# ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH



# The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

January 28, 2024 | 9:00 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

In Deuteronomy God promises to raise up a prophet like Moses, who will speak for God. The Gospel speaks to this unique authority in Jesus' actions and words. We encounter that authority in God's word, around which we gather, from which we learn and through which we are empowered to follow Jesus.

**PRELUDE** 

O Christ, thy boundless love to me

Ryburn

arr. Aaron David Miller

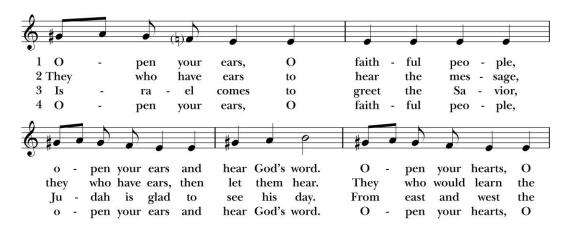
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### THE WORD OF GOD

# Please stand

**HYMN IN PROCESSION 536** 

Open your ears, O faithful people; Torah song



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# THE OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

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

Celebrant

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

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



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# THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and

on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy

Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People Amen.

# Please be seated

THE FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Moses said: The LORD your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among your own people; you shall heed such a prophet. This is what you requested of the LORD your God at Horeb on the day of the assembly when you said: "If I hear the voice of the LORD my God any more, or ever again see this great fire, I will die." Then the LORD replied to me: "They are right in what they have said. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their own people; I will put my words in

the mouth of the prophet, who shall speak to them everything that I command. Anyone who does not heed the words that the prophet shall speak in my name, I myself will hold accountable. But any prophet who speaks in the name of other gods, or who presumes to speak in my name a word that I have not commanded the prophet to speak—that prophet shall die."

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

PSALM Psalm 111; Confitebor tibi

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



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# **Antiphon**

1 Hallelujah!

I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, \* in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.

- 2 Great are the deeds of the LORD! \* they are studied by all who delight in them.
- 3 His work is full of majesty and splendor, \* and his righteousness endures for ever.
- 4 He makes his marvelous works to be remembered; \* the LORD is gracious and full of compassion.

# **Antiphon**

- 5 He gives food to those who fear him; \* he is ever mindful of his covenant.
- 6 He has shown his people the power of his works \* in giving them the lands of the nations.
- 7 The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice; \* all his commandments are sure.
- 8 They stand fast for ever and ever, \* because they are done in truth and equity.

# **Antiphon**

9 He sent redemption to his people; he commanded his covenant for ever; \* holy and awesome is his Name. 10 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; \* those who act accordingly have a good understanding; his praise endures for ever.

# **Antiphon**

#### THE SECOND READING

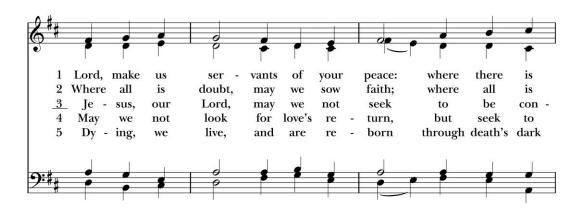
1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Now concerning food sacrificed to idols: we know that "all of us possess knowledge." Knowledge puffs up, but love builds up. Anyone who claims to know something does not yet have the necessary knowledge; but anyone who loves God is known by him. Hence, as to the eating of food offered to idols, we know that "no idol in the world really exists," and that "there is no God but one." Indeed, even though there may be so-called gods in heaven or on earth—as in fact there are many gods and many lords—yet for us there is one God, the Father, from whom are all things and for whom we exist, and one Lord, Jesus Christ, through whom are all things and through whom we exist. It is not everyone, however, who has this knowledge. Since some have become so accustomed to idols until now, they still think of the food they eat as food offered to an idol; and their conscience, being weak, is defiled. "Food will not bring us close to God." We are no worse off if we do not eat, and no better off if we do. But take care that this liberty of yours does not somehow become a stumbling block to the weak. For if others see you, who possess knowledge, eating in the temple of an idol, might they not, since their conscience is weak, be encouraged to the point of eating food sacrificed to idols? So by your knowledge those weak believers for whom Christ died are destroyed. But when you thus sin against members of your family, and wound their conscience when it is weak, you sin against Christ. Therefore, if food is a cause of their falling, I will never eat meat, so that I may not cause one of them to fall.

