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**Thirteenth Sunday** after Pentecost

> September 4th, 2022 9:30 AM Saint George's Church Flushing An original Royal Charter DUBBI **Episcopal Church**

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# Welcome to St. George's

Welcome! Whoever you are, whatever your origin, wherever you are in your spiritual pilgrimage, you are one of us: *a child of God*.

St. George's Parish is a Christian community that celebrates the wondrous diversity of God's people; we are an inter-cultural church where worship is offered each week in three languages: English, Mandarin and Spanish. We trust that God has called you here today. Please complete a visitor's envelope so we can tell you more about St. George's.

If you are unfamiliar with the pattern of worship in the Episcopal Church, simply relax in the liturgy and allow the rest of those present to carry you along in your worship, participate and be comfortable. You are invited to share Holy Communion with the congregation and we hope you will come to the coffee hour in the Parish Hall following this service.

Once again, welcome to this very old church that ministers in the present for the sake of a vibrant and faithful future.

In preparation for worship please silence all cell phones.

#### Sunday, September 4th,2022 A Big Welcome To All Who Visit Us This Morning!

#### Intentions for intercession

- 1. Anglican Cycle of Prayer: For Anglican Communion
- 2. Diocesan Cycle: For the Diocese of Long Island
- Archbishop of Canterbury Justin Welby; Presiding Bishop Michael Curry; Diocesan Bishop Lawrence Provenzano; Assisting Bishop Geralyn Wolf, William Franklin, Daniel Allotey. Our parish clergy: Fr. Paul Xie, Rev. Carrie Lu Zhang, Deacon Marjorie Boyden-Edmonds.
- 4. We remember in our prayers for healing of body, mind, and spirit the following persons:

Daniel Frooks; Max, Andrew & amp; Katherine Henry; Lloyd & amp; Lida Watson; Kevin Pilgrim; Anthony Munroe; Reginald Smith; Roland Seebrook; Leroy White Jr; Cassandra Hall; Elveta Ford; Judith Phillips; Olga Gooding; Beverly Dixon; Dwight Phillips; David Lee; Kenny Brown; Roy Caldwood & amp; Family; Pauline Kelly; Thomas Tsui; Gladys Blowe; Emily & amp; Lisa Tyler; Jabouri Toby; Melissa & amp; Roy Toby; Jillian Moore; Robert Paul Ramirez; Carlos A. Morales; Gladys Gonzalez.

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** 

## **HOMECOMING SUNDAY**



As determined by the Vestry meeting on June 19, we will be offering trilingual service on Homecoming Sunday, <u>September 11 @ 11:00AM</u> followed by a BBQ.

All are welcome to participate in the BBQ and contribute to it. Thank You!

It's the time to come back Home ! The Lord is waiting for you!

#### Sermon

The Nicene Creed		BCP p. 358	
The Prayers of the People	Form III	BCP p. 387	Pre
<b>Confession of Sin</b>		BCP p. 360	
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Presentation - 89 (LEVAS II) &	377		Holy
THE LITURGY OF EUCHARISTY			Glo
The Great Thanksgiving Eucha	aristic Prayer A	BCP p. 361	
Sanctus and Benedictus - S12	5		Grar prou
The Lord's Prayer - S119		Plainchant	their with
Breaking of the Bread		BCP p. 364	
Fraction Anthem - S 164		Schubert	Firs
Communion Hymn - 307 & 63	9		See,
Post Communion Prayer		BCP p. 365	comi the I ordir
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Thirteenth Sunday a	fter Pentecost		
Prelude Gathering and Entrance Rites			
Hymn in Procession - 400			
Holy Eucharist: Rite II	<b>BCP</b> 355		
Gloria in Excelsis Deo	S 280		
Collect of the Day			
Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always resist the proud who confide in their own strength, so you never forsake those who make their boast of your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. <b>Amen</b> .			
LITURGY OF THE WORD			
First Reading Deut	eronomy 30:15-20		
See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. If you obey the commandments of the Lord your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the Lord your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. But if your heart turns away and you do not hear, but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, I declare to you to-day that you shall perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him; for that means life to you and length of days, so that you may live in the land that the Lord swore to give to your ancestors, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.			

#### Psalm: 1

- 1 Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, \* nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!
- 2 Their delight is in the law of the Lord, \*

and they meditate on his law day and night.

3 They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; \* everything they do shall prosper.

4 It is not so with the wicked; \*

they are like chaff which the wind blows away.

5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, \* nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.

6 For the Lord knows the way of the righteous,

but the way of the wicked is doomed.

#### Second Reading

#### Philemon 1-21

Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Philemon our dear friend and co-worker, to Apphia our sister, to Archippus our fellow soldier, and to the church in your house: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. When I remember you in my prayers, I always thank my God because I hear of your love for all the saints and your faith toward the Lord Jesus. I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective when you perceive all the good that we may do for Christ. I have indeed received much joy and encouragement from your love, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you, my brother. For this reason, though I am bold enough in Christ to command you to do your duty, yet I would rather appeal to you on the basis of love—and I, Paul, do this as an old man, and now also as a prisoner of Christ Jesus. I am appealing to you for my child, Onesimus, whose father I have become during my imprisonment. Formerly he was useless to you, but now he is indeed useful both to you and to me. I am sending him, that is, my own heart, back to you.

I wanted to keep him with me, so that he might be of service to me in your place during my imprisonment for the gospel; but I preferred to do nothing without your consent, in order that your good deed might be voluntary and not something forced. Perhaps this is the reason he was separated from you for a while, so that you might have him back forever, no longer as a slave but more than a slave, a beloved brother—especially to me but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Lord. So if you consider me your partner, welcome him as you would welcome me. If he has wronged you in any way, or owes you anything, charge that to my account. I, Paul, am writing this with my own hand: I will repay it. I say nothing about your owing me even your own self. Yes, brother, let me have this benefit from you in the Lord! Refresh my heart in Christ. Confident of your obedience, I am writing to you, knowing that you will do even more than I say.

#### The Gospel Acclamation —

|: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia :||

Whoever Keeps the Word of Christ,

The Love of God is Truly Perfected in him.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

#### The Holy Gospel:

#### Luke 14:25-33

Now large crowds were traveling with Jesus; and he turned and said to them, "Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, saying, 'This fellow began to build and was not able to finish.' Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? If he cannot, then, while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace. So therefore, none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions.