

THE 2ND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II SUNDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 2023 | 10:15 AM

THE WORD OF GOD

Liturgy is from the 1979 Book of Common Prayer [BCP] of the Episcopal Church [blue book]

Hymns are from the 1982 Hymnal [H] [red book]

Scriptures are from the New Revised Standard Version [NRSV] of the Holy Bible [black book]

Please stand as you are able.

PROCESSIONAL CHRIST, WHOSE GLORY FILLS THE SKIES

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WELCOME TO ST. LUKE'S

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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

Please remain standing.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant

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*.

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, worshiped, 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.*

Please be seated for the Lessons.

THE LESSONS

The Old Testament Reading

Reader A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah.

Isaiah 49:1-7

¹Listen to me, O coastlands,

pay attention, you peoples from far away!

The LORD called me before I was born,

while I was in my mother's womb he named me.

²He made my mouth like a sharp sword,

in the shadow of his hand he hid me;

he made me a polished arrow,

in his quiver he hid me away.

³And he said to me, "You are my servant,

Israel, in whom I will be glorified."

⁴But I said, "I have labored in vain,

I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity;

yet surely my cause is with the LORD,

and my reward with my God."

⁵And now the LORD says,

who formed me in the womb to be his servant,

to bring Jacob back to him,

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Reader Please join me in reading today's Psalm responsively by whole verse.

The Reader leads the Psalm; the People respond as indicated by bold italics.

and that Israel might be gathered to him, for I am honored in the sight of the LORD, and my God has become my strength—

6he says.

"It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob

and to restore the survivors of Israel;

I will give you as a light to the nations,

that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth."

⁷Thus says the LORD,

the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One,

to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nations, the slave of rulers,

"Kings shall see and stand up,

princes, and they shall prostrate themselves,

because of the LORD, who is faithful,

the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

Psalm 40:1-12

¹I waited patiently upon the LORD; * he stooped to me and heard my cry. ²He lifted me out of the desolate pit, out of the mire and clay; * he set my feet upon a high cliff and made my footing sure. ³He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God; * many shall see, and stand in awe, and put their trust in the LORD. ⁴Happy are they who trust in the LORD! * they do not resort to evil spirits or turn to false gods. ⁵Great things are they that you have done, O LORD my God! how great your wonders and your plans for us! * there is none who can be compared with you. ⁶Oh, that I could make them known and tell them! * but they are more than I can count. ⁷In sacrifice and offering you take no pleasure; * (you have given me ears to hear you); ⁸Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have not required, * and so I said, "Behold, I come. ⁹In the roll of the book it is written concerning me: * 'I love to do your will, O my God; your law is deep in my heart." ¹⁰I proclaimed righteousness in the great congregation; * behold, I did not restrain my lips; and that, O LORD, you know. ¹¹Your righteousness have I not hidden in my heart; I have spoken of your faithfulness and your deliverance; * I have not concealed your love and faithfulness from the great congregation. 12 You are the LORD; do not withhold your compassion from me; *

The New Testament Reading

Reader A Reading from Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians.

let your love and your faithfulness keep me safe for ever.

1 Corinthians 1:1-9

¹Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and our brother Sosthenes, ²To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: ³Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

⁴I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, ⁵for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind—⁶just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you—⁷so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁸He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.



THE GOSPEL

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John 1:29-42

²⁹[John] saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!³⁰This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' ³¹I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel." ³²And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. ³³I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' ³⁴And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God."

³⁵The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, "Look, here is the Lamb of God!" ³⁷The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. ³⁸When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" (which translated means Teacher), "where are you staying?" ³⁹He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. ⁴⁰One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹He first found his brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated Anointed). ⁴²He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas" (which is translated Peter).

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Please be seated.

THE SERMON THE REVEREND ANNE MATTHEWS

Please stand as you are able.

THE NICENE CREED BCP 355

Reader Please join me in affirming our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

All say together

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.

Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM VI

The Reader leads the prayer; the People respond as indicated in bold italics. In peace, we pray to you Lord God.

Silence.

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Andy, Kai, Hector, Jeff, and Scott, our Bishops; Ann, our Interim Rector; Anne, our priest; and for all bishops and other ministers; *For all who serve God in his Church.*

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BCP 392

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially those on our parish prayer list. *Silence.*

The People may add their own petitions.

Hear us Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence.

The People may add their own thanksgivings.

