

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
GALVESTON, TEXAS**

JANUARY 10, 2021

THE 1ST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

10:30 AM.

LITURGY OF THE WORD - RITE TWO

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY
ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN CELEBRATION OF ALL THOSE WITH
BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

1/4	Rev. David Dearman	1/14	Makenzie Walser
1/6	Caroline Botik	1/16	Albert Shannon
1/10	Sarah Holzheuser	1/17	Taylor O'Donnell
1/14	Claudia Stein		



PRAYERS OF HEALING FOR PARISHIONERS

Roger Lindsey, Teresa Reeves, Roger Lindsey, Eric Trout, Judy Giovannini,
Jacque and Mike Ellis, Leta Higgins and Joy Unbehagen.

FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Jim Onstott, Grace Johnson, Leah Malloy, David Edwards,
John Briggs, Craig Morgan, Fred Burns, Ragna Case, Michael Pistone, Bill Taylor
and for all who have been afflicted with the Corona virus.

Liturgy of the Word - Rite II

Prelude The Star Proclaims the King is Here Flor Peeters

The Celebrant Begins.

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

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen**

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.*

Vocal Solo Gloria in Excelsis Marvin Beinema
Roy Flores, tenor

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Collect (*see insert – Contemporary*)

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

First Lesson – Genesis 1:1-5 (*see insert*)

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

After the Lesson

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 29 *Read together*

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, *
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; *
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; *
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; *
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; *
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, *
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire; the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; *
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 8 The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe *
and strips the forests bare.
- 9 And in the temple of the LORD *
all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; *
the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.
- 11 The LORD shall give strength to his people; *
the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace.

Second Lesson – Acts 19:1-7 (*See insert*)

While Apollos was in Corinth, Paul passed through the interior regions and came to Ephesus, where he found some disciples. He said to them, “Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you became believers?” They replied, “No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit.” Then he said, “Into what then were you baptized?” They answered, “Into John’s baptism.” Paul said, “John baptized with the baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one who was to come after him, that is, in Jesus.” On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. When Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied—altogether there were about twelve of them.

Celebrant: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

Vocal Solo

“I Come,” the Great Redeemer Cries

Ralph Vaughan Williams

The Gospel – Mark 1:4-11 (*see insert*)

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People: **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. He proclaimed, "The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit." In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

Following the reading of the Gospel

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise be to thee, O Lord.**

The Sermon The Reverend Lillian Hyde

Vocal Solo Earth Has Many a Noble City David Ashley White
 Roy Flores, tenor

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant: **Do you believe in God the Father?**

People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant: **Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?**

People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Celebrant: **Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?**

People: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostle's teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: I will with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ.

People: I will with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: I will with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: I will with God's help

The Prayers of the People (*read by Lector*)

Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world

We ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Bishops, Andy, Jeff, Hector and Kai; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people. Pray for the Church.

We ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people.

Pray for justice and peace.

We ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison.

Pray for those in need or trouble.

We ask for your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found in him.

We ask your prayers for the departed.

Pray for those who have died.

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored. Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Pause

I now invite you to offer your prayers of intercession or thanksgiving at this time - silently or aloud.

Celebrant: 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.*

Absolution

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 (stand)

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Blessing

Postlude How Brightly Shines the Morning Star (excerpts) Dietrich Buxtehude

OFFICIANT

The Reverend Lillian Hyde, Interim Rector



LAY READER/WORSHIP LEADER

Mike Malloy



DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Ron Wyatt

SOLOIST

Roy Flores, tenor