

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, November 4	Morning Prayer	9:00am
Tuesday, November 5	Ladies Exercise Group	9:15am
Wednesday, November 6	Choir Rehearsal	7:00pm-8:30pm
Thursday, November 7	NO Ladies Exercise Group	
	Mah Jongg	1:00pm
	Bible Study at the Parsonage	3:00pm
	Evening Prayer	5:00pm
	AA	7:00pm
Friday, November 8	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	
Sunday, November 10	The Holy Eucharist: Rite II	9:30am
<i>22nd Day after Pentecost</i>	Fellowship	10:30am

The Holy Eucharist for The Sunday After *All Saints' Day* and the *Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed* (*All Souls'*) Rite II



THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS

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*The Episcopal Church of The Holy Innocents
in the Borough of Beach Haven, New Jersey*

3 November, 2019 ~ 9:30 AM

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS~November 3, 2019

The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

Welcome! *The liturgy is found in the **Red** Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the Music is found in the **Blue** Hymnal. If you are a baptized Christian, regardless of denomination, you are welcome to receive Holy Communion. You may receive both the Bread and the Wine or just the Bread. If you do not wish to receive Communion, cross your hands over your heart as a sign to the clergy. If you find you are comfortable here and ready to talk about becoming a member of The Episcopal Church, please speak with our clergy. They are glad to help.*

9:25 am - Sacrament of Healing

(If you would like prayers for healing for yourself and/or in intercession for a loved one, please come forward to the altar rail.)

Prelude

(Please observe respectful quiet during the Healing & Prelude. Thank you.)

** Indicates to stand as you are able*

THE WORD OF GOD

***Hymn in Procession 287** *For All the Saints* (verses 1-4) SINE NOMINE

Celebrant: Blessed be the one, holy and living God.

*All: **Glory to God for ever and ever.***

Celebrant: There is one Body and one Spirit;

*All: **There is one hope in God's call to us;***

Celebrant: One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

*All: **One God and Creator of all.***

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. *All: **Amen.***

***Hymn of Praise 286** *Who Are These Like Stars Appearing?*

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BUSINESS MATTERS at Holy Innocents'

A **Nomination Committee** has been formed and work has begun to determine a slate of eligible members for election to serve on the Vestry. If you are interested in running for a position on the Vestry, please see a member of the Nomination Committee.

Members:

Florence Bouldin, Chair

Ellen Dondero

Gail South

King Sparks

Timeline:

Present slate to Vestry at either November or December meeting
Election by church membership at January 12th annual meeting

Samaritan's Purse Fundraiser

Shoe boxes to fill (or use your own) are available TODAY and will be collected on Sunday, November 17, 2019, so they can reach the children by Christmas. Call or see Ruth McLaughlin for more info.
(609-492-8135)

Stewardship Thank You

A sincere Thank You to members of the Stewardship Committee for all of their hard work during Stewardship season: Pat Peacock, Ellen Dondero, Bruce Hillyer, Barry Longenbach, and Mary Jane Mannherz. If you have not yet pledged, know that we are happy to accept your pledge at any time!
Pledge cards are available in the office.

Your help needed!

Both the Flower Guild and Altar Guild need new members!
No experience necessary

If you are not yet a member of The Episcopal Church or of Holy Innocents' in particular, and you would like to consider it, please contact one of our clergy.

Parish Prayer List for the Week of November 3, 2019

After the last Sunday of each month, all names will be removed from this Prayer List. If you would like a name to remain for another month, please contact the Parish Administrator in the Church Office by the Thursday before the first Sunday of each month. You may add or remove names at any time during the month. Please be sure to give us the first name of the person to be prayed for. Last names may be given as well, if desired. Thank you.

