



THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
Holy Eucharist , Rite II, Year A
January 22, 2023, 10AM

Welcome!

We are happy to worship with you, and honored to have you with us!
Our liturgy comes from the Book of Common Prayer.
Everything you will need for this service can be found in this bulletin
and also the blue *Hymnal* in the pew rack.

*The altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God
and in loving memory of Ronald W. Montrose
by Sue Bien.*

ENTRANCE RITE

PRELUDE “Dear Lord and Father” Martin Hotton

The people stand.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN “The People Who in Darkness” Hymnal 126
(*Dundee*)

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION BCP, p. 355

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

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The people remain standing.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

The Celebrant prays the Collect, after which all respond Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE “They Cast Their Nets” David McK. Williams
School Choirs

*Children, age 4 through grade 5, are invited to join Miss Kathryn for Sunday School
in Nieman Hall. They will return to the sanctuary at Communion.*

Nursery care is available for children through age 4.

The people remain standing.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY BCP, p. 215

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Celebrant prays the Collect, after which all respond Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The people are seated for the readings.

THE FIRST LESSON

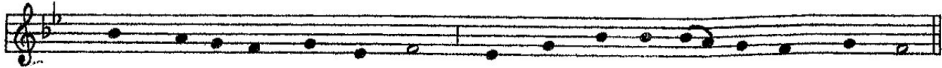
Isaiah 9:1-4

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 27:1, 5-11 *Refrain sung first by the choir,
then repeated by all and as indicated.*

Refrain:



Heark - en to my voice, O LORD; have mer - cy on me and an - swer me.

- 5 One thing have I asked of the Lord; one thing I seek; *
that I may dwell in the house of the Lord
all the days of my life;
- 6 To behold the fair beauty of the Lord *
and to seek him in his temple.
- 7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; *
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling
and set me high upon a rock. **Refrain**
- 8 Even now he lifts up my head *
above my enemies round about me.
- 9 Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation
with sounds of great gladness; *
I will sing and make music to the Lord.
- 10 Harken to my voice, O Lord, when I call; *
have mercy on me and answer me.
- 11 You speak in my heart and say, "Seek my face." *
Your face, Lord, will I seek. **Refrain**

THE SECOND LESSON

1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The people stand.

SEQUENCE ALLELUIA

Sung by all.

Taizé

before and after choir sings the verse



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu -
ia. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

THE HOLY GOSPEL

All remain standing.

Matthew 4:12-23

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

People



Glo - ry to you Lord Christ

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People



Praise to you Lord Christ

The people sit.

SERMON

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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Leader offers intercessions on behalf of the congregation; during the silences the people may add their own petitions, silently or aloud.

Each petition concludes ...we pray to you, O Lord.

People respond **Come, Lord Jesus.**

Leader “...with the Father and the Holy Spirit is glorified to the ages of ages.”
Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION *The people sit or kneel.*

BCP, p. 360

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Celebrant and People

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

After the Absolution is said, the people respond **Amen.**

The people stand.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

*The Peace will be exchanged with your neighbor.
The Sunday School children return to the sanctuary.*

WORDS OF WELCOME

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY

“Verleih uns Frieden”

Felix Mendelssohn

Text Graciously grant us peace Lord God,
in our time; there is no one else
who could fight for us except you ,
our God, alone.



Please feel free to make your offering in thanksgiving to God using the electronic giving options at www.gracemadison.org/giving.

The people stand.

PRESENTATION HYMN

“How Wondrous and Great”
(Lyons)

Hymnal 533

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Eucharistic Prayer B Hymnal S-120, BCP, p. 367

Celebrant *People*
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Celebrant *People*
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant It is right and a good and joyful thing...
... who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS *(Hurd)* Hymnal S-124

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, hea - ven and
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The people remain standing.

Celebrant
We give thanks to you, O God...
...Therefore, according to his command, O Father:

Celebrant and People
**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

Celebrant
And we offer our sacrifice of praise...
... all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

A — men — A — men — A — men —

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP, p. 364

Celebrant

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

All 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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant
Christ our Passover
Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us

2 People
There fore let us keep the feast. **All**
Al - le - lu - ia

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion. Our custom is to receive the bread on extended hands and to help guide the chalice to the mouth by touching its base.

Intinction— dipping the wafer in the wine—is not practiced at this time.

To receive a blessing instead of the sacrament, cross your arms over your chest.

If you need to have Communion brought to you at your seat, please inform an usher.

Gluten-free bread is available upon request.

FRACTION ANTHEM

“Agnus Dei”
(Hurd)

Hymnal S-161

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,
you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

COMMUNION MUSIC

“Adagio”
organ

Mendelssohn

COMMUNION HYMN

“Dear Lord and Father”
(Repton)

Hymnal 653

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER *The people stand.*

BCP, p. 365

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

The Celebrant invokes God’s blessing upon all, to which the people respond Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

“Thy Strong Word”
(Tony Botel)

Hymnal 381

DISMISSAL

The people are dismissed in the name of Christ.

Response **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

“Fugue”
organ

Mendelssohn

*Children (and others) are always welcome to watch at
the organ console during the Postlude.*

Grace Calendar Highlights

The Souper Bowl of Caring is February 12 (which is also the Super Bowl.)
Be Souper! Please help fill the pantry shelves with soups, chili's and stews
for our local food pantries. Drop off your donations to Nieman Annex –
You CAN help!

Join us after the 10AM service for Coffee Hour in Grace Hall!

Friday, January 27, 5-7:30PM, **Tween & Middle Schoolers Game Night**

Tuesday, January 31, 7PM, **Circle of Women**, Grace Hall

Saturday, February 11, 5PM, **Epiphany Evensong**
Trebles from Grace Madison and Grace Newark

Sunday, February 12, Following 10am service, **Annual Parish Meeting**

Tuesday, February 21, **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper**



Read about the music in our service today on Dr. Anne's blog
www.annematlack.wordpress.com

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WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday

Holy Eucharist Services
8AM – 10AM – 4PM

Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday
8:30AM Morning Prayer, Zoom

Staff

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Linda Bowden, *Chapel Choir*
Paul Salierno, *The Gargoyles Director*
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