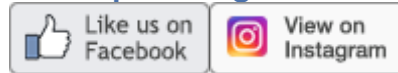




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Sunday Services

December 3, 2017

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I
- 9:15 a.m. Choir Practice
- 9:30 a.m. Faith Matters
- 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II & Sunday School
- 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour honoring Humberto Marichal
- 5:00 p.m. Sunday Night Lights-Sunday School

Ministers of Liturgy

Adrian Bogart, Donna George, *Acolytes*
Donna George, Johanna Canonica, *Eucharistic Ministers*
Beverly Banker, Wayne Chambless, George Stimola, *Lectors*
Kevin Daigh, Harry Davison, Carlyle Dunaway, *Ushers*
Gail Wagner, *Greeter*
Jane Keresey, Hannah Burns, Lel Gimbel, Ann Nolte, *Altar Guild*

Curate's Corner



St. John's has been blessed throughout the years with wonderful music. This year is no different! Our Choral Scholar program is off to a terrific start, Choral Evensong has been well received, and Opera Night was an enormous success! Now, as we move into Advent, we have another musical offering for you to enjoy and take part in. Ms. Chere Ko, the Associate Choirmaster and Associate Director of Music at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Garden City, will be offering a concert, Sunday December 10th at 4:00 pm, on our own St. John's Harpsichord, *Advent on the Harpsichord*. The program she will be playing is below, and it should be a wonderful concert! As the days get colder and darker, we invite you to come, sit, listen, pray, and enjoy the wonderful music that will be offered by Ms. Ko. Admission is free. We hope to see you there and take part in this Advent concert, part of our Music at St. John's 2017-2018 series.

Peace, Fr. Stephen

Advent on the Harpsichord

Fantasia Chromatica
1621)

J. P. Sweelinck (1562 -

Pavan in G major
1628)

Peter Philips (c. 1560 -

Keyboard Suite no. 4 in D minor (HWV 437)

G. F. Handel (1685 - 1759)

1. Allemande
2. Courante
3. Sarabande
4. Gigue

Tocatta Seconda (Book II)
Suite in G minor

G. Frescobaldi (1583 - 1643)
Louis Couperin (1626 - 1661)

1. Prelude
2. Allemande
3. Courante
4. Sarabande
5. Passacaille

St. John's of Lattintown presents

Advent on the Harpsichord

Sunday December 10th
4:00 pm



Chere Ko, the newly appointed Associate Organist & Choirmaster at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Garden City, offers a variety of music for the harpsichord written for the Season of Advent.

Admission is Free. 516.671.3226 for information

ADVENT QUIET DAY



Learning the Mystics' Way of Prayer **An Advent Quiet Day**

For centuries, Christians have searched for the means to encounter God and the holy. Some pursued God through isolation, while others

became master teachers that led communities of followers. During the fourteenth-century, mystics wrote about their experiences in a uniquely meaningful way. Known as the Golden Age of Mysticism, this period of history gave us writings still available to us today.

Join Father Bob Flanagan on Saturday, December 8th at St. John's for an Advent Quiet Day (9:00 am - 1:00 pm) that explores how 14th

century mysticism is just as relevant today. This course will help you to:

**Deepen your knowledge of the fourteenth century
Learn what mystics taught about God
Experience ancient methods of prayer
Enrich your conversations with God
Widen your devotion practices**

In the end, this course seeks to give you ways you can further develop your spiritual life, including timeless prayers that many have used to heighten their spiritual experience.

A suggested donation of \$25 will include a signed copy of Father Flanagan's award-winning devotional *Growing a Sustainable Soul*.

The Reverend Robert D. Flanagan has been a priest in the Diocese of New York for almost 15-years. An author of three books, he is also a doctor of ministry candidate in Christian Spirituality at Virginia Theological Seminary. He was Chair of the Theology Department at Brooks School for five years and currently serves as Interim Pastor at Christ's Church Rye, New York.

LAST WEEK TO PARTICIPATE!!!!

**Adopt-a-Family
2017**



St. John's of Lattingtown will once again be participating in Adopt-A-Family this Christmas season. Many families in our communities struggle financially, especially during the holidays. This program, in conjunction with the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island, provides an opportunity to 'adopt' and support our own local families.

We appreciate your generosity! Thank you!

\$50- child sponsorship

\$100- grocery gift card

\$250- family of four sponsorship

If you would like to help, please contact Julie Zarou via email at juliezarou@mac.com or 917-881-6870, or simply place this half of the flier in the offering plate and offer your participation to God at the Eucharist!

Deadline December 4th.