Ada	Meg Dougher	Joe McCarter
Aime	Carol Earl	Virginia Nicholas
Annabel	Faye & Ed	Nickie
Anne	Frank	Sue Pritchard
Glen Allen	Erma Green	Carol Ann Renzland
Sharon Baalam	John W.	Marylyn S.
Diane Babiy	Johnny	Lara Sparks
Beverlee	Deacon Judy	Linda S.
Marie Bregler	Judy C.	Charles & Nancy Steinmann
Jeannine	Kate & Simon	Colin Walker
Peg Cadigan	Diane Lee	Barbara Walston
Joan Connolly	Charles González	Ann White
Joan Cunningham	Luis González	Rebecca & Genevieve Whitley
Michael Read Davis	Gail Lovenduski	Suzette & Kneeland Whiting
Donald Deacon	Maryann & Greg	Robert Thomas
Carol Dobbins	Cecily Lovas	Annie
Judy Contreras	Bob P.	Bonnie G.
Javy	Maryjane O.	Curt M.
Kathy R.	Peg S.	Rick R.
Anne J.		

Those serving in the military and other dangerous professions:

Andrew Wall, Brandan White, Joseph Alexander, Zachary Arlin, Paul Bailey, Justin A. Dumhart

Birthdays: Frank Payne (11/04), Shane Koeppe (11/09)

Karen Vaughan (11/07)

Anniversaries: Charles & Virginia Nicholas (11/06)

***The Collect for All Saints**

BCP, p. 234

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. All: *Amen.*

***The Collect for the Departed**

Celebrant: Let us pray. Eternal Lord God, you hold all souls in life: Give to your whole Church in paradise and on earth your light and your peace; and grant that we, following the good examples of those who have served you here and are now at rest, may at the last enter with them into your unending joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. All: *Amen.*

The First Lesson *Eulogy of the Ancestors* Ecclesiasticus 44:1-10,13-14

Let us now sing the praises of famous men,
our ancestors in their generations.
The Lord apportioned to them great glory,
his majesty from the beginning.
There were those who ruled in their kingdoms,
and made a name for themselves by their valor;
those who gave counsel because they were intelligent;
those who spoke in prophetic oracles;
those who led the people by their counsels
and by their knowledge of the people's lore;
they were wise in their words of instruction;
those who composed musical tunes,
or put verses in writing;
rich men endowed with resources,
living peacefully in their homes--

all these were honored in their generations,
and were the pride of their times.
Some of them have left behind a name,
so that others declare their praise.
But of others there is no memory;
they have perished as though they had never existed;
they have become as though they had never been born,
they and their children after them.
But these also were godly men,
whose righteous deeds have not been forgotten;
Their offspring will continue forever,
and their glory will never be blotted out.
Their bodies are buried in peace,
but their name lives on generation after generation.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

The Gradual: Psalm 149 (*Read responsively by whole verse*)

- 1 Hallelujah!
Sing to the LORD a new song; *
sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.
- 2 Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; *
let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.
- 3 Let them praise his Name in the dance; *
let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.
- 4 For the LORD takes pleasure in his people *
and adorns the poor with victory.
- 5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; *
let them be joyful on their beds.
- 6 Let the praises of God be in their throat *
and a two-edged sword in their hand;
- 7 To wreak vengeance on the nations *
and punishment on the peoples;
- 8 To bind their kings in chains *
and their nobles with links of iron;

The Breaking of the Bread

[*Alleluia.*] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All: **Therefore let us keep the feast.** [*Alleluia.*]

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

Fraction Anthem: *Agnus Dei S-164*

Franz Peter Schubert

Postcommunion Prayer (*Stand or kneel*)

BCP, p. 365

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

May Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate this festival of all the Saints, be now and evermore your guide and companion in the way. *Amen.*

May God, who has bound us together in the company of the elect, in this age and the age to come, attend to the prayers of his faithful servants on your behalf, as he hears your prayers for them. *Amen.*

May God, who has given us, in the lives of his saints, patterns of holy living and victorious dying, strengthen your faith and devotion, and enable you to bear witness to the truth against all adversity. *Amen.*

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

***Hymn 625** *Ye Holy Angels Bright*

DARWALL'S 148th

*Dismissal

BCP, p. 366

Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. *Alleluia! Alleluia!*

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Postlude

Sanctus and Benedictus S-129 (All sing)
(The People may stand or kneel)

Robert Powell

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. 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. *All: AMEN.*

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

9 To inflict on them the judgment decreed; *
this is glory for all his faithful people.
Hallelujah!

The Epistle

Revelation 7:2-4,9-17

I saw another angel ascending from the rising of the sun, having the seal of the living God, and he called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to damage earth and sea, saying, "Do not damage the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have marked the servants of our God with a seal on their foreheads." And I heard the number of those who were sealed, one hundred forty-four thousand, sealed out of every tribe of the people of Israel. After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing:

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.

"Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows. " Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

The Sequence Hymn 293 *I Sing a Song of the Saints of God*

GRAND ISLE

***The Holy Gospel**

Matthew 5:1-12

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

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

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.** *(All are seated)*

The Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Caroline Carson

***The Renewal of The Baptismal Covenant**

Celebrant: We are gathered to celebrate our membership in the Body of Christ, and the Communion of the Saints, the living and the dead. I call upon you, therefore, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his holy catholic Church.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

People **I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit**

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.

Absolution

BCP, p. 360

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

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

People: **And also with you.**

The Parish Notices

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory

Anthem: *Heavenly Home*

Mary MacDonald (b. 1956)

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

***The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A**

BCP, p. 361

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in 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:

Commemoration of the Dead

Celebrant: Let us pray.

(Silence)

Almighty and everliving God, you have made all things in your wisdom and established the boundaries of life and death: Grant that all who have died may enjoy that rest and peace which you have appointed for your people; through Jesus Christ who is Resurrection and Life, and who lives and reigns forever and ever. *Amen.*

(The Clergy now read the names of each of the deceased loved ones and friends memorialized this All Saints' Sunday. A Bell is rung and a brief silence observed after each name. Other deceased loved ones and friends may be remembered by the congregation at this time as well.)

Celebrant: We pray for those who have died in the past year.

(Silence)

You, O Lord, have made us from the dust of the earth and to dust our bodies shall return; yet you have also breathed your Spirit upon us and called us to new life in you: Have mercy upon us, now and at the hour of our death; through Jesus Christ, our mediator and advocate. *Amen.*

Celebrant: Lord Jesus Christ, we commend to you our brothers and sisters, who were reborn by water and the Spirit in Holy Baptism, and those whose faith is known to you alone. Grant that their deaths may recall to us your victory over death, and be an occasion for us to renew our trust in your Father's love. Give us, we pray, the faith to follow where you have led the way; and where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, to the ages of ages.

All: *Amen.*

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

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 born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People **I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.**

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and

bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. All: *Amen*.

***The Prayers of the People: Form III**

BCP, p. 388

(The people may stand or kneel)

Deacon: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

Leader: Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;

People: **That we all may be one.**

Leader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

People: **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

Leader: In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church of Bermuda: The Rt Revd Nicholas Dill, and for his clergy and people.

We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; for William our Bishop; for Judith our Deacon, for Caroline, our Rector. We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

People: **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

Leader: For Nancy our Mayor, Philip our Governor, and Donald our President; We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

People: **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

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

People: **That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Leader: We pray for the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially remembering all victims of climate change, and for the poor. We also remember all those mentioned in our Parish Prayer List: the sick, the shut in, and the grieving; those serving in the military and other dangerous professions, and for our enemies, that all hearts may be turned to peace. Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

People: **That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Leader: Give to the departed eternal rest.

People: **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

Leader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

People: **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Leader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. *(The People may add their own petitions.)*

Remembering the Saints who have gone on before (BCP, p. 497)

Deacon: For our brothers and sisters who have gone on before, let us pray to our Lord Jesus Christ who said, I am Resurrection and I am Life. *Silence*

Deacon: Lord, you consoled Martha and Mary in their distress; draw near to us who mourn for our deceased loved ones, and dry the tears of those who weep.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Celebrant: You wept at the grave of Lazarus, your friend; comfort us in our sorrow.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Deacon: You raised the dead to life; give to our brothers and sisters eternal life.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Celebrant: You promised paradise to the thief who repented; bring our loved ones to the joys of heaven.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Deacon: They were washed in Baptism and anointed with the Holy Spirit; give them fellowship with all your saints.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Celebrant: They were nourished with your Body and Blood; grant them a place at the table in your heavenly kingdom.

People: **Hear us, Lord.**

Deacon: Comfort us in our sorrows at the death of our brothers and sisters; let our faith be our consolation, and eternal life our hope.

Silence