

MORNING PRAYER

LENT THREE

MARCH 7, 2021

PRELUDE: FUGHETTA SUPER: DIES SIND DIE HEIL'GEN ZEHN GEBOT'
J.S. BACH - BWV 679

OPENING SENTENCE

Rend your hearts and not your garments. Return to the Lord your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and repents of evil. *Joel 2:13*

THE DECALOGUE (chanted by Anne Harris and David Arcus)



Hear the commandments of God to his people:
I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage.
You shall have no other gods but me.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not make for yourself any idol.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

Honor your father and your mother.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not commit murder.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not commit adultery.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not steal.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not be a false witness.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

CONFESSION OF SIN

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

*in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.*

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE INVITATORY AND PSALTER

V: Lord, open our lips.

R: And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

VENITE PSALM 95:1-7

The Lord is full of compassion and mercy: Come let us adore him.
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Come, let us sing to the Lord; *
let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.
**Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving *
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.**

For the Lord is a great God, *
and a great King above all gods.
**In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *
and the heights of the hills are his also.**

The sea is his, for he made it, *
and his hands have molded the dry land.

**Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.**

For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. *
Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

The Lord is full of compassion and mercy: Come let us adore him.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

THE PSALMS APPOINTED:

PSALM 93 *Dominus regnavit*

- ¹ The LORD is King; he has put on splendid apparel; *
the LORD has put on his apparel and girded himself with strength.
- ² ***He has made the whole world so sure *
that it cannot be moved;***
- ³ Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; *
you are from everlasting.
- ⁴ ***The waters have lifted up, O LORD, the waters have lifted up their voice; *
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.***
- ⁵ Mightier than the sound of many waters, mightier than the breakers of the sea, *
mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.
- ⁶ ***Your testimonies are very sure, *
and holiness adorns your house, O LORD, for ever and for evermore.***

PSALM 96 *Cantate Domino*

- 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!***
- ⁷ Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples; *
ascribe to the LORD honor and power.
- ⁸ ***Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his Name; *
bring offerings and come into his courts.***
- ⁹ Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; *
let the whole earth tremble before him.
- ¹⁰ ***Tell it out among the nations: "The LORD is King! *
he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity."***
- ¹¹ Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad; let the sea thunder and all that is in it; *
let the field be joyful and all that is therein.
- ¹² ***Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy before the LORD when he comes, *
when he comes to judge the earth.***
- ¹³ He will judge the world with righteousness *
and the peoples with his truth.

***Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.***

THE LESSONS

A READING FROM EXODUS 20:1-17

Then God spoke all these words: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me. You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments. You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name. Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work-- you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it. Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND SONG OF ISAIAH *Quaerite Dominum; Isaiah 55:6-11*

Seek the Lord while he wills to be found; *
call upon him when he draws near.

***Let the wicked forsake their ways *
and the evil ones their thoughts;***

And let them turn to the Lord, and he will have compassion, *
and to our God, for he will richly pardon.

***For my thoughts are not your thoughts, *
nor your ways my ways, says the Lord.***

For as the heavens are higher than the earth, *
so are my ways higher than your ways,
and my thoughts than your thoughts.

***For as rain and snow fall from the heavens *
and return not again, but water the earth,***

Bringing forth life and giving growth, *
 seed for sowing and bread for eating,
***So is my word that goes forth from my mouth; *
 it will not return to me empty;***
 But it will accomplish that which I have purposed, *
 and prosper in that for which I sent it.

***Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
 as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.***

A READING FROM 1 CORINTHIANS 1:18-25

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart." Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN # 148: CREATOR OF THE EARTH AND SKIES (V. 1,2,4,5)

A READING FROM THE GOSPEL OF JOHN 2:13-22

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, "Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a marketplace!" His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for your house will consume me." The Jews then said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews then said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON

David Nichols

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ,
his only son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

V: The Lord be with you.

R: *And also with you.*

Let us pray.

Our Father, *who art in heaven*
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.

