



# ST. BENEDICT'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

DIÖCESE OF SOUTHEAST FLORIDA - ANGLICAN COMMUNION

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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"*

## LAST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Year C – Revised Common Lectionary / Daily Office Year One  
MARCH 2 AND 3, 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

O God, who before the passion of your only begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### **The First Lesson: Exodus 34:29-35**

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

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

## **Psalm 99 *Dominus regnavit***

1 The LORD is King; let the people tremble; \*  
he is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.

2 The LORD is great in Zion; \*  
he is high above all peoples.

3 Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; \*  
he is the Holy One.

4 "O mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; \*  
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."

5 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God and fall down before his footstool; \*  
he is the Holy One.

6 Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, \*  
they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.

7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; \*  
they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.

8 O LORD our God, you answered them indeed; \*  
you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds.

9 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God and worship him upon his holy hill; \*  
for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

## **The Epistle: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2**

Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit. Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

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

## **+The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke (9:28-36)**

### **All: GLORY TO YOU, LORD CHRIST**

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah"--not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

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).

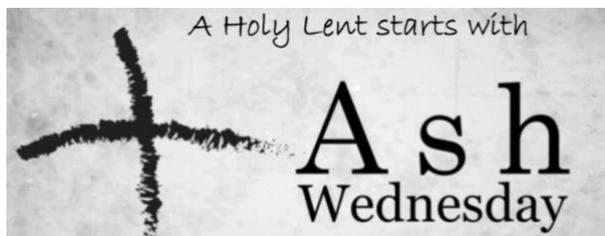
**People: *May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's body and blood.***

**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.***

### **Our Transforming**

We tend to look at the transfiguration of today's gospel as a one-time wondrous event, and we try to discover what really happened. This, we know: everything in the life of Jesus, including the transfiguration, carries profound meaning for us. Jesus took his friends up the mountain for a prayerful encounter with God where his appearance changed. Today, Jesus also seeks to lead us up the mountain that we might transform not physically but spiritually. God is calling us to become a new person fully awake to the voice of our Lord. Listen to him, and live his life! So, we begin anew today the work of our lifetime: to enter the divine cloud by resolving to live as Jesus loved. - Norm Carroll [spiritualsummit.net](http://spiritualsummit.net)

## **COMING UP @ ST. BENEDICT'S**



### **LENT BEGINS THIS WEEK - ASH WEDNESDAY**

Join us for special services on Ash Wednesday, March 6th at **7:00 am** for Holy Eucharist with the Imposition of ashes (approx. 25 minutes) - **12:00 Noon** Holy Eucharist (approx. 25 minutes) with the imposition of ashes and **7:00 pm** Holy Eucharist with music. We realize that for many it is a busy work day, for this reason, a variety of services will be offered so you can come and get to work on time. Your clergy will also have "Ashes to Go" for all in the community on NW 5<sup>th</sup> Street. All are welcome!



***Heads of Ministry, Vestry Members, and all those involved in any leadership capacity at St. Benedict's*** are required to attend and every adult in the parish is also welcome to attend our Lenten Quiet Day on Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM – Noon. Please mark your calendars now and makes plans to attend. Thank you for your service!

## **CONFIRMATION AND RECEPTION**

PLEASE SEE DEACON DEBRA – CLASSES BEGIN ON SUNDAY, MARCH 10<sup>TH</sup>

CONFIRMATION WILL BE HERE, AT ST. BENEDICT'S, ON SATURDAY, JUNE 8<sup>TH</sup> 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 AS MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNION.)*

## **BAPTISMS FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND ADULTS**

THOSE ADULTS, TEENS, OR CHILDREN WHO HAVE NOT BEEN BAPTIZED ARE WELCOME TO THE GREAT VIGIL OF EASTER BAPTISMAL FESTIVAL ON SATURDAY, APRIL 20<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:00 PM – SEE FATHER ALBERT, AUSTIN CARTY, OR NORM CARROLL FOR MORE DETAILS

**2018 Pledge Statements** are in a basket in the narthex arranged in alphabetical order. Please pick your statement up today and save the church postage. Thank you for supporting your church each day, week, month, and year... We depend on each of you.

**Sunday Reflection:** We gather every Sunday at 9:30 am in the chapel to explore the golden treasure of our readings. Join us for a "divine" experience.

**Monday at 7:00 pm:** Our ever-increasing numbers gather in the chapel to reflect on those topics most important to our healthy adult formation as Christians. We are obliged to seek truth and love.

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

**ECW meeting** will be held on Sunday, March 10th after the 10 am service in St. Elizabeth's room. We invite and encourage all women to join us. Refreshments will be served

**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: massage for two 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 until March 3 at each service or contact Carla Holness at 954-309-3298.

**The Forever Young Club Luncheon** will meet on Tuesday March 26 12:30 pm at Busters Doughboy and Clam cakes, 8320 Sunrise Blvd, Plantation 33322. The cost is \$11 for lunch plus tax and tip. Choice of entree: Fish and Chips, Taco (shrimp or fish), shrimp scampi, grilled chicken, grilled cod, or classic burger. Includes one entree, one chowder or salad, one drink, and one dessert. Please join us for lunch and fun. Call Carol at 954 572-4075 by March 19 to reserve your seat.

**Mission of the Month:** Our Little Roses Ministries works to rescue and transform the lives of girls who come from overwhelming situations of abject poverty, abuse, neglect and abandonment in one of the poorest countries in Central America - Honduras. OLR provides a safe, loving home, nutritious food, clean water, medical and dental care, an education and most importantly the happy childhood that every child deserves.

**Spiritual Thought:** *"Whoever wishes to be my follower must deny his very self, take up his cross each day, and follow in my steps."* -Jesus in Luke 9:23

### **Our offerings to God for February 23 and 24, 2019**

Operating:	10,567.35
Building Fund:	2,682.00
Total:	13,249.35
Operational Costs:	9,900.00
<i>Over Budget for the week:</i>	<i>3,349.35</i>

**New for 2019!**

**Give by TEXT: give7801 to 206-859-9405 or ONLINE**

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

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

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