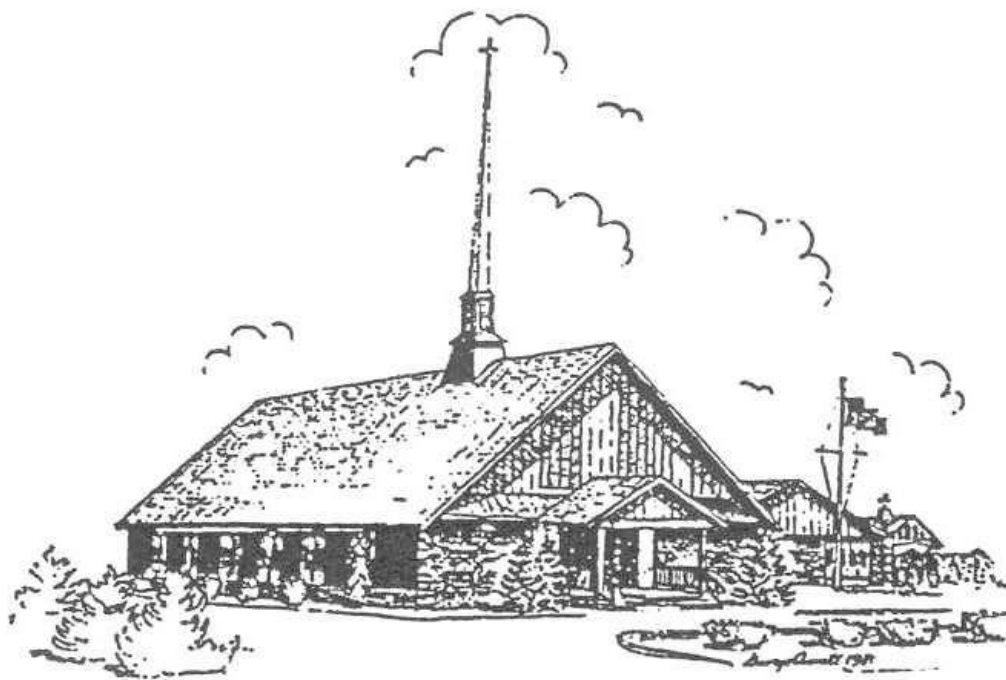


The Holy Eucharist: Rite I

*The Third Sunday in Lent*



*The Episcopal Church of The Holy Innocents  
in the Borough of Beach Haven, New Jersey  
03 March, 2024 ~ 9:30 AM*

*Welcome! In The Episcopal Church, all baptized Christians are welcomed to receive Holy Communion. BCP means The Book of Common Prayer (Red Book). You'll find the BCP and Hymnals in the pew rack in front of you. Please join us for Coffee Hour following the service!*

*\* Indicates to stand as you are able*

**Prelude**

*Meditation*

Edward Broughton

## **THE WORD OF GOD**

**Entrance Hymn #524**

*I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord*

ST. THOMAS

**\*The Opening Acclamation**

**BCP, p. 323**

**The Collect for Purity**

**BCP, p. 323**

**Summary of the Law**

**BCP, p. 324**

*Kyrie S-96 (all sing)*

*Lord, Have Mercy*

Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828)

**The Collect of the Day**

**BCP, p. 167**

**The First Lesson**

**Exodus 20:1-17**

Then God spoke all these words:

I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.

You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. For six days you shall labour and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work—you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it.

Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*All* **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 19** (Read alternating by whole verse)

**BCP, p. 606**

- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God, \*  
and the firmament shows his handiwork.
- 2 One day tells its tale to another, \*  
and one night imparts knowledge to another.
- 3 Although they have no words or language, \*  
and their voices are not heard,

- 4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, \*  
and their message to the ends of the world.
- 5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; \*  
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a  
champion to run its course.
- 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the  
end of it again; \*  
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
- 7 The law of the LORD is perfect and revives the soul; \*  
the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are just and rejoice the heart; \*  
the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives light to the eyes.
- 9 The fear of the LORD is clean and endures for ever; \*  
the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, \*  
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.
- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, \*  
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? \*  
cleanse me from my secret faults.
- 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get  
dominion over me; \*  
then shall I be whole and sound,  
and innocent of a great offense.
- 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in  
your sight, \*  
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

## The Epistle

## I Corinthians 1:18-25

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written,

“I will destroy the wisdom of the wise,  
and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.”