***And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen***

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. We pray for Justin the Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael our Presiding Bishop, Sam and Anne our Bishops with all bishops, priests, and deacons. We pray for parishes in our Diocese, especially St. Philip's, St. Stephen's, and St. Titus' of Durham. We also pray for Pastor Holman and Dickerson Chapel AME and for the Hillsborough Clergy Coalition, especially for Rev. Tony Boss of Piney Grove Missionary Baptist Church.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. We pray for our President, our Congress, and our State Government.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. We pray for the work of the Eno River Association.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. We pray for the poor, marginalized, and vulnerable in Orange County. We pray for inmates, first responders, and healthcare workers. We pray for educators, students, and parents of school-aged children. We pray for the work of Orange Congregations in Mission in our community.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. We pray for those in our parish family, especially: Jackie, Mildred, Lois, Tom, Molly, Jim, Rowen & Jan, Ann, Anne, Daisy, Tom, Champe, Keyon, Andy & Barrie, Laura, Sandra, Bartow, Robert, Tricia & Don, Nell, Ludie, Robert, Paul,

Marion, Nancy, Jim, and Jean. We pray for Joan Daniel Hodges, the mother of Bishop Anne Hodges-Copple. We pray for those at Brookshire, both residents and staff.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died that your will for them may be fulfilled, and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN #676: THERE IS A BALM IN GILEAD (led by Bill Kodros)

Refrain:

There is a balm in Gilead
to make the wounded whole,
there is a balm in Gilead
to heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged
and think my work's in vain,
but then the Holy Spirit
revives my soul again.

If you cannot preach like Peter,
if you cannot pray like Paul,
you can tell the love of Jesus
and say, "He died for all."

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. **Amen.**

2 Corinthians 13:14

VESTRY CAMEO

Sonja Tilley, Vestry Liaison for Worship & Spiritual Practices

SUNDAY FORUM

THIS WEEK AT ST. MATTHEW'S

Sunday (3/7): Lent Three / OCIM SUNDAY

Worship and Formation

- **Gathering** (Worship Zoom); 9:00am
- **Morning Prayer** (Worship Zoom); 9:30am
- **Sunday Forum** (Worship Zoom); 10:15am; Amy Peterson presenting
- **Godly Play** (Formation Zoom); 10:30am
- **Sunday Godspeed Group** (Worship Zoom); 11:15am

Youth Group (Formation Zoom); 4:00pm

Monday (3/8):

- **Monday Godspeed Group** (Worship Zoom); 9:00am
- **Archives & History** (Meeting Zoom); 10am
- **Education for Ministry** (Formation Zoom): 6:30p
- **Compline** (Worship Zoom); 8:30pm

Tuesday (3/9):

- **Morning Silence** (Worship Zoom); 7:30am Gathering for Silent Meditation
- **Tuesday Godspeed Group** (Worship Zoom); 7:00pm
- **Justice United** (Zoom Link Provided by Lisa Frost-Phillips or Eileen Camp; 7:00pm)
- **Worship Meeting** (Meeting Zoom); 7:00pm
- **Compline** (Worship Zoom); 8:30pm

Wednesday (3/10):

- **Morning Prayer** (Worship Zoom); 8:00am
- **Ecumenical Lenten Service** (Zoom Link in announcement); Noon
- **For Those Who Live Alone** (Meeting Zoom); 5:00pm / Margaret Brill hosting
- **Choir** (Meeting Zoom); 7:00pm
- **Compline** (Worship Zoom); 8:30pm

Thursday (3/11)

- **Parish Pastoral Team** (Meeting Zoom); 5:00pm
- **Adult Bible Study** (Formation Zoom); 7:30pm
- **Compline** (Worship Zoom); 8:30pm

Friday (3/12)

- **Morning Prayer** (Worship Zoom); 8:00am
- **Awareness through Movement Class** (Meeting Zoom); 9:30am
- **In-Person Outdoor Eucharist** (Memorial Garden); Noon) health screening form required
- **Compline** (Worship Zoom); 8:30pm

Sunday (3/14): Lent Four

Worship and Formation

- **Gathering** (Worship Zoom); 9:00am
- **Morning Prayer** (Worship Zoom); 9:30am

- **Sunday Forum** (Worship Zoom); 10:15am
 - **Growing in Christ** (Formation Zoom); 10:30am
 - **Sunday Godspeed Group** (Worship Zoom); 11:15am
- Youth Group** (Formation Zoom); 4:00pm

PLEASE MASK UP IF YOU COME INTO ANY OF THE BUILDINGS ON THE CHURCH PROPERTY!!

OUR LENTEN OFFERINGS

LENTEN SUNDAY FORUMS:

Sunday Forums are set to explore the Gospel and how at times the Church has lost sight of its core meaning. 3/7: Amy Peterson; 3/14: Charles Irons; 3/21: Lauren Winner.

IN-PERSON, OUTDOOR EUCHARISTS

Our next in-person Eucharist will be Friday, the 12th at Noon in the Memorial Garden where we can accommodate 24 easily. To sign up, first fill out [the health screening form here](#). Masks are required and social distancing must be observed.

