



# HOLY BAPTISM & EUCHARIST

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*Last Sunday after Epiphany* | FEBRUARY 15, 2026

10:30A

## WELCOME

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### WORSHIP

The Holy Eucharist – readings from and responses to the Bible and the celebration of Holy Communion – is the central act of Sunday worship in the Episcopal Church. This leaflet contains the text and hymns necessary to participate in this service.

### ACCESSIBILITY

Hearing devices are available at the entrance to the main church on the Windsor campus. If you are mobility impaired, you are invited to sit near the front of the church, on the right-hand side. You may remain in your seat and Holy Communion will be brought to you by the clergy. Please see an usher if you have any additional needs.

### RESTROOMS

Public restrooms are available in the narthex and the Parish Life Center (PLC) atrium.

### PARKING

In addition to on-campus parking, space is available (*Sunday mornings only*) at Tarrytown Shopping Center across Windsor and Wells Fargo Bank one block east on Windsor. If you park on a street, please be sure that you are not parked in a fire lane or blocking a driveway.

### CONNECT

If you are new to Good Shepherd or are interested in learning more about our community, please fill out a newcomer card located in the pew racks, narthex, or Parish Life Center atrium and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher or clergy person. You can also fill out a newcomer card online at [gsaustin.org](https://gsaustin.org) > I'M NEW >

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### CONTACT

**Parish office: 512.476.3523**

Call if you have questions about baptisms, weddings, membership, or any other needs. **Our website:** [gsaustin.org](https://gsaustin.org)

## CLERGY

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The Rev. Stanford Adams  
*Rector*

The Rev. Ryan Boettcher  
*Priest for Pastoral Care & Outreach*

The Rev. Brin Bon  
*Senior Associate for Liturgy & Formation*

The Rev. Paige Alvarez Hanks  
*Senior Associate Rector*

The Rev. Jonathan McManus-Dail  
*Priest for Children, Youth & Families*

The Rev. Leah Wise  
*Priest for the Hill*

The Rev. Mike Wyckoff  
*Associate Priest*

### ASSISTING CLERGY

The Rev. Whitney Kirby

The Very Rev. Dr. Cynthia B. Kittredge

## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

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### SUNDAY SCHEDULE:

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**Holy Eucharist**  
Sundays | 8:00a  
*Windsor, nave*

**Early Church: Holy Eucharist**  
(a service designed for young children and their families)  
Sundays | 9:15a  
*Windsor, PLC*

**Holy Eucharist with organ and choir\***  
Sundays | 10:30a  
*Windsor, nave + livestreamed*

**Communion Café: Holy Eucharist with an acoustic band\***  
Sundays | 10:30a  
*Windsor, Parish Life Center*

**Holy Eucharist\***  
Sundays | 10:30a  
*The Hill, church + ASL interpretation*

**Holy Eucharist with organ**  
Sundays | 6:00p  
*Windsor, nave*

### WEEKDAYS:

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**Healing Service**  
Wednesdays | 5:30p  
*Windsor, chapel*

\*Nursery available

## VESTRY

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### CLASS OF 2027:

Amy Paddock – *Senior Warden*  
Carol Burdette  
Clarke Heidrick  
Tim Jarvis  
Emily Price

### CLASS OF 2028:

Brannon Smith – *Junior Warden*  
Elizabeth Coffin  
Trey Duck  
Caroline Goehring  
Stephen Keith

### CLASS OF 2029:

Phillip Bedford  
Ruthie Burrus  
Frederick Clement  
Scott Ferguson  
Helen Heard

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Ruth Whitehurst – *Treasurer*

## FORMATION SCHEDULE

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### SUNDAYS ON WINDSOR:

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**Sunday Morning Bible Study**  
Sundays | 9:15a-10:15a  
*Windsor, media room*

**Godly Play**  
(children ages 3 years–2nd grade)  
Sundays | 10:15a-11:05a  
*Windsor, 2nd floor education center, rooms 204, 206 & 207*

**Edge Bible Study**  
(children in 3rd–5th grades)  
Sundays | 10:15a-11:05a  
*Windsor, 2nd floor education center, room 211*

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Rite II

## The Word of God

PRELUDE      *Scherzo*

Flor Peeters

### ENTRANCE OF THE MINISTERS

¶ *The people stand as able for the entrance of the Ministers.*

HYMN 129      *Christ upon the mountain peak*

Mowsley

### OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

*Celebrant*      Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*People*      **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

*Celebrant*      There is one Body and one Spirit;  
*People*      **There is one hope in God's call to us;**  
*Celebrant*      One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;  
*People*      **One God and Father of all.**

GLORIA      *S278*

William Mathias

*All*      **Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.**  
**Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.**  
**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**  
**For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

### SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant*      The Lord be with you.

*People*      **And also with you.**

*Celebrant*      Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*All*      **Amen.**

## THE LESSONS

¶ *The people are seated.*

### A READING FROM THE BOOK OF EXODUS

24:12-18

*Lector* The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them."

