Vestry Room. Thoughtful reflection on the upcoming Sunday Gospel + the day's *New York Times* op-ed pages. To learn more, please email [sanders@stbarts.org](mailto:sanders@stbarts.org).

**MEDITATION PRACTICES**

**LIVING CHRIST SANGHA:** Sundays, 3-4:45 pm, Room 52

**MEDITATION MONDAYS:** Mondays, 12:30-1:30 pm, Church

**iREST:** Mondays, 5:45-6:45 pm, Church

**YOGA:** Tuesdays, 5:30-7 pm, Church

**CANDLELIT YOGA & MUSIC:** 3rd Thursdays each month, 7-8:30 pm, Church

Details: [stbarts.org/get-involved/community-groups/meditation-practices](http://stbarts.org/get-involved/community-groups/meditation-practices) or contact David Bryan: [bryan@stbarts.org](mailto:bryan@stbarts.org), 212-378-0246.



**If You Need Help:** Our clergy share the responsibility of being on call. If your need is urgent, call 212-378-0250 and you will be forwarded to a priest on duty. For other matters, call during business hours at one of the numbers in the staff listing below.

**Pastoral Services:**

**Baptisms** are scheduled throughout the year on specific Sundays (dates available at [stbarts.org](http://stbarts.org)). In certain circumstances, private baptisms may be arranged. Contact the Rev. Matthew J. Moretz, [moretz@stbarts.org](mailto:moretz@stbarts.org).

**Marriage and Blessings of Commitments** require consultation with clergy (see contact info, below). For arrangements and set-up requirements, contact David Bryan at 212-378-0246.

**Funeral and Memorial Service** planning begins when a death is reported to any of the clergy, using the pastoral emergency line, 212-378-0250.

**Laying on of Hands and Prayers** are offered at the 9 am and 11 am Sunday services, Wednesdays at 12:05 pm, and by request during the week.

**Reconciliation of a Penitent** (private confession and counsel) can be scheduled with any of the clergy.

**Communion for the sick or home-bound** (or pastoral visits to the hospital) can be arranged through the Rev. Matthew J. Moretz, [moretz@stbarts.org](mailto:moretz@stbarts.org).

**To add a name to the prayer list**, you may send an email to [prayers@stbarts.org](mailto:prayers@stbarts.org) or contact any of the clergy.

**Space Use and Rentals:** Call or email St. Bart's Central (see below) if you wish to arrange a parish meeting in the Church or Community House. For outside users, we offer a limited number of rooms: contact Heather Bryant, [hbryant@stbarts.org](mailto:hbryant@stbarts.org), 212-378-0254. Please understand that we are only able to offer these spaces at established market rates.

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**VESTRY OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH**

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Catherine Belford Budd, Archer Christian Burke, Hunter T. Carter, Timothy W. Collins, Peter B. de Menocal, John Gilliland, Morihiko Goto, Robert Gutheil, Mary Krueger, Heather Mitchell, Alexander Robertson, Barbara Case Senchak, Susannah Wade Lewis, Chantal Stevens  
*Honorary Wardens:* Fletcher Hodges III, Anthony P. Marshall, and Percy Preston, Jr.

# ST BART'S

The Second Sunday after the Epiphany  
January 14, 2018



**We hope you find yours here.**

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.

**WELCOME!**

## JANUARY 14: THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

### Readings from Year B, the Revised Common Lectionary:

1 Samuel 3:1-20; 1 Corinthians 6:12-20; John 1:43-51

#### 8 am Rite I Eucharist [Chapel]

Sermon: The Right Reverend Dean E. Wolfe  
In the traditional language of *The Book of Common Prayer*.

**8:45 am-12:15 pm Free Child Care (Through Age Five) [Room 51]**  
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#### 9 am Eucharist [Church]

Sermon: The Right Reverend Dean E. Wolfe  
St. Bart's Singers lead our songs of praise and sing White's "Steal away."

#### 10 am KAIROS: Sunday School and Youth Group [4th Floor]

During this term of Kairos, we will focus on two themes: Love and Mercy. We will explore Jesus' life as a teacher as he showed his friends and students how to love and show mercy and kindness to everyone. We'll head down to our Epiphany star tent to preach and teach words of justice, in honor of Jesus the teacher and those who have lived out his ministry, especially the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.!

