



**13 and 14 February 2021**  
**Last Sunday After the Epiphany**



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**Saturdays and Sundays: In person, Facebook Live in your cars, and ONLINE**  
*Those who remain in their cars will receive Holy Communion at the end of each service.*  
*Please drive to the “Communion Lane” on the East Side Church Entrance.*

**SUNDAYS: 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 AM HOLY EUCHARIST (In Church Service,  
Drive-In Church and Online AT 10:00 AM)**

**MONDAY: MORNING PRAYER 8:30 AM**

**TUESDAY: MORNING PRAYER 8:30 AM**

**WEDNESDAY: HEALING PRAYERS 7:00 PM**

**THURSDAY: MORNING PRAYER 8:30 AM**

**FRIDAY: MIDDAY PRAYER 12 NOON**

**SATURDAY: 6:00 PM HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II  
(In Church Service and Drive-In Church)**

**The Reverend Father Albert Cutié, *Rector***  
**The Reverend Debra McLaughlin, *Deacon***

**The Lessons Appointed for Use on the**  
**Last Sunday after the Epiphany**

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## **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.*

## **Old Testament**

### **2 Kings 2:1-12**

When the Lord was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the Lord has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the Lord lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the Lord will take your master away from you?" And he said, "Yes, I know; keep silent."

Elijah said to him, "Elisha, stay here; for the Lord has sent me to Jericho." But he said, "As the Lord lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they came to Jericho. The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the Lord will take your master away from you?" And he answered, "Yes, I know; be silent."

Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the Lord has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the Lord lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." He responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

## The Psalm

### Psalm 50:1-6

#### *Deus deorum*

- 1 The Lord, the God of gods, has spoken; \*  
he has called the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.
- 2 Out of Zion, perfect in its beauty, \*  
God reveals himself in glory.
- 3 Our God will come and will not keep silence; \*  
before him there is a consuming flame,  
and round about him a raging storm.
- 4 He calls the heavens and the earth from above \*  
to witness the judgment of his people.
- 5 "Gather before me my loyal followers, \*  
those who have made a covenant with me  
and sealed it with sacrifice."
- 6 Let the heavens declare the rightness of his cause; \*  
for God himself is judge.

## The Epistle

### 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

Even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

## The Gospel

### Mark 9:2-9

Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

**Homily/Sermon**

**Father Albert**

**The Nicene Creed**

**The Prayers of the People**

**Form I**

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "***Lord, have mercy.***"

For the peace from above, for the loving-kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For our Bishop, the Diocese of Southeast Florida, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, for the victims of COVID-19, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, have mercy.*

In the communion of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Benedict, and of all the saints, let

us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.  
*To thee, O Lord our God.*

### **Anglican Cycle of Prayer for Sunday 14 February 2021**

Pray for the Anglican Church of Canada

Turks Island: Saint John, Salt Cay;

Saint Thomas, Grand Turk

Chapel of the Venerable Bede, Coral Gables

Saint Philip's, Coral Gables

### **Confession of Sin**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*Priest:*

Almighty God have mercy on you, +forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## The Peace

*Celebrant:* The peace of the Lord be always with you. ***People:*** ***And also with you.***

## Special Announcements from the Rector

*Please be generous! Feel free to make a secure donation ONLINE [www.saintbenedicts.org](http://www.saintbenedicts.org) and go to "Online giving". Pledge envelopes and special donations can also be placed in the Collection Plates in the back of the church or mailed to the parish office:*

*7801 NW 5<sup>th</sup> Street Plantation, FL 33324*

## The Holy Communion

### Offertory Hymn

### The Doxology

*Old Hundredth*

### The Great Thanksgiving

### The Lord's Prayer

### The Breaking of the Bread

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; ***Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia***

### The Fraction Anthem

*Agnus Dei – Lamb of God*

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

***In these times of COVID19, the above rubric applies to all who desire to receive the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, but desire it... Let us pray together!***

## **Prayer During Spiritual Communion**

**My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving as I proclaim your resurrection. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.**

*– From Washington National Cathedral; material adapted from Prayer of St. Alphonsus de Liguori (1696-1787) and A Prayer Book for the Armed Services*

## **Prayer after Holy Communion**

Let us pray.

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **The Blessing**

## **The Dismissal**

**Distribution of Holy Communion and departure:**

- Please approach the altar by observing the posted distancing circles on the floor.*
- Stand at your designated Communion station left or right and remain standing.*
- Place your mask under your chin when you are standing in front of minister.*
- Please extend your hands – left above right – and consume the host before you begin walking again.*
- As you return downside aisles, please proceed to your automobiles.*
- When it is safe to socialize and mingle outside of the church, we will advise the congregation. At this time, we ask that you wave and greet each other from a distance of 6 feet or more to stay safe.*

*If you have completed and submitted a pledge card for 2021, you will find your envelopes on the table in the narthex. If you have not completed a pledge card for 2021, or do not see your envelopes, it means that we have not received your information in the office. If you need help, please call us at 954-473-6578 or email us at [parishoffice@saintbenedicts.org](mailto:parishoffice@saintbenedicts.org). You can also complete pledge information on our website [www.saintbenedicts.org](http://www.saintbenedicts.org) and sign-up under “Giving” and scroll down to “Pledge-Online” and complete the information.*

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