



Who can stand?

✦ *November is Native American Peoples Month* ✦

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 01

✦ **Feast of All Saints!**

☞ **Time falls back 1 hour!**

✦ **Latin Explosion!** (see ad)

♥ **Happy Birthday Sophia Pazos!**

✦ **The Rev. Elder Pat Bumgardner, preaching**
(Rev. 7:1-4, 9-17 & Mt. 5:1-12)

11:00 am **Celebration Liturgy** Live-streamed!

9:00 pm Sylvia's Place Youth Shelter

Monday, November 02: Office Closed

✦ **All Souls Day**

5:00 pm The Gary Skala Drop-in Clinic (HYS—to 8pm)

9:00 pm MCCNY HYS at Sylvia's Place

Tuesday, November 03

1:00 pm Lunch Distribution (until 3pm)

5:00 pm The Gary Skala Drop-in Clinic (HYS—to 8pm)

9:00 pm MCCNY HYS at Sylvia's Place

Wednesday, November 04

♥ **Happy Birthday Rev. Patrick Cheng and
Rev. Jidé McCauley!**

1:00 pm Lunch Distribution (until 3pm)

5:00 pm The Gary Skala Drop-in Clinic (HYS—to 8pm)

6:00 pm **Q Clinic (3rd floor)**

9:00 pm MCCNY HYS at Sylvia's Place

2026: A Year of Resilience!

Thursday, November 05

9:00 am Food Pantry

1:00 pm Lunch Distribution (until 3pm)

5:00 pm The Gary Skala Drop-in Clinic (HYS—to 8pm)

6:00 pm **Covenanted Bible/Theology Study w/Rev. Reg via Zoom**

9:00 pm MCCNY HYS at Sylvia's Place

Friday, November 06: Diwali begins!

✦ **World Community Day!**

12:15 pm Taize Prayer w/Rev. Brett (Facebook)

5:00 pm The Gary Skala Drop-in Clinic (HYS—to 8pm)

9:00 pm MCCNY HYS at Sylvia's Place

Saturday, November 07

♥ **Happy Anniversary Paula Schoenwether and
Rev. Nancy Wilson!**

9:00 pm MCCNY HYS at Sylvia's Place

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 08

✦ **4th Sunday after Homecoming**

♥ **Happy Birthday Jessie Daniels!**

✦ **Lay Preacher Mary Elizabeth Poole,
preaching** (Wis. 6: 12-16 & Mt. 25: 1-13)

10:00 am **Choir Rehearsal for 11am**

11:00 am **Celebration Liturgy** Live-streamed!!

9:00 pm Sylvia's Place Youth Shelter

✦ **11am CELEBRATION LIVE-STREAMED EVERY SUNDAY!**

✦ **Pantry and shelter remain open.** ✦ **For pastoral calls: 332-400-7488**

Please make sure the Church has your cell phone number and email address!

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November 01, 2026
✚ All Saints/All Souls Sunday!

MCC globally celebrates "57 Years of Offering Our Light to the World"
54th Anniversary Year at MCCNY: A Year of Resilience!

The Community at Worship 11am with Long Island Community Fellowship of West Babylon
ASL Interpreter (First, second, and third Sundays of the month and special celebrations)

Pat Dash

PRELUDE

John Fischer, Music Director
Carolyn Traore, Song Leader
Heidi Siegell, Soloist

PROCESSION

"For All the Saints"

#65/Hymnal (2 pages)
Please stand as able

WELCOME

The Rev. Elder Pat Bumgardner
Metropolitan Community Church of New York

✚ The Sign of Peace

THE LESSON

La Lección Primera
The First Lesson

Apocalipsis 7: 1-4,9-17
Revelation 7: 1-4,9-17

Después de esto, vi cuatro ángeles que estaban en pie sobre los cuatro puntos cardinales, deteniendo los cuatro vientos para que no soplaran sobre la tierra ni sobre el mar ni sobre ningún árbol. También vi otro ángel que venía del oriente, y que tenía el sello del Dios viviente. Este ángel gritó con fuerte voz a los otros cuatro que habían recibido poder para hacer daño a la tierra y al mar: "¡No hagan daño a la tierra ni al mar ni a los árboles, mientras no hayamos puesto un sello en la frente a los siervos de nuestro Dios!" Y oí el número de los que así fueron señalados: ciento cuarenta y cuatro mil de entre todas las tribus israelitas.... Después de esto, miré y vi una gran multitud de todas las naciones, razas, lenguas y pueblos. Estaban en pie delante del trono y delante del Cordero, y eran tantos que nadie podía contarlos. Iban vestidos de blanco y llevaban palmas en las manos. Todos gritaban con fuerte voz: "¡La salvación se debe a nuestro Dios que está sentado en el trono, y al Cordero!" Y todos los ángeles estaban en pie alrededor del trono y de los ancianos y de los cuatro seres vivientes; y se inclinaron delante del trono hasta tocar el suelo con la frente, y adoraron a Dios diciendo: "¡Amén! La alabanza, la gloria, la sabiduría, la gratitud, el honor, el poder y la fuerza sean dados a nuestro Dios por todos los siglos. ¡Amén!" Entonces uno de los ancianos me preguntó: "¿Quiénes son estos que están vestidos de blanco, y de dónde han venido?" "Tú lo sabes," le contesté. Y el anciano me dijo: "Éstos son los que han pasado por la gran tribulación, los que han lavado sus ropas y las han blanqueado en la sangre del Cordero. Por eso están delante del trono de Dios, y día y noche le sirven en el templo. Dios que está sentado en el trono los protegerá con la presencia de Dios. Ya no sufrirán hambre ni sed, ni los quemará el sol, ni el calor los molestará; porque el Cordero, que está en medio del trono, será su pastor y los guiará a manantiales de aguas de vida, y Dios secará toda lágrima de sus ojos."