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, especially Sharon Hart, sister of Allen Griswold; Chuck Kowalik, cousin of Lenee Willsey; Gerald Burgess, long-time parishioner and husband of Mary Burgess; Bob Gibben, friend of Dennis and Louise Galli; and Elizabeth Gray, former member and mother of Paul, Ben, and Kat Murley; Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; *Who put their trust in you.*

Let us pray in unison for the search for a new Rector:

BCP 818

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a Rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Celebrant and People say together

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE ABSOLUTION

Celebrant

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*.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

BCP 431

Celebrant and People say together

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

BIRTHDAY PRAYER BCP 830

Celebrant and People say together

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

- † All people of any age who are baptized as Christians are welcome to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion.
- † If you prefer to receive a blessing instead of Communion, please signal the Priest by crossing your arms over your chest.
- † The consecrated host [blessed wafer] represents full Communion if you prefer not to take wine.
- † Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.
- † You may take consecrated wine by sipping from the chalice, or by intinction [dipping] of your wafer.

OFFERTORY

The Celebrant begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

BCP 376

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM ALL GLORY BE TO GOD ON HIGH BY HEIRONYMOUS PRAETORIUS

Doxology

Please stand as you are able as the gifts are presented and placed on the altar.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER B

BCP 367

Please remain standing as you are able.

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.

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:

THE SANCTUS BCP 367

Celebrant and People say or sing together

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.

Celebrant

Please kneel or sit as you are able.

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 day 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, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People say together

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

The Celebrant continues

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 St. Luke 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 for ever. *AMEN*.

Celebrant And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

BCP 364

Celebrant and People say together

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

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Celebrant

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.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

COMMUNION *H 324, H 532*

SENDING FORTH OF THE LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Celebrant and People say together

In the name of St. Luke's on the Lake, 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. We who are many are one body because we all share one bread and one cup. Amen.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 366

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People say together

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.

THE BLESSING

The Celebrant says a blessing over the people.



THE DISMISSAL

Celebrant Alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation, especially:

These Members and Loved Ones Serving Our Country: Andrew; Brian; Carter; Christine; Javen; Jordan; Phillip. Those Whose Needs Have Been Made Known to Us: Adam; Addie & Bill; Allen; Ann; Beth W.; Beverly; Bill; Bob; Gail; Buddy; Carol; Carolyn; Chris G.; Chris M.; Chris K.; Craig; Dana; Debbie; Debbie P. & Marc P; Don; Gary; George; Glenn; Holly; Jana, Trent & Judy; Janice; Jayme; Jeff; Jim; JoAnne; John; Josh; Julie Ann; Katherine, Kristen; Lainie; Laura; Linda; Liz; Mariana; Marilyn; Mark; Mark S.; Mary; Mary Alice; Michael, Danny, Clare, and Travis; Nelle; Pam; Pat; Patty; Perry; Pete; Rachel; SarahNelle; Scott; Susan; Vincent; the Lenz Family.

Those Who Have Died: Sharon Hart, sister of Allen Griswold; Chuck Kowalik, cousin of Lenee Willsey; Gerald Burgess, long-time parishioner and husband of Mary Burgess; Bob Gibben, friend of Dennis and Louise Galli; Elizabeth Gray, former member and mother of Paul, Ben, and Kat Murley.

DOK HOUSEHOLD PRAYER ROTATION LIST

The Daughters of the King [DOK] are members of the oldest order of non-ordained women in the Episcopal Church. Each week, DOK members pray for 11 households in our parish. Prayers for the week of **January 15th** are for:

Those Households with Last Names Beginning with: ORR through PHI

WORSHIP MINISTERS

Preacher & Celebrant: The Reverend Anne Matthews
Altar Guild: Team 2 Peggie Klema | Floral Guild: Debbie Wheeler | Vestry: Darren Grissom
Lay Eucharistic Visitors: Joan Blair, Sue DeVos | DOK Flower Delivery: Amanda Masterson
Worship Support: Michael Balli, Barbara Frazell, Kym Hall,
LoriAnn Lavallee, Jacob Leal, Robin Miner, Nancy Phillips, Brad Powell

8:00 AM

Ushers/Greeters: 8:00 AM Team Ron Betz Crucifer, Lector, and Chalice Bearer: Karen Cannon

10:15 AM

Ushers/Greeters: Team 2 Jim Bissett
Acolyte: Avery Yates | Reader: Deborah Harvill-Ash
Chalice Bearers: Juan Espinoza, Kym Hall | Paten Bearer: Sue DeVos
Choir Director: Don Grantham | Organist: Stephen McElroy

VESTRY OF ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE

The Vestry serves as our Board of Directors. Members are listed below with their terms of office. They are here to help with questions/comments about St. Luke's.

