



ST. BENEDICT'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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We welcome you in the name of the Lord!

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The mission of St. Benedict's Church is to "know Christ's love and to make His love known"

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Year C – Revised Common Lectionary / Daily Office Year One
JANUARY 26 and 27, 2019

Weekend Schedule

Saturday: Holy Eucharist Rite II – 6:00 pm

Sunday: Morning Prayer - 7:45 am

Holy Eucharist Rite I – 8:00 am

Eucharist Rite II – 10:00 am

(With Sunday school for Children and Youth of all ages)

Weekday Eucharist/Prayer in Community

Tuesday: Intercessory Prayer Group – 8:00 am

Tuesday: Holy Eucharist - 8:30 am

Wednesday: Holy Eucharist/Healing Service – 7:00 pm

Thursday: Holy Eucharist – 8:30 am

Order of Service - Holy Eucharist: 6:00 pm and 10:00 am (BCP 355) – 8:00 am (BCP 323)

The Collect

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson: Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

All the people of Israel gathered together into the square before the Water Gate. They told the scribe Ezra to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the LORD had given to Israel. Accordingly, the priest Ezra brought the law before the assembly, both men and women and all who could hear with understanding. This was on the first day of the seventh month. He read from it facing the square before the Water Gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law. And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, for he was standing above all the people; and when he opened it, all the people stood up. Then Ezra blessed the LORD, the great God, and all the people answered, "Amen, Amen," lifting up their hands. Then they bowed their heads and worshiped the LORD with their faces to the ground. So they read from the book, from the law of God, with interpretation. They gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading. And Nehemiah, who was

the governor, and Ezra the priest and scribe, and the Levites who taught the people said to all the people, "This day is holy to the LORD your God; do not mourn or weep." For all the people wept when they heard the words of the law. Then he said to them, "Go your way, eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions of them to those for whom nothing is prepared, for this day is holy to our LORD; and do not be grieved, for the joy of the LORD is your strength." The Word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD**

Psalm 19 *Caeli enarrant*

1 The heavens declare the glory of God, *and the firmament shows his handiwork.
2 One day tells its tale to another, *and one night imparts knowledge to another.
3 Although they have no words or language, *and their voices are not heard,
4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, *and their message to the ends of the world.
5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; *
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a champion to run its course.
6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the end of it again; *
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
7 The law of the LORD is perfect and revives the soul; *
the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.
8 The statutes of the LORD are just and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives light to the eyes.
9 The fear of the LORD is clean and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.
10 More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.
11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *and in keeping them there is great reward.
12 Who can tell how often he offends? *cleanse me from my secret faults.
13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.
14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

The Epistle: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body--Jews or Greeks, slaves or free--and we were all made to drink of one Spirit. Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member, where would the body be? As it is, there are many members, yet one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it. Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? But strive for the greater gifts.

The Word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD**

+The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke (4:14-21)

All: GLORY TO YOU, LORD CHRIST

Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." The Gospel of the Lord. **All: PRAISE TO YOU, LORD CHRIST**

Sermon/Homily: 6:00 pm Saturday, 8:00 am and 10:00 am Sunday:

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Prayers of the People: 6:00 pm & 10:00 am: Form I; 8:00 am (BCP 328)

Blessings for anniversaries and birthdays and the laying on of hands for healing

The Great Thanksgiving: 6:00 pm and 10:00 am (BCP 361); 8:00 am (BCP 333)

Post Communion Prayer: BCP, 365 (8:00 am BCP, 339)

Sending out the Lay Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant: N. (and N.) we send you out to share Communion this week with (names).

People: *May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's body and blood.*

Celebrant: May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in the community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ. **People: *Amen.***

Your Vocation

Jesus returned to his home town of Nazareth as a celebrity - after all, he had been preaching to multitudes and working signs nearby. Following the law, he enters the synagogue on the sabbath. But neither the law nor renown primarily concern him. Rather, he quotes Isaiah announcing his anointing by God's Spirit to preach the good news to the poor and to free the captives. This: the keynote address of his entire mission. All that he speaks and does flows from this commitment to God's word. We are his disciples: what is our primary commitment? Do we ever search God's word in classes, reading, or study? Do we view our every relationship and experience as opportunity to speak and live God's word? - Norm Carroll spiritualsummit.net

COMING UP @ ST. BENEDICT'S

CONFIRMATION CLASSES FOR TEENS AND ADULTS:

PLEASE SEE DEACON DEBRA – CLASSES BEGIN ON SUNDAY, MARCH 10TH

CONFIRMATION WILL BE HERE, AT ST. BENEDICT'S, ON SATURDAY, JUNE 8TH AT 6:00 PM

(THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE TO BE "RECEIVED" AS MEMBERS OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH – HAVING BEEN PREVIOUSLY CONFIRMED IN THE ROMAN CATHOLIC OR ORTHODOX CHURCHES ARE WELCOME TO BE RECEIVED)