#### 10:05 am The Rector's Forum [Great Hall]

Celebrating Difference: Beyond the Melting Pot. Join us in the Great Hall with our Minister for Children, Youth, and Family Formation, Lucy Breidenthal Bernardin, who will lead us in conversation around matters of diversity and our common life as a parish. What does it mean to celebrate the differences of those in our church? How can we honor the heritage of one another, while also seeking a higher calling together? Come and learn tools and practices that promote the building up of a beloved community.

#### 11 am Choral Eucharist [Church]

Sermon: The Right Reverend Dean E. Wolfe  
St. Bartholomew's Choir offers music of Dorsey, as well as Chilcott's "A Little Jazz Mass."

#### 5 pm Community Eucharist [Chapel]

Sermon: The Reverend John Wirenius  
An informal and intimate service, celebrated in our beautiful Chapel.

## ABOUT TODAY'S LITURGY AND MUSIC

This week our 11 am service features Bob Chilcott's "Little Jazz Mass," which was commissioned by the New Orleans Children's Chorus. Originally written for upper voices, it was later arranged by Chilcott for SATB chorus. This piece draws together two very different traditions: jazz and the Latin mass. The Gloria seems to draw its inspiration from big band and the "swing" style which was popular in the 1940's. The Sanctus has been described as a "jazz lullaby," and the Agnus Dei is clearly inspired by the blues. Chilcott makes a successful blend out of all these styles, and this piece has become his most widely performed work. It will be heard this Sunday with bass, drums, and piano.

**MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY:** The Chapel is open on Monday, January 15 for prayer and meditation from 9 am to 1:30 pm. The 12:05 pm Eucharist will take place as scheduled. The church and community house will be closed.

**Healing Prayer:** Available during communion at the 9 am and 11 am services.

**Accessible St. Bart's:** Our ramped entrance through the garden is currently out of service. As an alternative, the entrance at 109 E. 50th St. is available on Sunday mornings. Accessible restrooms are located off the lobby inside the Park Avenue entrance. Large-print service leaflets (and Books of Common Prayer) are available at our welcome desk in the lobby.

**Parking:** St. Bart's happily provides parking free of charge for those who attend services on Sunday. The garage is on the south side of East 51st Street (between 3rd and Lexington Avenues). Ask an usher or someone at St. Bart's Central for a voucher. (Because some have asked, please note that each redeemed parking voucher costs St. Bart's \$12.)

## WELCOME TO ST. BART'S

### VISITING OR CHECKING US OUT TODAY? THINKING OF JOINING?

St. Bart's may be the place for you. Here's how to connect:

- **JOIN US** for coffee and hospitality after the 8 am, 9 am and 11 am services.
- **ATTEND OUR WINTER EXPLORE CLASS SERIES:** Sundays, January 21-February 11 at 12:30-2 pm in the Vestry Room. For more information, please visit [stbarts.org/get-involved/adult-education](http://stbarts.org/get-involved/adult-education).
- **ASK QUESTIONS** and fill out a welcome card at our Welcome Table, found near the back of the church. If you like, order a name button. Welcome Committee members (wearing green buttons), ushers, clergy and friendly people would love to talk to you!
- **TAKE A GUIDED TOUR** of this landmark building; meet by the Welcome Table in the back of the Church immediately after the 11 am service.

**HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?** Contact Manny Rodríguez, Welcome, Parish Life and Stewardship Associate: [rodriguez@stbarts.org](mailto:rodriguez@stbarts.org) or 212-378-0230.

## ONGOING AND UPCOMING

**EXPLORE.** New to St. Bart's or the Episcopal Church? Thinking of joining? Looking at life and faith in new ways? Join our Winter series of EXPLORE classes: **Four Sundays 12:30-2 pm, January 21-February 11**, in the Vestry Room.

**DREAM GROUP:** What does my dream mean? Always the question! Come to discover the wisdom hidden in your dreams on **Wednesdays, 6:30-8:15 pm, January 17, 24, 31** in the Welcome Center. All are invited. Please be prompt! Group guided by Annette Thies, MA, spiritual director and dream coach since 1997. Do bring your pen, dream journal or pad.