+ Esta es la Palabra de Dios
TE ALABAMOS, O DIOS

After this I saw four angels standing at the four corners of the earth, holding back the four winds of the earth so that no wind could blow on earth or sea or against any tree. I saw another angel ascending from the rising of the sun, with the seal of the living God, and this angel called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to damage earth and sea, saying, "Do not damage the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have marked the servants of our God with a seal on their foreheads." And I heard the number of those who were sealed, one hundred forty-four thousand, sealed out of every tribe of the people of Israel... After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said, "You are the one who knows." Then the elder said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great tribulation; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God and worship God day and night within the temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat, for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

+ This is the Word of God
THANKS BE TO GOD

MUSICAL RESPONSE

La Lección Segunda
The Second Lesson

MCCNY Choir
Mateo 5:1-12
Matthew 5:1-12

Al ver la multitud, Jesús subió al monte y se sentó. Los discípulos se le acercaron, y Jesús tomó la palabra y comenzó a enseñarles, diciendo: "Dichosos los que tienen espíritu de pobres, porque de ellos es el reino de los cielos. Dichosos los que sufren, porque serán consolados. Dichosos los humildes, porque heredarán la tierra prometida. Dichosos los que tienen hambre y sed de la justicia, porque serán satisfechos. Dichosos los compasivos, porque Dios tendrá compasión de ellos. Dichosos los de corazón limpio, porque verán a Dios. Dichosos los que trabajan por la paz,

porque Dios los llamará niños de Dios. Dichosos los perseguidos por hacer lo que es justo, porque de ellos es el reino de los cielos. Dichosos ustedes, cuando la gente los insulte y los maltrate, y cuando por causa mía los ataquen con toda clase de mentiras. Alégrense, estén contentos, porque van a recibir un gran premio en el cielo; pues así también persiguieron a los profetas que vivieron antes que ustedes.”

**+ Esta es la Palabra de Dios
TE ALABAMOS, O DIOS**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after sitting down, the disciples came. And Jesus began to speak and taught them, saying: “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the reign of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the reign of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

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THANKS BE TO GOD**

SELECTION

SERMON

**The Rev. Elder Pat Bumgardner, Pastor
Metropolitan Community Church of New York**

SPECIAL MUSIC

THE OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offering Call

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THE CELEBRATION AND SHARING OF COMMUNION

**Deacon Len Richardson
The Rev. Elder Pat Bumgardner**

God is with you
AND ALSO WITH YOU
Let us open our hearts
WE OPEN THEM TO GOD
Let us give God thanks and praise
IT IS A GOOD AND JOYFUL THING TO DO

MCCNY celebrates an OPEN COMMUNION. Everyone is welcome to share in the Gifts of God for the People of God. (Grape juice is used so that all may freely share in this meal. For those with health concerns, distributors sanitize their hands immediately before the service. Communion wafers for those with wheat or gluten allergies are available upon request. Please let your server know if you need this service.) A prayer of blessing will be offered, unless you request the sacrament only.

PLEASE OBSERVE THE SACREDNESS OF THIS SACRAMENT by praying silently or by joining in the singing of hymns.

HYMNS DURING COMMUNION

“Bendición y Honra”

#23/Hymnal

“Llor a Ti, Cristo”

#136/Hymnal

“It is Well”

#116/Hymnal

CLOSING SONG

“Oh, When the Saints!”

Please stand as able

Oh, when the saints go marchin' in (2x)

Oh, how I want to be in that number

When the saints go marchin' in

Oh, when they march around the throne (2x)

Oh, how I want to be in that number

When they march around the throne

Oh, when the saints . . .

BENEDICTION

♥ *Everyone is welcome to join in a light reception immediately following the Benediction!*

✚ *Stained Glass by Jackson Hall*

OVER →

PROGRAMMING at MCCNY

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION PROGRAM: Spiritual Direction is a process in which a mentor accompanies one person - the directee - for an extended period of time. Through conversation, prayer, and spiritual exercises, the mentor helps the directee clarify spiritual issues so that s/he can move toward a deeper experience with the Divine. To seek Direction, contact Bishop Reg at 332-400-7488.

LIVE-STREAMING at MCCNY: The 11am Celebration is now live-streamed. Go to facebook.com/mccny and celebrate with your family of faith!

BIBLE STUDY & RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: The Queer Life & Faith religious education program is led by Bishop Reg Richburg every Thursday at 5 pm. Our discussions connect the Scriptures, our faith, and queer Life. We use educational materials and methodologies that will help look at life from different perspectives: art, videos, and dialogue, among others. Come to one session, some sessions, or all sessions on Zoom.
Contact: lambseeker@hotmail.com

MCCNY E-Prayer Ministry: If you would like to participate in the prayer ministry or send prayer requests, please contact prayers@mccny.org. You will receive a weekly list of prayer concerns about members and friends of our congregation, the wider MCC community, and social justice issues.

PLEASE REMEMBER to list the Church and our phone number among those to be contacted in case of illness or an emergency. Church Pastors will contact and visit you.

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