2020-2022	2021-2023	2022-2024	
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Darren Grissom Senior Warden
Austin Collins Junior Warden

Christy Diver Clerk

Brad Powell Treasurer [non-Voting]

FEATURED ANNOUNCEMENTS/KEY DATES

Day/Date	Event	Start	End	Location
Sunday Mornings	Adult Forum	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Parish Hall/Zoom
Sunday Mornings	Parenting Gathering	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Riker Hall: Conference Room
Sunday Mornings	0-5 Years Old: Professional Childcare/Formation	9:00 AM	11:15 AM	Nursery Wing
Sunday Mornings	K-5th Grade Formation	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Riker Hall: Lower Level
Sunday Mornings	6th-12th Grade Formation	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Riker Hall: Youth Space
Sunday Mornings	K-5th Kids' Church	10:15 AM	10:45 AM	Parish Hall
Sunday, January 15, 2023	Livestream of Presiding Bishop Michael Curry's " <i>Power of Love</i> " MLK service	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	Livestream
Monday, January 16, 2023	Women's Bible Study: "The Rock, the Road and the Rabbi"	10:30 AM	11:30 AM	Zoom
Wednesday, January 18, 2023	Adult Coed Bible Study: "Redeeming Your Time"	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	Zoom
Wednesday, January 18, 2023	Deadline to Register for "Walking the Mourner's Path" Facilitator Training			On-line
Sunday, January 29, 2023	Annual Parish Meeting	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	Sanctuary
Wednesday, February 1, 2023	AARP Tax-Aide [by appointment; register on-line]	10:00 AM	2:00 PM	On-line/ Parish Hall
Saturday, February 4, 2023	Crafting Club	10:00 AM	1:30 PM	Parish Hall
Thursday, February 16 - Saturday, February 18, 2023	"Walking the Mourner's Path" Facilitator Training			Parish Hall
Sunday, February 19, 2023	Shrove Sunday Parish Pancake Supper	4:30 PM	7:00 PM	Parish Hall
Sunday, April 2, 2023	Palm Sunday			
Thursday, April 6, 2023	Maundy Thursday			
Friday, April 7, 2023	Good Friday			
Sunday, April 9, 2023	Easter Sunday			
Sunday, May 21, 2023	Bishop's Visitation/Confirmation with Rt. Rev. Andrew Doyle			
Monday, June 12, 2023	Vacation Bible School			

For links to registrations and on-line offerings, visit www.stlukesonthelake.org

For up-to-date information about St. Luke's, register to receive our e-news or visit www.stlukesonthelake.org.

Need help? Contact the office at <u>512.266.2455/office@stlukesonthelake.org.</u>

WELCOME!

ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE EPISCOPAL CHURCH:

A COMMUNITY IN CHRIST AND CHRIST TO THE WORLD

Welcome to St. Luke's! Whether you are joining us today for the first time, or have journeyed with us for years, we pray that you will connect with God in new and powerful ways in our community. Let us open our hearts together to a deeper relationship with a God who loves us and longs to be in relationship with us, and longs for us to be in relationship with one another.

Are You New?

- † About You Please help us connect with you by filling out a *Connection Card*, found in the pew racks/in the Lobby/from the ushers/ via the QR code/on the front page of our website. We will follow up with you however you prefer.
- † About Our Worship Our worship style is interactive. We use the blue *Episcopal Book of Common Prayer* [BCP] as our guide. You will see people sitting, standing, or kneeling depending on whether we are listening, singing, or praying. You will hear people responding during the service as prompted. Please do whatever feels comfortable.
- † Restrooms are located on the lower level, accessible via elevator or stairs.
- † Questions? Please ask anyone near you for help.

Especially For Children

- † Children of all ages are always welcome in our service.
- † Kinder-5th Grade "Kids' Church" is an interactive, kid-friendly worship service. Children are invited before the service to go downstairs to the Fellowship Hall. They return at the Peace. Parents are welcome to join.
- † Infant-Age 5 are invited to our professionally staffed childcare area in our lower level. We offer *Little Liturgy*, an age-appropriate worship time that uses "Godly Play" and Montessori-style early childhood development models. Check in at the bottom of the stairs in Riker Hall.

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