# ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH



# The Third Sunday after the **Epiphany**

January 21, 2024 | 10:15 a.m.

## WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Celebrating and Sharing God's love for all.

All Saints Mission: To be a channel of God's love.

This bulletin is designed to enable your full participation in the liturgy. **The people's responses are in bold.** Rubrics are in red and offer directions about the service.

#### LITURGICAL NOTE

As we continue through the time after Epiphany, stories of the call to discipleship show us the implications of our calling to proclaim Christ to the world. Jesus begins preaching after John the Baptist is arrested for proclaiming the kingdom of God. Knowing that John was later executed, we see the cost of discipleship. Still, the two sets of brothers leave everything they have known and worked for all their lives to follow Jesus and fish for people.

PRELUDE Rhosymedre Ralph Vaughan Williams

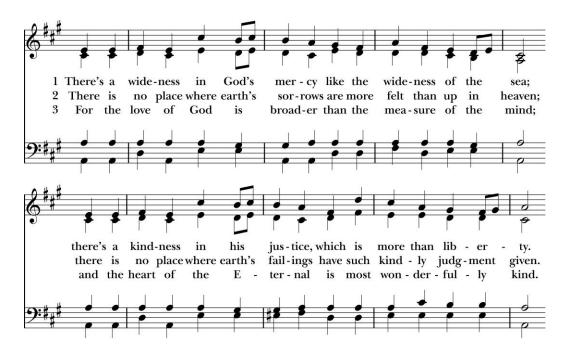
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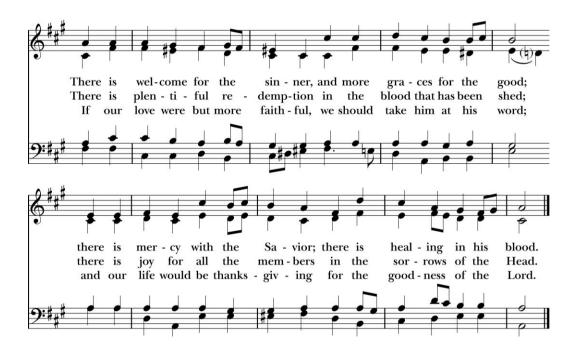
#### THE WORD OF GOD

## Please stand

HYMN IN PROCESSION 470

There's a wideness in God's mercy; Beecher





# THE OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant

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

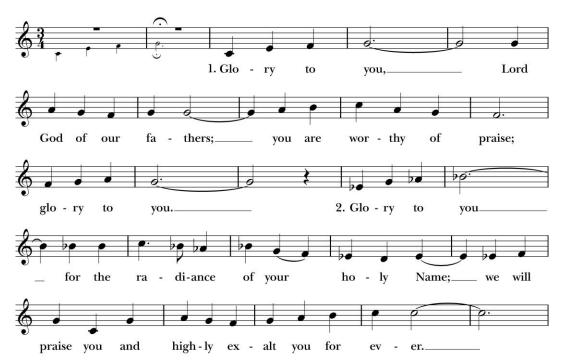
People

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. **Amen.** 

THE GLORIA S236 John Rutter





#### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray. Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ

and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you

and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People Amen.

#### Please be seated

THE FIRST READING

Jonah 3:1-5,10

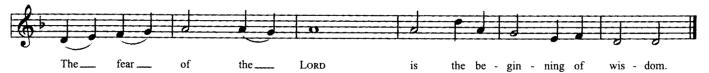
The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

Reader The Word of the Lord People Thanks be to God.

**PSALM** 

Psalm 62:6-14; Nonne Deo?

The antiphon is sung by the Choir, followed by the Choir and congregation together.



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# **Antiphon**

6 For God alone my soul in silence waits; \* truly, my hope is in him.

7 He alone is my rock and my salvation, \* my stronghold, so that I shall not be shaken.

8 In God is my safety and my honor; \* God is my strong rock and my refuge.

9 Put your trust in him always, O people, \* pour out your hearts before him, for God is our refuge.

# Antiphon

- 10 Those of high degree are but a fleeting breath, \* even those of low estate cannot be trusted.
- 11 On the scales they are lighter than a breath, \* all of them together.
- 12 Put no trust in extortion; in robbery take no empty pride; \* though wealth increase, set not your heart upon it.
- 13 God has spoken once, twice have I heard it, \* that power belongs to God.
- 14 Steadfast love is yours, O Lord, \* for you repay everyone according to his deeds.

# Antiphon

#### THE SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

I mean, brothers and sisters, the appointed time has grown short; from now on, let even those who have wives be as though they had none, and those who mourn as though they were not mourning, and those who rejoice as though they were not rejoicing, and those who buy as though they had no possessions, and those who deal with the world as though they had no dealings with it. For the present form of this world is passing away.

