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The Reverend Canon Carl F. Turner, *Rector*

Welcome to Saint Thomas Church, a parish of the Episcopal Diocese of New York.
Our mission is to worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ
through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage.

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COMMEMORATION OF BISHOP JOHN HENRY HOBART (1775-1830) SEPTEMBER 12, 2024

CHORAL EVENSONG — 5:30 p.m.
sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Prelude	Prelude No. 1 <i>from</i> Eight Little Preludes and Fugues	<i>Randall Svane</i> (b. 1955)
Versicles		<i>Arthur Li</i> (b. 2011)
Psalm 65		Anglican Chant (<i>Taylor</i>)

THOU, O God, art praised in Sion : and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem.
Thou that hearest the prayer : unto thee shall all flesh come.
My misdeeds prevail against me : O be thou merciful unto our sins.
Blessed is the man whom thou chooseth, and receivest unto thee :
 he shall dwell in thy court, and shall be satisfied with the pleasures of thy house,
 even of thy holy temple.
Thou shalt shew us wonderful things in thy righteousness, O God of our salvation :
 thou that art the hope of all the ends of the earth, and of them that remain in the broad sea.
Who in his strength setteth fast the mountains: and is girded about with power.
Who stilleth the raging of the sea : and the noise of his waves, and the madness of the people.
They also that dwell in the uttermost parts of the earth shall be afraid at thy tokens :
 thou that makest the outgoings of the morning and evening to praise thee.
Thou visitest the earth, and blessest it : thou makest it very plenteous.
The river of God is full of water : thou preparest their corn, for so thou providest for the earth.
Thou waterest her furrows, thou sendest rain into the little valleys thereof :
 thou makest it soft with the drops of rain, and blessest the increase of it.
Thou crownest the year with thy goodness : and thy clouds drop fatness.
They shall drop upon the dwellings of the wilderness : and the little hills shall rejoice on every side.
The folds shall be full of sheep : the valleys also shall stand so thick with corn,
 that they shall laugh and sing.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son : and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be : world without end. Amen.

Psalm 66 Anglican Chant (*Ashfield*)

○ BE joyful in God, all ye lands : sing praises unto the honour of his Name,
 make his praise to be glorious.
Say unto God, O how wonderful art thou in thy works :
 through the greatness of thy power shall thine enemies be found liars unto thee.
For all the world shall worship thee : sing of thee, and praise thy Name.
O come hither, and behold the works of God :
 how wonderful he is in his doing toward the children of men.

He turned the sea into dry land : so that they went through the water on foot;
there did we rejoice thereof.
He ruleth with his power for ever; his eyes behold the people :
and such as will not believe shall not be able to exalt themselves.
O praise our God, ye people : and make the voice of his praise to be heard;
Who holdeth our soul in life : and suffereth not our feet to slip.
For thou, O God, hast proved us : thou also hast tried us, like as silver is tried.
Thou broughtest us into the snare : and laidest trouble upon our loins.
Thou sufferedst men to ride over our heads : we went through fire and water,
and thou broughtest us out into a wealthy place.
I will go into thine house with burnt-offerings: and will pay thee my vows,
which I promised with my lips, and spake with my mouth, when I was in trouble.
I will offer unto thee fat burnt-sacrifices, with the incense of rams : I will offer bullocks and goats.
O come hither, and hearken, all ye that fear God : and I will tell you what he hath done for my soul.
I called unto him with my mouth : and gave him praises with my tongue.
If I incline unto wickedness with mine heart : the Lord will not hear me.
But God hath heard me : and considered the voice of my prayer.
Praised be God, who hath not cast out my prayer : nor turned his mercy from me.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son : and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be : world without end. Amen.

Psalm 67

Anglican Chant (*Bairstow*)

GOD be merciful unto us, and bless us :
and shew us the light of his countenance, and be merciful unto us:
That thy way may be known upon earth : thy saving health among all nations.
Let the people praise thee, O God : yea, let all the people praise thee.
O let the nations rejoice and be glad : for thou shalt judge the folk righteously,
and govern the nations upon earth.
Let the people praise thee, O God : let all the people praise thee.
Then shall the earth bring forth her increase : and God, even our own God,
shall give us his blessing.
God shall bless us : and all the ends of the world shall fear him.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son : and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be : world without end. Amen.

First Lesson

Genesis 1:1-13

Magnificat

Mount Saint Alban Service

David Hogan
(1949-1996)

Second Lesson

John 1:1-18

Nunc dimittis

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David Hogan

Apostles' Creed

Responses

Arthur Li

The Collect of the Day

The Collect for Peace

The Collect for Aid Against All Perils

Anthem at the Offertory

Te lucis ante terminum

Matthew Martin
(b. 1976)

Prayers and Intercessions

Voluntary

Fugue No. 1 from Eight Little Preludes and Fugues

Randall Svane