

Seventh Sunday After Epiphany

Grace Episcopal Church

The Rt. Rev. Dr. John C. Bauerschmidt, Bishop
The Rev. Joseph N. Davis, Vicar
Deanie Moore, Director of Music

February 20, 2022

*Please keep silence in the church before the service
and turn off all cell phones.*

Prelude

Procession “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” Hymn 657

Acclamation BCP, p. 355

Priest: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever.
Amen.

Collect for Purity

Gloria BCP, p. 356

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 211

First Reading: Genesis: 45:3-11, 15

Psalms 37:1-12, 41-42 BCP, p. 633

Epistle 1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50

Sequence “God is Love, and Where True Love Is ” Hymn 577

The Gospel Luke 6:27-38

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Reverend Joseph N. Davis

Nicene Creed BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People Form V, BCP, p. 389

Confession BCP, p. 360

The Peace BCP, p. 360

Offertory Sentence

Offertory "Lord, Make Us Servants of Your Peace" Hymn 593
(All stand and sing.)

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B BCP, p. 367

Sanctus BCP, p. 362

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Pascha Nostrum BCP, p. 364

Priest: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

(You may come to the altar rail for communion. Please note that we will not practice intinction for the time being. If you prefer not to receive the chalice, please cross your arms and bow your head when the priest or chalice bearer comes by.

If you would like a blessing instead of receiving communion, bow your head and cross your arms over your chest, and the priest will give you a blessing.)

Post Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” Hymn 390

The Dismissal

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

A Note to Visitors

We are glad to have you with us. Please fill out a visitor's card and drop it in the offering plate and sign our guest register in the narthex. If you have any questions about our service or about membership in Grace Church, please tell Fr. Joe, one of our members, or reach out to us at one of the email addresses listed on the last page of this bulletin.

Giving to Grace Church

To make a contribution to Grace Church, you may put a check in the offering plate or you may mail your offering to the office. You may also make a contribution online through our website. The easiest way to give for you may be to scan the computer code below into your smartphone and follow the instructions on the website that comes up.

If you have particular needs for prayer or other ministrations of the Church, please contact me, the office, or the senior warden.

Father Joe



Clergy Silent Retreat

For over a decade, our diocese has had a silent for the clergy in the wintertime. Silent retreats have been an important part of my life since I first went on retreat before seeking to become a postulant in this diocese (before seminary). This Monday through Thursday, I will be going on this year's silent retreat at St. Mary's Retreat and Conference Center. We will not have a service on Wednesday. I will look forward to seeing you next Sunday.

Ash Wednesday, March 2

Ash Wednesday begins the season of Lent. During this service, after the lessons and the sermon, we recite Psalm 51, after which we receive on our foreheads the imposition of ashes as the priest says, "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return." Thus, we are reminded of the mortality we share with Jesus himself as we begin the season that leads to Passion Week and Easter, when we celebrate his resurrection from the dead and proclaim his victory over death. We continue with a litany of penitence and the Holy Eucharist. Ash Wednesday is a day for strict fast. Do what you need to do to take good care of yourself, but if you can do it, it is good to abstain from solid food most of the day. (Drink plenty of fluids for your health's sake.) Time: to be announced.

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to bring glory to God, build the spirituality of our people,
and bring Christ to our community.