

# All Saints' Episcopal Church

5 Easter

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Sunday, May 2, 2021

Welcome Home.

We thank God that we can worship together in person! Please pick up communion wafers at the welcome table, find the bulletin online, and enjoy the company of the saints. God bless us in this time of prayer.



## The Word of God

Prelude Music |

10:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m.: Dr. Kirk M. Rich, organ

Welcome and Announcements |

*The people are invited to meditate on the music and text of today's hymns.  
As part of our COVID-19 protocols to keep everyone safe, we are not singing together.*

Opening Hymn | 487

*The people stand.*

"Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life"

*The Call*

1. Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life:  
such a way as gives us breath;  
such a truth as ends all strife;  
such a life as killeth death.

2. Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart:  
such a joy as none can move;  
such a love as none can part;  
such a heart as joys in love.

"Abide in me as I abide in you."



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## Opening Acclamation |

*Celebrant* Alleluia! Christ is risen.  
*People* The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

## Collect for Purity |

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*The people are seated.*

## The First Lesson | Acts 8:26–40

Morrie Spang

An angel of the Lord said to Philip, “Get up and go toward the south to the road that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza.” (This is a wilderness road.) So he got up and went. Now there was an Ethiopian eunuch, a court official of the Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, in charge of her entire treasury. He had come to Jerusalem to worship and was returning home; seated in his chariot, he was reading the prophet Isaiah. Then the Spirit said to Philip, “Go over to this chariot and join it.” So Philip ran up to it and heard him reading the prophet Isaiah. He asked, “Do you understand what you are reading?” He replied, “How can I, unless someone guides me?” And he invited Philip to get in and sit beside him. Now the passage of the scripture that he was reading was this:

“Like a sheep he was led to the slaughter,  
and like a lamb silent before its shearer,  
so he does not open his mouth.  
In his humiliation justice was denied him.  
Who can describe his generation?  
For his life is taken away from the earth.”

*Reader* The word of the Lord.  
*People* Thanks be to God.

The eunuch asked Philip, “About whom, may I ask you, does the prophet say this, about himself or about someone else?” Then Philip began to speak, and starting with this scripture, he proclaimed to him the good news about Jesus. As they were going along the road, they came to some water; and the eunuch said, “Look, here is water! What is to prevent me from being baptized?” He commanded the chariot to stop, and both of them, Philip and the eunuch, went down into the water, and Philip baptized him. When they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord snatched Philip away; the eunuch saw him no more, and went on his way rejoicing. But Philip found himself at Azotus, and as he was passing through the region, he proclaimed the good news to all the towns until he came to Caesarea.

**Psalm | 22:24–30**

*Reader* My praise is of you in the great assembly;  
*People* I will perform my vows in the presence of those who worship you.  
*Reader* The poor shall eat and be satisfied, and those who seek you shall praise you:  
*People* “May your heart live for ever!”  
*Reader* All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to you,  
*People* and all the families of the nations shall bow before you.  
*Reader* For yours is the royal power, O God;  
*People* you rule over the nations.  
*Reader* To you alone all who sleep in the earth bow down in worship;  
*People* all who go down to the dust fall before you.  
*Reader* My soul shall live for you; my descendants shall serve you;  
*People* they shall be known as yours for ever.  
*Reader* They shall come and make known to a people yet unborn  
*People* the saving deeds that you have done.

**Sequence Hymn | LEVAS 50**

“The angel said to Philip”

*Nyland*

1. The angel said to Philip:  
“Go to a desert place.”  
And there he found an Ethiopie,  
the treasurer to Candace,  
Who sat within his chariot  
with Holy Writ in hand.  
Asked Philip: “Can you, brother,  
the Prophet understand?”
2. O Philip, the evangelist  
You brought to Afric’s seed  
The Gospel of our Savior  
In thought, and word and deed,  
O may we share Thy fervor  
And press on towards the prize;  
And heed our Lord’s commission  
To teach, preach and baptize.

