



Saint Benedict's Episcopal Church  
The Third Sunday After the Epiphany  
January 21 and 22, 2023 | 6pm, 8am, and 10am

Welcome to Saint Benedict's Episcopal Church, a church that feels like family! We are glad to have you worship with us today. If you are a newcomer, please complete a Welcome Card and place it in the offering plate so we can extend our welcome beyond this service. Additional information about Saint Benedict's and our ministries may be found online at [www.saintbenedicts.org](http://www.saintbenedicts.org). The people's responses can be found in **BOLD**. The music for the service is taken from The Hymnal 1982 (H-1982) and Lift Every Voice and Sing (LEVAS). Let us prepare our hearts to celebrate in Word and Sacrament, the Risen Lord.

## THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Rite I of The Holy Eucharist begins on **page 323** of the Book of Common Prayer - and Rite II begins on **page 355**.

### Prelude

Processional Hymn: *Joyful, Joyful We adore Thee*

*Hymnal 376*

### Opening Acclamation

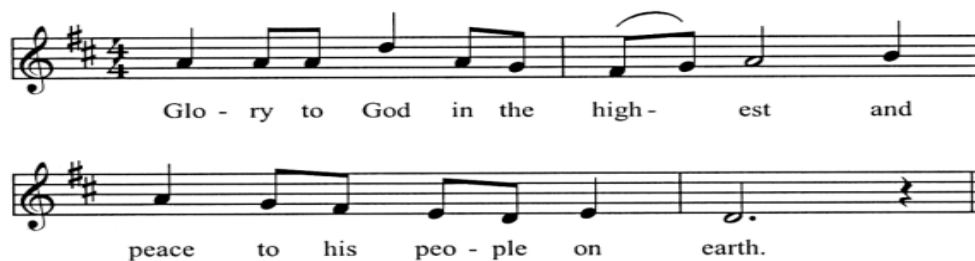
+Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People *And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever.*

*Celebrant:* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### Gloria in Excelsis (*Refrain*)

*J. Chepponis*



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**\*(8:00 am - Rite I)** Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takes away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

## THE WORD OF GOD

### The Collect for the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

**\*(8:00 am): And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant:* 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.*

### A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

*Isaiah 9:1-4*

There will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness--on them light has shined. You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder. For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian. The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

### Psalm 27:1, 5-13 *Dominus illuminatio*

- 1 The LORD is my light and my salvation;  
whom then shall I fear? \*  
**the LORD is the strength of my life;  
of whom then shall I be afraid?**
- 5 One thing have I asked of the LORD;  
one thing I seek; \*  
**that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life;**
- 6 To behold the fair beauty of the LORD \*  
**and to seek him in his temple.**
- 7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; \*  
**he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling  
and set me high upon a rock.**
- 8 Even now he lifts up my head \*  
**above my enemies round about me.**
- 9 Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation  
with sounds of great gladness; \*  
**I will sing and make music to the LORD.**
- 10 Hearken to my voice, O LORD, when I call; \*  
**have mercy on me and answer me.**
- 11 You speak in my heart and say, "Seek my face." \*  
**Your face, LORD, will I seek.**
- 12 Hide not your face from me, \*  
**nor turn away your servant in displeasure.**
- 13 You have been my helper;  
cast me not away; \*  
**do not forsake me, O God of my salvation.**

## A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians

*I Corinthians 1:10-18*

Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you be in agreement and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same purpose. For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. What I mean is that each of you says, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. (I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power. For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

## Gradual Hymn: *Amazing Grace*

*Hymnal 671 verses 1,2,4 and 5*

*The Gospel Alleluia*

*Traditional*

## +The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

*Matthew 4:12-23*

*People: Glory to You, Lord Christ.*

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: "Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali, on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned." From that time Jesus began to proclaim, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near." As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fish for people." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him. Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord. *People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

## Sermon

**The Reverend Albert R. Cutié**

### The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.  
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### **The Prayers of the People** (Form VI)

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God...

