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#### **Rota for November 2025**

DATE	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Intercessor
11/2/2025 21st Sunday after Pentecost	Audrey Dove	Yi Yang Lei	Frances Hung	Shirley Nelson
11/9/2025 22nd Sunday after Pentecost	Shirley Bloomfield	Wentao Zhao	Esther Fa	Audrey Dove
11/16/2025 23rd Sunday after Pentecost	Shirley Nelson	Esther Fa	Elsie Mbele	Shirley Bloomfield
11/23/2025 Christ the King	Frances Hung	Wentao Zhao	Yi Yang Lei	Shirley Nelson
11/30/2025 1st Sunday of Advent	Elsie Mbele	Shirley Bloomfield	Audrey Dove	Gary Jwo



#### ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH

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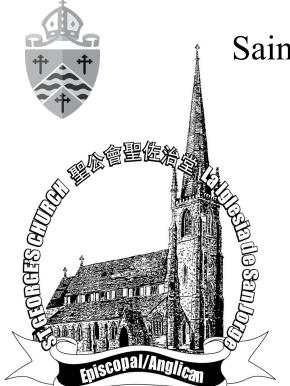
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# Twenty-First Sunday After Pentecost

November 2nd, 2025 9:30 am



3:28

Galatians

all one in Christ Jesus

You are

Saint George's Church Flushing

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## Saint George's Episcopal Church – Flushing, Queens

A Historic Church with a Modern Mission

## **Welcome to a Sacred Place of Diversity, History, and Hope**

Founded in 1702, Saint George's Episcopal Church is one of New York's oldest and most beloved congregations. Located in the heart of Flushing, Queens, we are a spiritual home for a vibrant, multicultural community—welcoming people of all backgrounds and walks of life. Our church building, completed in 1854, is a stunning example of Gothic Revival architecture and a New York City Landmark, offering a sense of peace and beauty in the midst of a bustling city.

## **A** Church for All People

At Saint George's, we embrace the global character of our neighborhood:

- English, Chinese (Mandarin), and Spanish Services
- Multicultural worship and music
- Inclusive and welcoming to all, regardless of background or belief

Whether you're new to the Christian faith or seeking a spiritual community, you'll find a place here.

## **Our Mission**

We are called to:

- Welcome all people into a life of faith and fellowship
- Love God and Love others
- Celebrate the beauty of God's creation
- Foster justice, peace, and compassion in our city and beyond

## **31** Worship & Community

#### **Weekly Services:**

• English – Sunday 9:30 AM Thursday 10:00AM Morning Prayer

• Chinese – Sunday 11:00 AM Wednesday 10:00AM

Friday 7:30PM Online Bible Study

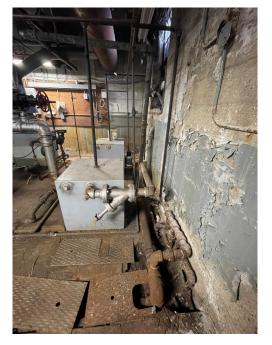
• Spanish – Sunday 1:00 PM

"A House of Prayer for All People" – Isaiah 56:7

Come as you are. All are welcome at Saint George's.









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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Peace be with you!

We sincerely thank each of you for your generous contributions and support toward the church gas pipes leaks and boiler replacement project. Your generosity and love beautifully reflect your reverence for the Lord's house and the passion that flows from your faith. Every offering, every prayer, is a response to God's grace and a testimony of our unity as we walk with Him.

We are deeply aware that the renovation work before us is full of challenges — both financially and in terms of time. Yet we firmly believe that the Lord's grace is sufficient for us. Since He has made us aware of the needs of His temple, He will surely provide the strength and resources needed to fulfill His calling. As Scripture says, "Unless the Lord builds the house, the builders labor in vain" (Psalm 127:1). What we are doing today is not merely repairing an aging piping and boiler system but bearing witness to our steadfast faith and continuing the light of the Gospel.

How great a grace it is that we have the privilege to restore this 323-year-old church with our own hands! This is not only God's blessing upon our church, but also His trust in us — entrusting His house to our care, allowing us to leave a mark of faith for generations to come. Since the end of 2024, we have completed several renovation projects, and every step along the way bears witness to God's presence and faithfulness throughout more than three centuries of this church's history.

Let us, in the days ahead, continue to pray with one accord and support one another. No matter the size of the offering or the form of service, all are expressions of our gratitude to God. We believe that when the church once again shines in renewed beauty, it will be a moment when the glory of the Lord is revealed even more brightly among us.

May the grace and peace of the Lord be with you always. May He remember every act of love, every labor done in His name.