## The Gospel | John 15:1–8

*Gospeler* The holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to his disciples, "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinegrower. He removes every branch in me that bears no fruit. Every branch that bears fruit he prunes to make it bear more fruit. You have already been cleansed by the word that I have spoken to you. Abide in me as I abide in you. Just as the branch cannot bear fruit by itself unless it abides in the vine, neither can you unless you abide in me. I am the vine, you are the

branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. Whoever does not abide in me is thrown away like a branch and withers; such branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask for whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples."

*Gospeler* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you Lord Christ.

## Sermon |

The Rev. Zachary C. Nyein

*A period of silent prayer follows the sermon.*

## Prayers of the People |

*The people stand.*

*Intercessor* Loving God, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

*People* That we all may be one.

*Intercessor* Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

*People* That your Name may be glorified by all people.

*Intercessor* In the Anglican Communion, we pray for The Episcopal Church in the Philippines, in our Diocese we pray for the people and clergy of St. Joseph's in McDonough, and in our parish we pray: O Lord who grants us the gift of reason as we seek to grow in our trust of your love, we give thanks this day for those who attend the Wednesday Morning Discussion Group, for their reading and conversation, and that they may know the abundance of your grace.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

*People* That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

*Intercessor* 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.

*Intercessor* Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

*People* That our works may find favor in your sight.

*Intercessor* I ask your prayers for those in need of healing:  
*(The names of those who are ill will be read aloud.)*  
 Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
*People* That they may be delivered from their distress.

*Intercessor* I ask your prayers for those who have died:  
*(The names of those who have died will be read aloud.)*  
 Give to the departed eternal rest.  
*People* Let light perpetual shine upon them.

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

*The people may add their own petitions.*

### Concluding Collect |

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### Confession and Absolution |

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Celebrant and People*

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. **Amen.**

*Celebrant* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

**Peace |** *Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Remaining in pods, the people exchange a sign of God's peace.*

*Your financial support helps us participate in God's mission.*

*If you would like to contribute to the Sunday offering, a basket will be available as you depart.*

# The Holy Communion

## Presentation Hymn |

“O praise ye the Lord” stanza 4

*Laudate Dominum*

O praise ye the Lord!  
Thanksgiving and song  
to him be outpoured  
all ages along!  
For love in creation,  
for heaven restored,  
or grace of salvation,  
O praise ye the Lord!

## Eucharistic Prayer A |

*The people stand.*

*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 God thanks and praise.

*Celebrant*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,  
Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ  
our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away  
the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again  
he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with  
all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## Sanctus | S 130

arr. Richard Proulx (1937–2010)

*Deutsche Messe*

Franz Schubert (1797–1828)

*Cantor* 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 Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Maker of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body of your Son, the holy food of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

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

**The Lord's Prayer |**

*Celebrant and People*

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 |

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
*People* Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

*Celebrant*

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Whoever you are, wherever you are on your journey, you are welcome at this table.

*The people serve communion to themselves, or to those in their household, using the words,  
"The body of Christ, the bread of Heaven."*

## Fraction Anthem | S 164

arr. Richard Proulx (1937–2010)

*Deutsche Messe*  
Franz Schubert (1797–1828)

*Cantor* Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer of the world: give us your peace.

## Post Communion Prayer |

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Easter Blessing |

*Celebrant*

The God of peace, who through the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ has given us the victory, give you joy and peace in your faith; and the blessing of God almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be upon you this day, and forever more. **Amen.**

## Closing Hymn | 432

"O praise ye the Lord!"

*Laudate Dominum*

1. O praise ye the Lord!  
Praise him in the height;  
rejoice in his word,  
ye angels of light;  
ye heavens, adore him  
by whom ye were made  
and worship before him,  
in brightness arrayed.

2. O praise ye the Lord!  
Thanksgiving and song  
to him be outpoured  
all ages along!  
For love in creation,  
for heaven restored,  
for grace of salvation,  
O praise ye the Lord!