BAPTISMAL FESTIVAL 2019

THOSE ADULTS, TEENS, OR CHILDREN WHO HAVE NOT BEEN BAPTIZED ARE WELCOME TO THE GREAT VIGIL OF EASTER BAPTISMAL FESTIVAL ON SATURDAY, APRIL 20TH AT 6:00 PM

SEE FATHER ALBERT, AUSTIN CARTY, OR NORM CARROLL FOR MORE DETAILS

FIRST/SOLEMN COMMUNION 2019

A SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR ALL BAPTIZED CHILDREN. IN OUR CHURCH, CHILDREN ARE ALWAYS WELCOME TO RECEIVE THE EUCHARIST, BUT **FIRST SOLEMN COMMUNION** CELEBRATES THE SPECIAL INVITATION WHICH JESUS MAKES TO ALL OF US, "TAKE AND EAT, TAKE AND DRINK" – IT IS A PRACTICAL PREPARATION PROGRAM WHICH ALLOWS OUR CHILDREN AND YOUTH TO INTENTIONALLY AND CONSCIENTIOUSLY RECEIVE THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST IN THIS SACRAMENT.

IT WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE 10:00 AM SERVICE ON SUNDAY, MAY 19TH. ALL CHILDREN 5-13 ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE. TEENS, 8TH GRADE AND UP, ARE WELCOME TO THE CONFIRMATION PROGRAM (SEE ABOVE).

The Sacramental Candle is given to the greater Glory of God and in loving memory of Dean LaBello on the Anniversary of his Birthday on January 27th from Nickie and John Quinn

Jesus' Favorite Book: Join us Monday at 7:00 pm in the chapel for an amazing journey into the Book of Isaiah. A unique Vesper service will precede at 6:30 pm.

Sunday Special: Come to the chapel at 9:30 am to probe with us the richness of our Sunday readings.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27! Mark your calendar! Attend SPOTLIGHTING THE BIBLE! Canon Thomas O'Brien, Biblical expert from our diocese, will join us at 7:30 pm to discuss how to understand the Bible. We call for the entire community to participate in this spiritual highlight event of the year.

Faith in Music Ministry: We will be listening and studying sacred classical music this Tuesday at 9:30 am.

Mothers Union Meeting will be on Sunday, January 27th immediately following the 10:00 am service in St. Luke's Room.

Sandwich Sunday will be on January 27th

SUPER BOWL 53 POTLUCK DINNER WATCH PARTY: The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is having its annual Super Bowl Pot Luck Dinner Watch Party for the big game on Sunday, February 3rd. Bring whatever dish or drinks that you desire to be festive with to Deshaies Hall. Game time is 6:30pm. Come enjoy some fellowship, fun and football! See Kevin Walford or any of the Brotherhood members for more details.

UPCOMING EVENT - St. Benedict's Parish Directory for 2019. Photography by Lifetouch is scheduled for February 14-16, 2019. You will be able to sign up online or through one of our coordinators. Please contact Jennifer Chang, 954-749-9741 or Gloria Rose, 754-224-8944 if you have any questions.

ECW (Episcopal Church Women) is holding its annual Raffle - Evening Out Extravaganza. 1st prize: dinner for two at Truluck's w/ limo ride. 2nd prize: couple's massage by certified massage therapist Satnarine Ricketts. 3rd prize: basket of goodies. Tickets - 1 for \$15, 2 for \$25. Please help support our fundraising for scholarships to graduating high school seniors. Tickets on sale at each service or contact Carla Holness at 954-309-3298 for more information.

Please put the date in your calendar for the Mothers' Union International Cuisine on February 17th following the 10:00 am Service.

Mission of the Month: Jubilee Center is a daily soup kitchen and counselling center, located in Hollywood. Their goal is to provide meals to the hungry and social services to the neediest in the community, as well as clothing, food and emergency aid.

Spiritual Thought: "*He Who is filled with love is filled with God himself*" -**Saint Augustine**

CATCH UP TIME IS HERE: If you have not completed your pledge for 2018, please try to do so ASAP. Some are also behind in their regular weekly giving. If you need to know the amount, do not hesitate to call the Parish Office. We need every pledge to come in, so that we may fulfill all our obligations. Thank you!

Our offerings to God for January 19 and 20, 2019

Operating:	7,151.75
Building Fund:	1,047.00
Total:	8,198.75
Operational Costs:	9,900.00
<i>Over Budget for the week:</i>	<i>1,701.25</i>

New for 2019!

Give by TEXT or ONLINE

Please remember that our former "EASTY TITHE" service has been suspended...

Take a few minutes to SIGN UP FOR SUBSPLASH GIVING at:

www.saintbenedicts.org