



# Spiritus Gladius

The Weekly News Letter of the Collegiate Church of  
Saint Paul the Apostle, Savannah

## The Weekday Kalendar

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Agnes of Rome</b> MP 9:00 am HE 12:15 pm EP 5:30 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Vincent of Saragossa</b> MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm HE/HS 6:00pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Phillips Brooks</b> Lauds 6:45 am HE 7:00 am MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Francis de Sales</b> MP 9:00 am HE/HS 10:00 am EP 5:30 pm
<b>Friday</b>	<b>THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL</b> Lauds 6:45 am HE 7:00 am MP 9:00 am EP 5:30 pm

MP - Morning Prayer      HS - Healing Service  
HE - Holy Eucharist      EP - Evening Prayer

## The Second Sunday after the Epiphany

January 20, 2019

8:00 a.m.	Low Mass
9:15 a.m.	Christian Education
9:45 a.m.	Morning Prayer
10:00 a.m.	Solemn High Mass
12:15 p.m.	Misa en Español
5:30 p.m.	Evensong (weekly) & Benediction (4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday)
6:30 p.m.	Evening Mass

There is a 3 pm Mass at St. Bartholomew's,  
Chevis Road at Wild Heron Road on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the Month

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The Propers

[Isaiah 62:1-5](#)

[Psalm 36:5-10](#)

[1 Corinthians 12:1-11](#)

[John 2:1-11](#)

Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday  
10 am - 1 pm / closed on Friday  
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# Reflections

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

Simply put Sunday, the Lord's Day, is the alpha and omega of liturgical time. What we do throughout the liturgical year is an expansion of themes which should be at the heart of every Sunday celebration, when we gather to commemorate the death and resurrection of our Savior. Sunday is to be celebrated with intention and an awareness of the mystery which is inherent to its celebration. As pilgrim children of God, we are called by the Sunday liturgy to consider anew some aspect of the divine mystery which has been revealed in Jesus Christ so that we might grow into the person God would have us to be.

Ordinary Sundays of the Year like the current season of Sundays after Epiphany are an excellent time to recover this essential dynamic. It is an opportunity to consider and explore the multiple dimensions of this weekly celebration. In his Apostolic Letter, *Dies Domini* (The Day of the Lord), Pope John Paul II provided the whole Church with an excellent tool from which to consider the rich resource which each Sunday brings to the Church Militant. The categories for reflection are not only comprehensive but they provide a framework for contemplation which is rooted in history and tradition while high-lighting the present at the same time. During the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, which starts on the Confession of St. Peter (1/18) and ends on the Conversion of St. Paul (1/25) this pray full scheme may lead us more deeply into our Lord's prayer that we all may be one as He and the Father are one. It will be in such ordinary ways that God's desire for all humanity to be united in love will learn to express itself in time and history.

Prayerfully consider making the following, which is a brief outline of the apostolic Letter, part of your prayers for the unity of Christendom. It forms a veritable litany of titles which encompasses the theological and historical, liturgical and pastoral as well as human dimensions of the Lord's Day:

1. *Dies Domini: the Lord's Day.* It is a celebration of the Creator's work as perfected in the Incarnation, crucifixion and resurrection. It is the Christian Sabbath, "shabbat," the day we joyfully honor the Creator's rest.

2. *Dies Christi: the Day of Christ.* It is the day of the risen Lord and the gift of the Holy Spirit. We celebrate the first day of the week and the beginning of creation. It is also the eighth day and our weekly Easter: both of which imply the eternity which is made available to the world through Jesus Christ.

3. *Dies Ecclesiae: the Day of the Church.* It is the day that the pilgrim people of God gather in hope as the Eucharistic Assembly. At this Easter banquet the word is broken at the place of proclamation and the bread is broken in the midst of Christ's body so that the gathered Sisters and Brothers may receive the Word of God and Christ's Body and Blood. At the table of Christ's Body the pilgrim heart is renewed so that we may be agents by whom other hearts may accept Christ at the center of their lives.

4. *Dies Hominis: the Day of the Human Person.* It is not only a day of rest and joy it is the day of solidarity with humanity. When the pilgrim people remember all God's Children and pray for the strength and wisdom to establishment of social justice and freedom for all. It is the day when we celebrate Christ's purpose: to bring all to the Father.

5. *Dies Dierum: the Day of Days.* It is the primordial feast. It is the day by which we begin the week and it is the day which reveals the very meaning of time.

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# Parish News and Events

## **Music for this Sunday, January 20th**

**Hymns:** 135, 440, 497, 487, 599

**Anthem:** O Worship the Lord (G.F. Handel)

## **2018 Statements**

The 2018 statements are available in the Narthex.

**Vestry Meeting** Monday, Jan 21 @ 6:00pm.

## **MLK Parade, Monday, January 21st**

The Episcopal Diocese of Georgia has a float in the Martin Luther King, Jr. Observance Day Parade in Savannah, GA, on Monday, January 21, 2019. Participation in the event includes (1) marching in the parade with a float dedicated to the Diocese of Georgia, (2) holding a service of Holy Eucharist after the march at St. Matthew's Church, and (3) hosting a concluding reception with a light lunch in St. Matthew's Parish Hall. All are welcome to participate in these events.

