

The Holy Eucharist



The Epiphany January 10, 2021 at 10:30 AM

The Rt. Rev. Dabney T. Smith, Bishop

The Rev. Jessica Harris Babcock, Rector

The Rev. Kathy Schillreff, Assisting Clergy

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THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

Prelude

Prelude in B minor Op.18

César Franck

Please stand.

Opening Hymn

As With Gladness, Men Of Old

Hymn #119

(verses 1 - 3)

**1 As with gladness men of old did the guiding star behold;
as with joy they hailed its light, leading onward, beaming bright;
so, most gracious Lord, may we evermore be led to Thee.**

**2 As with joyful steps they sped to that lowly manger-bed;
there to bend the knee before him whom heaven and earth adore;
so may we with willing feet ever seek the mercy-seat.**

**3 As they offered gifts most rare at that manger rude and bare;
so may we with holy joy, pure and free from sin's alloy,
all our costliest treasures bring, Christ! to thee, our heavenly King.**

The Word of God

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People: **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Gloria

Glory To God In The Highest

Hymn #S-278

1 Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

**2 Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

3 Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,

4 you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;

5 you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

6 For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,

**7 you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

Salutation

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Priest: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

Priest: O God, who wonderfully created, and yet more wonderfully restored, the dignity of human nature: Grant that we may share the divine life of him who humbled himself to share our humanity, your Son Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People: **Amen.**

Please be seated.

The Lessons

A Lesson from the Book of Isaiah

(60:1-6)

Arise, shine; for your light has come,
and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you.
For darkness shall cover the earth,
 and thick darkness the peoples;
but the LORD will arise upon you,
 and his glory will appear over you.
Nations shall come to your light,
 and kings to the brightness of your dawn.
Lift up your eyes and look around;
 they all gather together, they come to you;
your sons shall come from far away,
 and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms.
Then you shall see and be radiant;
 your heart shall thrill and rejoice,
because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you,
 the wealth of the nations shall come to you.
A multitude of camels shall cover you,
 the young camels of Midian and Ephah;
 all those from Sheba shall come.
They shall bring gold and frankincense,
 and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.

Psalm 72:1-7,10-14 Please read responsively by verse with the Lay Reader.

1 Give the King your justice, O God,
and your righteousness to the King's Son;

**2 That he may rule your people righteously
and the poor with justice;**

3 That the mountains may bring prosperity to the people,
and the little hills bring righteousness.

**4 He shall defend the needy among the people;
he shall rescue the poor and crush the oppressor.**

5 He shall live as long as the sun and moon endure,
from one generation to another.

**6 He shall come down like rain upon the mown field,
like showers that water the earth.**

7 In his time shall the righteous flourish; there shall be
abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more.

**10 The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall pay tribute,
and the kings of Arabia and Saba offer gifts.**

11 All kings shall bow down before him,
and all the nations do him service.

**12 For he shall deliver the poor who cries out in distress,
and the oppressed who has no helper.**

13 He shall have pity on the lowly and poor;
he shall preserve the lives of the needy.

**14 He shall redeem their lives from oppression and violence,
and dear shall their blood be in his sight.**

A Lesson from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians

(3:1-12)

This is the reason that I Paul am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles-- for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Please stand.

The Gradual

Earth Has Many A Noble City

Hymn #127
(verses 1 - 3)

**1 Earth has many a noble city; Bethlehem, thou dost all excel:
out of thee the Lord from heaven came to rule his Israel.**

**2 Fairer than the sun at morning was the star that told his birth,
to the world its God announcing seen in fleshly form on earth.**

**3 Eastern sages at his cradle make oblations rich and rare;
see them give, in deep devotion, gold and frankincense and myrrh.**

Please remain standing.

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 2:13-15,19-23

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

After the wise men had left, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, "Get up, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt, and remain there until I tell you; for Herod is about to search for the child, to destroy him." Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother by night, and went to Egypt, and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet, "Out of Egypt I have called my son." When Herod died, an angel of the Lord suddenly appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt and said, "Get up, take the child and his mother, and go to the land of Israel, for those who were seeking the child's life are dead." Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother, and went to the land of Israel. But when he heard that Archelaus was ruling over Judea in place of his father Herod, he was afraid to go there. And after being warned in a dream, he went away to the district of Galilee. There he made his home in a town called Nazareth, so that what had been spoken through the prophets might be fulfilled, "He will be called a Nazorean."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Please be seated.

