

Prayer During Communion

Post-Communion Cantic ~ LBW p. 93 *Lord, Now You Let Your Servant stand and sing once everyone has received the sacrament. In this song or chant, we offer our thanks and express our faith in what God has done for us and promised to do for us in the future.)*

+WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD+

Post-Communion Prayer and Benediction ~ LBW p. 94
Praying Minister: Let us pray ... Jesus Christ our Lord.
Prayer: Amen.

Prayer (chanting): Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.
Prayer (chanting): Amen.

Post-Communion Hymn ~ LBW Hymn #188 *I Bind unto Myself Today*
TRICK'S BREADPLATE VS. 1, 2, 5
The cross is carried out, we turn to follow it as we sing. Now nurtured through God's love and sacrament, we are ready to go forth into the world again.)

Dismissal
Prayer standing, facing the back of the church. The assisting minister concludes the service and sends us forth into the world.)
Praying Minister: Let us go in peace. The Word has been fulfilled.
Prayer: Thanks be to God.

Prayer

CALENDAR

Sunday, January 9 – The Baptism of Our Lord

9:00 am Spoken Word Service
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service with Eucharist

Tuesday and Thursday

9 am – 2 pm First Friends

Thursday, January 13

7:00 pm Finance Committee
8:00 pm Executive Committee

Sunday, January 16 – The Second Sunday after Epiphany

9:00 am Spoken Word Service
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service with Eucharist
12:30 pm Church Council Meeting

CHURCH STAFF

Pr. Evan McClanahan, Pastor
Mario Aschauer, Organist
Hannah Cen, Organ Scholar
Peter Okumu, Sexton
Cheryl Santibanez, Office Administrator
Mary Kay Buehler, Choir Director
Amanda McClanahan, Director of First Friends
Pr. Edwin Peterman, Pastor Emeritus
Carroll Shaddock, Director Emeritus of Music

WORSHIP ENABLERS TODAY

Greg and Christopher Ranft, Aubrey Maale	Ushers
Carolyn Hokanson, Eric Olson	Altar Guild
Donald Hackler	Assisting Minister
Andrea Ranft	Server/Crucifer
Kaitlyn Ranft	Acolyte
Evan McClanahan	Liturgist, Preacher
Mario Aschauer	Organist
Mary Kay Buehler	Choir Director

+WE LISTEN TO GOD’S WORD+

First Lesson ~ Isaiah 43:1-7

Now thus says Yahweh, 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 Yahweh 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 will 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 have redeemed and made."

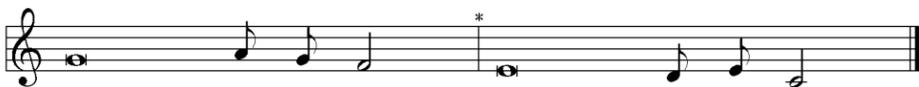
Assisting Minister: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Psalmody (*chanted responsively*) **Psalm 29**

Choir will chant the odd numbered verses and the congregation will respond with the even numbered (bolded) verses.

1st Tone 1



tribute to the | Lord, you gods,*
 ascribe to the Lord glo- | ry and strength.
tribute to the Lord the glory | due his name;*
worship the Lord in the beau- | ty of holiness.
 The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of | glory thunders;*
 the Lord is upon the | mighty waters.
The voice of the Lord is a pow- | erful voice;*
the voice of the Lord is a | voice of splendor.
 The voice of the Lord breaks the | cedar trees;*
 the Lord breaks the ce- | dars of Lebanon;
makes Lebanon skip | like a calf,*
and Mount Hermon like a | young wild ox.
 The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire;
 the voice of the Lord | shakes the wilderness;*
 the Lord shakes the wilder- | ness of Kadesh.
**The voice of the Lord makes the | oak trees writhe*
 and strips the | forests bare.**
 Like a lion in the temple | of the Lord*
 the Lord are | crying, "Glory!"
The Lord sits enthroned a- | bove the flood;*
the Lord sits enthroned as | king forevermore.
 The Lord shall give strength | to his people;*
 the Lord shall give his people the bless- | ing of peace.

The Second Lesson ~ Acts 8:14-17

Now 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.

Assisting Minister: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Stand

Gradual (*choir only*) *The congregation is invited to join the "Alleluias"*

The Gospel Lesson ~ Luke 3:15-22 (KJV)

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 3rd chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord

And as the people were in expectation, and all men mused in their hearts of John whether he were the Christ, or not; John answered, saying unto them all, I indeed baptize you with water; but one mightier than I cometh, the latchet of whose shoes I am not worthy to unloose: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost and with fire. Whose fan is in his hand, and he will thoroughly purge his floor, and will gather the wheat into his garner; but the chaff he will burn with fire unquenchable. And many other things in his exhortation preached he unto the people. But Herod the tetrarch, being reprov'd by him for Herodias his brother Philip's wife, and for all the evils which Herod had done, Added yet this above all, that he shut up John in prison. Now when all the people were baptized, it came to pass, that Jesus also being baptized, and praying, the heaven was opened, And the Holy Ghost descended in a bodily shape like a dove upon him, and a voice came from heaven which said, Thou art my beloved Son; in thee I am well pleased.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you O Christ.

The Sermon

Hymn of the Day ~ LBW #88 *Oh, Love, How Deep*

DEO GRACIAS

Nicene Creed ~ LBW p. 84

Prayers of the People

Assisting Minister: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

(Each petition will end with the response:)

Assisting Minister: Lord, in Your mercy.

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Pastor: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Congregation: Amen.**

The Greeting of Peace

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Congregation: And also with you.

(We repeat this greeting to those around us as you are comfortable.)

Choral Anthem