

# EPIPHANY EPIPHANY

January 21, 2024

8 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 10 AM Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

According to the Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

# WELCOME

#### ADVENT | CHRISTMAS | EPIPHANY | LENT | EASTER | PENTECOST

Our church follows the "liturgical calendar." For millennia, Christians have used this system to organize each year around the life of Christ. The Church Year begins at Advent, as we wait for the arrival of Jesus celebrated at Christmas. During Epiphany, we celebrate Christ revealing himself to the world. In Lent, we prepare for the remembrance of Christ's death during Holy Week and resurrection at Easter. On Pentecost, we remember the coming of the Holy Spirit, who sustains us in our life in Christ during the season known as Ordinary time.

**New here?** Holy Trinity is an Episcopal Church, part of the worldwide Anglican Communion. Worship in our tradition is liturgical, which means that we use written prayers. This is an ancient, biblical way to pray. The liturgy makes worship something the community does, not just the minister up front. It helps us when our own words fail. It ensures we receive a steady diet of God's Word. And it reminds us every week of God's grace in Jesus Christ.

**How We Worship:** We worship in heart, body, & mind. To help, we sometimes kneel or stand. This bulletin will be your guide. It will have all the responses printed inside. The service music is printed in the bulletin; the hymns can be found in the blue *Hymnal 1982* (marked with "H") or the red/black *Lift Every Voice & Sing II* (marked with LEVAS).

**Worship Following a Pandemic:** We learned a lot over the last years. Remember to wash your hands after using the restroom. If you are feeling sick/unwell, consider joining us virtually for worship.

**Restrooms:** Single-stall, all-gender restrooms are available by the church office. Simply walk into the narthex (lobby), walk straight and turn left at the hallway. All bathrooms are handicap accessible and changing tables are available in both restrooms.

The PrayGround & Children's Chapel: To the left of the altar, in the trancept, we have a space for families and children to participate in worship. The PrayGround provides space to move, activities & prime viewing for kids to see the service. Children & families are welcome to enter the PrayGround at anytime during the service—children should be accompanied by an adult. We also provide children's chapel during the sermon, exiting after the Gospel.

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# **HOLY EUCHARIST - 8 AM**

Rite I, according to the Book of Common Prayer (BCP)

Eucharist, meaning "thanksgiving," comes from the Greek words for "good" and "gift."

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# **HOLY EUCHARIST - 10 AM**

Rite II, according to the *Book of Common Prayer* (BCP) *Eucharist, meaning "thanksgiving," comes from the Greek words for "good" and "gift."* 

## THE WORD OF GOD

Please stand (as you are able.)

Processional Hymn

"O Zion Haste"

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Opening Acclamation

BCP 355

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

People And blessed be his kingdom, now & forever. Amen.

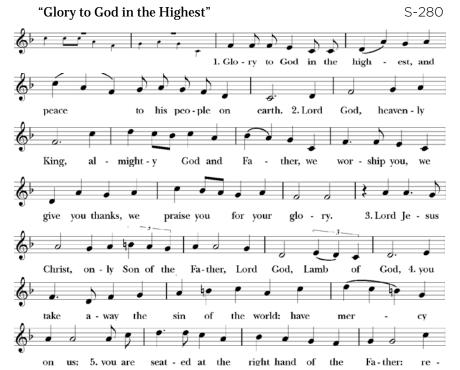
Collect for Purity

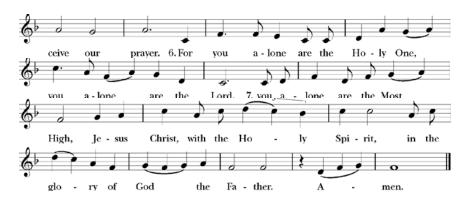
BCP 355

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open...

People Amen.

Gloria in Excelsis





The Collect for the Epiphany 3

BCP 215

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Please be seated for the readings.

# Old Testament Reading

Jonah 3:1-5,10

The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

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

Psalm 62:6-14 BCP 669

- 6 For God alone my soul in silence waits; \* truly, my hope is in him.
- 7 He alone is my rock and my salvation, \* my stronghold, so that I shall not be shaken.

- 8 In God is my safety and my honor; \* God is my strong rock and my refuge.
- 9 Put your trust in him always, O people, \* pour out your hearts before him, for God is our refuge.
- 10 Those of high degree are but a fleeting breath, \* even those of low estate cannot be trusted.
- 11 On the scales they are lighter than a breath, \* all of them together.
- 12 Put no trust in extortion; in robbery take no empty pride; \* though wealth increase, set not your heart upon it.
- 13 God has spoken once, twice have I heard it, \* that power belongs to God.
- 14 Steadfast love is yours, O Lord, \* for you repay everyone according to his deeds.

#### New Testament Reading

1 Corinthians 7:29-31

I mean, brothers and sisters, the appointed time has grown short; from now on, let even those who have wives be as though they had none, and those who mourn as though they were not mourning, and those who rejoice as though they were not rejoicing, and those who buy as though they had no possessions, and those who deal with the world as though they had no dealings with it. For the present form of this world is passing away.