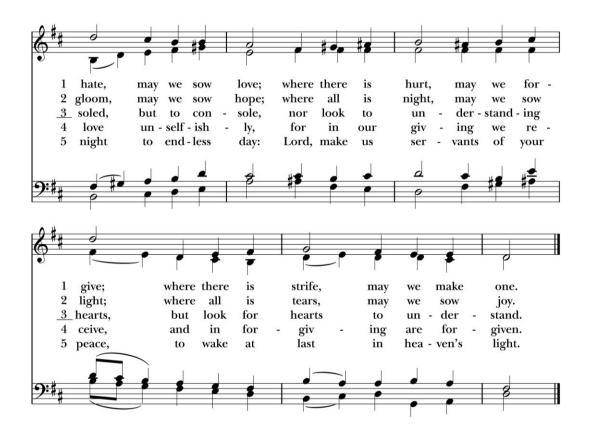
Reader The Word of the Lord People Thanks be to God.

Please stand
SEQUENCE HYMN 593
Verses 1 & 2 before Gospel
Verse 4 after Gospel

Lord, make us servants of your peace; Dickinson College



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THE HOLY GOSPEL Mark 1:21-28

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus and his disciples went to Capernaum; and when the sabbath came, he entered the synagogue and taught. They were astounded at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes. Just then there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit, and he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are, the Holy One of God." But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be silent, and come out of him!" And the unclean spirit, convulsing him and crying with a loud voice, came out of him. They were all amazed, and they kept on asking one another, "What is this? A new teaching—with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him." At once his fame began to spread throughout the surrounding region of Galilee.

Priest 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.

Loving God, we pray that your example of teaching with confidence and authority builds up your church in love. May all church leaders and teachers model your inclusive ways. God of grace, receive our prayer.

Renewing God, we pray for all of creation, that natural spaces are protected, and our planet is healed. Let us commit to thoughtful care of the earth. God of grace, receive our prayer.

Justice-seeking God, we pray for those in government and community leadership, that they lead with honor and mindfulness. May they remember their covenants and be upright in their ways. God of grace,

receive our prayer.

Compassionate God, we pray for all in need, especially those who struggle with illness or pain, those without access to safe housing or health care, and any who suffer. God of grace, receive our prayer.

Eternal God, we remember all who have been mentors and companions in the church and in our lives. We trust that all who have died rest in your loving care. 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. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, Hartsville (visitation) The Rev. Michael Bye, Priest-in-charge The Anglican Church of Southern Africa.

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

All

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

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

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.

ANTHEM Ubi Caritas Durufle

*Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est. Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor. Exsultemus, et in ipso jucundemur. Timeamus, et amemus Deum vivum. Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero. Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.* 

Where charity and love are, God is there. Christ's Love has gathered us into one. Let us rejoice in Him and be glad. Let us fear, and let us love the living God. And from a sincere heart let us love one another. Where charity and love are, God is there.

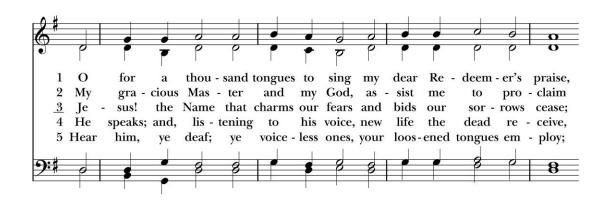
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PRESENTATION HYMN 493

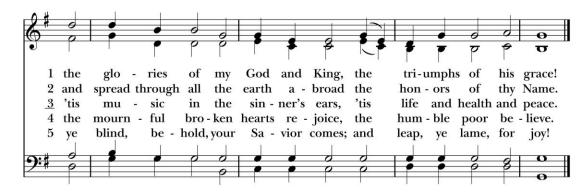
O for a thousand tongues to sing; Azmon

Verses 1, 2, 3, & 6

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



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 Glory to God and praise and love be now and ever given by saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heaven.