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God’s foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God’s weakness is stronger than human strength.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*All* **Thanks be to God.**

**Sequence Hymn #574** *Before Thy Throne, O God, We Kneel* ST. PETERSBURG

**The Holy Gospel**

**John 2:13-22**

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

*People* **Glory be to thee, O Lord**

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, “Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father’s house a marketplace!” His disciples remembered that it was written, “Zeal for your house will consume me.” The Jews then said to him, “What sign can you show us for doing this?” Jesus answered them, “Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up.” The Jews then said, “This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?” But he was speaking of the temple of his

body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* **Praise be to thee, O Christ.** (*All are seated*)

**The Sermon**

**The Rev. Jack Zamboni +**

**\*The Nicene Creed**

**BCP, p. 326**

**The Prayers of the People**

**BCP, p. 329**

**Confession of Sin**

**BCP, p. 330**

**\*The Peace** (*All stand*)

## **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

**Offertory Anthem**

*My Savior and My God*

Jay Althouse b. (1951)

**\*Presentation of the Gifts** (*All stand*)

*All things come of Thee, O Lord, and of Thine own have we given Thee*

**\*The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II**

**BCP, p. 340**

*Sanctus S-130 (all sing) Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*

Schubert

**The Lord's Prayer**

**BCP, p. 364**

**The Breaking of the Bread**

*Agnus Dei S-164 (all sing) Jesus, Lamb of God*

Schubert

*(All baptized Christians are welcomed to receive Holy Communion.)*

**Music During Communion**

**LEVAS #201** *I've Got Peace Like a River*

Traditional Spiritual

**\*Postcommunion Prayer** (*Please stand*)

**BCP, p. 339**

**Blessing**

**The Parish Notices**

**Hymn #685**

*Rock of Ages*

**TOPLADY**

**Dismissal**

**BCP, p. 366**

**Postlude**

*O When Will I See Jesus?*

Lani Smith (1934-2015)

**WELCOME to The Rev. Jack Zamboni +**

***We are happy you are with us today ☺***

*Coffee Hour is held EVERY SUNDAY - Please join us in Martin Hall!*

**Serving Today:** Crucifer ~ John Wall **Lector** ~ Janine Kleber

**Ushers** ~ Kay DeCicco, Mike DeCicco **Chalice Bearer** ~ Alexa Fahner

### **Parish Prayer List – March 3, 2024**

**PLEASE NOTE:** *If you need to add or remove a name, please contact Lisa Halpin, our Parish Administrator by **Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>**.*

Judy Contreras

Lara Sparks Deitz

Joan Connolly

Mary Ann Crewdson

Dennis

Mary Timmerman

Connie Anderson

Christian Balint

Barney H.

Susan F.

Cheryl

Dayton

Jason

Kirsten Angelozzi

Bob Hendricks

Christine Hendricks

Andy

Kathy & Walter

Ron & Kenny

Jeannine

Priscilla

Judy & Al

Joan & Linda Kelly

Chris C.

Pierro Family

David D'Ambrosia

Barry Longenbach

Robert

Mike

Tony

Aleen

Jan

Elliott

Anne	Karen & DJ	Dennis Hickey
Rosanne & Bob	Juli & Dave	Laura
Lovas Family	Debbie & Joe Reising	Rebecca
Fiona	Graham	Bob
Sue	Melanie	Sophia
Joseph	Paris	Jim Darling
Charles Sullivan	Warren Lamon	Rachel
Louise Muth	Teri Keller	Gia
Cora	Hunter Gideon	Vic Hughes
Rick & Becky Johnson	Frank M.	Ray M.
Kate White	Joey	Diane Dreby
Patty August	Hank Henninger	Canon Don Muller
Sue P.	Pat McCorrison	Ed & Fran Kurocka
The Flagler Family	The Blake/Carolyn Families	Steve & Dawn Swarter
Anne White	Jason Bond	Family & Friends of Austin
Fr. Frank Crumbaugh		

**Those serving in the military and other dangerous professions:**

Paul Bailey, Justin A. Dumhart, Joseph Alexander, Danny Melega, Andrew Wall  
Brandan White

**Birthdays:** Chris Harris (03/05), Lori Anderson (03/06), Gail Jacobsen (03/07)  
Linda Hillman (03/08), Judy Contreras (03/09)

**WEEKLY ONLINE CALENDAR March 6 – March 9**

06 – Wed	Sandwich Ministry	9:30 AM – 11:00 AM
	Choir Rehearsal	11:00 AM – 2:30 PM
	AA (Open) Women’s Meeting	6:00 PM
07 – Thurs	Compline (FB)	9:00 PM
08 – Fri	<i>Parish Office Closed</i>	
	Stations of the Cross	6:00 PM
09 – Sat	Diocese of NJ Convention (Hybrid)	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM



## SAVE THE DATE! Spring 2024 Concerts – reception will follow!

Saturday March 16 *Nocturnes Big Band*

Saturday April 6 *Happy Together* (friends making music)

Sunday June 9 *Capital Singers of Trenton*

### WHILE MTR. C+ is away...

Please reach out to your wardens first and if an emergency arises, the following clergy are on call.

