

## FEBRUARY 17: THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

**Readings from Year C, the Revised Common Lectionary:**  
Jeremiah 17:5-10; 1 Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26

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

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### 11 am Choral Eucharist [Church]

St. Bartholomew's Choir offers music of Beach, Elgar, and Mendelssohn.

### 12:30 pm EXPLORE Classes [Vestry Room]

What's in our DNA as St. Bartians? What does it mean to be a member of St. Bart's? How can I get more involved? The answers may surprise you! Join the Reverend Lynn Sanders and the Reverend Dr. Kris Lewis-Theerman for a lively exploration of these questions and more!

### 5 pm Community Eucharist [Chapel]

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

*\*Eucharist is from the Greek for "thanksgiving" and is our regular worship service, at the heart of all we do and are. It is also known as the Lord's Supper, Holy Communion, Mass or Divine Liturgy.*

## 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 the Reverend Kris Lewis-Theerman ([kewis-theerman@stbarts.org](mailto:kewis-theerman@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.

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**PASTORAL CARE:** St. Bart's Clergy are here to support you pastorally. If you are, or will be, in the hospital or are confined to 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. 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 David Bryan at [bryan@stbarts.org](mailto:bryan@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, weekdays 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 Reverend Lynn C. Sanders, [sanders@stbarts.org](mailto:sanders@stbarts.org).

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

**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.

## THE CLERGY AND STAFF OF ST. BART'S ARE HERE FOR YOU

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# ST BART'S

The Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany

February 10, 2019

EVERYBODY  
NEEDS  
A PLACE

**You can 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!**

## FEBRUARY 10: THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

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Isaiah 6:1-13; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

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#### 12:30 pm EXPLORE Classes [Vestry Room]

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#### 5 pm Community Eucharist [Chapel]

Sermon: The Reverend Lynn C. Sanders

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

*St. Bartholomew's Boy and Girl Choristers lead our music this evening!*

## ABOUT TODAY'S LITURGY AND MUSIC

Today, St. Bart's Singers offer "The King's Highway" by Lee Hastings Bristol, Jr. After a very successful career with the Bristol-Meyers Company (the family business), Dr. Bristol, an outstanding layman of the Episcopal Church, composer and educator, served as president of Westminster Choir College, Princeton. He was a member of the Joint Commission on Church Music, paving the way for *The Hymnal 1982*.

He also commissioned a series of organ works based on hymns new since the 1940 hymnal, including Gerre Hancock's prelude on "Come, thou fount of every blessing." Before serving St. Thomas Church as organist & master of the choristers from 1971 to 2004, Dr. Hancock was assistant organist at St. Bartholomew's (1960-62).

**FREE PARKING:** We provide parking free of charge for Sunday services. 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.)

**INTERCESSORY PRAYERS:** Available during communion at the 9 and 11 am services.

**ACCESSIBLE ST. BART'S:** There's a ramped entrance through the garden on Park Avenue at 51st Street. Accessible restrooms are located off the lobby inside the Park Avenue entrance. Large-print Books of Common Prayer are available at our welcome desk in the lobby.

## 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.
- **TAKE AN EXPLORE CLASS:** Sundays, through February 17 at 12:30-2 pm in the Vestry Room. Details below.
- **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!
- **ZOE CHILD CARE:** 8:45 am-12:15 pm (free, to age 5), 5th Floor. Walk past the cloister garden and follow signs to the Community House where you will find the elevator to take you to the 5th floor. Our gentle Zoe liturgy, designed specially for young children, takes place directly across from the elevator.
- **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 Sundays, through February 17 at 12:30-2 pm in the Vestry Room.

New to St. Bart's or the Episcopal Church? Thinking of joining? What does it mean to be an Anglican? An Episcopalian? Join St. Bart's clergy for these popular, interactive classes. Questions? Contact Manny Rodríguez at [rodriguez@stbarts.org](mailto:rodriguez@stbarts.org).

**ST. BART'S ADULT PROFESSIONALS GROUP SUNDAY BRUNCH:** Join us today, 12:45-2 pm at *The Press Box* restaurant (932 2nd Avenue). The Adult Professionals Group is focused on active and inquisitive career-minded people seeking fellowship with other similarly-minded people. It is non-exclusive, and all interested people are invited to attend.

**PEACE BOOK CLUB:** Please join us today at 12:30 pm in room 44. Our book for discussion will be *Three Cups of Tea: One Man's Mission to Promote Peace—One School at a Time* by Greg Mortenson and David Oliver Relin, available at our bookstore. The Peace Book Club meets the second Sunday of every month.

