

Holy Eucharist - Rite II 10am

January 02, 2022

The Second Sunday after Christmas



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Order of Service

BCP pages on the left hand side are found in the red Book of Common Prayer. Hymns are in the Hymnal 1982.

Prelude: “The old year now has passed away”

Hymn #680 O God our help in ages past

BCP 355 Opening Acclamation

Hymn S-278 Gloria in excelsis

Old Testament Jeremiah 31:7-14

Gradual Psalm Psalm 84:1-8

Epistle Ephesians 1:3-6,15-19a

Hymn #98 Unto us a boy is born

The Gospel Matthew 2:1-12

Homily Father Wes Shields

BCP 358 The Nicene Creed

BCP 387 Prayers of the People Form III

BCP 360 The Confession

BCP 360 The Peace

Offertory Anthem “Noel we sing”

BCP 361 Eucharistic Prayer “A”

Hymn S-128 Holy, Holy, Holy

BCP 364 Lord’s Prayer

Hymn S-155 Christ our Passover

Hymn #91 Quartet Break forth O beauteous heavenly light

Hymn #89 It came upon the midnight clear

BCP 365 Post Communion Prayer

Hymn #109 The First Nowell

Postlude: *Trumpet Tune in D* H. Purcell

The Collect of the Day

O God, who wonderfully created, and yet more wonderfully restored, the dignity of human nature: Grant that we may share the divine life of him who humbled himself to share our humanity, your Son Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-14

A Reading from the book of Jeremiah.

Thus says the Lord:

Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob,
and raise shouts for the chief of the nations;
proclaim, give praise, and say,
"Save, O Lord, your people,
the remnant of Israel."

See, I am going to bring them from the land of the
north, and gather them from the farthest parts of the
earth, among them the blind and the lame, those
with child and those in labor, together;
a great company, they shall return here.

With weeping they shall come,
and with consolations I will lead them back,

I will let them walk by brooks of water,
in a straight path in which they shall not stumble;
for I have become a father to Israel,
and Ephraim is my firstborn.

Hear the word of the Lord, O nations,
and declare it in the coastlands far away;
say, "He who scattered Israel will gather him,
and will keep him as a shepherd a flock."

For the Lord has ransomed Jacob,
and has redeemed him from hands too strong for
him. They shall come and sing aloud on the height
of Zion, and they shall be radiant over the goodness
of the Lord, over the grain, the wine, and the oil,
and over the young of the flock and the herd;

their life shall become like a watered garden,
and they shall never languish again.

Then shall the young women rejoice in the dance,
and the young men and the old shall be merry.

I will turn their mourning into joy,
I will comfort them, and give them gladness for
sorrow. I will give the priests their fill of fatness,
and my people shall be satisfied with my bounty,
says the Lord.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm: 84



How dear to me is your dwell - ling O Lord of hosts!

How dear to me is your dwelling, O LORD of hosts! *
My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of
the LORD;
my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a
nest where she may lay her young;*
by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts,
my King and my God.

Antiphon

Happy are they who dwell in your house! *
they will always be praising you.

Happy are the people whose strength is in you! *
whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.

Antiphon

Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a
place of springs, *
for the early rains have covered it with pools of
water.

They will climb from height to height, *
and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

Antiphon

LORD God of hosts, hear my prayer; *
hearken, O God of Jacob.

Behold our defender, O God; *
and look upon the face of your Anointed.

Antiphon

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:3-6,15-19a

A Reading from the book of Ephesians.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give

thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

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

People ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet:

‘And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah,
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;

for from you shall come a ruler
who is to shepherd my people Israel.'"

Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent

them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage." When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

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

Announcements

Today	New Year's Brunch after 10am service!
Monday	Christian Education Wing Prayer Group 1:30pm in the Christian Ed wing.
Wednesday	10am Wednesday Healing Eucharist Service 11am Bible Study with Father Wes
Saturday	Fr. John Hagood Memorial Service 11am

Giving Envelopes – Pick up today in the Narthex!

Welcome Cards –Please fill one out if you are a newcomer and would like to receive the weekly e-news! Please also fill out if you have changed an address, phone number or email, or if we have missed a birthday or anniversary. Drop in the collection plate or give to an usher on the way out.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper – Save the date for our Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on **Tuesday, March 1.**

Hospitality Guild Ministry and Breakfast meeting – Our breakfast meeting date has been **CHANGED to Saturday January 15th** at 9 am in the Parish Hall. Volunteers are needed for our Hospitality Guild Ministry! Our HG teams host Celebrations of Life & special events. Each team rotates and serves only 3 months of the year. Our Sunday hosts & hostesses serve one Sunday per month. If interested, please attend the breakfast or contact Carol Paris at 772-579-0315.

Annual Meeting- Our annual meeting will be Sunday, January 23 after the 10am service. All committee heads that would like to submit a report, please do so by **January 13th**.

New Website – Our great new website has been launched! Please browse (our same address at staugustinevero.com) and tell us what you think. Contact Barbara McGowan at communications@staugustinevero.com if any questions.

Birthdays

- 02 – Sue Kepler, Br. Richard John Lorino
- 04 – Don Helm, Valorie Stevenson
- 06 – Doreen Pennington
- 08 – Lois E Savage, Andrea Adelph Prince

Departed

- 06 – Bunny Frey (2021)

Anniversaries

None this week

Prayer List

Please pray for Shirley, Terry, Benjamin, Pam, Denise, Maggie, Kathryn, Nancy, Diane, Sandy, Paul, Michael, Gary, Jill, Melanie, Ronald, Elizabeth, Caitlin, Manny, Gayle, Laurie, Patrick, Betsy, Joanne, Jacinth, Ginny, Celeste, Pat, George, Cookie, Alicia, Tom, Kate, Gabriella, Ruth, Mary Beth, and Angie.