*The people depart, using the gate near the parking lot.*

**Dismissal** | *Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!  
*People* Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

## Voluntary |

10:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m.: Dr. Kirk M. Rich, organ





## Assisting in Worship

### Celebrants

The Rev. Sarah C. Stewart  
The Rev. Dr. Simon J. Mainwaring

### Preacher

The Rev. Zachary C. Nyein

### Psalms

10:15 a.m.: Frank Thomas  
11:30 a.m.: Rob Boas

### Gospeler

The Rev. Dr. Andrew K. Barnett

### Readers

10:15 a.m.: Frank Thomas  
11:30 a.m.: Rob Boas

### Intercessors

10:15 a.m.: Janet Todd  
11:30 a.m.: Steve Hines

### Musician

Dr. Kirk M. Rich, *organ*

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## Worship Notes

Our outdoor service of Holy Eucharist is an abbreviated liturgy. We have shortened the service in order to accommodate as many people as possible on Sunday mornings. We have included the full Eucharistic liturgy in our webcast. We are grateful for the chance to worship together, virtually and in person.

The Worship Committee and staff welcome your feedback; please email  
[worship@allsaintsatlanta.org](mailto:worship@allsaintsatlanta.org).

### Music for Sunday, May 2, 2021

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### Racial Equity and Healing in our Music

In keeping with our commitment to racial healing and equity here in Atlanta and beyond, our music and worship leaders have been exploring ways in which music could play a role in this important work. All Saints' has begun a partnership with Challenge the Stats, a non-profit organization that empowers BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, People of Color) by creating communities devoted to equity in the classical performing arts. CTS seeks to equip audiences and artists with the tools needed to advocate for justice both inside and outside of the concert hall. Beginning this month (April), we will start to see and hear some of the many talented CTS artists in our 10:00 am online worship broadcast. We are also exploring the possibility of future concerts with CTS artists on our block, both indoors and in our beautiful courtyard. For more information on CTS, please visit: <https://challengethestats.org/>

## In Our Prayers

In our Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Episcopal Church in the Philippines.

In our diocese, we pray for St. Joseph's in McDonough.

In our parish cycle of prayers, we pray for members of All Saints' Wednesday Morning Discussion Group.

## Thanksgiving and Memorials

The sanctuary candle is given to the glory of God.

The altar flowers today are given to the glory of God.

## Announcements

### We want you to have the Most Up-to-Date Information

Things are changing quickly during this pandemic. For the most current announcements on upcoming events, service opportunities, and worship services, please visit

**[allsaintsatlanta.org/news-and-publications](https://allsaintsatlanta.org/news-and-publications).**

Please continue to monitor our website for the latest news and answers to frequently asked questions regarding our COVID-19 policies and protocols:

**[allsaintsatlanta.org/covid-19](https://allsaintsatlanta.org/covid-19).**



## Prayer List

### Those who are ill |

Mike Carscaddon  
Becky Parks  
Howard Bartlett, *friend of Sarah Stewart*  
Jackie Boone, *friend of Andy Barnett*  
Dick Cadigan, *friend of Sarah Stewart*  
Jim Creech, *friend of Paul Thim, Sr.*  
Alix Henderson, *daughter of Wynn Henderson*  
Carol Hurlburt, *friend of Sarah Stewart*  
Marin Lom, *granddaughter of Joan Lom*  
Elizabeth McCuddy, *mother of Lawrence Davidson*  
Steve Rutherford, *father of Katie Roll*  
Jeff Walters, *friend of Bruce Garner*  
Lynn Wilcox, *friend of Sarah Stewart*  
All who are suffering from COVID-19

### Those recovering from illness or surgery |

Charlie Echols  
Kip Kirkpatrick

### Those who have died |

Patrick Andrew Livingston Baker, *friend of Zack Nyein*  
Jennifer Kincaid Miles, *niece of Penny Pope*  
Sangita Patel, *friend of Cooper Davis*  
Jim White, *father of Wendy Silliman*  
All who have died from COVID-19