Reader The Word of the Lord People Thanks be to God.

*Please stand*SEQUENCE HYMN 661

They cast their nets in Galilee Tune "Land of Rest"

Verses 1 & 2 before Gospel Verse 4 after Gospel

- 1 They cast their nets in Galilee just off the hills of brown; such happy, simple fisherfolk, before the Lord came down.
- 2 Contented, peaceful fishermen, before they ever knew the peace of God that filled their hearts brimful, and broke them too.
- Young John who trimmed the flapping sail, homeless, in Patmos died.Peter, who hauled the teeming net, head-down was crucified.
- 4 The peace of God, it is no peace, but strife closed in the sod.Yet let us pray for but one thing the marvelous peace of God.

THE HOLY GOSPEL Mark 1:14-20

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

After John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated
THE SERMON

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 stand or kneel

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader As we celebrate Christ embodied in human form, we pray for God's blessing on the

church, the world, and all of creation.

God our rock and deliverance, do not let your church be shaken. Give your church wisdom and empathy in its varied ministries. God of grace, receive our prayer.

God our hope and refuge, you placed the fish in the sea. Guide our care of oceans and all creatures that live in them. Hold us accountable for actions that endanger all of your creation. God of grace, receive our prayer.

God who proclaims judgement and offers mercy, be a model to the leaders of our nation and the world. As they lead, may they follow in your way of justice and truth. God of grace, receive our prayer.

God who cares for the suffering, keep safe any who live under threat of violence, those living in poverty, and any among us who are ill or in pain. God of grace, receive our prayer.

God of resurrection and new life, as the first disciples shared the good news, empower us to be open to your call. When we have strayed from your ways, redirect us. God of grace, receive our prayer.

God who welcomes all the saints into your care, comfort those who grieve, even as we place our hope in your salvation. God of grace,

receive our prayer.

Compassionate God, in this time of war and suffering pour out your gracious love upon all those in Israel, Gaza, and Ukraine and those who are in harm's way. Merciful God, receive our prayer.

You may add your own intercessions and thanksgivings, either silently or aloud.

Please consider the following names for your personal petitions.

The Church and those who minister: The Diocese of South Carolina: Ruth Woodliff-Stanley, Bishop; Denise, Pam, Katie, Kerry, George, Jack, Greg, Gordon, Mark and Woody, our clergy; Blake, our Chaplain. The Episcopal Church: Michael Bruce Curry, Presiding Bishop; St. Mark's, Charleston (visitation) The Very Rev. Dr. Michael Shaffer, Interim Rector The Church of South India (United).

First Responders, those who provide humanitarian aid and those serving in the Armed Forces: Garrett, Joe, Rob, and Tucker.

The sick and the suffering: Amy, Aurelia, Bill, Billy, Bo, Bob, Bev, Cheryl, Dave, Dennis, Emily, Jack, Jaime, Jim, John, Kaitlin, Kathleen, Kelly, Linda, Liz, Mark, Mary, Michael, Nancy, Nathaniel, Noah, Peter, Reba, Rick, Robyn, Roni, Shane, Staci, and Stacy.

Abiding prayers: Andrea, Betsy, David, Dot, Dottie, Douglas, Fred, Frederick, Gail, Grant, Ian, Jaime, Jan, John, Joseph, Kathryn, Keith, Kelly, Landis, Leslie, Linda, Marianne, Meredith, Michael, Peggy, Pete, Ric, Sandra, Shirley, Sophie, Susan, and Warren.

*Celebrant* Knowing the Holy Spirit intercedes for us, we offer these prayers and the silent prayers

of our hearts in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

People Amen.

## Please kneel

## THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All

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.

Celebrant

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

People Amen.

# Please stand

THE PEACE

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

People And also with you.

## Please be seated

# DIRECTIONS FOR THOSE WORSHIPPING ONLINE

You may give your offering by clicking on this link <a href="https://www.shelbygiving.com/App/Giving/allsaintshhi">https://www.shelbygiving.com/App/Giving/allsaintshhi</a> at any time. Spiritual communion is offered. A prayer may be found in the bulletin.

#### THE HOLY COMMUNION

# **DIRECTIONS FOR COMMUNION**

#### THE OFFERTORY

The Celebrant gives an offertory sentence after which an anthem is sung while the offering is collected.