**FREE WEEKLY SERIES OF CONCERTS OF EARLY MUSIC:** Thursdays at 1:15 pm in the Chapel, through June 28. Now in its seventeenth season, Midtown Concerts sponsors lunchtime performances of music of the 18th century and earlier for anyone seeking a respite from the midtown hustle and bustle. Ensembles are chosen by a jury of early-music specialists from the metropolitan area. Details and schedule online at [gemsny.org/midtown-concerts](http://gemsny.org/midtown-concerts).

**EPISCOPAL PEACE FELLOWSHIP:** St. Bart's chapter will hold its second annual Interfaith Prayers for Peace and Justice Reception to welcome in the new year on **Sunday, January 21, from 12:30-2 pm**, in the Crossroads Community Meeting Room (downstairs). Bring a prayer if you wish. All are welcome! Light refreshments and drinks will be provided.

**THE ST. BART'S ADULT PROFESSIONALS GROUP** will gather for brunch on **Sunday, January 28, 12:45-2 pm** at *The Press Box* restaurant (932 Second Avenue). Our focus will be to discuss 2018 events, so please bring your ideas. This group is focused on active and inquisitive career-minded people seeking fellowship with other similarly-minded individuals. The group is non-exclusive, and all interested people are invited to attend. RSVP to Michael Gaulin ([michael.gaulin@yahoo.com](mailto:michael.gaulin@yahoo.com)) or Dulcie Mapondera ([dtmapondera@hotmail.com](mailto:dtmapondera@hotmail.com)).

### ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION FOR VESTRY IN 2018

Our Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Sunday, February 11, 2018 in the nave of the Church, following the 9 am Eucharist. All are invited to attend. The Vestry has nominated the following persons: John Gilliland for a two-year term as Warden; Kathleen Breiten and Keith Rook to join the Vestry for terms of three years; and Peter deMenocal, Mary Krueger and Susannah Wade Lewis for re-election to the Vestry for three-year terms. More information online at [stbarts.org/annualmeeting](http://stbarts.org/annualmeeting).

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**JANUARY 21-FEBRUARY 11**  
EXPLORE Classes, Sundays 12:30-2 pm

**FEBRUARY 3**  
Great Music concert series presents  
*Hotel Elefant: Great Music Debut* at 7:30 pm

**FEBRUARY 5**  
St. Bartholomew's Boy and Girl Choristers Fundraising Concert at 6 pm

**FEBRUARY 11**  
Annual Parish Meeting at 10 am

**FEBRUARY 13**  
Shrove Tuesday Supper and Party—watch for details!

**FEBRUARY 14**  
Ash Wednesday: Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes at 8 am, 12:05 and 6 pm  
Ashes imposed 7 am-7 pm

**FEBRUARY 21-MARCH 21**  
Adult Confirmation Classes, Wednesdays 7-8:30 pm

**MARCH 25**  
Palm Sunday... Holy Week begins

**APRIL 1**  
Easter Day—Services at 8 am, 9 am, 11 am, and 5 pm

**APRIL 8-29**  
EXPLORE Classes, Sundays 12:30-2 pm

**APRIL 16, 23; MAY 7, 14**  
7-8:30 pm "Listening to the 'Nones'" Class with Dr. Patrick Hornbeck

**MAY 6**  
Acolyte Moving Up Ceremony at 9 am, Welcome Sunday at 11 am

**MAY 20**  
Confirmations, Receptions and Reaffirmations with The Right Reverend Mary D. Glasspool, Assistant Bishop, The Episcopal Diocese of New York

Learn more at [stbarts.org](http://stbarts.org)

**ST. BARTHOLOMEW COMMUNITY PRESCHOOL** is accepting applications for the 2018-2019 school year. For over 40 years, our preschool has provided a warm, nurturing first school experience. Learn more at [stbarts.org/preschool](http://stbarts.org/preschool).



### THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

We are so grateful for your support to St. Bart's in 2017. Your gift enables all that we do here. In an effort to "go Green" we will be eliminating many of our individual thank you letters for weekly donations. We will continue to thank for Stewardship pledges and stock gifts. Weekly envelopes have been mailed and tax letters for 2017 will be mailed at the end of January. If you have any questions, please call the Stewardship office and speak to Manny Rodríguez at 212-378-0230 or email Meighan Corbett at [corbett@stbarts.org](mailto:corbett@stbarts.org).

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