

THIS WEEK AT GRACE February 21-28, 2016

Please also check the website, display tables, and bulletin board for more information about other activities in which you might want to participate.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21— SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

7:45 am	Holy Eucharist Rite 1, <i>All Saints' Chapel</i>
9:30 am – 10:15 am	Adult Forum, "Spiritual Progress: Essays of the 17 th Century," <i>Grace Lounge</i>
10:30 am	Sunday School <i>Classroom 3</i>
10:30 am	Choral Holy Eucharist, <i>Church</i>
12:15 pm	Men's Guild, <i>Grace Meeting Room</i>
12:15 pm	Women of Grace, <i>Knickel Hall</i>
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Grace Youth Choir, <i>Church</i>
4:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Friendship World Outreach, <i>All Saints Chapel & Lounge</i>

Monday, February 22 *Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm*

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	ESL Classes
7:30 pm – 9:00 pm	AA, <i>Knickle Hall</i>

Tuesday, February 23 *Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm*

Wednesday, February 24 *Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm*

Feast of Saint Mathias the Apoistle

11:30 am—1:00 pm	Grace's Kitchen, <i>Knickle Hall</i>
12:00 pm –1:00 pm	Service of Healing with Eucharist, <i>All Saints Chapel</i>
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	ESL Classes
7:30pm—9:30 pm	Grace Choir Rehearsal, <i>Chancel</i>

Thursday, February 25 *Parish Office Hours 9:00 - 12:00 pm; 1:00 - 3:00 pm*

11:30 am—1:00 pm	Grace's Kitchen, <i>Knickle Hall</i>
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Friday, 26 *Parish Office Closed*

11:30 am—1:00 pm	Grace's Kitchen, <i>Knickle Hall</i>
6:00 pm	Stations of the Cross, <i>Church</i>
7:30 pm	Lenten Meditation, <i>Church</i>

Saturday, February 27 *Parish Office Closed*

11:30 am—1:00 pm	Grace's Kitchen, <i>Knickle Hall</i>
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Steps to Serenity: 12-Step, <i>Grace Gymnasium</i>

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28— THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

7:45 am	Holy Eucharist Rite 1, <i>All Saints' Chapel</i>
9:30 am – 10:15 am	Adult Forum, "Spiritual Progress: Essays of the 17 th Century," <i>Grace Lounge</i>
10:30 am	Sunday School <i>Classroom 3</i>
10:30 am	Choral Holy Eucharist Celebrating Black History Month, <i>Church</i>
12:15 pm	Black History Month Reception <i>Knickel Hall</i>
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Grace Youth Choir, <i>Church</i>
4:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Friendship World Outreach, <i>All Saints Chapel & Lounge</i>

Next Sunday's Readings First Sunday in Lent

1st Reading: Exodus 3:1-15 **Psalm 63:1-8**

2nd Reading: 1Corinthians 10:1-13 **Gospel:** Luke 13:1-9

BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION

COME WORSHIP WITH US !

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 28TH, 2016

10:30 AM CHORAL EUCHARIST

LUNCHEON

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CHURCH SERVICE



GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Diocese of New Jersey

Plainfield, NJ 07060

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MONTHLY MEETINGS

Stewardship – 1st Monday, 7:30 pm
Health Ministries – 2nd Sunday, 12:15 pm
Finance Committee– Friday before Vestry, 7:00pm
Vestry – 3rd Wednesday, 7:30pm
Men’s Guild – 3rd Sunday, 12:15 pm
Women of Grace - 3rd Sunday , 12:15 pm

Grace Church Choir – Wednesdays, 7:30pm – 9:00 pm
Grace’s Kitchen – Last five days of the month ,
11:30pm-1:00pm
PCO Board – Date and Time to be Determined
Staff Meeting—1st Wednesday 10:30 am, Vestry Lounge

FRIDAYS DURING LENT



- ❖ 6:00 pm Stations of the Cross
- ❖ 7:30 pm Lenten Meditation

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

MARCH 20, SUNDAY OF THE PASSION: PALM SUNDAY



7:45am Eucharist Rite I
10:30am Choral Eucharist with Procession of the Palms
with the Reading of the Passion of the Lord

MARCH 23, WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK

12Noon Eucharist with Service of Healing

MARCH 24, MAUNDY THURSDAY



7:00pm Eucharist with Foot Washing
9:00pm The Watch in the Garden



MARCH 25, GOOD FRIDAY



12Noon The Service of Good Friday
with The Veneration of the Cross
& Holy Communion
joined with Holy Cross Parish, North Plainfield
6:00pm The Stations of Cross
7:30pm Good Friday Meditation

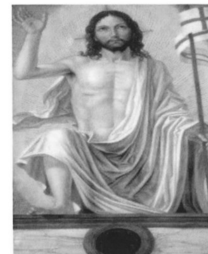
MARCH 26, HOLY SATURDAY

7:00pm The Great Vigil of Easter

MARCH 27, EASTER SUNDAY



7:45am Eucharist Rite I
10:30am Festive Choral Eucharist



Join Bishop Chip Stokes and Dean Rene John on an
Anglican Heritage Tour
 Departing August 29, 2016 from New York



YOUR DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

DAY 1 – NEWARK/LONDON

Depart from our international airport on your overnight flight to England on board our super jet aircraft. Dinner and breakfast will be served aboard.

