

GRACE ABOUNDS



Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church _ _ _ July 5/July 19, 2024

Ordination Coming Next Weekend



AN INVITATION FROM THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF RHODE ISLAND

God willing,
THE RIGHT REVEREND W. NICHOLAS KNISELY,
XIII Bishop of Rhode Island,

will ordain
JEFFREY CHARLES DRAKE DOUGLAS
to the Sacred Order of Priests

Your prayers and presence are requested at the service on

SATURDAY, JULY 27TH, 2024
10:00 AM



Clergy attending the ordination service in person are asked to vest in a cassock, surplice, and red stole.

A reception will follow the service in The Pavilion.

Screening Friday: The Philadelphia 11

Join Bishop Knisely, Canon Dena Cleaver-Bartholomew, Archdeacon Grace Swinski, Rhode Island Episcopal Church Women President Linda Guest, and friends from across the diocese at St. Paul's, Wickford on

Friday, July 19 at 6 p.m. to see "The Philadelphia Eleven." This captivating documentary tells the story of the women who, on July 29, 1974, broke the barrier against women's ordination in the Episcopal Church. [Click here](#) to register online for free.



Parking is available behind the Parish Hall, which is diagonally across the street from St. Paul's Church.

Our Shawl Ministry

Grace's Shawl Ministry has committed to making 15 shawls for women recovering from addiction and homelessness. They will be presented, with our prayer cards, at an Ignatian Spiritual Retreat in November. Could you knit one shawl in any color, in any pattern for this project? Please contact Jane Ditmars Jane Ditmars at janeditmars@gmail.com, or 610-657-5600.



Summer Choir

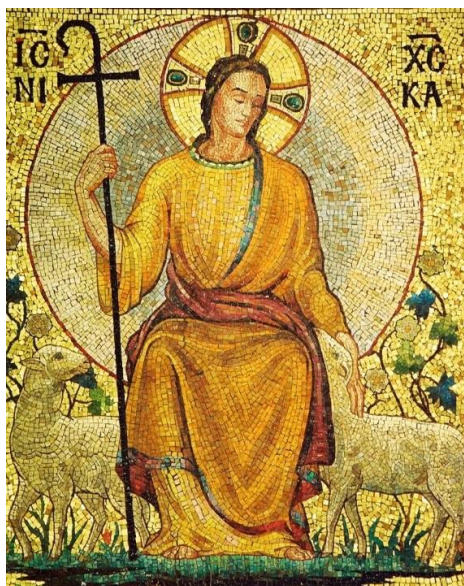
During the summer months we will enjoy the leadership of our Summer Choir! Summer Choir is open to anyone who sings with the Grace Church Choir, or anyone who would like to try singing in the choir. We meet in the Choir Room at 9:15 AM on Sunday mornings, rehearse the hymns, psalm, and a simple anthem or two. You don't need to give previous notice, but if you would like to try Summer Choir, please email Vince Edwards for more information. Feel free to sing one Sunday, or every Sunday! Please note: We may not vest once the weather turns hot, so please wear our summer choir 'uniform' - white blouse or shirt, black (or very dark) shorts, pants or skirt and dark-ish shoes.



Sunday Morning Worship: The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost July 21, 2024

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.

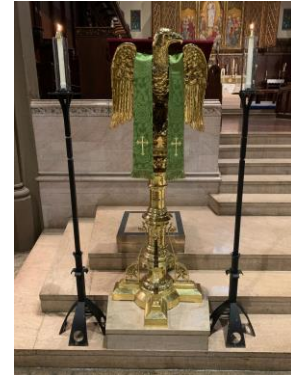
To view the Order of Service for The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost, please [CLICK HERE!](#)

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

July 21, 2024

The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son 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 Ninth Sunday after Pentecost**, [please click here.](#)


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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.