Name: _____



(Please make checks payable to St. John's of Lattingtown)

**Coat and Book Drive
Continues this Sunday**



COAT DRIVE

New and gently used coats for toddlers, children, teens, and adults, mittens, hats, boots, galoshes and Merrell-like all weather shoes AND

STORYBOOK DRIVE



(toddler to teen/young adult books) from

November 12th to December 10th

Coats and Books will be distributed to multiple organizations



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

If you would like to donate a poinsettia to adorn the chancel for the Christmas services, please complete the form in the bulletin and return to the office by **Sunday, December 10th.**

Kindly include your donation with the form. Please print the information exactly as you wish it to appear in the bulletin.

For more information: marysavin@stjlat.org

**Advent & Christmas Services
at St. John's**

Advent Quiet Day

Sat. Dec. 9th 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Advent on the Harpsichord

Sun. Dec. 10th 4:00 p.m.

A Service of Lessons & Carols for Advent

Sun. Dec. 17th 5:00 p.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite I Advent IV

Sun. Dec. 24th 8:00 a.m.

Christingle Pageant & Holy Eucharist

Sun. Dec. 24th 4:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve Service

Sun. Dec. 24th 6:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve Service

Sun. Dec. 24th 10:00 p.m.

Christmas Day Service

Mon. Dec. 25th 10:30 a.m.

GREENING OF THE CHURCH

Saturday, December 16th at 9:00 am



Please join us for bagels and coffee as we
celebrate the Advent Season

St. John's Pastoral Care Ministry

If you would like to request:



Pastoral visit

Home or hospital visit

*Ride to church meetings or
services*

Ride to a doctor's appointment

Assistance with emergency meals

Please contact: Lois Zaloom

516.316.3338 or spats11@optonline.net

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

LTN (Love Thy Neighbor) and

Our Sunday School Outreach Ministries
WORKING TOGETHER

Coat Drive

We are putting out a special appeal for the immediate needs of the neediest in our community. Our Sunday School children have learned through our outreach contacts that warmth for infants and toddlers is a pressing necessity in Glen Cove right now! We will be collecting:

Baby and toddler coats, socks, hats, mittens, sweaters, fleeces, stroller blankets, boots and booties.



The Sunday School will also be continuing our **Storybook Drive**

Please help us inspire and uplift middle grade, tweens and teens from The Sioux Cheyenne Reservation in South Dakota to Chicago's South Side to children in Glen Cove. We need young

adult fiction series collections like Harry Potter and stand alone chapter books for boys and girls.



Thank you for donating and spreading the word to friends and neighbors.



Join us for
SUNDAY NIGHT LIGHTS
December 3rd at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday School & Dinner Church

Chaired by Julie Zarou

Sunday evening services@ 5:00 p.m:

EVENSONG

**The first Sunday of the month
and**

SUNDAY NIGHT LIGHTS

on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays of each month.

In loving memory of

Eleanor Wilson Staniford

Memorial Service to be held

Friday, December 1st at 10:30 am

St. John's of Lattingtown

THIS WEEK at ST. JOHN'S

Monday, December 4th

9:00 a.m. - Morning Prayer - Chapel

4:00 p.m. - Nurture Group - 23 Fox Ridge Lane, LV

Tuesday, December 5th

9:00 a.m. - Morning Prayer - Chapel

8:00 p.m. - AA Meeting - Parish Hall

Wednesday, December 6th

9:00 a.m. - Morning Prayer- Chapel

12:00 p.m. - Eucharist and Healing Service

Thursday, December 7th

9:00 a.m. - Morning Prayer

5:30 pm - EOC Children's Christmas Party

Saturday, December 9th

9:00 a.m. - Altar Guild Set up

9:00 a.m.- Advent Quiet Day of Reflection

Sunday, December 10th

8:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist Rite I

9:15 a.m - Choir Practice

9:30 a.m. - Faith Matters

10:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist Rite II
11:30 a.m. - Coffee Hour
4:00 p.m. - Advent on the Harpsichord
5:00 pm - Sunday Night Lights and Sunday
School

St. John's Contact Information

The Reverend Mark L. Fitzhugh, Rector
The Reverend Stephen C. Tamke, Curate

Staff

Christopher Brayne, Director of Music Ministry
Courtney Callahan, Director of Outreach & Children's Ministry
Mary Savin, Parish Administrator
Kate Scefonas, Sexton
Mary Syracuse, Financial Officer

Office Hours

Monday thru Friday - 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
516-671-3226

The Vestry

Michael Powers, Senior Warden (2018)
Victoria Fox, Junior Warden (2020)
John Fredericks, Clerk (2018)
George Stimola, Treasurer (2020)

Jay Aston (2019)	Carlyle Dunaway (2020)
Martha Busconi (2019)	Thomas Gimbel (2019)
Johanna Canonica (2019)	Jackie Powers (2020)
Wayne Chambless (2018)	Judy Wohrle (2018)
Henry Davison (2019)	Julie Zarou (2019)

For information regarding Sunday School, please send an email to
courtneycallahan@yahoo.com

In case of a pastoral emergency, please call 516-491-3936

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