DAY 2 – LONDON

Upon arrival at London, we are met, assisted and transferred to our private luxury motor coach. The day begins with a panoramic orientation tour of the city of London. Take in the beauty of London's distinguished cathedrals. Continue to London's distinguished sites such as Buckingham Palace, Old Bailey, the Central Criminal Court of England and Wales, and the historically renowned Tower of London and Tower Bridge. Finish the day with a warm welcome dinner at our hotel. (D)

DAY 3 – LONDON/CANTERBURY

After breakfast we start our day with visit to the Southwark Cathedral and St. Paul's Cathedral. Stop by Lambeth Palace, the home of the Archbishop of Canterbury and home to the largest collection of records of the church in its library. We depart for Rochester Cathedral for a brief visit. Rochester Cathedral, or the Cathedral Church of Christ and the Blessed Virgin Mary, is England's second oldest cathedral. We finally reach Canterbury, the most important ancient city in all of England. In 560 it became the center of English pilgrimage, and Kingdom of King Ethelbert and his Queen Berta, who was a Christian. Here we will take a walking tour of the cobbled stone city, stopping by quaint shops and the Canterbury Cathedral, built in 1070 by Archbishop Lanfranc. Dinner and overnight at our hotel. (B,D)

DAY 4 – KENT/SALISBURY/WILTSHIRE

After breakfast we travel to the prehistoric site of Stonehenge. Continue to Winchester, which was the capital of England for almost 250 years. Here we stop by Winchester Cathedral, the longest medieval church in Europe. Winchester was evangelized by St. Birinus in AD 634, and 40 years later became an archbishop. Many great English saints such as St. Swithun, St. Ethelwold, and St. Dunstan (Abp. of Canterbury) are associated with Winchester. Our final stop for the day is Salisbury. Here we will tour the great cathedral and tower with the elegant spire, standing as the tallest in England, rising above the water meadows. Dinner and overnight in Wiltshire. (B,D)

DAY 5 – GLASTONBURY/BATH/AVON

Breakfast at our hotel. We then travel to the town of Glastonbury to see the ruins of its Abbey. Legend connecting St. Joseph of Arimathea to the Holy Grail and the burial of King Arthur and Queen Guinevere gave Glastonbury Abbey its great importance. Next we visit Bath, which began as a Roman Spa more than 2000 years ago. We stop for a visit to the Roman Baths and tour Bath Abbey, the last of the great pre-Reformation churches, renowned for its size. Dinner and overnight in Wiltshire. (B,D)

DAY 6 – OXFORD/CAMBRIDGE

After breakfast we visit the "City of Dreaming Spires," ten centuries old Oxford University. Oxford is home to Christ Church, the cathedral church of the diocese of Oxford and smallest cathedral in England. The jewel in the crown is a visit to the 15th century King's College Chapel, one of the most perfect buildings in the world and the site of the annual Festival of Lessons and Carols. Dinner and overnight at our hotel in Cambridgeshire/Norfolk. (B,D)

DAY 7 – ELY/COVENTRY

Following breakfast we start today's journey with a visit to the cathedral in Ely. After the Ely we travel west to Coventry and experience our Reconciliation Themed tour connected to Coventry Cathedral. We will tour the ruins of the old Cathedral and end up in the new Cathedral. We will meet for an afternoon discussion on the history of the Reconciliation which is now a worldwide organization. Dinner and overnight in Coventry. (B,D)

DAY 8 – COVENTRY/YORK

After breakfast we meet with our friends in Coventry, worship with them and depart for Lincoln to tour its magnificent cathedral. The cathedral has been said to be "the most precious piece of architecture in the British Isles." We also will tour Lincoln castle, one of the eight castles founded by William the Conqueror. Next we drive through the countryside to York, the second city of the Realm. This walled city was first a Roman provincial capital called "Eboracum" in AD 71. The Archbishop of York holds the title "Primate of England" is the second only to the Archbishop of Canterbury. We tour the massive York Minster, the pride of this city and the largest medieval cathedral in England. We finish our tour with a farewell dinner and overnight in York. (B,D)

DAY 9 – YORK/MANCHESTER/USA

An early breakfast at the hotel, we bid farewell to this green and pleasant land, having been enriched by the historical sights of this England and even more so by the enduring legacy of the Anglican Church. Transfer to the airport for the flight home. Arrive the same day.

Coventry Cathedral



Glastonbury Abbey



PRICE \$4,698
 based on double occupancy

Included in the price:

- Round-trip from New York (includes fuel surcharge)
- Accommodations at superior tourist class hotels
- Breakfast and dinner daily
- Sightseeing as per itinerary
- Airport-hotel transfers & portage
- Hotel taxes
- Touring by Private-Air-Conditioned Motor Coach
- Services of a Professional Escort

Not Included:

- Optional Insurance (recommended)
- \$500 Single Supplement
- Meals not mentioned
- Tipping

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