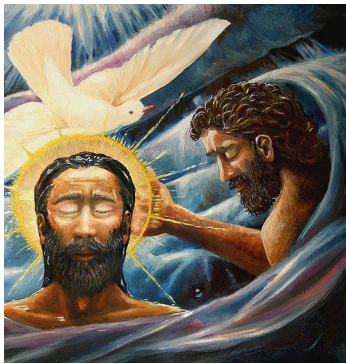


All Saints' Memorial Church

The First Sunday after the Epiphany:
The Baptism of our Lord
8 am and 10 am Holy Eucharist
Sunday, January 12, 2025



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Welcome to All Saints' Memorial Church for worship!

Whether this is your first time here, or a first time in a long time, please know a few things:

All are welcome—always!

Restrooms are located in the Parish Hall (the building closest to the parking lot).

The entire order of service with readings, except for the hymns, is contained in the bulletin. Hymns are sung at the 10 am service only.

Our hymns and service music are located in the *blue 1982 Hymnal*. Service music is indicated by an 'S' in the front, and is located in the front part of the Hymnal. Hymns are indicated by their number in the Hymnal.

We normally stand to sing the hymns, for the reading of the gospel and prayers; and are seated for readings, Psalm, and the homily. It is traditional to kneel for the confession.

The Sign of the Peace is to be exchanged from your own pew. Please respect your neighbor's choice of greeting whether it is by handshake, or by elbow or fist bumps, waving, bowing, or giving the peace sign to those in the pews surrounding you.

All are welcome to receive communion regardless of age or your faith background:

Ushers will guide you to the communion rail; you may receive communion either standing or kneeling.

We receive in both kinds: bread in the hand which you may consume immediately and then drink from the cup, or you may retain the bread to dip into the cup; please be careful so fingers do not touch the wine.

You may also come to the altar for blessing instead; please indicate by crossing your arms over your chest, or tell the priest.

If you are unable to make the trip to the communion rail, please let the ushers know and communion will be brought to you.

Please join us for food and fellowship after the service in our Parish Hall!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. If you have any questions about All Saints' or The Episcopal Church, please feel free to speak to Mother Debbie after the service.

Note:

If you have any symptoms known to Covid 19 or the flu (fever, muscle aches, headache, loss of smell or taste, nausea or vomiting, cough, trouble breathing, among others), please refrain from attending in person.

If you are immuno-compromised and need a mask, we have them available at the entrance Table.

The First Sunday after the Epiphany
January 12th, 2025

Prelude

On Jordan's Bank
Charles Callahan

Processional Hymn #135

Songs of Thankfulness and Praise
Salzburg

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Celebrant says

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.*

Gloria, said at 8 am service, sung at 10 am

Glory to God in the highest, *S277*
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you

People: **And also with you**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Collect of the Day

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

Please be seated

READINGS

First Reading

Isaiah 43:1-7

A reading from the Book of Isaiah

Thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel:

Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.

I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth--everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 29

said responsively by whole verse

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, *
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; *
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is upon the waters;
the God of glory thunders; *
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; *
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; *
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, *
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire;
the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; *
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 8 The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe *
and strips the forests bare.
- 9 And in the temple of the LORD *
all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; *
the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.
- 11 The LORD shall give strength to his people; *
the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace.

Second Reading

Acts 8:14-17

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

When the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

Reader
People

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn #76

On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry
Winchester New

Please stand as able

The Holy Gospel

Luke 3:15-17,21-22

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

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

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased. "

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Please be seated

Sermon

Mother Debbie

Please stand as able

Nicene Creed (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.

Prayers of the People *(remain standing)*

Deacon: We look in faith today toward the Lord, the one on whom God's favor rests. In confidence let us bring our petitions to the Lord's altar, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader: For those who lead and serve in the Church throughout the world, that they and all your faithful people be led to carry on the work of Jesus in the world today. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For our nation and all the nations of the world; that our leaders may work together for reconciliation from all that can divide us if we let it, and instead guide us into peace, unity and justice. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For your wondrous creation, O God; that we may treat all of your creation with respect and dignity and care, seeking your hand at work in the world about us. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all those who are being baptized into the body of Christ that they too are created for glory. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the consolation and support of all who are imprisoned: physically, spiritually, emotionally; for all those who are sick and suffering, particularly Kelly, Patric, Jimmy, Gary, Norman, Richard, Mary, Connie, Olga, Alice, Tricia, Patty, Michelle, Russell, William, Maureen, Kathy, Mary, Harry, Valerie, Chris, John, Pam, Clara & John, Miriam, Ray, Elsie, Libby, Georgia, Susan, and Virginia We ask that you revive and heal them and that your joy be their strength. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all who serve our communities and our nation, particularly service members, first responders and health care workers: David, Max, Ryan, John, Neema, Sonia, Anthony, Pat, Bonnie, Jessie, Trent, Candy, Erin, Nick, Phil, Andrew and Jeremy, that they exercise their duties faithfully and well. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all those who have died, especially Joan, that they may rest in the assurance of your promise; and for all who mourn, The Kimm family that they know that you bless and keep your children forever. Let us pray to the Lord, saying: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

We invite your own prayers of intercession and thanksgiving at this time, either silently or aloud...

