THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY JANUARY 14, 2024 AT 10:15 AM



ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

We are a welcoming, inclusive and affirming parish in the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina. We seek to meet and serve Christ in all people and to glorify God in our words and our actions.

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ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

Know that you are most welcome, and we pray that you will return to worship with us again soon! Please do us the honor of filling out a Visitor Card, either by scanning the QR code to the right OR by filling out a physical card located in the pew rack in front of you. If you fill out a physical card, please place it in the alms basin during the offertory or hand it to an usher or to a member of the clergy as you leave today. Thank you!

The Church of the Good Shepherd
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Holy Eucharist: Rite II

This service bulletin is designed for use with the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the blue Hymnal 1982, both of which are located in the pew rack in front of you.

Voluntary: Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier — J. G. Walther

Processional Hymn: All praise to thee, for thou, O King divine — Hymnal 477

Opening Acclamation — Book of Common Prayer (BCP), p. 355

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

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

The Collect for Purity — BCP, p. 355

Song of Praise: Canticle 13, *Benedictus es, Domine* — Hymnal S 236

1 Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers;
you are worthy of praise; glory to you.

2 Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name;
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

3 Glory to you in the splendor of your temple;
on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.

4 Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim;
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

5 Glory to you, beholding the depths;
in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.

6 Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Collect of the Kids & Invitation to Children's Chapel

Children ages 4 to 5th grade are invited to listen for a brief introduction to the day's liturgy or lessons. They then depart for Children's Chapel, returning for the Eucharist.

The First Lesson **1 Samuel 3:1-10(11-20)**

Lector A reading from the First Book of Samuel.

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread.

At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was. Then the Lord called, "Samuel! Samuel!" and he said, "Here I am!" and ran to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call; lie down again." So he went and lay down. The Lord called again, "Samuel!" Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place.

Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening." [Then the Lord said to Samuel, "See, I am about to do something in Israel that will make both ears of anyone who hears of it tingle. On that day I will fulfill against Eli all that I have spoken concerning his house, from beginning to end. For I have told him that I am about to punish his house forever, for the iniquity that he knew, because his sons were blaspheming God, and he did not restrain them. Therefore I swear to the house of Eli that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be expiated by sacrifice or offering forever."

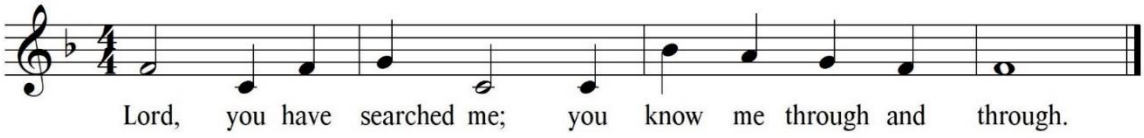
Samuel lay there until morning; then he opened the doors of the house of the Lord. Samuel was afraid to tell the vision to Eli. But Eli called Samuel and said, "Samuel, my son." He said, "Here I am." Eli said, "What was it that he told you? Do not hide it from me. May God do so to you and more also, if you hide anything from me of all that he told you." So Samuel told him everything and hid nothing from him. Then he said, "It is the Lord; let him do what seems good to him."

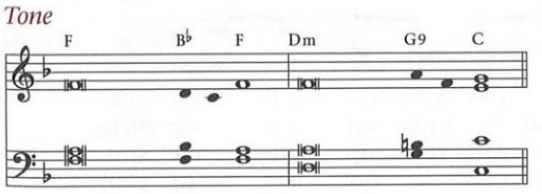
As Samuel grew up, the Lord was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. And all Israel from Dan to Beer-sheba knew that Samuel was a trustworthy prophet of the Lord.]

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Response **Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17**





[1] Lord, you have searched me *out and known me; *
you know my sitting down and my rising up;
you discern my thoughts *from afar.
[2] You trace my journeys and my *resting-places *
and are acquainted with *all my ways.
[3] Indeed, there is not a word *on my lips, *
but you, O Lord, know it *altogether.
[4] You press upon me behind *and before *
and lay your *hand upon me.
[5] Such knowledge is too wonder*ful for me; *
it is so high that I cannot at*tain to it. REFRAIN

[12] For you yourself created my *inmost parts; *
you knit me together in my *mother's womb.
[13] I will thank you because I am marve*lously made; *
your works are wonderful, and I *know it well.
[14] My body was not hid*den from you, *
while I was being made in secret
and woven in the depths *of the earth.
[15] Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished *in the womb;
all of them were written in your book; *
they were fashioned day by day,
when as yet there was *none of them. REFRAIN

[16] How deep I find your *thoughts, O God! *
how great is the *sum of them!
[17] If I were to count them, they would be more in number *than the sand;
to count them all, my life span would need to *be like yours. REFRAIN

The Second Lesson **1 Corinthians 6:12-20**

Lector A reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians.

