

The Last 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 11, 2024
10:00 a.m.

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

Prelude

Procession “When Morning Gilds the Skies” Hymn 417

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 Hymn S-280; BCP, p. 356

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 217

First Reading: 2 Kings 2:1-12

Psalm 50:1-6 BCP, p.654

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

Epistle 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

Sequence “O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair” Hymn 137

The Gospel

Mark 9:2-9

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

“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”

Hymn 460

(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

“Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God”

Hymn 711

“Take My Life and Let It Be”

Hymn 707

“Shepherd of Souls”

Hymn 343

Post Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession: “Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones” Hymn 618

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.

Inquirers Class

The inquirers' class will meet next at 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 9.

Upcoming Events: Pancake Supper and Ash Wednesday

The Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper is this Tuesday, February 13. Come at 6:00 p.m. for all you can eat. Donations will be accepted. You may help with cooking and clean-up. Just let Jessica Farmer or Jerry Schmelzer know how you would like to help, and either one will try to give you something to do.

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.

Lenten Series

On Wednesdays in Lent this year, February 21-March 20, 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 of James Dallas. James has asked Ghostlight Books to order some copies for us.

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