**VALENTINE'S DAY RENEWAL OF VOWS:** Thursday, February 14, at 6 pm. All married couples are invited to celebrate and renew their commitment to each other in this meaningful service followed by a champagne toast. Everyone is welcome to attend this celebration of Love. Make a night out of it and enjoy a special prix fixe menu at Inside Park. Learn more and RSVP at [stbarts.org](http://stbarts.org).

**SHROVE TUESDAY/MARDI GRAS EXTRAVAGANZA:** March 5, 6-9 pm, rooms 32 and 33. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 6—but not without a party first! All are welcome to join us for a festive dinner featuring live music and the traditional Anglican feast of pancakes along with a Mardi Gras themed gumbo, and lots more. Seating is limited so please reserve early online at [stbarts.org](http://stbarts.org). Tickets: \$20 in advance, \$30 at the door; children under 10 free; family maximum \$60.

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** If you would like to add your own or another's name to St. Bart's prayer list, please email your request to [prayers@stbarts.org](mailto:prayers@stbarts.org) and our pastoral team will respond quickly. In order to honor people's different wishes about privacy, please obtain their permission before adding someone else's name. If you have a request on Sunday morning, please cc: [central@stbarts.org](mailto:central@stbarts.org) on your request. St. Bart's Central is faithful in getting messages to the clergy.

FIND OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING AT [STBARTS.ORG](http://STBARTS.ORG)



**STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN 2019:** Please take a moment to fill out the 2019 Stewardship Pledge Cards that are available at the Stewardship table in the back of the church. Your support is most gratefully received here at St. Bart's and we depend on the generosity of our parishioners to open this church to all of New York and the world. A pledge makes it easier for the church to plan. If you have any questions, please call the Stewardship office at 212-378-0230 or email Meighan Corbett at [corbett@stbarts.org](mailto:corbett@stbarts.org).

**2018 Tax letters will be mailed very shortly.**

**TEXT TO GIVE:** We now have text to give options through the secure *Tithe.ly* app. Please follow the directions: Text the word "give" to 585-257-2852. You will receive a prompt to create an account, enter the donation amount and your credit card number. You will receive a text confirmation of your gift, and our thanks!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**JANUARY 20-FEBRUARY 17:** Sundays at 10 am—Forum series "Jesus Means Freedom" with Larry Welborn, Professor of New Testament and Early Christianity at Fordham University.

**FEBRUARY 14:** Renewal of Vows service for married couples at 6 pm in the Church. All are welcome at this celebration. RSVP at [stbarts.org](http://stbarts.org).

**FEBRUARY 24:** Annual Meeting and Vestry elections at 10 am in the church.

**MARCH 3 AT 11 AM:** Choral Morning Prayer service.

**MARCH 4 AT 7:30 PM:** Kenyon College Chamber Singers in concert at St. Bart's. Free admission.

**MARCH 5 AT 6 PM:** Shrove Tuesday Party!

**MARCH 6:** Ash Wednesday—Services at 8 am, 12:05 pm, and 6 pm, Ashes imposed 7 am-7 pm.

**MARCH 13-APRIL 10:** Wednesdays at 6 pm—Adult Confirmation Classes. Open to all. Especially appropriate for those desiring confirmation, reception, or reaffirmation at our Bishop's visitation on September 15.

**APRIL 14:** Palm Sunday—Holy Week begins. Watch for our Lent and Easter schedule, coming soon.

**APRIL 20:** Holy Saturday; Easter Vigil at 7 pm, festive reception following.

**APRIL 21:** Easter Day—Services at 8 am, 9 am, 11 am, and 5 pm.

**MAY 5:** Welcome Sunday during the 11 am service, followed by reception for newly welcomed members.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH AND VESTRY ELECTIONS

The Vestry has set the time and place for the annual parish meeting in accordance with the church's bylaws, for Sunday, February 24, 2019. The meeting will begin at 10 am in the nave of the church. All are invited to attend.

The annual election of Vestry members also takes place on Sunday February 24. The Vestry have nominated the following people for election: Liza Page Nelson for a second two-year term as Warden; Catherine Belford Budd, Robert Gutheil and Chantal Stevens for second three-year terms as Vestry members; Christina Brandt-Young and James (Jamie) Ferrara for initial three-year terms as Vestry members, and Mary Robin Jurkiewicz to serve as a Vestry member for the final year of an unexpired three-year term.

Biographies of the nominees are available at [stbarts.org](http://stbarts.org), and at the welcome table in the narthex. For additional information visit [stbarts.org/annualmeeting](http://stbarts.org/annualmeeting).

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