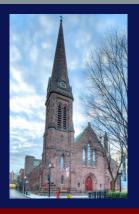


Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church



November 3, <u>2023</u>

#### Thanksgiving Food Drive

The Outreach Ministry at Grace Church invites all parishioners to kindly consider bringing non-perishable food items to the church in the lead-up to Thanksgiving, and indeed throughout the holiday season. Our donated food will be distributed to families in need through St. Peter's and St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. All healthy non-perishables are welcome, though particularly sought-after items include: canned vegetables and fruit, stuffing mix, turkey gravy, rice, coffee, oatmeal, healthy breakfast cereals, and especially peanut butter.



Please bring your food donations to Grace Church no later than Sunday, November 19.

A receptacle will be placed in the back of the church. If you have a spare cardboard box to carry them in, that is helpful, but not crucial. Let us strive to gather ample supplies for this year's drive, as the need is truly great.

#### Time Change This Weekend!

Just a friendly reminder to turn your clocks <u>back</u> one hour on Saturday evening! Enjoy the extra hour of sleep before coming to church on Sunday morning!



## Stewardship 2024 Testimonial: Liz Chin



Over the course of the coming weeks, we're hearing from four parishioners about what inspires them to give to Grace and make Grace their church home.

In addition to making a pledge for this coming year, I invite you also to consider making a legacy gift to Grace by remembering the church in your estate planning, thereby joining the 1829 Society: an honorary society of faithful and committed supporters who have established a planned gift to fortify the long-term future of Grace Church. If you have any questions about making such a gift, don't hesitate to ask me or visit <a href="https://www.gracechurchprovidence.org/support-grace-church/stewardship-pledging/bequests-planned-giving-the-1829-society/">https://www.gracechurchprovidence.org/support-grace-church/stewardship-pledging/bequests-planned-giving-the-1829-society/</a>.

Thanks and blessings, Jonathan+



#### Photos for All Saints' Day 2023

It is a tradition at Grace Church that photos of departed loved ones are placed on the High Altar for the feast days of All Souls' (November 2) and All Saints' (November 5). **All are welcome to bring a framed photo of a loved one to place on the High Altar on Sunday.** 





## JOINT CHORAL EVENSONG

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>
4:00 PM

The combined choirs of Grace Church, Providence and St. Luke's Church, East Greenwich sing music of William Byrd, Bernard Rose, Sir John Stainer, and Sir C. Hubert Parry's magnificent coronation anthem "I was glad".

A reception follows in The Pavilion.

#### WHAT'S A SALTERIO: 200 GOLDEN STRINGS



Explore the psaltery sounds of the Salterio, played by early-string instrument musician Marc Armitano Domingo and accompanied by Fred Jodry.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 AT 12:00 NOON

THIRD THURSDAYS @ TWELVE (NOON): A CONCERT SERIES

Free, diverse, 45-minute concerts for the enjoyment of the city of Providence and its visitors!

Please feel free to stay for the entire concert or for five minutes - whatever works best for your schedule!

### **Sunday Morning Worship**

# The Feast of All Saints (Transferred)

~ 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 Feast of All Saints,

#### **CLICK HERE!**

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

#### The Feast of All Saints

November 5, 2023

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*.



For the texts of the readings for **The Feast of All Saints**, please click here.

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