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

Please stand (as you are able.)

# Gradual Hymn

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

LEVAS 136

#### Before the reading of the Gospel

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

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospel Mark 1:14-20

After John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." And immediately they

left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

#### After the reading of the Gospel

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Celebrant will pray and then children will be released for Childnen's Chapel.

Homily

The Rev. Ben Maddison

Silence may be kept. Please stand as you are able after the bidding.

Nicene Creed BCP 358

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen & 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 kneel or stand as you are able.

Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly & humbly serve you; **That your Name may be glorified by all people.** 

We pray for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; for Sally, our Bishop; for Ben, our Priest; and for all bishops, priests, and deacons; **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.** 

We pray for those in armed forces [especially...], for the people of our country; for those who protect and serve at home, and for Joe, our President; Phil, our Governor; Jess, our Mayor; and all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

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

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble [especially...] and those in continuing need;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Petitions may be added for birthday, and anniversaries.

Give to all the departed [especially...] eternal rest; **Let light perpetual shine upon them.** 

We praise you for all your saints who have entered into joy; **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.** 

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

Silence.
The Celebrant adds a concluding collect

Confession of Sin

**BCP 359** 

Silence.

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

Called the "comfortable words" since the 16th century because of their ability to give comfort, these Bible verses (Matthew 11:28, John 3:16, 1 Timothy 1:15, 1 John 2:1-2) are a cherished part of Anglican liturgy.

Please stand as you are able.

The Peace BCP 308

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Please be seated.

Announcements/Blessings

# **Annual Parish Meeting**

Sunday, January 28 after the 10 AM Service Parish Hall

We will hold our Annual Parish Meeting on Sunday, January 28, 2024 at 11:15 AM in the Parish Hall, at which time the 2024 budget will be presented, delegates for 2024 will be elected, and new vestry members will be elected. Refreshments will be servced. We hope to see you there!

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

## The Offering

During the Offertory, as an act of gratitude and worship, we joyfully respond to God's gift to us in Jesus Christ by giving an offering to the Lord. We offer bread and wine, music, and financial resources towards God's work through his church

Offertory Anthem

"You Are the Christ, O Lord"

Dirksen

Please stand as you are able. Remain standing until after the Sanctus.

#### Doxology



The Great Thanksgiving: Prayer B

Sursum Corda & Proper Preface

"Lift up your hearts"

BCP 361

Celebrant The Lord be with you People And also with you. Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

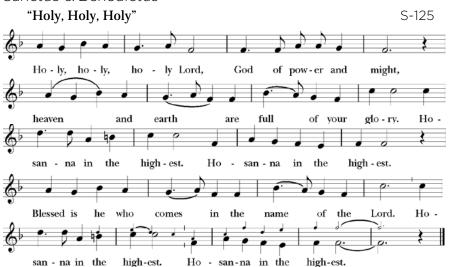
People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

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 adds a Proper Preface.

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 & Benedictus



Please kneel as you are able

Eucharistic Canon & The Words of Institution

**BCP 368** 

This bulletin contains all congregational responses. To save space, the priest's prayers are not printed here. If you'd like to follow along with this part of the service, we encourage you to turn to page 368 in the Book of Common Prayer.

#### Memorial Acclamation

**BCP 368** 

Celebrant Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

ALL We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

## Epiclesis & Great Amen

BCP 369

Celebrant

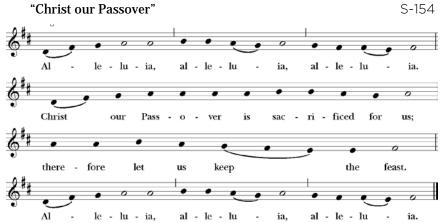
By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory are yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.

The people respond in a loud voice:

# ALL AMEN.

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 & Fraction Anthem



#### The Ministration of the Sacrament

Communion is distributed. To receive in the traditional manner, come to the left side of the altar rail. To have the celebrant intinct (dip) for you, come to the right side of the altar rail. All baptized Christians regardless of denomination are invited to receive Communion. If you are not baptized, or for whatever reason do not want to receive Communion, we still invite you to come forward to receive a blessing from the priest. To let the priest know you'd like a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest.

Communion Hymn

"Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence"

H-324

Please kneel (or stand) as you are able.

H-537

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

Please stand as you are able.

Recessional Hymn

"Christ For the World We Sing"

Dismissal BCP 366

Celebrant Let us go forth rejoicing in the Name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

# Stewardship 2024: New Year, New HT

Pledge Cards Requested by Sunday, Janaury 21, 2024

Fill it out online at bit.ly/2024htpledgeform

We're trying something new and starting the year off with our stewardship campaign. Our projected budget for 2024 is \$200,000. You can help us reach that goal by supporting the mission and ministry of Holy Trinity with you time, talents, financial contributions—but most importantly, with your prescense. If you have questions about this campaign, contact Fr. Ben. If you have not received a stewardship letter from the church, please let us know.

