


ST.GEORGE’S CHURCH FLUSHING  
Leadership

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| Priest in Charge 主理牧師  | The Rev. Paul Xie   |
| Associate Priest 副牧師   | The Rev. Carrie Lu Zhang  |
| Vestry Wardens 堂長      | Kaity Chang(Class of 2026) Erica Kan (Class of 2027)  |
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| Treasurer 司庫           | Long Lin  |
| Clerk of the Vestry 書記 | Gary Jwo  |
| Organist 司琴            | Kaity Chang 张凱娣 Albert Shen 沈承翰   |

Rota for June and July 2025

| DATE   | First Reading      | Psalm       | Second Reading | Intercessor        |
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| 06/29/2025<br>3rd Sunday after Pentecost<br>(Trilingual service) | Chinese            | Elsie Mbele | Spanish        | Audrey Dove        |
| 07/06/2025<br>4th Sunday after Pentecost                         | Shirley Bloomfield | Gary Jwo    | Jerry Yang     | Audrey Dove        |
| 07/13/2025<br>5th Sunday after Pentecost                         | Esther Fa          | Mingyu Jin  | Elsie Mbele    | Shirley Bloomfield |
| 07/20/2025<br>6th Sunday after Pentecost                         | Shirley Nelson     | Esther Fa   | Mingyu Jin     | Gary Jwo           |
| 07/27/2025<br>7th Sunday after Pentecost                         | Jerry Yang         | Elsie Mbele | Audrey Dove    | Shirley Nelson     |



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Welcome

You are all one in Christ Jesus —Galatians 3:28

Third Sunday  
After Pentecost

Trilingual Service  
June 29th, 2025  
11:00 am



Saint George’s 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, June 29th, 2025**  
**A Big Welcome To All Who Visit Us This Morning!**

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## 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, and Daniel Allotey.  
Our Parish Clergy Fr. Paul Xie, and 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,  
Edward Johnson, Floyd Bloomfield, Maximilian Henry, Tiffany Grajales,  
Demetrius Philips, Venita Turner, Victor Mears, Glen MacDonald, Lawrence Morgan,  
Magda, Jorge Ospina, Gloria Carrion, Carmen Deleon, Kilsuan Bautista, Priscille Simeon,  
Edward Lanning, Anthony Wilmoth, Daleep Singh, Edna Castello, Milagros Dias,  
Jacelyn Bautista, Yali Liu, Ted Phillips, Lorna Murdaugh, Gloria Medina,  
Keith Bradshaw, Susan Nevins, Beverly Archibald, Yvonne Wilson, Ruth Villareal,  
Maria Adames, Inez Segura, Timothy Diviny, Anthony Brown, A. Nathan, and N. Walter.

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- \* **The Party for Rev. Paul's Retirement is in the Parish Hall after the service, please come and join us.**
- \* **We are invited by the Diocese Search Committee for the 9th Bishop of Long Island, to join in this prayer:**

"Almighty God, giver of every good gift and source of all wisdom and understanding, look graciously upon your church and so guide the minds and hearts of those who will choose our next bishop. We pray that those who offer themselves as candidates in this process, you will grant them wisdom and discernment, a spirit of revelation and knowledge of your will, that they will care for all your people and equip us for our ministries through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

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| <b>Sermon</b>                    |               |            |
| <b>The Nicene Creed</b>          |               | BCP p. 358 |
| <b>The Prayers of the People</b> | Form IV       | BCP p. 388 |
| <b>Confession of Sin</b>         |               | BCP p. 360 |
| <b>Presentation</b>              | 138 (LEVASII) |            |

**THE LITURGY OF EUCHARISTY**

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| <b>The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A</b> |  | BCP p. 361 |
| <b>Sanctus and Benedictus - S 125</b>              |  |            |
| <b>The Lord’s Prayer - S119</b>                    |  | Plainchant |
| <b>Breaking of the Bread</b>                       |  | BCP p. 364 |
| <b>Fraction Anthem - S 164</b>                     |  | Schubert   |
| <b>Communion Hymn - 324 &amp; 321</b>              |  |            |
| <b>Post Communion Prayer</b>                       |  | BCP p. 365 |
| <b>Blessing</b>                                    |  |            |
| <b>Hymn in Procession - 522</b>                    |  |            |
| <b>Postlude</b>                                    |  |            |

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| <b>Third Sunday after Pentecost</b> |              |
| <b>Prelude</b>                      |              |
| <b>Gathering and Entrance Rites</b> |              |
| <b>Hymn in Procession</b>           | <b>494</b>   |
| <b>Holy Eucharist: Rite II</b>      | BCP355       |
| <b>Gloria in Excelsis Deo</b>       | <b>S 280</b> |
| <b>Collect of the Day</b>           |              |

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**LITURGY OF THE WORD**

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| <b>First Reading</b>   | <b>1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21</b> |
| <p>Then the Lord said to him, “Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place. So he set out from there, and found Elisha son of Shaphat, who was plowing. There were twelve yoke of oxen ahead of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and threw his mantle over him. He left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, “Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you.” Then Elijah said to him, “Go back again; for what have I done to you?” He returned from following him, took the yoke of oxen, and slaughtered them; using the</p> |                                |

equipment from the oxen, he boiled their flesh, and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out and followed Elijah, and became his servant.

**Psalm: 96:1-6**

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song;  
sing to the Lord, all the whole earth.
- 2 Sing to the Lord and bless his Name;  
proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.
- 3 Declare his glory among the nations  
and his wonders among all peoples.
- 4 For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised;  
he is more to be feared than all gods.
- 5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols;  
but it is the Lord who made the heavens.
- 6 Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence!  
Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!

**The Second Reading Galatians 5:1, 13-25**

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another. Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you

from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

**The Gospel Acclamation —457**

**The Holy Gospel : Luke 9:51-62**

When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, “Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?” But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village. As they were going along the road, someone said to him, “I will follow you wherever you go.” And Jesus said to him, “Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.” To another he said, “Follow me.” But he said, “Lord, first let me go and bury my father.” But Jesus said to him, “Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.” Another said, “I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.” Jesus said to him, “No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.”