The Sermon

The Rev. Kathy Schillreff

Please stand.

The Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

**Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.

The Prayers of the People

Reader: We pray for us, your faithful people, and those who lead us, that we may walk in your way of love and manifest your love to the world.

People: Shine your light on your Church, Lord.

Reader: We pray for all the nations of the world, that those in authority will work toward peace and equity for all their people.

People: Shine your light on the nations, Lord.

Reader: We pray for people everywhere, that their lives may be full, that their families may be secure, that their hearts be filled with your peace.

People: Shine your light on all your children, Lord.

Reader: We pray for the community in which we live, that neighbors care for neighbors creating a truly caring community for all.

People: Shine your light on this community, Lord.

Reader: We pray for those who are suffering in ways that are known or hidden to us. We pray for those who struggle mightily in this life for and those whose light is dimming. For those who are ill and those who care for them. For those who are born today and for those who will die. We pray especially for **Lee Pershing,**

Craig Sturken, Lou Stickles, Jordan, _____.

People: Shine your light into the seasons and passages of our lives, Lord.

Reader: We pray for those who have been called into larger life with you, especially _____.

People: Shine your perpetual light upon them, Lord.

Reader: We pray for those who celebrate another year on this earth, especially: **Carl Kelly and Kristin Champeau.**

People: Shine your light upon them, Lord.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Please be seated.

Welcome and Announcements

Offertory Sentence *A Minute of Silence for the Offering*

Please remember that you can give online at stmarksmarco.org/donate

Our text-to-give number is 239-360-9255.

Offertory Music

Here I Am

Tom Booth

Todd Peterson, Soloist

Please stand.

Doxology

Verse 3 of Hymn 380

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

Please remain standing.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Here a Proper Preface is sung or said.

The Celebrant continues:

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Hymn #S-128

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Celebrant continues:

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People:

We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection,

We await his coming in glory;

The Celebrant continues:

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with St. Mark and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever

People: Amen.

Celebrant: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant and People:

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy Name

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those

who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. (A period of silence is kept.)

Fraction Anthem *Alleluia, Christ Our Passover* Hymn S-155

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
therefore let us keep the feast.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Invitation to Communion

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance
that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Please be seated.

About receiving the Sacrament:

St. Mark's is an open, inclusive community welcoming all to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Gluten-free hosts are available upon request. If you prefer not to take Communion, you are invited to come forward with your arms crossed over your chest for a Blessing by the Priest.

Communion Music *In Remembrance* Lloyd Larsen
St. Mark's Quartet

Please stand.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Celebrant and People:

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Please stand.

Closing Hymn

What Star Is This, With Beams So Bright

Hymn #124

(verses 1 - 3)

1 What star is this, with beams so bright, more beautiful than the noonday light?

It shines to herald forth the King, and Gentiles to his crib to bring.

2 True spake the prophet from afar who told the rise of Jacob's star;

and eastern sages with awe upon the wondrous token gaze.

3 The guiding star above is bright; within them shines a clearer light,

and leads them on with power benign to seek the Giver of the sign.

Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

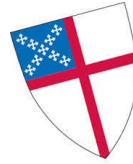
People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Postlude

Rondo in G minor

Stanley

WEEKLY HAPPENINGS



ST. MARK'S

Today, 1/10

- ◆ 9:15 am Contemporary Service
- ◆ After 9:15 am Contemporary Service
 - ⇒ (On the Playground) Sunday School for PreK - 5th Grade
 - ⇒ (WMC Youth Room) Rite 13 for Youth 6th Grade - 12th Grade
- ◆ 10:30 am Traditional Rite II Service
- ◆ 10:00 - 11:00 am (Zoom) Virtual Coffee Hour hosted by Joann Moe