# Offering Envelopes

If you would like Offering Envelopes for 2024, please contact Susan Cassidy at <a href="mailto:admin@holytrinitywenonah.org">admin@holytrinitywenonah.org</a> or 609-221-5253.

# **TODAY'S WORSHIP MINISTERS**

Celebrant & Preacher Lector (10 AM) LEM/Crucifer Director of Music Ushers Altar Guild

r The Rev. Ben Maddison
Nancy Tinkham
Steve LoCastro, Jr.
Margie MacWilliams
Joan Borkowski & Carl Carlamere
Joanne Hutchison, Pat Brabazon, Cheryl DeVoy,
Joan Munyon, Kathy Blackburn, Kathy Holmes,
Roseanne McAlister, Dottie Mettinger & Tesa Crespo

#### Memorial Flowers & Flower Chart 2024

Suggested Donation: \$90

Each Sunday (except in Lent), we like to offer flowers to the glory of God and in remembrance of those who have died, in celebration of special events (birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, etc.), and make our worship experience more aesthetically pleasing!

Anyone can sign up for a day to cover flowers in the next year! Simply write the name of the person & event you would like remembered and/or celebrated, write a check to cover the cost (or a portion of the cost) of the flowers, put the check in the offering plate (or mailbox by the office) and we will purchase the flowers for that day! If no one signs up, we do not order flowers. You may also take the arrangement home with you!

Sign up for flowers for 2024 while there are still available slots!

# Pray for during the week of January 21, 2024

**Those in Immediate Need:** Donna Walker, Scott, Paul, Kate Gonzalez, Janet Belcher, Mary Moore, Brit, Jennie, Dave Rusinak, Trinity Donohue, Brett, Laurie Cimino, Owen, Nathan, Sally Thorne, Charles Furfari, Phyllis Joslin, Jodie, Herman Pinque, Kristin, Michael Eaton

**Those in Continuing Need**: Marcy Studebaker, Kris Searcy, Jerry Carlamere Lorraine Kittrell, Mike Donohue, John Buckley, Theresa, Jackie, Ernest, Sharon, Joanne, David, Gladys, Daniel, Maureen Cigala, Holly LoCastro, Kurt, Zach Stewart, Gail Zelley, Brenda, John, Rita, Geni, Oliver, Heather & Madison, RJ, Bob, Donna, Selena & Perry, Brian Conway Jr., Tammy DiFabio-Piper, Mary Sheehan, Jo Good, Annette D.

**Those in the Armed Forces and the Diplomatic Corps:** Justin, Bill Underwood, Alex, Aaron, Jackson, Elias, Travis, Mark, John, Gio, Dylan, Scott Sockwell, Sean, Matt, Brian, Scott, and those who protect and serve at home: Josiah Donohue, Todd Sermarini, Ron Sermarini

**Birthdays:** Heather Heitman (1/21), Rachel Sundberg (1/22), Paul Cimino (1/24), Bill Bain (1/24), Barbara Meyers (1/26), Evan Sienkiewicz (1/26), Deidre Tice (1/26)

Memorials: Frank Gartner (1/24)

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## The Color of Compromise: Social Justice Book Club

Begins January 23, 2024 at 8 PM via Zoom Continues on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of each month

Join us on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month for our continued "Socia Justice Book Club" series. The next selection will be Jemar Tisby's book *The Color of Compromise*, exploring the history and effects of racism on American Christianity and challenging the church to address this history TODAY! Sign up in the Narthex to pre-order the book!

# **Newcomers Class: Holy Trinity 101!**

February 4 & February 11

After the 10 AM Service Lunch

After the 10 AM Service - Lunch Provided!

Are you new to Holy Trinity and looking to learn more? Do you have questions about the Episcopal Church? Are you looking for ways to get involved at the church or meet new people? Well, this is the class for you! For two Sundays (after the 10 AM service), we'll welcome everyone to learn more about their faith, Anglicanism and Holy Trinity! Lunch will be provided. RSVP at <a href="mailto:info@holytrinitywenonah.org">info@holytrinitywenonah.org</a>

# **Lectors Team Meeting**

Thursday, 1/25 - in-person (chapel) and on Zoom

Genesis: The First Book (Rector's Bible Study) Wednesdays at 7:30 PM in Parish Hall & Zoom Resumed January 10, 2024

The Letter of James (Rector's Bible Study)
Wednesdays at 10:15 AM in Parish Hall & Zoom

Resumed January 10, 2024

Zoom: https://bit.ly/htbiblestudy

# **ECW Soup Sale**

Sunday, January 28 AFTER BOTH SERVICES - \$8/quart All proceeds support the ministry and mission of the ECW. Soups this month include Corn Chowder, Unstuffed Pepper, and White Bean Escarole.

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My name is	s
	$\square$ I am visiting for the day.
	☐ I am looking for a new church.
	☐ I would like the priest to call on me at a mutually convenient time.
	$\square$ I would like to be added to your mailing list.
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	Please place in the alms basin.
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	to / from the Prayer List
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