The parade begins promptly at 10 AM from East Broad Street and East Liberty Street. The Diocese of Georgia's float and marchers will be somewhere in the vicinity of the East Broad Street Elementary School (400 E Broad St, Savannah, GA 31401) in the "middle of the pack." The float will have signs on it and, weather permitting, live musicians to lead those who march in song. For a detailed map of the parade route, go to <https://www.mlkingsavannah.com/blog/parade-route>.

Try to gather there no later than 9:30 AM. Dress appropriately for the weather since the march takes at least one hour. It is difficult to park near the starting point so plan to walk or arrange to be dropped off. Some St. Matthew's parishioners may be able to shuttle people from the church parking lot to the parade starting point.

The parade concludes in front of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 1401 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd, Savannah, GA 31415 with a

Holy Eucharist following directly, between 11 and 11:30 AM. Immediately following worship, a reception will be held in the St. Matthew's Parish Hall. Those unable to join the march are still welcome to come to worship and the reception.

For up to date information, see the Facebook [event](#). For more information, contact the Rev. Guillermo Arboleda at [FrGAA@StMattSav.org](mailto:FrGAA@StMattSav.org).

**Chair Yoga Class** Heather Downs is offering a Chair Yoga class for all ages. Due to the MLK holiday, the group will meet this week on TUESDAY, January 22 at 10:30.

## **Coffee Hour Hosts**

The sign-up for Coffee Hour Hosts for January through March is now available on Sign-up Genius. The link is: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E4EAEA62CA4FF2-coffee> Thank you for your support of this important ministry.

## **The Annual Parish Meeting**

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 27th following the 10:00am Mass and will be followed by a [covered dish luncheon](#). Those whose last names begin with A - J, please bring a rice or pasta dish. Those whose last names begin with K - R, please bring a vegetable dish. Those whose last names begin with S - Z, please bring a meat dish.

## **Flower Charts**

The 2019 Flower Chart have been posted in the Parish Hall. Remembered loved ones and special times in your life are reasons to give thanks with a votive offering of flowers or a lamp at one of the Shrines.

## **Quiet Day**

Please mark your calendars for the Quiet Day to be held on Saturday, March 2nd, led by Fr. Charles.. The theme is "I am yours and you are mine."

### Lay Ministers

#### 8am

Ellen Hammond (LEM)  
Paul Hammond (Lector)

#### 10am

David Saussy (Subdeacon)  
James Weaver (Lector)

#### Acolytes

Roy Morris  
Zachary Morris  
Collin Parker  
Garrett Shoemake  
Olive Ward  
Wyeth Ward

#### Head Usher

Frank Hodges

### Year-To-Date

Inflows November 2018  
\$368,808.63  
Outflows November.2018  
\$401,863.96  
Balance (- 33,055.33 )

Budget needed each week  
\$8,567.00  
Offering  
\$5332.96  
Restricted Offering  
\$1510.00

### St Paul's Collegiate Church

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#### The Episcopate

The Right Reverend Scott A. Benhase, D.D.  
Bishop of Georgia  
The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry, D.D.  
Primate, Episcopal Church, USA  
The Most Rev & Rt Hon Justin Welby, D.D.  
Archbishop of Canterbury

#### Honorary Assistant Clergy

Canon J. Robert Carter. PhD  
Fr. George B Salley, Jr  
The Rev. John G Anderson  
Lutheran Pastor in Residence

#### Staff

The Very Rev. Dr. Wm Willoughby III, OStJ  
Rector & Dean of Savannah  
The Reverend Charles E. Todd, ECSB  
Vicar & Administrator  
The Reverend Michael J. Chaney,  
Associate & College Missioner  
The Reverend Susan E. Gahagan, ECSB  
Deacon  
The Reverend Sara Zevallos, Deacon  
Robert M. Fogle Music Director  
Joe Daniels, Sexton  
Victor Moreno, Pastoral Assistant  
Colleen Willoughby, Youth Minister

#### The Vestry

Beth Robinson, Senior Warden, '19  
Mark Frissell, Junior Warden, '21  
Sara Ward, Clerk, '19  
August Breton '19, Jim Burch '20,  
Heather Downs, '21  
Kris Lee, '21, Erick Nowicki, '19,  
Dan Porter, '20, Jerry Riley, '21  
Cuffy Sullivan, '20  
Lily Wong, '20,

Carl Pruetz Treasurer

### Thanksgivings & Memorials

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#### Birthdays

Janet McKay (20)  
Mary Ann Scott (21)  
Denisse Rivera (23)  
Jan Carter (24)

#### Anniversaries

Jan and Fr. Robert  
Carter (26)

#### Departed

Ray Roberts (24)  
Elinor Stiles Golson  
(25)

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