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 99** *Dominus regnavi*

¶ *The Choir chants the Psalm.*

- 1 The Lord is King;  
let the people tremble; \*  
he is enthroned upon the cherubim;  
let the earth shake.
- 2 The Lord is great in Zion; \*  
he is high above all peoples.
- 3 Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; \*  
he is the Holy One.
- 4 "O mighty King, lover of justice,  
you have established equity; \*  
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."
- 5 Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God  
and fall down before his footstool; \*  
he is the Holy One.
- 6 Moses and Aaron among his priests,  
and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, \*  
they called upon the Lord, and he answered them.
- 7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; \*  
they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.
- 8 O Lord our God, you answered them indeed; \*  
you were a God who forgave them,  
yet punished them for their evil deeds.
- 9 Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God  
and worship him upon his holy hill; \*  
for the Lord our God is the Holy One.

## THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

¶ *The people stand as able.*

*Cantor* Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

*Cantor* This is my beloved Son with whom I am well pleased; Listen to him.

**All Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

## THE HOLY GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

17:1-9

**People** **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

*Gospeller* Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone. As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**People** **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**THE SERMON** The Rev. Paige Alvarez Hanks, *Senior Associate Rector*

¶ *A period of silence is kept following the sermon.*

# HOLY BAPTISM

## PRESENTATION AND EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATES

¶ *The people remain seated during the Presentation of the Candidates.*

*Priest* The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

**Sponsor** **I present N. to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.**

*Priest* Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?

**Sponsor** **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest* Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

**Sponsor** **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest* Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

**Answer** **I renounce them.**

*Priest* Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

**Answer** **I renounce them.**

*Priest* Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

**Answer** **I renounce them.**

*Priest* Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

**Answer** **I do.**

*Priest* Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

**Answer** **I do.**

*Priest* Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

**Answer** **I do.**

¶ *The people stand as able.*

¶ *The Priest asks the congregation:*

*Priest* Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these children in their life in Christ?

**People** **We will.**

*Priest* Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

## THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

*Priest* Do you believe in God the Father?

*People* **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

*Priest* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

*People* **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.**

*Priest* Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*People* **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.**

*Priest* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread,  
and in the prayers?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin,  
repent and return to the Lord?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Priest* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity  
of every human being?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

## PRAYERS FOR THE CANDIDATES

*Priest* Let us now pray for these persons who are to receive the Sacrament of new birth,  
*Leader* Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Open their hearts to your grace and truth.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Send them into the world in witness to your love.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.  
*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Priest* Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and or ever.

*People* **Amen.**

## THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

*Priest* The Lord be with you.  
*People* **And also with you.**

*Priest* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
*People* **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*Priest* We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water.  
Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation.  
Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise.

In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John  
and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ,  
to lead us, through his death and resurrection,  
from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism.  
In it we are buried with Christ in his death.  
By it we share in his resurrection.  
Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit.  
Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son,  
we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith,  
baptizing them in the Name of the Father,  
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.



¶ *At the following words, the Priest touches the water*

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit,  
that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again  
may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior.  
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and  
glory, now and for ever.

**People**            **Amen.**

## THE BAPTISM

¶ *The people are seated as each candidate is presented by name to the Celebrant, who then pours water upon the candidate, saying*

*Priest*            N., I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**People**            **Amen.**

¶ *The Priest then marks the newly baptized's forehead with chrism oil, making the sign of the cross.*

*Priest*            N., you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever.

**People**            **Amen.**

¶ *After the Baptism the Priest gives to the newly baptized a candle lighted from the Paschal Candle.*

*Priest*            Receive the Light of Christ.

**People**            **Thanks be to God.**

¶ *When all the candidates have been baptized, the Priest prays over them, saying*

*Priest*            Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works.

**People**            **Amen.**

¶ *The people stand as able.*

*Priest*            Let us welcome the newly baptized.

**People**            **We receive you into the household of God.**  
**Confess the faith of Christ crucified,**  
**proclaim his resurrection,**  
**and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

## THE PEACE

*Priest*            The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People**            **And also with you.**

¶ *The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*



¶ *The people are seated.*

¶ *To make an online gift to the parish, please scan this code:*

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM      *O Nata Lux de Lumine*

Thomas Tallis

### PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

¶ *The people stand as able while the offerings are presented and placed on the Altar.*

### DOXOLOGY

Old 100th

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heav'nly host:  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*Celebrant*      The Lord be with you.

***People*          And also with you.**

*Celebrant*      Lift up your hearts.