THE ST. MATTHEW'S LENTEN WAILING WALL

Please note the Wailing Wall that Kim Powell set up at St. Matthew's. At any point during Lent, we invite you to come to the church, and find the plastic box on the white bench outside the Hayden Building. Inside there are sharpies, ribbons, and a prayer card. Follow the prompt taped to the box and write your response on the ribbon. Tie (double tie) it to the railing where the other ribbons are (the railing closest to the Parish House) and pray the prayer on the card. Tie as many ribbons as you need, come back as often as you wish. Email Kim if you have any questions. (kim@stmatthewshillsborough.org)

HILLSBOROUGH ECUMENICAL WEDNESDAY LENTEN GATHERINGS, STORYTELLING, AND AGAPE

MEALS with other parishes in Orange County. These will be on Zoom on Wednesdays at noon, through March 24. One person from each participating parish will be asked to offer a five minute 'pandemic story' for a total of around five at each gathering, and we will conclude with an agape meal. This is being planned by the Hillsborough Clergy Coalition. Here is the link for this zoom service:

<https://nccumc.zoom.us/j/93569627154?pwd=TS9sYXBzOEhmcWJPOU9GVFdx0p0dz09>

The password is: agape

AGAPE BREAD LENTEN WORKSHOP OFFERED SATURDAY, MARCH 13 FROM 10:00-NOON

In this workshop, Kendall Vanderslice will guide us through the basic principles of bread baking as well as embodied contemplative prayer. Designed to be interactive, every participant will receive a list of ingredients before the event in order to bake along. Those who prefer to simply observe are welcome to join too. You'll leave equipped to incorporate both bread baking and prayer into the rhythms of your daily life. For sign-up information call Mary.

JUSTICE UNITED: TUESDAY, MARCH 9

Who is my neighbor? What matters to me and to St. Matthew's in community? Come and see as Justice United holds its first relationship building listening sessions of the season and begins to discern where it will focus its energies in the upcoming year. St. Matthew's has committed to sending 15-20 people to attend one of two scheduled listening sessions, where people from

different communities will share who they are and what matters to them in Orange County. Come listen and learn from our neighbors and, in the process, work towards discerning together a vision of what justice looks like in our neighborhood.

The second date is Tuesday, March 9 over zoom, 7:00-8:30 pm. If interested and/or if you can attend, please email Eileen Camp at camp328@live.com or lisa@stmatthewshillsborough.org.

ORANGE CONGREGATIONS IN MISSION

Providing Beef Stew to Orange Congregations in Mission Food's Pantry is a commitment St. Matthew's has made and kept for years now. Bring your donated cans to the church anytime. Drop them in the basket under the alcove of the Hayden Building or leave them by one of the doors. Our goal is 175 each month. Thank you for your support of the "Fill the Bag" Campaign last month.

"WARMING HEARTS" SHAWL MINISTRY CALENDARS AVAILABLE

Calendars (February 2021-January 2022) featuring shawls made by the Shawl Ministry are available in the Parish House for a donation of yarn, in any amount. They were made to honor our Shawl Ministry by member Dot Lansdown. Her son William photographed the shawls which he displayed on the pews of St. Matthew's. (Quantities are limited.)

CARE & DISCERNMENT GROUP FORMING

You are invited to practice listening with a group of four to eight fellow parishioners. During these challenging and divisive times we feel the pressure to take action. Learning to pay careful attention to one another is a way to act decisively and effectively. The structure of St. Matthew's Care and Discernment Groups provides a way to practice this work through mutual support. We take turns to narrate a query, challenge, or joy which is held in meditative attention through prayer, reflection and silence. We will meet for as many times as there are participants and our sessions last for 75 minutes. Active listening nourishes our mind, body, and spirit; it strengthens our friendship to one another and our service to the wider community.

We will begin the group on St. Matthew's Zoom Meeting channel on Friday, March 19th at 4 pm. If you are interested please contact Edward Wright at framesbyedwardwright@gmail.com or call 919-622-7082.