Faithfully,

Rev. Lu Carrie Zhang

## **Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost**

**Prelude** 

#### **Gathering and Entrance Rites**

Hymn in Procession

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**Holy Baptism** 

**BCP299** 

#### Collect of the Day

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading Isaiah 1:10-18

Hear the word of the Lord, you rulers of Sodom! Listen to the teaching of our God, you people of Gomorrah! What to me is the multitude of your sacrifices? says the Lord; I have had enough of burnt offerings of rams and the fat of fed beasts; I do not delight in the blood of bulls, or of lambs, or of goats. When you come to appear before me, who asked this from your hand? Trample my courts no more; bringing offerings is futile; incense is an abomination to me. New moon and sabbath and calling of convocation— I cannot endure solemn assemblies with iniquity. Your new moons and your appointed festivals my soul hates; they have become a burden to me, I am weary of bearing them. When you stretch out your hands, I will hide my eyes from you; even though you make many prayers, I will not listen; your hands are full of

blood. Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; remove the evil of your doings from before my eyes; cease to do evil, learn to do good; seek justice, rescue the oppressed, defend the orphan, plead for the widow. Come now, let us argue it out, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be like snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

#### Psalm: 32:1-8

- 1 Happy are they whose transgressions are forgiven, and whose sin is put away!
- 2 Happy are they to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, and in whose spirit there is no guile!
- While I held my tongue, my bones withered away, because of my groaning all day long.
- For your hand was heavy upon me day and night; my moisture was dried up as in the heat of summer.
- 5 Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and did not conceal my guilt.
- I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord."

  Then you forgave me the guilt of my sin.
- 7 Therefore all the faithful will make their prayers to you in time of trouble; when the great waters overflow, they shall not reach them.
- You are my hiding-place; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance.

pledge#	Name	姓名
136	Rev. Carrie Zhang	張牧師全家
448	Xian Feng Meng	孟憲鳳
55	Yong Jie Zhang & Xiu Qing Qiu	張永捷 邱秀清
280	Jing Zhang	張晶
1231	Shu Yi Lu	陸樹憶
3	Ya Ling Jiang	薑雅玲
198	Nancy, Yu Juan Wang	王毓娟
253	Hing Yee Eng	伍欣頤
2006	Yi Yong Zhou	週義勇
85	Wen Jing Pan	潘文靜
358	Hui Dan Lin 林惠丹	
1566	Ping Lin 林平	
158	Chang Yi Zhang	張長義
327	Min Rong Zhao	趙敏榮
501	Qiu Ju Lin	林秋菊
522	Xiao Fan Wei	魏曉凡
537	Hong Yan Gao 高紅岩	
564	Kun Shang 尚昆	
1564	Xiao Shuai Guo & Yuan Jiang	郭曉帥 江淵
572	Xiu Qin Qi 漆秀琴	
838	Shi Rong Zhou 週時榮	
1223	Zhen Xiong Lei & Zhang Li Yang	雷振雄 楊章莉

## St. George's Church

## **Gas Emergency Restoration Fund Donation List**

**Current total amount from donations:** \$11,130.00

Church is our home, let's take care of it together!

Donation amount	Number of persons
\$4000.00	1
\$1040.00	1
\$1000.00	3
\$500.00	2
\$420.00	1
\$300.00	1
\$200.00	3
\$100.00	7
\$40.00	1
\$20.00	1
\$10.00	1

#### The Second Reading

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of everyone of you for one another is increasing. Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring. To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will make you worthy of his call and will fulfill by his power every good resolve and work of faith, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

#### **The Gospel Acclamation**

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#### The Holy Gospel:

Luke 19:1-10

He entered Jericho and was passing through it. A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was rich. He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner." Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor; and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much." Then Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost."

#### Sermon

Presentation and Examination of the Candidates BCP p. 301

The Baptismal Covenant BCP p. 304

Prayers for the Candidates BCP p. 305

Peace

Presentation 183 (LEVAS II)

#### THE LITURGY OF EUCHARISTY

The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A BCPp. 361

Sanctus and Benedictus - \$125

The Lord's Prayer - S119 Plainchant

Breaking of the Bread BCP p. 364

Fraction Anthem - S 164 Schubert

Communion Hymn - 544 & 636

Post Communion Prayer BCP p. 365

Blessing

**Hymn in Procession - 562** 

**Postlude** 

#### **Intentions for intercession**

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: For the Anglican Communion

Diocesan Cycle: For the Diocese of Long Island

Presiding Bishop Rt. Rev. Sean Rowe, Diocesan Bishop Lawrence Provenzano.

Assisting Bishops Geralyn Wolf and William Franklin.

Our Parish Clergy Rev. Carrie Lu Zhang.

We remember in our prayers for healing of Body, Mind and Spirit the following persons:

Lida Watson, Kevin Pilgrim, Kenny Brown, Pauline Kelly, Emma Morales,

Robert Paul Ramirez, Gladys Gonzalez, Lois Newland, Shirley Wee, Henry Chang,

Debbie Rainford, Deshaine Rainford, Dwight Phillips, Candice Mothersille,

Olga Gooding, Hilary Mears, Winnifred Barnett, Eric Prawl, Ava Clarke,

Floyd Bloomfield, Maximilian Henry, Tiffany Grajales, Demetrius Philips,

Venita Turner, Victor Mears, Glen MacDonald, Lawrence Morgan, Magda,

Gloria Carrion, Carmen Deleon, Kilsuan Bautista, Priscille Simeon, Anthony Wilmoth,

Daleep Singh, Jacelyn Bautista, Yali Liu, Ted Phillips, Lorna Murdaugh, Gloria Medina,

Keith Bradshaw, Beverly Archibald, Yvonne Wilson, Ruth Villareal, Maria Adames,

Inez Segura, Timothy Diviny, Anthony Brown, A. Nathan, N. Walter, Aaron Zhang,

Monica Wedderburn, Calvin Robinson, Alex Hung, The Chatom & Lopez families,

Andre Henry and Patricia Millington.

Please note that names will remain on the prayer list for 3 months. Please call the office, (718) 359-1171, to renew your prayer request.

#### THANK YOU!