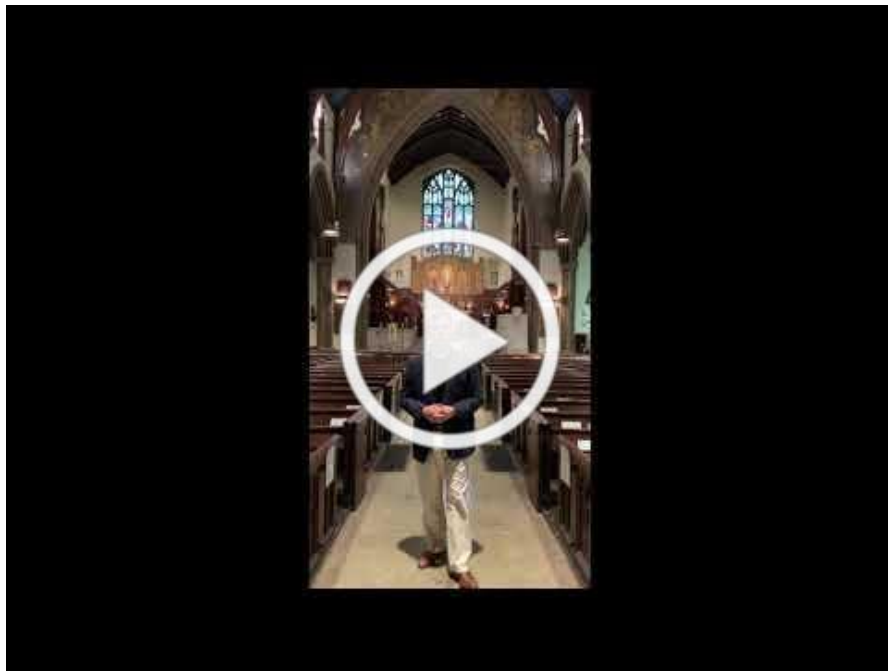


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Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church _____ May 21, 2021

Spotlight: Re-Opening Video Announcement from the Rector



[Click here](#) or on the image above to watch.

This coming Sunday, we will be fully open for worship at 10:00 AM! **No need to sign up in advance.** Those big red front doors will be open! While we'll still be wearing face masks for the foreseeable future, we're increasing capacity in the church, as we're now able to space three feet apart rather than six. Also, **feel free to sing hymns** at the same volume you recite the Nicene Creed. And as we continue to open up in the coming weeks, there will be more welcome changes to come. Coffee hour will also likely return in some form in the near future! As always, please do not come to church if you're feeling unwell. Live-streaming is always available. See you in church! Welcome back!

Thursdays at Noon Concerts: Final Concert of the Season

Next week's concert will be the final recital of the **2020-2021 Thursdays at Noon series**. The performing artist will be our own Director of Music & Organist, Vince Edwards. He will play music by Johann Sebastian Bach, Nicolas de Grigny, and Charles-Marie Widor.



Please note:

In-Person attendance at Thursdays at Noon Concerts no longer requires pre-registration!

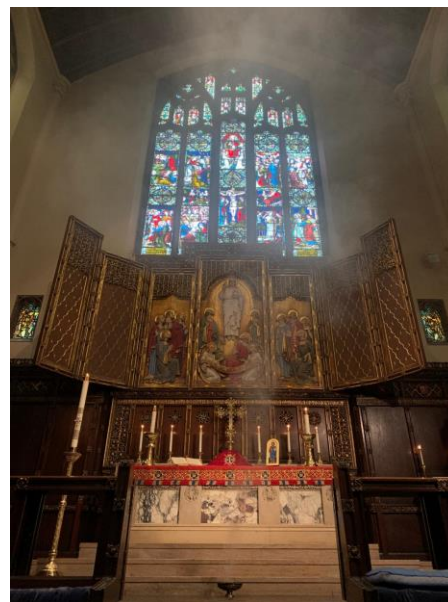
Please note, if you are not able to attend in person, or prefer not to yet, we will still be live-streaming this and all concerts going forward. The recordings of the live-streamed concerts will also be made available in the usual places ([church website](#), [Facebook](#), [YouTube](#), and [Vimeo](#)).

For a complete list of performers and videos of previous concerts, please check out the Thursdays at Noon Concerts webpage on the Grace website by [clicking here](#).

Sunday Morning Worship: In Person and Live-streamed

Every Sunday Morning, Grace Church offers a 'live-stream' broadcast of our Sunday morning eucharist service. We hope this experience allows those who are not able to join us in person on Sundays to participate in the worship life at Grace.

The service will be live-streamed to the [Grace Church Facebook Page](#) and the [Grace Church YouTube Channel](#). Please use the links provided below to watch. The services will also be archived on the [Grace Church website](#), [Vimeo](#), Facebook, and YouTube pages for 'on-demand' viewing after Sunday morning.



Sunday Morning Links

YouTube: [Click here!](#)

Facebook: [Click here!](#)

If you'd like to download or print the service leaflet for [The Feast of Pentecost: Whitsunday](#), [please click here](#).

**As of this Sunday (May 23),
pre-registration for services is no longer required!**

In person attendees will be required to abide by social distancing norms as well as wear a mask for the entirety of the service (besides when consuming communion).

**Regardless of how you choose to participate in our worship life together,
we hope you join us either in person or 'virtually' online!
As always, ALL ARE WELCOME at Grace Church!**



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Wednesday Virtual Prayer Group

The Wednesday prayer group invites all parishioners to join them in prayer via Zoom every Wednesday at noon. If you can't make that time but would still like to have their prayer list for your own prayers, you can request that list instead. Either way, contact Adrienne Southgate at asouthgate1@cox.net to join in.



May 23, 2021 The Feast of Pentecost: Whitsunday

O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*



For the texts of the readings for The Feast of Pentecost, [please click here.](#)

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