RACIAL JUSTICE AND RECONCILIATION BOOK DISCUSSION; TUESDAY, MARCH 23 AT 7:00PM

Caste: The Origins of our Discontent, by Pulitzer Prize-winning author Isabel Wilkerson, will be the topic of the next book discussion sponsored by the RJRC on Tuesday, March 23 on the Meeting Channel at 7:00 p.m. Ms. Wilkerson writes about the surprising costs of the caste system on our physical and mental health, life expectancy, culture, and politics. She also suggests ways to move beyond the destructive separations in our country toward hope in our common humanity. This is a topic we must examine during these turbulent times of national discontent. Please join us as we explore this brilliant book exploring how America today, and throughout its history, has been shaped by a hidden caste system. Here is a link to an interview with Isabel Wilkerson, the author of *Caste*: <https://www.npr.org/2020/08/04/898574852/its-more-than-racism-isabel-wilkerson-explains-america-s-caste-system>

COMMUNITY EVENTS

THE CHAPEL OF THE CROSS LENTEN DAY OFFERING – Saturday, March 20, 2021 (*Registration Links forthcoming*): **Entering the Heart of Christ: Christianity as Participatory Mystery**

In a series of talks spaced through the day, The Rev. Matthew Wright will explore how to move

beyond understanding Christianity primarily as a "belief system," inviting us to engage the Way of Jesus as a path of experience and transformation. We will explore our principal doctrines of Trinity and Incarnation as participatory mysteries that Jesus invites us to enter into, paying special attention to the "unitive" or "nondual" dimension of Christian faith, the recovery of heart-centered Christian contemplative practice, and pioneering Christian voices such as Teilhard de Chardin and Raimon Panikkar.

The Rev. Matthew Wright is an Episcopal priest serving as priest-in-charge for St. Gregory's Episcopal Church in Woodstock, NY. He is a well-known contemporary contemplative and a gifted retreat leader, nurtured in the Christian contemplative Wisdom tradition. He writes frequently for *Contemplative Journal*, and teaches for Northeast Wisdom and The Contemplative Society.

The day is expected to begin around 9am and conclude by 5pm with a number of breaks and times for reflection interspersed throughout the day. Registration information will be available soon. There is a \$10 suggested donation to cover costs associated with the event.

COVID RELATED NEWS

SACRAMENTAL APPROACH TO VACCINES by our own David McDuffie has been published in Georgetown University's Berkley Center for Religion, Peace, and World Affairs. Here is the link for his excellent article:

<https://berkeleycenter.georgetown.edu/responses/on-life-grace-and-vaccines-a-sacramental-approach-to-public-health>

FAITH CONNECTIONS ON MENTAL ILLNESS (FCMI) offers monthly gatherings. The next one is on Monday, March 8, and is titled: "Leading a Faith Community in the Time of COVID." If interested, there is more information found through this link:

<https://www.faithconnectionsonmentalillness.org/meetings.htm>

COVID VACCINATION NEWS

Group 3 Essential Workers are now eligible. Getting the COVID-19 vaccine gives you an added layer of protection against COVID-19 and may protect your church family. Here are some key points about COVID-19 vaccination:

- All COVID-19 vaccines available in the United States are very effective at preventing the disease.
- The most common side effects are pain in the arm where you got the shot, feeling tired, headache, body aches, chills, and fever.
- Stopping a pandemic requires using all the tools we have available—wearing masks, staying at least 6 feet from people who do not live with you, avoiding crowds and poorly ventilated spaces, washing your hands frequently, and getting vaccinated.

Essential Workers include:

- **Critical manufacturing** (including manufacturing medical supplies, medical equipment or PPE, manufacturing products needed for food and agricultural supply chains)
- **Higher Education** (including college and university instructors and support staff)
- **Essential goods** (including workers in stores that sell groceries and medicine)
- **Food and agriculture** (including meat packing workers, food processing workers, farm workers, migrant farm/fishery workers, food distribution and supply chain workers, restaurant workers)
- **Government and community services** (including US Postal Service and other shipping workers, court workers, elected officials, clergy, homeless shelter staff)
- **Public health** (including public health workers, social workers)

- **Public safety** (including firefighters and EMS, law enforcement, corrections workers, security officers, public agency workers responding to abuse and neglect)
- **Transportation** (including public transit, Division of Motor Vehicles workers, transportation, maintenance and repair technicians, workers supporting highway infrastructure)

Your health and safety continue to be our priority. Vaccine supplies are limited, we are seeing access increasing as more, and more providers come online in our area. Please see Vaccine Sign Up options below:

