

The Fifth Sunday

in Lent



John 12:1-8

Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

“All Baptized Christians, regardless of age or church affiliation, are welcome to take communion”

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✖ HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I ✖

Prelude

The Word of God

Silent Processional	
Opening Acclamation	BCP 319
The Confession	BCP 320
Holy God: <i>Trisagion</i>	Hymnal S102
The Collect of the Day	BCP 167
The First Lesson	Isaiah 43:16-21
Psalm 126	BCP 782
The Second Lesson	Philippians 3:4b-14
Sequence: <i>Take up your cross, the Savior said.</i>	Hymnal 675
The Gospel	John 12:1-8
The Sermon	The Rev. Paul McCabe
The Nicene Creed	BCP 326
Prayers of the People	Intercessor
The Peace <i>(All greet one another in the name of the Lord)</i>	BCP 332

The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn: <i>In the Cross of Christ I glory</i>	Hymnal 441
The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer I	BCP 333
Sanctus: <i>Holy, Holy, Holy Lord</i>	Hymnal S117
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 336
The Breaking of the Bread	BCP 337
Lamb of God: <i>Agnus Dei</i>	Hymnal S161
Communion: <i>Higher Ground</i>	LEVAS 165
Communion: <i>Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness</i>	Hymnal 339
Post Communion Prayer & Blessing	BCP 339
Recessional: <i>I sing the almighty power of God</i>	Hymnal 398
Dismissal	BCP 340
Postlude	

Welcome to Episcopal Church of the Annunciation

If this is your first time with us, we hope you will join us for coffee hour after the 8:30AM or 10:30AM services for fellowship & refreshments. Please sign the guest book or fill out a guest card so we can answer any questions you may have about ECA. Thank you for joining us today.

Collect of the Day

O Almighty God, who alone canst order the unruly wills and affections of sinful men: Grant unto thy people that they may love the thing which thou commandest, and desire that which thou dost promise; that so, among the sundry and manifold changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

Prayer List

Elizabeth, Jackie, Laura, Zack & Charlotte, Rae & Chris, Lucas, Jeannie & John, Bill, Irene, Lillian, Jan, Tom, Dionne, Don, Steve, Susie & Gene, Marge, Chuck, Jada, Diane, Leo, Gladys, Emberly, Marcia, Julia, Gavin, Corbin, Brandi, Sarah, David, Charles, Holly, Shannon, Trez, John, Tom, Alaina, David, and Connie; for our Vestry; for those in the armed forces especially Donnie, Geoff, Bob, Lawrence, Matt, Paul, Tod, Ryan, Mark, & Josh; and for any unspoken prayers.

Birthdays

4/7 Carolyn Gay 4/7 Tristan Bell
4/11 Lynn Maleitzke

Anniversaries

4/8 Ryan & Adrienne Doyle

The Sunday Commissioning

In the name of Christ Jesus, and through the family of Church of the Annunciation, we send you out bearing these holy gifts for God's holy people that those who will receive them with us may experience the majesty and mystery of His presence. We who are many are one body.

People: Because we all share one bread and one cup.

Rite I Liturgy Used for Worship Services During the Season of Lent

It's that time of year again in our worship season where we change from Rite II services in the prayer book to Rite I. Rite I has a penitential tone that moves us to a season of self-reflection and repentance as we prepare for the Easter resurrection. This change helps draw us into a period of self-examination of our faith as we worship together.

Children Christian Formation to meet Today at 9:40am/ No (Current Topics) CF

The children/youth CF (Sunday school) meet on the first and third Sunday of each month. All kids welcome! Note: Ron Allen's Adult CF will resume next week.

ECW to Meet Today at Noon in the Activities Bldg. All Ladies Welcome!

Episcopal Church Women meet monthly on the first Sunday of the month in the Activities Building. Activities and outings are planned throughout the month. 'Food for Thought' Lunch is April 10th at 11:30am meeting at Saigon Café, Woodstock. Dinner is April 22nd at Chili's - Merchants Walk, Marietta meeting at 6pm.

Finance Committee Meeting Today at Noon in the Activities Bldg. (Back room).

All are invited to attend the ECA Finance Committee Meetings, typically meeting on the first Sunday of each month in the Activities Building. All are welcome to attend.

Campus Wide Work Day to prepare for Easter this Saturday, April 12th at 8:30am

We need you! Please join us for a workday at ECA to freshen up our campus as we prepare for Easter. Come for a little bit or come for a while! We will begin at 8:30am. Drop in anytime. We need all hands on deck! Thank you for serving at ECA.

Palm Crosses Workshop Saturday April 12th at 10:00am in the Narthex

Everyone is invited to our Palm Cross workshop, this Saturday, April 12th at 10am in the Activities Building. Please bring clippers. For more information, please see Brenda Pinkston or Bliss Peterson.

Journeys Group Meeting April 12th at 11:30am in the Activities Building

This is a group that offers support, care, and compassion to those coping with grief, loss or any difficult life challenge. If you are seeking support through fellowship, please join us the second Saturday of each month at 11:30am in the Activity Building.

ECA Reach Collecting Canned Goods for the Ministries we Support

ECA Supports Must Ministries, Never Alone & Papa's Pantry by donating canned goods and non-perishables. Please bring donations on Sunday and place them in the baskets provided. During these cold months these items are greatly needed.

Mailbox Assignments in the Narthex: Sign up if you would like a mailbox

If you would like to sign up to have a mailbox in the Narthex, please email the church office to request one: ecaparish@gmail.com. Thank you!

Each Month we make available and update our Year-to-Date Financials

(YTD) Through Feb. 2025	Actual	Budget	+/-
Revenues	\$38,622	\$42,561	(\$3,939)
Expenses	\$48,842	\$49,172	(\$330)
Net Year	(\$10,220)	(\$6,611)	\$3,609

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