

Grace Episcopal Church

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It is the Mission of Grace Episcopal Church
to bring glory to God, build the spirituality of our people,
and bring Christ to our community.

The Fourth Sunday after Epiphany Grace Episcopal Church

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January 28, 2024
10:00 a.m.

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

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.

Inquirers Class

The inquirers' class will be at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday.

Upcoming Events: Pancake Supper and Ash Wednesday

The Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper is coming up on February 13. It is time to mark your calendars and for the cooks to make preparations. This is always a night of fun before Lent starts.

The next day will be Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, on February 14. We will have two services that day, one at noon and one at 6:00 p.m. At both, we will have the imposition of ashes and the Holy Eucharist.

The Gospel

Mark 1:21-28

Before the Gospel

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

After the Gospel

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 III, BCP, p. 387

Confession

BCP, p. 360

The Peace

BCP, p. 360

Offertory Sentence

Offertory

"Ye Servants of God"

Hymn 535

(All stand and sing.)

The Great Thanksgiving

(All baptized Christians are invited to receive communion.)

Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP, p. 367

Sanctus

Hymn S-124; BCP, p. 362

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Pascha Nostrum

Hymn S-152; BCP, p. 364

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

Priest: Alleluia. Christ our passover has been sacrificed
for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

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

*(You may come to the altar rail for communion. 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. If you need the priest to bring you communion at
your pew, please tell an usher.)*

Communion

"Deck Thyself, My Soul with Gladness" Hymn 339

"Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured" Hymn 313

"For the Bread Which You Have Broken" Hymn 341

Post Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession: "Thou, Whose Almighty Word" Hymn 371

The Dismissal

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Prelude

Procession "O for a Thousand Tongues" Hymn 493

Acclamation *His Fallacies in Heaven* 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 Hymn S-280; BCP, p. 356

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Collect of the Day

BCP, p. 215

First Readings:

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Psalms 111

BCP, p. 754

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

Epistle

1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Sequence "Hail to the Lord's Anointed"

Hymn 616

Lenten Series This Year

On Wednesdays in Lent this year, we will say Evening Prayer at 5:30 p.m. followed by a light supper and a book study led by Fr. Joe on N. T. Wright's book *Surprised by Hope*. Please buy the book and start reading so you will be ready. You may also come if you don't read the book, but this is a good one to own and study thoroughly. If you need help getting the book, talk to Fr. Joe.

Giving to Grace Church

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