November 2nd, 2025





Prayer List

Alan Clifford Brown

Lutisha Eddy

William Miles

Rev. John Russell

Mary Ann Prentis

Emily and Amy

Dalea Moncrieffe

Linda Brown

Edward Herndon

Father John Paul Boyer



East Side Parkway Restoration Meetings:

Everyone is welcome

We meet on Thursdays, 5:45 to 7:30pm:

First Thursday at St. Philip's Parish Hall,

Third Thursday at Delavan Grider Community Center

Are you grieving some form of loss?

Come and join us on
the 2nd Tuesday
of each month in the
St. Philip's Parish Hall at 6 pm

Healing Hearts
Grief and Loss
Support Group

Facilitator Deacon Lillian Davis-Willson

The Lessons Appointed for Use on

All Saints' Day

Year C RCL



The Collect

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen*.

First Testament

Daniel 7:1-3,15-18

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: "As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever—for ever and ever."

The Psalm

Psalm 149

Cantate Domino

- 1 Hallelujah!
 - Sing to the LORD a new song; * sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.
- 2 Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; * let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.
- 3 Let them praise his Name in the dance; * let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.
- 4 For the LORD takes pleasure in his people * and adorns the poor with victory.
- 5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; * let them be joyful on their beds.
- 6 Let the praises of God be in their throat * and a two-edged sword in their hand;
- 7 To wreak vengeance on the nations * and punishment on the peoples;
- 8 To bind their kings in chains * and their nobles with links of iron;
- 9 To inflict on them the judgment decreed; * this is glory for all his faithful people. Hallelujah!

The Epistle

Ephesians 1:11-23

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in ล11

The Gospel

Luke 6:20-31

Jesus looked up at his disciples and said:

"Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

"Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

- "Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.
- "Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man.

 Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets."
- "But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.
- "Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry.
- "Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep.
- "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

Optional parts of the readings are set off in square brackets.

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Announcements



Creation Care & Environmental Justice – A Virtual Series

Session 1: Tuesday, Nov. 4th - Unearthing Inequity

Session 2: Wednesday, Nov. 12th - The Kinzua Dam

Session 3: Tuesday, Nov. 18th - Unheard Voices

Session 4: Thursday, Dec. 4th - Buffalo's Rt. 33

Visit https://episcopalwny.org/dismantling-racism/ for more info



Harvest Celebration

After the Annual Meeting on December 7th

Donations are appreciated – see Sue or Deborah



Intro To Homeownership Workshop - NeighborWorks Community Partners Monday November 17th 6-7pm at the Delevan Grider Community Center 877 E. Delavan Ave. (585) 325-4170 info@ncpny.org – this workshop is free!

Episcopal Diocese of WNY Family Tailgate Party - Diocesan Ministry Center

1064 Brighton Rd. Tonawanda, NY 14150 December 7th 4:00pm Pizza ~ Activities ~ Games

RSVP by Friday Dec. 5th - wschumacher@episcopalwny.org (716) 830-5443

Holy Conversations Please join us for Holy Conversations about who God is calling us to be as a Diocese and what we need in a Bishop to lead us into that future.

Nov 5th at 4pm https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/w6RWqTHAQ-qThr9XkQZf6g

Nov. 6th at 7pm https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/6sUvtvDXSwe9sPaldAV3Wg

Diocesan Landscape Survey – Your Voice Matters

To complete the survey visit: https://tinyurl.com/Diocesan-survey

The survey is anonymous, confidential, collected by independent third party Survey open through November 2nd, 2025 – Today is the last day to submit!

Alzheimer's & Dementia Education Series The Heart of Buffalo Catholic Community East At Blessed Trinity 317 Leroy Ave, Buffalo 14214

register at

Saturday November 15th 10:30-11:45am – Managing Money bit.ly/AlzHeartBfloNov15

Monday December 15th 5:30-6:45pm – Responding to Dementia bit.ly/AlzHeartBfloDec15

Related Behaviors

or call 800.272.3900

November 3 rd – 9 th		
Monday 3rd	9:00 am - 11:00 am 5:00 pm	NA Morning After Evening Prayer
Tuesday 4th	9:00 am - 11:00 am 5:00 pm	NA Morning After Evening Prayer
Wednesday 5th	9:00 am - 11:00 am 10:00 am - 2:00 pm 5:00 pm 6:00 pm	NA Morning After Food Pantry Evening Prayer UBE Meeting Hybrid
Thursday 6th	9:00 am -11:00 am 5:00 pm 5:45 pm - 7:15 pm 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm	NA Morning After Evening Prayer ESP Restoration Meeting @ St. Philips BOSS Dance Group
Friday 7th	9:00 am - 11:00 am 5:00 pm 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm	NA Morning After Evening Prayer NA the End of the Road
Saturday 8th	9:30 am - 10:30 am 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Addie's Bible Study NA Back to Basics
Sunday 9th	9:30 am - 11:00 am 11:00 am - 12:00 pm 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Sunday Worship Service Men's Club AA Fresh Start

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