#### 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.

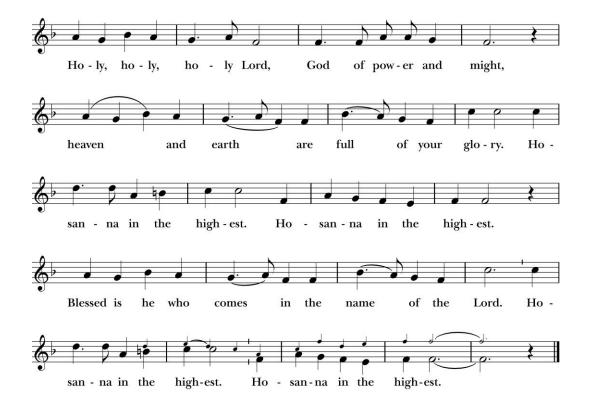
Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

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:



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 People Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

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

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

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.

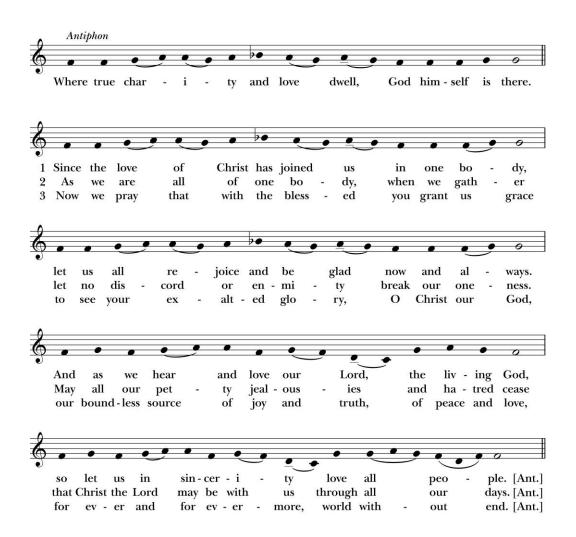


# **COMMUNION**

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.

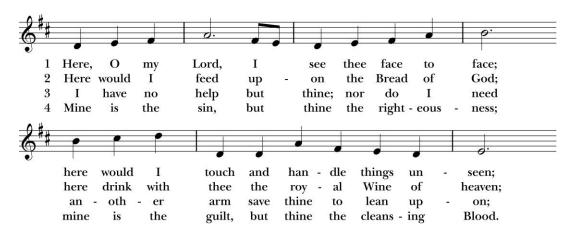
If you are not partaking in the elements of communion, this prayer of spiritual communion may be said.

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.

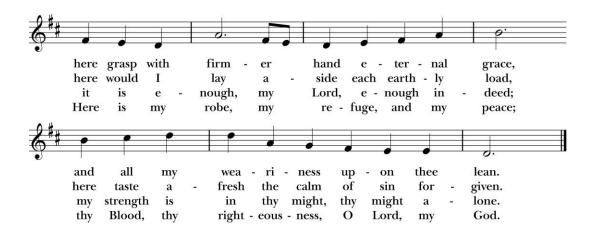


# **COMMUNION HYMN 318**

Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face; Nyack

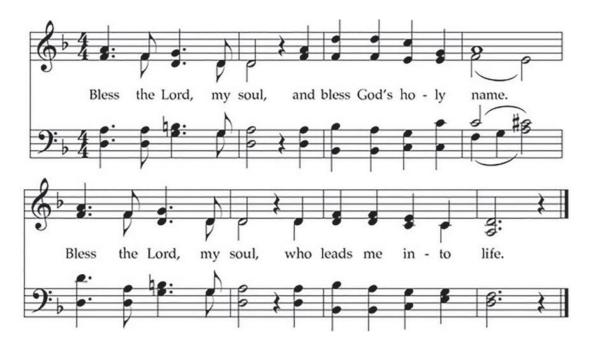


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#### **COMMUNION HYMN 9**

Bless the Lord, my soul; from Songs and Prayers from Taizé



# 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.



#### THE DISMISSAL

# The people are dismissed as follows

Priest Let us go forth in the light of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE Psalm XIX Benedetto Marcello

# Please join us in Gordan Mann Hall immediately following the service for brunch and the annual meeting.

The floral arrangements are given to the Glory of God by the Hodges family, Ann, Joe, and Neil, in loving memory of their father, Col. Joseph H. Hodges, Jr.

#### FOR THE LITURGY

Celebrant The Reverend Denise Trogdon, rector
Preacher The Reverend Katie Presley, associate
Musicians Suade Anderson, director of music

Mollie Nichols, organist

Readers Faith Hahn & Ron Niclas

Crucifer Ron Niclas

Altar Guild Peggy Brennan & Cindy Tull Greeters Don & Candace Hendrickson

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

**Janet Reuss** 

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