### New babies |

Adalyn Elise Thim, *daughter of Remy and Paul Thim, Jr., granddaughter of Paul and Sandy Thim*

## Birthdays this Week

### Sun | May 2

Dave Bedell  
Jocelyn Cassada  
Laura Clary  
Barbara Geier  
Drew Gossett  
James Houghton  
Joycelyn Martin  
Brian Shepherdson  
Brooke Weinmann

### Mon | May 3

Teri Bond  
Liz Calabria  
Vicky Cork  
Patrick Leary  
Keith Mauriello  
Rock Nelson  
De O'Roark

### Tues | May 4

Linda Boyte  
James Bruni  
Lisa Perry-Gilkes  
Erin Rawls  
Kate Richeson  
Skip Wisenbaker  
Gabriela Zampronha

### Wed | May 5

Beth Docka  
McLean Eagleson  
Stephen Hassett  
Sam Newberry  
Mike Phillips  
Cade Reinking

### Thur | May 6

Gretchen Chateau  
Graham Fillo  
Virginia Kelly  
Greg Maxey  
Will Meyer  
Morgan Middleton  
Anne Morgan  
Eve Murphy  
Vicky Nixon  
Gail Rogers  
John Shanley  
Charlie Shufeldt  
Claire Simmel

### Fri | May 7

Rebecca Baggett  
Margaret Clarkson  
Nate DePlonty  
Brian Dick  
Susan Longley  
Christin Lumpkin  
Sheldon Taylor  
Kory Trammell  
Sally Vaughan  
Bill Whitaker

### Sat | May 8

Dustin Chambers  
Honey Mathes  
David Pinson  
John Sheehan  
Anna Welles  
Kack Whitaker  
Emma Madeline Young





## adult formation

Invite the Holy Spirit's transformation into our lives,  
deepening our Christian faith for the sake of the world.

# Adult Classes | Spring Session 5

**Begins Sunday, May 9, 9:00 a.m., on Zoom.**

For more information, contact *The Rev. Dr. Andrew Barnett*  
at [abarnett@allsaintsatlanta.org](mailto:abarnett@allsaintsatlanta.org).



# A Service of Recovery and Healing

Anyone interested in recovery is welcome;  
confidentiality is required.



**Sunday, May 16, 4:30 p.m., on Zoom**

To join us, register online at [allsaintsatlanta.org](http://allsaintsatlanta.org).

Our beautiful church buildings  
will soon have what has been most  
conspicuously missing for the past  
13 months: you. We cannot wait  
to welcome you home.

# Welcome Home.

Worship in the church will  
resume Trinity Sunday, May 30.  
Updated COVID-19 protocol  
will be observed. Please visit  
[allsaintsatlanta.org](http://allsaintsatlanta.org) for details.





# All Saints' Episcopal Church

is a parish in the Diocese of Atlanta

The Rt. Rev. Robert C. Wright, *Bishop*

The Rt. Rev. Don A. Wimberly, *Assisting Bishop*

## Rector

The Rev. Dr. Simon J. Mainwaring

## 2020–2021 Vestry

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The Rev. Zachary C. Nyein, *Associate Rector*

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The Rev. Sarah C. Stewart, *Associate Rector*

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The Rev. Paul Thim

The Rev. Richard Winters

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## Our Weekly Worship Schedule

### SUNDAYS ONLINE

10:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist

### SUNDAYS IN-PERSON OUTSIDE

10:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

### MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY

12:05 p.m. Noonday Prayer, *online only*

### THURSDAYS

8:00 p.m. Compline Prayer, *online only*

For information on registering for in-person worship  
and viewing our online worship services, please visit us at  
[allsaintsatlanta.org](https://allsaintsatlanta.org).