

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

The congregation is asked to remain prayerfully silent during the prelude.

Prelude		
*PROCESSIONAL HYMN	Jesus Christ Is Risen Today	Hymn #207
*OPENING ACCLAMATION		BCP 355
*THE GLORIA		Hymn #S-280
*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY		

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST LESSON		Acts 10:34-43
PSALM		Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 BCP 760
SECOND LESSON		1st Corinthians 15:19-26
*SEQUENCE HYMN	Welcome Happy Morning	Hymn #179 vs 1-4
*THE HOLY GOSPEL		LUKE 24:1-12
THE SERMON		<i>Father Daniel</i>
*RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS		BCP 292
*THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE-FORM 3		BCP 387
Please pray for the following this week: Henry, Sandy H, Jacki V, Carol, Edna, Stephanie, Marianne, Garry, Erin and her unborn child, Michaela, Doris, Tammy, Sydney, Susan McGee.		
THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS		BCP 360
*THE EXCHANGE OF PEACE		
ANNOUNCEMENTS, BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES		
OFFERTORY	“GOD OF THE SPARROWS, GOD OF THE WHALES” ST. CHRISTOPHER’S KIDS	
*DOXOLOGY		Hymn #380, vs 3
<i>*Signifies times to stand, if able.</i>		

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Celebrant: All things come of Thee, O Lord
People: *And of Thine own have we given Thee*

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING RITE II: Eucharistic Prayer D		BCP 372
*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY		Hymn S#125
THE LORD’S PRAYER		BCP 364
FRACTION ANTHEM		HYMN S#152
INVITATION TO COMMUNION (All baptized persons are welcome at the Lord’s Table for communion.)		
COMMUNION HYMN	I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE	Hymn #335
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION		BCP 365

*THE BLESSING		
*RECESSIONAL HYMN	HE IS RISEN! HE IS RISEN!	Hymn #180
*DISMISSAL	If you seek prayer for someone or something and wish them to be included on our prayer list, please Contact Esther Camm at Sarahnicole151@yahoo.com	

Special thanks to everyone who helped make our Easter Celebration so wonderful, especially our singing children: Owen Orefice, Ellie Orefice, Athena Hannon and Dominick Ducat!!

*Please join us after the service for a Special Edition of our always wonderful coffee hour. You never know what kind of treats and surprises are in store for children of **all** ages!*

***** It’s the time of the year to support those families at Shadybrook and Oak View Elementary Schools in need of assistance over the summer via our **Chefherds for Lambs** program. As has been done for the past 14 years, we are seeking donations from the congregation to pay for such non-SNAP benefits as laundry detergent, toilet paper, or diapers, if needed. These are items that food stamps don’t cover. Donations may be made in cash, by check, payable to the church or on-line with the same notation. All donation methods must be marked Chefherds for Lambs. The suggested donation this year is \$35.00 per person or \$65.00 per family. However, any amount will be gratefully accepted. Collection will occur April 27th through May 18th. Thank you very much for your generosity and support of this outreach ministry. *****

Upcoming events:
April 26th, Vestry Meeting, 10:00 AM, Parish Hall
April 27th, Open Door Ministry meal, sign up in the Parish Hall or see Bonnie Ravazzani

Donations of non-perishable food and personal care items are always accepted for Northwood Ministries

Handicapped accessible restrooms are located in the Parish House.

(Use the ramped entrance through the Parish Hall.)

PASTORAL NEEDS THE OFFICE IS OPEN ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND THURSDAY FROM 9:00-12:00 PM. FATHER DANIEL IS USUALLY IN THE OFFICE ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. IT IS HELPFUL FOR OUR FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS IF YOU CALL THE OFFICE (336-869-5311) AHEAD OF YOUR VISIT AND LET THEM KNOW YOU ARE COMING. IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES, FATHER'S CELL PHONE NUMBER IS 512-410-9413 AND HIS EMAIL IS Vicar@st-christopher.org

THOSE ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

LECTORS: TONI ROUTT AND BETH GESNER

ACOLYTE: RAY NORMAN

VERGER: BOB BRYANT

LEMS: SUSAN PABON AND BETH GESNER

ORGANIST: MARK HILL **KEYBOARD:** JIM AUGSBURGER **PIANO:** JOAN RAUCH

ALTAR GUILD: CYNTHIA WATTS, ESTHER CAMM, JOAN RAUCH

VESTRY MEMBERS OF THE WEEK: MELTA GIBBS AND TERRY ROPIC

COFFEE HOUR: RICHARD AND BETH GESNER

VESTRY

TONI ROUTT, SENIOR WARDEN

JOAN RAUCH, JUNIOR WARDEN

JIM AUGSBURGER

MELTA GIBBS

SUSAN PABON

TERRY ROPIC

BOB BRYANT, TREASURER

SARAH LAWRENCE, CLERK



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