

St. Luke's Episcopal Church

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK

SESQUICENTENNIAL

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Our 150th Anniversary Year

The Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity — October 29, 1967

MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON

ten o'clock

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 350

VENITE — Prayer Book, page 9 Goodson

PSALM 8 — Prayer Book, page 350

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 64

TE DEUM — Prayer Book, page 10, Part I Salter

SECOND LESSON Matthew 23:1-12

JUBILATE — Prayer Book, page 15 Champneys

CREED AND PRAYERS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM — "Lauda Anima" Andrews

"Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
To his feet thy tribute bring.
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Evermore his praises sing:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise the everlasting King!
Fatherlike He tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame He knows;
In His hands He gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Widely yet His mercy flows.
Angels in the height adore Him!
Ye behold Him face to face;
Saints triumphant bow before Him!
Gathered in from ev'ry race.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise with us the God of grace,
Praise with us the God of grace
Amen, Amen."

HYMN 563

SERMON Dr. Winnie

BENEDICTION

DRESDEN AMEN

RECESSIONAL HYMN 426

ORGAN POSTLUDE

MORNING SERVICES

The members of the Sanctuary Chapter in charge of the Altar this morning are Mrs. Walter Huff at eight-thirty, and Mrs. Walter Clark and Mrs. Horace Freeman at ten o'clock.

Mr. David Babcock is the Epistoler at eight-thirty, and the Acolytes are Michael Fields and James Lyons, with Peter Nichols the Acolyte in training.

David Williams is the Crucifer at ten o'clock.

THE CHURCH STAFF

The Rev. Frederick M. Winnie, D.D., *Rector*

The Rev. H. Bruce Lederhouse, *Curate*

Mr. Thomas H. Hawks, *Treasurer*

Miss Ruth P. Sullivan, *Organist and Choir Director*

Miss Helen H. Tanger, *Secretary*

Mr. Deogracia Cruz, *Sexton*

A THANK YOU

On behalf of the Anniversary Committee we wish to thank all those in the parish who helped to make our Sesquicentennial Celebrations such happy occasions — the Open Houses last spring and the events of last weekend.

James S. Wishart, Chairman

EYC

The Junior Group of the EYC will meet this evening in the Parish House from 7 to 8:30 o'clock.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

A sandwich luncheon will be held following the 12:15 Service of Holy Communion on Tuesday. Mrs. James Wishart will show slides of their trip to Labrador this summer.

ALL SAINTS' DAY

A celebration of the Holy Communion will take place on All Saints' Day, Wednesday, November 1, at 12:15 p.m.

CHURCH WORLD SERVICE

The fall collection of good used clothing for Church World Service will be held on Monday, November 6. If you have contributions for this worthy cause, please bring them to the parish house before that date. Gifts of money to help pay the postage will also be welcome.

ST. LUKE'S HISTORY AND DRAWINGS

The price of the History of St. Luke's by Miss Virginia Smith is \$3.50 to members of the parish, and the portfolio of drawings by Mr. Ralph Avery is \$2.50 to members. They are available at Scrantom's to others.

St. Luke's and President Lincoln

A photograph was discovered in 1966 showing the chancel as it looked in 1865 draped in black at the time of the assassination of President Lincoln. It is the earliest picture extant of the interior and with the old records formed the basis for the restoration which has just been completed—the columns marbled with gilded capitals, the chancel walls adorned with plaster details in Gothic style and painted to resemble stone. The 1925 memorial organ and the choir were returned to the rear gallery.

Quoting from the record: "April 15, 1865. The President of the United States Abraham Lincoln, died this morning at 7.22 o'clock from a wound inflicted by an Assassin in the interest of the Southern Rebels. The Secretary of State, William H. Seward, was terribly wounded at about the same hour (10 p.m.) on Good Friday—by an accomplice of the President's murderer. The Church was draped in deep mourning, by order of the Vestry; and the terrible crime and the mournful calamity it has brought on the Nation caused universal gloom."

"April 19, 1865. St. Luke's was densely crowded on occasion of the Service held at noon—the hour appointed for the Funeral Solemnities of the late beloved President of the United States."