Celebrant: All loving and ever-faithful God, we thank you for the gift of your Son. As his disciples, we have offered our prayers. Hear them and answer them in His name, Jesus your beloved Son and our Lord, forever and ever. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

Kneel as able or remain standing

Deacon: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence.

Minister and People

**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.**

The Priest says

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.**

The Peace

*Celebrant
People*

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

Announcements for Mission and Ministry

Thanksgivings and prayers for special intentions

Offertory Music

Doxology Hymn # 380 vs. 3 *(please stand)*

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Eucharistic Prayer B

The people stand as able

*Celebrant
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The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. 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:

Celebrant and People

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

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Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand as able or kneel

The Celebrant continues

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 night 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

**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. Joseph and the Virgin Mary 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.*

The Celebrant then continues

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

People and Celebrant

**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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread; A period of silence is kept.

The Fraction Anthem

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Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the Feast. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

The Celebrant says

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.

Communion Music

Please be seated until you can come forward to receive. All persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. We receive bread in the hand. You may retain it to dip into the cup; please be careful so fingers do not touch the wine. You may also drink from the cup. For those worshipping with us online, you are invited to use the Prayer for Spiritual Communion.

After Communion, all stand for the final prayer and blessing.

The Celebrant says

Let us pray. *(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.
Blessing**

Recessional Hymn #636

How Firm a Foundation
Foundation

Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Songs of Thankfulness and Praise
Ralph C. Schultz

For those worshipping with us online
A Prayer for Spiritual Communion

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you.

May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen

Save the Dates

Monday, January 13th

Ministry Annual reports Due

Saturday, January 18th

Diocesan Confirmation Service at Trinity Cathedral

Sunday, January 26th

One 9 am Service followed by Annual Meeting

Auction Meeting

Sunday, January 19th at 11:30 am in Parish Hall

Last year's Auction was a success—thanks to such a great committee. It take many hands and hearts to shepherd this large annual fundraiser—so, *come and see!* to find out how you can be a part.

Sunday, February 9th

Souper-bowl Soup and Bread Sale

We need your donations of soups, stews, chili, breads, quick breads and the like!

Sign up on the sheet in the back or online.

Parish Annual Meeting
Sunday, January 26th
Following ONE combined 9 am service

Join us on this important day in the life of All Saints'. We will have ONE service at 9 am (with Sunday school), followed by our Parish Annual meeting. At the Annual meeting, we will elect our Jr. Warden, Vestry members, delegates to Convention and Convocation, hear about the ministries of the church and the upcoming budget. God willing—we can gather in the Parish Hall with a potluck brunch!

You can also attend the meeting via Zoom, if needed, though we are hoping that as many as possible will be able to be with us.

ON LINE GIVING OPTIONS

Text to Give:

- Text the word GIVE to 732-400-5774;
- If this is your first time, it will direct you to a screen to setup a giving method—either via credit card or using ACH (from your bank account). *Whatever method you pick will be the method Text-to-give continues to use for subsequent donations.*
- Enter the information and pick your amount.
- For future donations, text GIVE to the same number, answer the prompt for the amount, and the donation will be processed.

Rather do this from the web? Go to:

<https://allsaintsnavesink.breezechms.com/give/online>

Calendar of Events

Sunday, January 12th

8:00 am Holy Eucharist in Church

9:00 am Family Service in Church

10:00 am Holy Eucharist in Church (livestreamed)

Coffee Hour in Parish Hall

Tuesday, January 14th

9:00 pm Compline on Facebook Live

Wednesday, January 15th

10:00 am Healing Service

11:00 Bible Study: The Gospel of Luke, in Parish Hall

Thursday, January 16th

7:00 pm Vestry Meeting in Hall and on Zoom

9:00 pm Compline on Facebook Live

Saturday, January 18th

10 am Diocesan Confirmation Service at Cathedral

3 pm Martin Luther King Jr. Service at Cathedral

Sunday, January 19th

8:00 am Holy Eucharist in Church

9:55 am Sunday School in Parish Hall

10:00 am Holy Eucharist in Church (livestreamed)

Coffee Hour in Parish Hall

Auction Committee: Exploratory committee meeting