Mtr. Gen Bishop – [stpetersbi.vicar@gmail.com](mailto:stpetersbi.vicar@gmail.com) and (914) 815-8948

Dcn. Judy Krom – [jsk13@comcast.net](mailto:jsk13@comcast.net) and (732) 262-8072

Warden - Dave White – [pacsman1965@comcast.net](mailto:pacsman1965@comcast.net) and (609) 477-8709

Warden – Pat Peacock – [pat.coteypeacock@gmail.com](mailto:pat.coteypeacock@gmail.com) and (609) 709-1240

*Mtr. Caroline+ will be back on March 8th*

### FLOWERS FOR EASTER

If you would like to memorialize loved ones with a donation toward Easter Flowers, kindly mail or drop off your donation to the church office/lock box or place it in the Sunday collection plate. Forms will be available in the Sunday bulletins beginning today, through **Sunday, March 24th**. Make sure the donor and recipient names are **clearly written** and please note “**Flower Guild-Easter**” in the check memo. All donations must be in the office no later than **Monday, March 25th**.

### Give Online to Holy Innocents' Episcopal Church

#### ***It's Easy!***

- Aim your camera
- Snap photo of QR code
- Open & give



***Donate your way.*** Give one time, anytime or set up recurring donation.

***Track your giving.*** Secure and convenient access to your giving history or change recurring donation in your account. Give faithfully anywhere, anytime.

**Holy Innocents' Episcopal Church**  
**presents**



*selections include*  
**Summertime, Skylark**  
**Under the Boardwalk, Route 66**  
**plus an audience sing-a-long**

**Saturday, March 16th at 4PM**

**Holy Innocents' Episcopal Church**  
**Pearl & Marine Streets | Beach Haven NJ 08008**

**free will offering ~ reception to follow**  
**For more information call 609.492.7571**  
email [ejdondero@comcast.net](mailto:ejdondero@comcast.net) | [hichurch08008@gmail.com](mailto:hichurch08008@gmail.com)

# *Easter Flowers*



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Please **PRINT** the donor and recipient names **clearly** and please note **“Flower Guild-Easter”** in the check memo.

YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

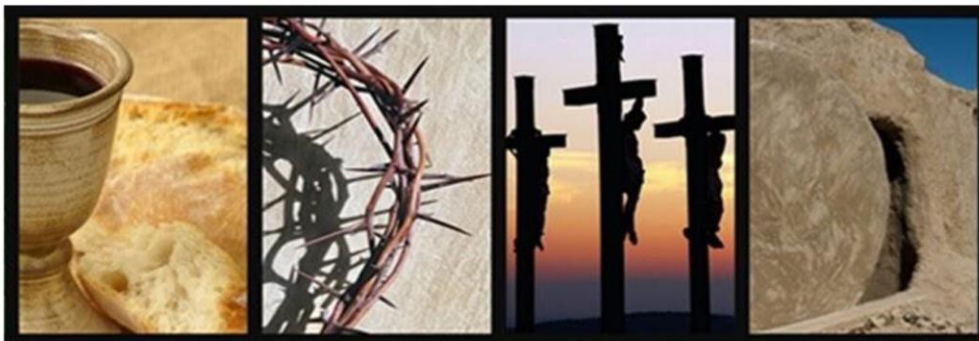
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In order to have all the Memorials acknowledged in the Easter bulletin, return this form to the office no later than Monday, **March 25th.**



## 2024 HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES

### AT HOLY INNOCENTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

410 S. Atlantic Avenue, Beach Haven, NJ 08008 [Hichurch08008@gmail.com](mailto:Hichurch08008@gmail.com) (609) 492-7571

March 24	9:30 AM <b>Palm Sunday</b> — Holy Eucharist, Choir
March 28	6:00 PM <b>Maundy Thursday</b> — Holy Eucharist, Footwashing, Choir
March 28	7:30 PM until 6:00 AM - <b>Gethsemane Watch</b> - Vigil
March 29	12:00 noon - <b>Good Friday</b> — Holy Eucharist from Reserve, Choir
March 30	7:21 PM <b>The Great Vigil of Easter</b> — Candlelit service, Holy Eucharist, Begins in Memorial Garden one minute after sunset
March 31	9:30 AM <b>Easter Day</b> — Holy Eucharist, Choir, Brass. Reception & Egg Hunt following Easter morning service!

Annual Children's **EASTER EGG HUNT** on **Easter Day, March 31<sup>st</sup>** following Easter morning service. All children attending the 9:30 service are invited to participate!

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**OFFICE HOURS – Monday through Thursday 9 AM to 2 PM**