



*The Mission of Grace Church is to build, by the grace of God,
a loving and joyful community which lives the Gospel
through worship, proclamation, and service
to each other, to downtown Providence, and beyond.*



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EPIPHANYTIDE 2024



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WHAT IS “EPIPHANYTIDE”?

*Arise, shine; for you light has come,
and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. ~ Isaiah 60:1*

During the church year, the weeks and months following Christmas are no less busy than the period of anticipation that leads up to that celebration of Christ’s birth. The Feast of the Epiphany and the Sundays and Feast Days that follow it (before Ash Wednesday) illustrate the Saviour of the World revealing himself and his Godly nature to all people. The word “Epiphany” means a manifestation or realization of the essence of something, in this case the true nature of the baby born in a lowly manger as being the Divine. This period illustrates that right from his birth, Jesus belongs to and is a part of ALL of us, regardless of our individual backgrounds or origins. We hope you join us in the various worship and musical offerings we have planned to observe a joyful and welcoming Epiphanytide at Grace Church!

THE FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

HOLY EUCHARIST WITH HYMNS

Saturday, January 6th, 2024 at 11:00 AM

A special eucharist in observance of the Feast of the Epiphany, held in the Chancel near the High Altar. The congregation will sit in the Choir Stalls for this short service that will feature hymns for Epiphanytide.

A SERVICE OF LESSONS & CAROLS FOR EPIPHANY

WITH THE BLESSING OF CHALK

Sunday, January 7th, 2024 at 4:00 PM

An evening of readings and music to mark the visit of the Three Wise Men to the baby Jesus. The service will feature a festive procession of The Three Kings with their gifts. Pieces of chalk will be blessed for all to take home and mark their homes with a blessing for the new year. A reception will follow in The Pavilion.

CHORAL COMPLINE

Sunday, January 14th, 2024 at 8:00 PM

A 30-minute service of Gregorian Chant and Renaissance Polyphony sung by the Schola of Grace Church. The church is lighted by hundreds of candles and the sweet-smelling smoke of incense fills the air. Doors open at 7:30 PM

THIRD THURSDAYS @ TWELVE CONCERT

Thursday, January 18th, 2024 at 12 Noon

Music of Nico Muhly & Buck McDaniel

New York City-based conductor, composer, organist, and pianist Buck McDaniel plays selections of his own works and those by Rhode Island native and former Grace Church chorister, Nico Muhly. Free and open to the public!

CITY NIGHTS, CITY LIGHTS!

A CABARET FUNDRAISER FOR COLLEGIUM ANCORA

Saturday, January 20th, 2024 at 6:00 PM

Enjoy drinks and hors d'oeuvres while being serenaded by our talented singers! Cabaret and Broadway music with a nighttime city vibe will be featured!

*For more information and/or to purchase tickets,
please visit www.collegiumancora.org*

THE FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF OUR LORD IN THE TEMPLE: CANDLEMAS

FESTAL CHORAL EVENSONG

WITH THE BLESSING OF CANDLES

Saturday, February 3rd, 2024 at 4:00 PM

The combined choirs of St. Luke’s Church, East Greenwich, St. Paul’s Church, Fairfield, and Grace Church, Providence will sing music appropriate for Candlemas under the direction of Dr. Barry Rose, OBE, former Director of Music of St. Paul’s Cathedral, London, Guildford Cathedral, & St. Alban’s Cathedral.

Candles for use in the new year will be blessed.

A reception will follow in The Pavilion.

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Christus Mansionem Benedicat – ‘May Christ bless this dwelling place’ is a blessing used for marking above the doors to a home with chalk.