Follow me, and be who you're meant to be. Though the road ahead is tough, and you think you're not enough, take my hand, rise up, and follow me. Follow me, and learn how to be free giving everything away, and forgetting yesterday. Look ahead to brighter days, take my hand, and follow me. I am the shepherd to guide you. Beside the still waters you shall rest. When fear and hatred surround you, here at my table you are blessed. When alone you walk the darkest valley, my rod and staff are there with you, too. And all the days of your life, goodness and mercy follow you! Follow me, step into the future you see, leaving everything you know for now's the time to go. Take a breath, let it go, say a prayer, bow down low. Feel my strength in your soul. Take my hand, rise up, and follow! Follow me.

#### Please stand

# PRESENTATION HYMN 550

Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult; Restoration

Verses 1, 2, 4, & 5

During the hymn, the Altar is prepared, and the people's offerings are brought forward and presented.



# Please stand

# THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift up your hearts.PeopleWe 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, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

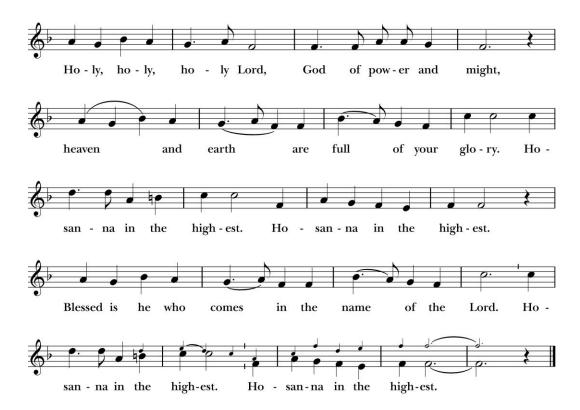
#### The Celebrant continues

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your son Jesus Christ our Lord.

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 S125**

Holy, Holy, Holy; Proulx



Celebrant

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."

Celebrant

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

People

We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

Celebrant

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

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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

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.

# FRACTION ANTHEM S-164

*Jesus, Lamb of God; Schubert/Proulx* 



# **COMMUNION**

Please be seated until such time that the usher indicates that you are invited to come forward to the altar rail for Communion. Please use the left side aisle if you would prefer to drink from the communion chalice.

# If you are not partaking in the elements of communion, this prayer of spiritual communion may be said.

Gracious God, we love you above all things and are grateful that you are with us. Come spiritually into our hearts, unite our entire selves to you and never permit us to be separated from your presence. Amen.

## **COMMUNION HYMN 19**

Wayfaring stranger; from Lift Every Voice & Sing



# **COMMUNION HYMN 321**

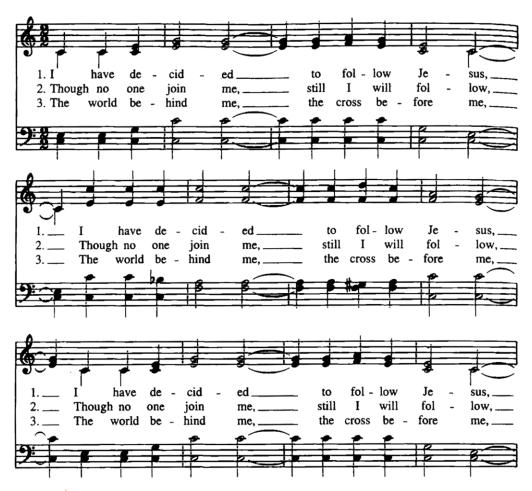
My God, thy table now is spread; Rockingham



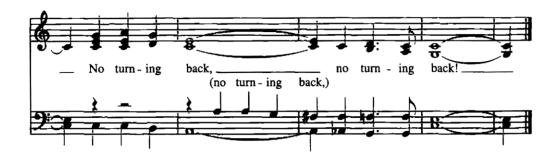


**COMMUNION HYMN 136** 

I have decided to follow Jesus; from Lift Every Voice & Sing



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#### Please stand

# THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant All Let us pray.

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

Celebrant May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the

world; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be

among you, and remain with you always.

People Amen.

## **HYMN IN PROCESSION 537**

Christ for the world we sing; Moscow





# THE DISMISSAL

The people are dismissed as follows

Deacon Let us go forth in the light of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE Carillon Paul Bryan

#### FOR THE LITURGY

Celebrant The Reverend Denise Trogdon, rector

Preacher The Reverend Pamela H. Fahrner, senior associate

Deacon The Venerable Kerry J. Smith, deacon Musicians Suade Anderson, director of music

Mollie Nichols, organist

Readers Judy Cote & Cindy Tull

Crucifer Cindy Tull

Altar Guild Lisa Ghessie & Diane Dear

Greeters Pam & Jen Neyhouse

Ushers Gretchen Spiridopoulos, Marilyn Fraley, Peggy Miller, Paula Scanlon, &

**Janet Reuss** 

Children's Chapel Jessie McIlwee & Joyce Emmett

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