"All things are lawful for me," but not all things are beneficial. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be dominated by anything. "Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food," and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that whoever is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is said, "The two shall be one flesh." But anyone

united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun fornication! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against the body itself. Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn: Will you come and follow me *please see the back page of this service bulletin*

The Gospel **John 1:43-51**

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you." Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon The Rev. Andrew Phillips

Prepositions Exercise

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Called UNTIL…
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The Nicene Creed BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People

Intercessor Guided by Christ made known to the nations, let us offer our prayers for the church, for the world, and for all people in need.

A brief silence.

For the body of Christ gathered throughout the world and for all servants of the gospel, that following Jesus, the church may live out its calling every day. For Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; for Sam and Jennifer, our bishops; for Imogen, Andrew, and Nancy, our clergy. For St. John's, Battleboro; Church of the Holy Comforter, Burlington; and St. Paul's, Cary. For the Church of the Province of South East Asia, humbly we pray.

People **Have mercy, O God.**

Intercessor For the well-being of creation, for plants and animals, and for all that God has marvelously made, that we may act as wise stewards of Earth, our home, humbly we pray.

People **Have Mercy, O God.**

Intercessor For those lacking food or shelter, for those who are sick or grieving, and for those who are imprisoned or homebound, that God may console all who suffer, especially those on our parish prayer list, listed below, and those we name now silently or aloud:

A brief silence follows as the congregation offers prayers of intercession.

Roy Wright, Carolyn Owens, Janet Gilliam, Ralph Sanders, Pete Taylor, Martha Bailey, Peggy Hawks, Ginny Byrd, Mitchell Lawrence, Darrell Dennis, Janie Ward-Newton, William Short, Catherine and Bob Williams, Fran and Paul Hoch, Carolyn Watson, Peter Anderson, Ilona McHale, Felix, Amy Merritt, Brinley Harris, Joan, Karen Pursley, Nancy Brown, Larry Bledsoe, Don Caudill, Shirley Caudill, Joann Miller, Richard Dukes, Stephanie Rivers, Mike Webb, Greg Johnson, The Fasciano Family, The Stohler Family, The Hall Family, those impacted by recent bad weather, all victims of gun violence, the people of Israel and Palestine, and the people of Ukraine.

Intercessor For our neighborhood, for visitors joining us for the first time or returning, and for those absent from this gathering, that all who seek to know God may be nourished by word and sacrament, humbly we pray.

People **Have Mercy, O God.**

Intercessor In thanksgiving for those who have died, especially Hugh Dale Stohler and Julia Hall, whom we entrust to God's eternal love, humbly we pray.

People **Have Mercy, O God.**

Celebrant Merciful God, hear the prayers of your people, spoken aloud or in the silence of our hearts, for the sake of the one who dwells among us, you Son, Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution BCP, p. 360

The Peace

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

Welcome and Announcements

Today's Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by JoAnn Kistler Latimer and grandson Charlie and wife Theresa Kistler in loving memory of Dr. Charles Kistler and in loving memory of Charlie's father, Chuck, and aunt, Leslie.

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Open your phone's camera, point the camera at the square, and tap the screen.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem: Walk in the light André Thomas

We'll walk in the light, beautiful light, come where the dewdrops of mercy shine bright.
Shine all around us by day and by night, Jesus, the Light of the world.
Lord, our Lord, thy glorious name all thy wondrous works proclaim.
In the heav'ns with radiant signs evermore thy glory shines.

Presentation Hymn: Christ be our light

Bernadette Farrell



The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B BCP, p. 367

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 …Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy Hymnal S 114

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

The Eucharistic Prayer continues on p. 368 in the Book of Common Prayer

Celebrant …Therefore, according to his command, O Father,
People **We remember his death,**
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;
Celebrant …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.**

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP, p. 364

Fraction Anthem BCP, p. 364

Invitation and Communion

All are invited to come forward during the sharing of Holy Communion.