Monday, 1/11

- ◆ 1:30 pm (Zoom) Daughters of the King

Tuesday, 1/12

- ◆ 4:30 pm Everybody's Bible Study with Jessica

Wednesday, 1/13

- ◆ (by Email) Men's Bible Study, Contact Carl Kelly at caelagh1@comcast.net
- ◆ 4:00 pm (WMC Choir Suite) Bell Choir
- ◆ 4:30 pm (Library) Women's Bible Study
- ◆ 5:30 pm (Zoom) Sacred Ground iClosing Session
- ◆ 5:30 pm Youth Group Music Practice w/ Shane
- ◆ 6:00 pm (Youth Room) Youth Group

Thursday, 1/14

- ◆ 4:30 pm (Zoom) EFM with Kathy Schillreff
- ◆ 5:00 pm LaundryLove

Friday, 1/15

- ◆ 9:30-11:00 am (Zoom) Friday Book Group led by Kathy S.
Email Kathy Schillreff to join: kschillreff@comcast.net
- ◆ 3:00 - 4:15 pm Marco Mobile Pantry

Sunday, 1/17

- ◆ 9:15 am Contemporary Service
- ◆ After 9:15 am Contemporary Service
 - ⇒ (On the Playground) Sunday School for PreK - 5th Grade
 - ⇒ (WMC Youth Room) Rite 13 for Youth 6th Grade - 12th Grade
- ◆ 10:30 am Traditional Rite II Service
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FUTURE HAPPENINGS

January

- 18th - Monday Martin Luther King Jr. Day - **OFFICE CLOSED**
- 21st - Thursday 10 am-5 pm & 22nd - Friday 10 am-4 pm
Brotherhood Arts & Crafts Show
- 25th - Monday 1:30 pm (Zoom) Daughters of the King
- 31st - Sunday 9:15 am Unified Service followed by the Annual Meeting

February

- 1st - Monday 3:00-5:00 pm NEW Sacred Ground
Please email Kathy Schillreff at kschillreff@comcast.net to register
- 4th - Thursday 10 am-5 pm & 5th - Friday 10 am-4 pm
Brotherhood Arts & Crafts Show
- 5th & 19th Friday 3:00 - 4:15 pm Marco Mobile Pantry
- 14th - LOVE Sunday
- 15th - Monday President's Day - **OFFICE CLOSED**
- 17th - Ash Wednesday
- 25th - Monday 1:30 pm (Zoom) Daughters of the King
- 31st - Sunday 9:15 am Unified Service followed by the Annual Meeting

Ministering Today:

Altar Guild: Team LOVE – Sue Block with Ann Burton, Laura Gunderman,
Kathryn Kresge, Candy Morgan

Greeter: Wendy Happney

Usher: Nancy Bond

Altar Server: Kevin M. Fitzgerald

Counters: Ralph Troyer and Tim Truesdell

Altar Flowers and Sanctuary Candle:

- The Sanctuary Candle is given by Gail Merenyi

Please consider donating the Sanctuary Candle or Altar Flowers in Celebration, Thanksgiving or in Memory of a loved one.

If you would like to do this please pick a date from the board in the Narthex, send it along with your check to the office.

Online giving is also welcome, please make sure to include the date and wording you would like. Sanctuary Candle—\$25 Altar Flowers—\$55

The Altar Guild thanks you for your generous support!

January Birthdays!

1/1 Katie Goetzmann, 1/1 Carole Lawrence, 1/5 Jon Zschiegner, 1/6 Bob Brewer,
1/7 Mia Nunez, 1/7 Laverne Scovill, 1/8 Jack Willer, 1/9 Kathy Faria,
1/12 Carl Kelly, 1/16 Kristin Champeau, 1/18 Fredy Gsell, 1/20 Donna Blankman,
1/21 Caitlin Robinson, 1/22 Dale Lindquist, 1/22 Maxel Quinton, 1/26 Penny Jenks,
1/27 Nancy Sine, 1/29 Ed Nicholson, 1/31 Joan Kelly 1/31 Norma McGuire,
1/31 Jack Taffe.

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