- **Orange County Health Department** — Visit the [GetYourShot](https://www.orangecountync.gov/2617/Vaccine) <https://www.orangecountync.gov/2617/Vaccine> page to sign up or call 919-913 8088 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. seven days a week.
- **UNC Health** — Visit the [Get Vaccinated](https://vaccine.unchealthcare.org/get-vaccinated/) (<https://vaccine.unchealthcare.org/get-vaccinated/>) page or call 984-215-5485 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.
- **Piedmont Health Services** — Visit the [COVID-19 Testing and Vaccination](https://piedmonthhealth.org/how-can-i-be-tested-for-covid19/) (<https://piedmonthhealth.org/how-can-i-be-tested-for-covid19/>) page or call 919 545-3452.
- **Hillsborough Pharmacy** — Visit their [Home Page](https://www.hillsboroughpharmacync.com/) (<https://www.hillsboroughpharmacync.com/>) or call 919-245-1212.
- **Duke Health** — Visit the [COVID-19 Vaccines Update](https://www.dukehealth.org/covid-19-update/covid-19-vaccine-update) (<https://www.dukehealth.org/covid-19-update/covid-19-vaccine-update>) page to join the waiting list. If you are a Duke MyChart user, you can check Duke MyChart regularly to view appointment availability.
- **Cone Health** — Visit the [COVID-19 Vaccine Information](https://www.conehealth.com/covid-19-information/covid-19-vaccine-information/) (<https://www.conehealth.com/covid-19-information/covid-19-vaccine-information/>) page to join the waiting list.
- **Durham Veterans Affairs Health Care System** — Call 919-286-0411 and dial 0 for the operator to schedule an appointment if you are a veteran at high risk or a veteran frontline essential worker. The VA will reach out to more veterans as additional supplies become available. See the system's [website](https://www.durham.va.gov/) (<https://www.durham.va.gov/>) for more information. (See the [COVID-19 Vaccine for High Risk Veterans](#) to see the listing of veterans eligible now for vaccination through the VA.
- **Walgreens** — there are five Walgreens in Orange County that offer vaccines:
 - 1670 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Chapel Hill
 - 1500 E. Franklin St., Chapel Hill
 - 801 Mebane Oaks Rd., Mebane
 - 1106 Environ Way, Chapel Hill
 - 200 US Highway 70 E, Hillsborough

To learn more:

- Orange County Health Department's Vaccine Page: www.orangecountync.gov/getyourshot
- NCDHHS Deeper Dive- Group 3 Frontline Essential Worker: <https://covid19.ncdhhs.gov/vaccines/find-your-spot-take-your-shot/deeper-dive-group3>
- NCDHHS Vaccine Locator: <https://myspot.nc.gov>
- NCDHHS tool to find your group: <https://findmygroup.nc.gov>

PRAYER LIST

We pray for all who are sick, or in any need or trouble, remembering especially the following members of our parish family: Jackie Fredericks, Mildred Pruessing, Lois Horn, Tom Vail, Molly Zaragoza, Jim Feserman, Rowen & Jan Grant, Ann Burdette, Anne Weaver, Daisy Huffman, Tom

Sinn, Champe Davis, Keyon Hutson, Andy & Barrie Wallace, Laura Middlebrooks, Sandra Poffenbarger, Bartow Culp, Robert Fruehwirth, Tricia & Don Hill, Nell Schrader, Ludie White, Robert Locke, Paul Enquist, Marion Horn, Nancy Harris, Jim von St. Paul, and Jean Bartholomew.

And these others for whom our prayers are desired: Melanie Maupin, Betsy Zaragoza, Harry Dula, Arnold Thomas, Gail Clifford, Erin Vaughan, Bob Caldwell, Baylor Pisano, John Charton, Lucy Gradowski, Ken Foland, Savannah Fonvielle, Colleen Paisley, Ben Mueller, Richard Haase, Chip Joyner, John Logan, the Spurlocks, the Tuckers, Anna Lawrence & Dan Bass, Fred Edoughs, Timothy, Bob, Laura Merrill, Jeannine Beardslee, Brooke Harnisch & Dan Roberts, Amy, Evelyne Accad, Amalia, Maddie Powers, Allie, John & Rachel Hougom, Richard Stevens, Mary Beth, Sam Hammond, Karl & Janice Eicher, Knox Efland, Coleman Sale, Boardman Lloyd, the family of Chris Knotts, Bill, Chris Graebner, Tom Bloom, Julia Sendor, Michael Thompson, Andy, Drew, Sean Turnell, Matthew Arnold, Anne Cox, Sally Weaver, Steve Thomas, Alex Thomas, Joe Barnes, Tony Boss, Joan Daniel Hodges, and Millie Hinkle.

We pray for all doctors and nurses, service workers, inmates, and the unemployed. We pray for educators, students, and parents of school-aged children.