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by drinking from the common cup? *Please come to the left side (lectern side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs in the sacristy.*

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by intinction (having a minister dip the host in wine and place it in your hand)? *Please come to the right side (pulpit side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs by the baptismal font.*

Where can I go to receive only the bread? *Please come to either location and tell the server "only bread."*

Where can I go to receive gluten-free bread? *Please come to either location and ask for gluten free.*

Where can I go to receive a blessing? *Please come to either location and cross your arms over your chest.*

How can I ask for communion to be brought to me? *Please ask an usher to receive by intinction in your seat.*

Communion Hymns:

Blessed Jesus, at thy word — Hymnal 440

O Jesus, I have promised — Hymnal 655

Sending Out of Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant In the name of this congregation, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

People **Because we who are many are one body in Christ. We share one bread, one cup. Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer — BCP, p. 365

Celebrant Let us pray.

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**

Blessing

Celebrant Christ our Lord, to whom kings bowed down in worship and offered gifts, reveal to you his glory and pour upon you the riches of his grace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

People **Amen.**

Closing Hymn: Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim — Hymnal 535

Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Voluntary: ENGLEBERG — Robert A. Hobby

Serving Today

Ushers	Sarah Boney and Kathryn DeShong
Verger	Caryl Fuller
Acolytes	Ashelyn Gilbert, Libby Boyne, Juliet Gilbert, Arianna Zomorodi, and Benjamin Zomorodi
Lectors	Gregg and Jean Knepley
Intercessor & Chalicist	Molly Propst
Livestream & Sound	Ed Sharp and Sam DeShong
Flower Guild	Amanda Penny

Please join us for Fellowship Time in the Ennis Suite immediately following this service!

FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRAYER LIST

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And we pray for those who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, remembering especially Hugh Dale Stohler and Julia Hall.

Would you like to add someone to the parish prayer list? The people of The Church of the Good Shepherd are eager to join you in lifting your prayers to God. To submit a prayer request, please visit the parish newsletter or the parish website where you will find instructions for submitting prayer requests. If you should need assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office.

Prayer requests added to our public prayer list will be refreshed every month; please feel free to resubmit them if you would like them to remain on the prayer list.

All Are Welcome Here

If you would like information about

- transferring your membership from another parish
- joining the church
- being married
- being baptized

please contact David Baggett, our parish administrator, at David.Baggett@cgs-raleigh.org or at 919.831.2018.

EYC…Don't Forget! 2024 Kickoff – Ice Skating Event Is This Afternoon at 5

Middle and high school students are invited for an evening on the ice at the Rink at the Red Hat Amphitheater from 5-7 PM. Proceeds from the EYC Cocoa sale will cover the cost of attendance! Contact: Rev. Andrew

Parish Office Closed Tomorrow

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. The Parish Office will re-open on Tuesday at 9 AM.

Looking Ahead…

Thursday, January 18th

Song Lovers Returns!

After a brief holiday sabbatical, Song Lovers returns (**please note new meeting night**). Come enjoy a walk through the hymns in The Hymnal 1982 with information on authors, composers, poetry, and tunes. We meet 6:30-7:30 PM in the choir room. All are welcome. Please join us!

Sunday, January 21st

Adult Formation at 9 AM

- Bible Study with Debbie Moyer (Room 304)
- ***Israel and Palestine: What's Going On*** with Jon Stoddard (Ennis Suite)
  Next Sunday's Discussion Topic--**Palestine: Hamas and Statehood**: exploring who and what Hamas is, their history, and broadly understanding the challenges faced by Palestinians in the West Bank and Gaza.