For all people in their daily life and work;  
*For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.*

For this community, the nation, and the world;  
*For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.*

For the just and proper use of your creation;  
*For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.*

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  
*For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.*

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;  
*For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.*

For +Michael our Presiding Bishop, and +Peter our Bishop; and all bishops, priests, deacons and other ministers;  
*For all who serve God in his Church.*

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.  
*(The People may add their own petitions)*

Hear us, Lord;  
*For your mercy is great.*

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.  
*(Feel free to add your prayers of Thanksgiving)*

We will exalt you, O God our King;  
*And praise your Name for ever and ever.*

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence*

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

*Who put their trust in you.*

We pray for those celebrating Birthdays and Anniversaries this week...

**Confession of Sin** Deacon: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All: **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.**

## The Peace

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you. **\*(8:00 am):** And with thy spirit.

## Announcements

### THE OFFERTORY

*The people remain seated while an offering is received to support Saint Benedict's work of sharing God's love with the world. Please be generous – we count on your support year-round. You may also make a secure donation online at our website [www.saintbenedicts.org](http://www.saintbenedicts.org).*

**Choral Anthem (10am):** *How Great Thou Art*

*Choir*

**Doxology**

*Old Hundredth*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below: Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!*

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### The Great Thanksgiving

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

**All:** And also with you.

**\*(8:00 am):** And with thy spirit.

*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.

**All:** We lift them up to the Lord.

**\*(8:00 am):** We lift them up unto the Lord.

*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All:** It is right to give him thanks and praise.

**\*(8:00 am):** It is meet and right so to do.

## Preface

### Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. +Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

**\*(8:00am Rite I):** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts: heaven and earth are full of Thy glory. Glory be to Thee, O Lord Most High. +Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

### The Lord's Prayer

#### Fraction Anthem at the Breaking of the Bread

by Douglas Major (b. 1953)

Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;  
there - fore let us keep the feast. Al - le - lu - ia.

### Agnus Dei

by David Hurd

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us Thy peace.

### **\*(8:00 am):** Prayer of Humble Access

*All:* We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy: Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

### Communion Hymns: *In Remembrance of Me*

LEVAS 149

### The Post Communion Prayer

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.

### **\*(8:00am Rite I):**

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

**Final Blessing:**

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

Recessional Hymn: *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

*LEVAS 189 verses 1 and 3*

**The Dismissal**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord! Alleluia Alleluia!  
Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Postlude****NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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**Wednesday Night Healing Service and Bible Study:**

Join us for Healing Service on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm followed by Bible Study at 7:30 pm.

**Daughters of the King Meeting:**

The DOK, Ann Saunders Chapter will be having a Chapter Meeting on Saturday, February 4, 2023, at 10:00am in Steven's Hall. All women who are interested in joining the DOK are welcome to attend.

**LAST WEEK'S OFFERING TO GOD:**

Online: \$2,669.83

Operating: \$4,883.11

Building: \$513.00

Total: \$8,065.94

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*Our mission is to know Christ's love, and to make it known*  
*Nuestra misión es conocer el amor de Cristo y darlo a conocer*

**Weekly Worship Schedule:**

SATURDAYS

**6:00 PM Holy Eucharist Rite II** (*"Dog-friendly" Service*)

SUNDAYS

**8:00 AM** (*Rite I*), **10:00 AM** (*Rite II*), **12:00 PM** (*Misa en español*) **Holy Eucharist**

TUESDAYS

**Holy Eucharist 8:30 AM**

WEDNESDAYS

**Healing Mass and Litany 7:00 PM**  
**Bible Study 7:30 PM**

THURSDAYS

**Holy Eucharist 8:30 AM**

**The Reverend Albert R. Cutié, Rector**  
**The Reverend Debra McLaughlin, Deacon**  
**Mr. Xavier W. Richardson, Director of Music & Organist**  
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