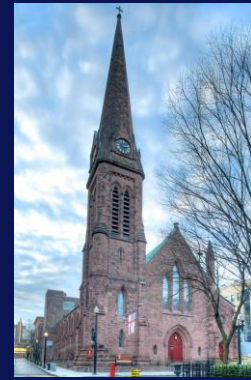


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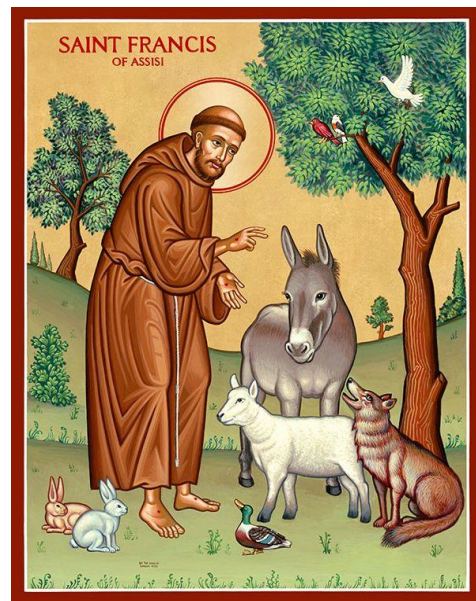
Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church

October 7, 2022

Spotlight: Blessing of the Animals on Sunday

This coming Sunday, October 9, we invite you to bring your pets to church so that they might receive a blessing from the clergy at the 10:00 AM service. This is to commemorate the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals, whose feast day falls on October 4. Grace Church welcomes everyone and their pets: dogs, cats, rabbits, birds, fish, turtles, and toy pets. The only requirement is that animals must be properly restrained, leashed or caged.

Most high, omnipotent, good Lord, grant your people grace to renounce gladly the vanities of this world; that, following the way of blessed Francis, we may, for love of you, delight in your whole creation with perfectness of joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen. (The Collect for the Feast of St. Francis)



Wall of Hope Restoration: Tomorrow!

Volunteering project scheduled for
Sat, Oct 8 from 8am-4pm
Come for an hour or all day - whatever
works for you!



Tavares Warehouse, 210 W. Exchange St., Providence

Grace Episcopal Church has been partnering with RI's 9/11 Memorial, the "Wall of Hope," to gather volunteers to help prepare this community art display for its reinstallation this fall. The project is open to any teens and adults willing to help out with sanding, painting, washing, and some heavy lifting (choose what you are comfortable doing)! Scouts, community & faith groups, and individuals are encouraged to join Grace parishioners in this group effort. Please forward this info to anyone who might be interested!

We are volunteering to help with final touches in the restoration of this beautiful display of colorful, painted tiles before its reinstallation in our downtown neighborhood later this fall. The tiles are communal art representing messages of remembrance, peace, and hope. They were painted by 12,000 residents of RI, including everyone from schoolchildren to inmates, to show their vision of a better world after the 2001 tragedy. You may remember the tiles from their previous installation in a tunnel near Waterplace Park. Check out more details about the project [here!](#)

Please contact Ann Huyck at anniehuyck@gmail.com for more information or to RSVP with your **name, contact info, and time frame** for helping on **Sat, Oct 8 (any time 8am-4pm)** so we can get a sense of numbers and keep our volunteers up to date on plans. Many thanks to all who have helped before and to those willing to help on Oct 8!

Thursdays @ Noon Concerts **Colin Lynch, *Organ*** ***October 13, 2022***

Next Thursday we welcome organist Colin Lynch, Interim Director of Music & Organist at Trinity Church, Copley Square in Boston. He will play a program of music by Louis Lefébure-Wély, Percy Whitlock, and Marcel Dupré.



Our free, weekly, 30-minute concert series serves as a form of outreach to the greater metropolitan area of Providence by providing diverse programs of music, free of charge for the enjoyment of the community and any visitors to the city.

To view the complete schedule of performances for September - December,
[please click here!](#)

Upcoming Service of Choral Compline

On **Sunday, October 16 at 8:00 PM** the men of the Grace Church Schola will sing a short, 30- minute service of Choral Compline. Come, pray in the stillness, and experience the unaccompanied singing of Gregorian Chant and Renaissance Polyphony in a darkened church, lighted only by candles and with fragrant incense wafting through the air. Doors open at 7:30 PM. We hope you join us for this calm and meditative way to start the week.



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Paint a mural,
plant trees &
clean up in
Trinity Square!

FREE LUNCH PROVIDED

Trinity Square Together
is a coalition of residents
and organizations who live
in or serve the Trinity
Square area..

**Saturday,
October 15
9am - 1pm**

**Meet at
Salvation Army
386 Broad St, PVD**

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WOMEN of the WORLD

music of HILDEGARD VON BINGEN | FANNY MENDELSSOHN
JUDITH WIER | CHEN YI | & more

SUN | OCT 23 | 4PM
TICKETS \$20
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Sunday Morning Worship: **The Eighteenth Sunday** **after Pentecost** **October 9, 2022**



Every Sunday Morning, Grace Church offers a 'live-stream' broadcast of our Sunday morning 10:00 AM 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.

~ **Sunday Morning Links** ~

YouTube: [Click here!](#)

Facebook: [Click here!](#)

This service will be live-streamed to the [Grace Church Facebook Page](#) and the [Grace Church YouTube Channel](#). Please use the links provided above to watch. The service will also be archived on the [Grace Church website](#), [Vimeo](#), Facebook, and YouTube pages for 'on-demand' viewing after Sunday morning. We hope this experience allows those who are not able to join us in person on Sunday to participate in the worship.

To view the Order of Service for [The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost](#),
[CLICK HERE!](#)

**At the moment, Providence has mercifully dropped to the "LOW" level,
so masks are optional inside the building.**

Regardless of how you choose to participate in our worship life together,
ALL ARE WELCOME at Grace Church!

October 9, 2022
**The Eighteenth Sunday after
Pentecost**

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

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

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