Sunday, January 28th

- 9 AM || Holy Eucharist, Rite II (one combined worship service, no Adult Formation)
- 10:30 AM || Annual Parish Meeting (including vestry elections) in the Church
- 2-4 PM || 150th Anniversary Kick-Off at All Saints Chapel

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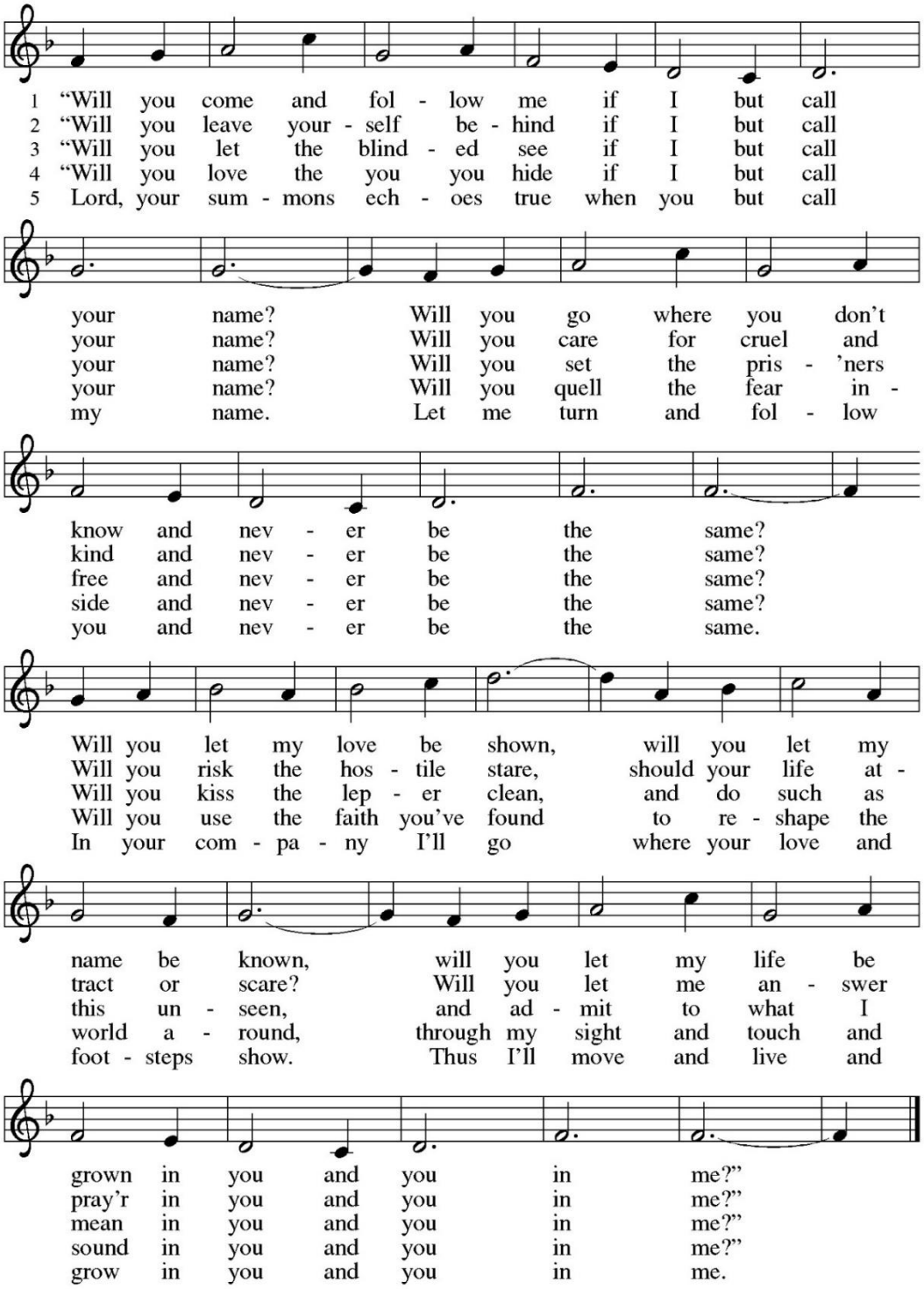
150th Anniversary

Honoring Tradition, Growing in Faith, Building Community

2024 marks the 150th Anniversary of The Church of the Good Shepherd, and we are honoring this milestone with 150 days of celebration beginning with a kick-off celebration on January 28th at All Saints Chapel from 2:00 until 4:00 PM.

Join us where it all began at our original building, All Saints Chapel, 110 S. East Street. This afternoon reception will feature historic talks, beginning at 3:00, on the establishment of The Church of Good Shepherd, its development within the Capital City, and the efforts to save and move the original building. Stay tuned for more opportunities to celebrate!

Sequence Hymn: Will you come and follow me (KELVINGROVE) Wonder, Love, and Praise 757



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