***People*          We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant*      Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***People*          It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

### PREFACE

SANCTUS      *S128*

William Mathias

***All*              Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

¶ *The people stand or kneel as able.*

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

*All*                **Christ has died.  
Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

THE GREAT AMEN

*Celebrant*      By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.  
*All*                **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Celebrant*      And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,  
*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.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

¶ *A period of silence is kept*

FRACTION      *S152*

*Cantor*        Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.  
*All*                **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

### THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

¶ ***Communion in the Episcopal Church:** We welcome all baptized Christians, including children of all ages, to receive Holy Communion. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please come forward and cross your arms over your chest. You are also welcome to remain in your seat. If you would like to learn more about baptism, please contact a member of the clergy.*

¶ ***How to Receive Communion:** Communion will be administered at the altar rail and in front of the pulpit. Ushers will direct you forward. You will receive the bread first, and then you may either dip the bread in the wine or take a sip directly from the chalice. You may also decline the chalice as Communion in one kind (bread only) is full Communion. Gluten-free wafers are available at the altar rail; please let the Minister know if you need one.*

**ANTHEM**      *Tantum Ergo Sacramentum*      Maurice Duruflé

**HYMN 328**      *Draw nigh and take the Body of the Lord*      Song 46

### SENDING OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS *(As needed)*

*Celebrant*      In the name of this congregation I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you minister may share with us in the Communion of Christ's body and blood.

*People*      **We, who are many, are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.**

### THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

¶ *The people stand or kneel as able.*

*Celebrant*      Let us pray.

*All*      **Almighty and everliving God,  
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food  
of the most precious Body and Blood  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;  
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries  
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,  
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.  
And now, Father, send us out  
to do the work you have given us to do,  
to love and serve you  
as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.  
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,  
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

### BLESSING

*Celebrant*      May God, who sent the Holy Spirit to rest upon the Only begotten at his baptism in the Jordan River, pour out that Spirit on you who have come to the waters of new birth;  
And the blessing of God Almighty, ✠ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you  
and remain with you forever.

*People*      **Amen.**

**HYMN 460**    *Alleluia! sing to Jesus*

Hyfrydol

**DISMISSAL**

*Priest*        Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

***People***        **Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE**    *Toccata*

Flor Peeters

## WE PRAY FOR THOSE...

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### IN NEED OF COMFORT

Ilona Oelkers  
Kermit Cromack  
Robin Spencer  
Bob Paddock  
Carla  
Stephanie  
Farid  
Nadia Bouhajar  
Karim  
Rayan Bousba  
William Konitzer  
Lee Allbritton  
Bob Fall  
Pam Bateman  
Charlotte  
Charlie  
Jim Gibbs  
Christy Werner  
Ashley Race  
Charlie Quisenberry  
Davy  
Dottie McDonald  
G.A. Purcell  
Ernie Dean  
Judy  
Jimmy Holland  
Ed  
Barbara Ekerdt  
Stanley  
Taylor Holland  
Kallie Harrington  
Julie Harrington  
The MacLean family  
The Matangelo family  
The Peterson family  
The Gilmour family  
The Quinn family  
The Pitts family  
The Scarbrough family  
The Pope family  
The Wilson family  
The Hicks family

The Hanson family  
The Callaway family

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### EXPECTING THE BIRTH OF A CHILD

Meggie Summers Bedford  
Nicole Nelson  
Rebecca Bauer  
Amy Marchbanks  
Tori Winders  
Makenna McCarthy  
Kodi Blue Erb  
Lauren Ballard

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### SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

Rylan Bennigson  
James Korth  
Ross Cooper  
Charles Lewis  
Richard Mayer  
Kyle Wright  
Sam Mittelman  
Ronald Glenn Dewees  
Ruben Hays  
Alexandra Mauro  
Jim Lively  
Andrew Gray  
Claten Bechtol  
Zachary Pierce

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### DEATHS

Suzanne MacLean  
Pete Peterson  
Linda Quinn  
The Rev. John Pitts Sr  
Steve Hicks  
Ellen Martin

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### BIRTHS

Paul Anton Freund  
Sarah Leland Hallmark  
Miller Kathryn Mullady  
James McCann Geise  
Stewart George Geise  
John Otto Brandt  
Claire Lofton Painter  
Charles Dayton Bohls  
Emma Rose Montgomery

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### BAPTISMAL CANDIDATES

Jack William Welch Rhea  
Archie Roberts Goode  
George Wallace Roper  
Emory Bradford Sicola  
William Howard Wilson IV  
Coates Bell Hunsaker  
James Ellis Davis

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### ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of our baptism candidates.

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### REQUEST PRAYERS

*Intercessory prayer is a vital element of our public worship and private devotions. Our parish prays our prayer list during our Sunday services. Additionally, the clergy of the parish regularly remembers by name all those for whom the parish's prayers have been invited, as do members of our Wednesday women's prayer group. We warmly encourage you to invite prayers for yourself and for those you love by scanning the QR code.*





