

# GRACE ABOUNDS



Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church

January 27, 2023

## **Virginia Rathbun Stuart** ***(July 29, 1921-December 24, 2022)***

It is with great sadness, but also great hope in the resurrection, that we announce the passing of our oldest Grace Church parishioner, Virginia Stuart. Our prayers are with her family and friends at this time.

To read Virginia's obituary, [please click here.](#)

**A memorial service will be held at Grace Church  
tomorrow,  
Friday, January 27 at 11:00 AM.**



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May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

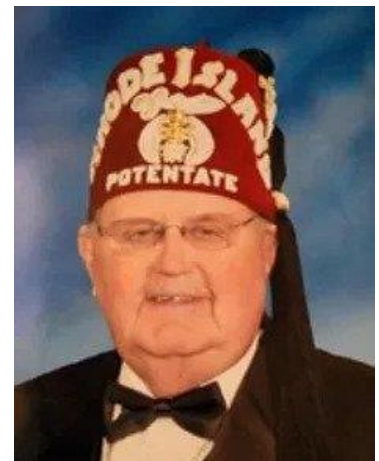
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## **Gordon E. Martin, Jr.** ***(September 16, 1932-January 18, 2023)***

It is with great sadness, but also great hope in the resurrection, that we announce the passing of Grace Church parishioner, Gordon Martin. Our prayers are with his wife Joan and their family and friends at this time.

To view Gordon's Obituary, [please click here.](#)

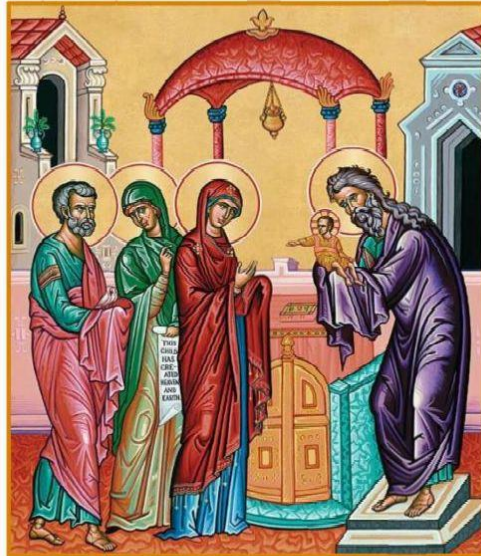
**A memorial service will be held at Grace Church on  
Saturday, January 28 at 11:00 AM.**



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**FESTAL CHORAL EVENSONG**  
**WITH THE BLESSING OF CANDLES FOR CANDLEMAS**  
**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2023**  
**4:00 PM**



*The combined Choirs and Choristers of  
Grace Church, St. Luke's Church, East Greenwich,  
and St. Paul's, Fairfield sing music of  
Johannes Eccard, Richard Ayleward, Charles Wood,  
Samuel Sebastian Wesley, and others.*

*Under the direction of British conductor,  
**Dr. Barry Rose, OBE,**  
former Director of Music of  
St. Paul's (London), Guildford,  
and St. Alban's Cathedrals.  
A reception follows in The Pavilion.*



## **Newcomers Announcement**

Join us for our **Winter Newcomers' Reception during Coffee Hour on February 12!** Grab a drink from the Pavilion and come meet us in the Chafee Room. If you're a relative newcomer and attended our last reception, feel free to come again; it's great to connect new and familiar faces!

Please RSVP (appreciated but not required) to [vtrutzl@gracepvd.org](mailto:vtrutzl@gracepvd.org).

THE  
*Episcopal*  
CHURCH



*welcomes you*

## Pick up some chalk!

All are welcome to take a piece of chalk that was blessed at our Epiphany Lessons & Carols Service to mark the doors of your home in this new year! Feel free to also take a card with instructions for marking the door of your home with the Epiphanytide blessing!

**Both the chalk and the instruction cards are located on a table in the rear of the church.**



## Nametags Available!

You, too, can have a nametag to wear at Grace! Nametags help us build connections with one another. If you would like one made, please clearly print your name on one of the sign-up sheets at the back of the church, entering the Pavilion, or in the Narthex. Don't forget to drop them in the Nametag Return bin when leaving the courtyard or exiting into the Grace parking lot! We'll have it waiting in the Narthex for the next time you join us.



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**Masterworks** of the genius composer including *Regina Coeli* and ensemble excerpts from the great operas

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# Recorded Sunday Services

Due to some technical difficulties we have had to re-upload the recordings of the Sunday morning services from January 15 and January 22. Our apologies for the inconvenience. As always recorded services can be watched "on demand" on our YouTube Page and our website Worship page.

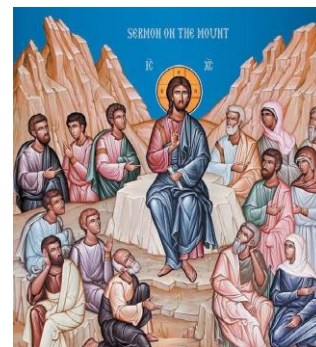


**To view, Sunday, January 15,  
(The Second Sunday after The Epiphany with the Blessing of New Green Vestments),  
[please click here.](#)**

**To view, Sunday, January 22, (The Third Sunday after The Epiphany), [please click here.](#)**

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## **Sunday Morning Worship: The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany January 29, 2023**



**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 YouTube Link ~  
[Click here!](#)**

This service will be live-streamed to the [Grace Church YouTube Channel](#). Please use the link provided above to watch. The service will also be archived on the [Grace Church website](#) 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 Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany, [CLICK HERE!](#)**  
Regardless of how you choose to participate in our worship life together,  
ALL ARE WELCOME at Grace Church!

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## **January 29, 2023 The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany**

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*



For the texts of the readings for **The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany**, [please click here.](#)

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