



s. mark's
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*Last Sunday
After the Epiphany
March 2nd, 2025
8:30 and 10:30 Services
Father Garry Edwards, Celebrant*

Upcoming Services

Ash Wednesday

March 5th, 2024

12:00pm and 7:00pm

We also welcome anyone unavailable during those service times to come by the church office for ashes to go during the day on March 5th.

Ashes to go will be available 10:00am to 12:00pm and 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

The Word of God

The Lord has declared his salvation. His righteousness he has openly displayed for all the nations to see. *Psalm 98:3*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: 1982 Hymnal #460 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People: ***And blessed be his 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.*

GLORIA: “Glory to God”, said at 8:30 and 10:30

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

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

***Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father;
receive our prayer.***

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

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

COLLECT OF THE DAY, please see insert

THE FIRST LESSON: Exodus 34:29-35, please see insert

The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 99, please see insert

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.*
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.***

THE SECOND LESSON: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2,
please see insert

The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**GOSPEL HYMN: 1982 Hymnal #137 O Wonderous Type O
Vision Fair verses 1-3 before Gospel, verses 4-5 After the
Gospel**

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 9:28-36, please see insert

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: Glory to you Lord Christ.

The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Father Garry Edwards

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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, Form III

The Leader and People pray responsively

Leader: Father, we pray for your holy catholic church;

People: That we all may be one.

Leader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

People: That your Name may be glorified by all people.

Leader: We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; We pray for Bishops Sean, our presiding Bishop, Sam and Jennifer, our Bishops. We pray for Father Garry and Reverend Daisy Colon.

People: That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

Leader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

People: That there may be justice and peace on earth.

Leader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

People: That our work may find favor in your sight.

Leader: Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

People: That they may be delivered from their distress.

Leader: Give to the departed eternal rest; especially Bonnie Corbin, cousin to Father Garry.

Father Garry: Rest eternal grant upon her, O Lord;

People: Let light perpetual shine upon them.

Father Garry: May her soul, and the souls of all the departed through the mercy of God, Rest in peace and rise in glory.

Leader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

People: May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Leader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

We also pray for those in our parish celebrating happy events:
Melanie Blythe, and Riley Milholland.

Silence

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

The Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor, devoutly kneeling.

***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.***

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
Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant: The peace of Christ be always with you.

People: And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

But do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

Hebrews 13: 15, 16

OFFERTORY HYMN: We Remember, We Proclaim, by Andrew Peterson, printed with permission CCLI #22036974

*As we gather round this table
We remember and proclaim
Christ has died, Christ is risen
Christ will come again
There's nothing to fear and everything to gain
And so we gather here to remember
To remember and proclaim*

*Every footstep tells the story
As the people join the feast
We remember his blood and body
Broken for you and me
One step and we remember
The other we proclaim
His death until He comes
O He's coming back
He's coming back again!*

*And every time we break the bread
We drink the wine,
I can hear the song in my heart and my head,
And I sing along...*

*We remember, we proclaim
His death until he comes again!
We remember, we proclaim
Christ has died, Christ has risen,
Christ will come again!*

OFFERTORY HYMN: We Remember, We Proclaim, by Andrew Peterson, printed with permission CCLI #22036974

*Now we join with friends and neighbors
To celebrate again
Around a different kind of table
We remember just the same.
This feast, it is a battle
That we wage against the night,
This joy is just a shadow of the resurrection
Of the resurrection life!*

DOXOLOGY, verse 3 Hymn 380, said
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Amen.*

SALUTATION AND SURSUM CORDA

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.

Because you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

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: *Celebrant & People*, Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, said

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.

(People may kneel or stand.)

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, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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 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 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 forever. *Amen.*

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

Said at 8:30 and 10:30

Celebrant: [Alleluia.] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. [Alleluia.]

FRACTION ANTHEM: said at 8:30 and 10:30 services

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant us thy peace.

Facing the people, the Celebrant may say the following Invitation

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.

All: *Jesu my God I thee adore, O make me love you more and more.*

At the Communion

- *All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Holy Communion.*
- *All are welcome to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.*
- *Gluten free wafers are available. Indicate by crossing fingers.*

COMMUNION HYMN: 1982 Hymnal #618 Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant: Let us pray.

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.

CLOSING HYMN:1982 Hymnal #135 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

THE DISMISSAL

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

People: ***Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.***

*The flowers on the altar are given in loving memory
of Donnie Evans by his wife, children, and grandson.*

St. Mark's Prayer List

We lift up the following in heartfelt prayer:

*Marion Johannsson, Mary Zacharias, Beth Hunt, Marsha
Phillips, Saunders Black, Iris Flamer, Martha Ann Springer,
Willard and Barbara Osburn, Michael Marecheau, Paul and
Michelle Cravetz, Harold Givens, Brian Paynter, Angela
Worme, Michael Queen, Lisa Johnson, Debbie & Scott James,
Bob Chandler, Jennifer Jago, Curtis Crawford, Kelly Jordan,
her husband, and her medical team, Sheila Forbis,
and Brenda Duke.*

*We pray for the repose of the soul of
Bonnie Corbin, cousin to Father Garry
may she rest in peace and rise in glory.*

*We continue to pray for the success and growth of the following
ministries La Escuelita San Marcos,
Ranson Middle School, and Flyin' Lion Ministries.*

*We pray for those in our parish celebrating happy events:
Melanie Blythe and Riley Milholland.*

Announcements March 2nd, 2025

St. Mark's Camp Kanuga Weekend: Registration has begun for our spring weekend at Camp Kanuga! Join us April 25th - 27th (the weekend following Easter) for nature, fun, and fellowship. Look out for registration packets between services or complete an online registration found in the email newsletter. Please reach out to Olivia Horkley at (804)389-9822 if you have any questions.

Shrove Tuesday Supper- Tuesday March 4th, we will have a pancake supper in the Rafters. Let's come together as a church family before the Lenten season.

Ash Wednesday Services- Wednesday March 5th we will have Ash Wednesday services at 12:00 noon and 7:00pm.

Pledge Form



Giving Form



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