

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

January 13, 2019 9am

Welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church. Thank you for joining our community in worship today.

If you are interested in baptism or wish to become a member of the parish, please speak to a member of the staff. We would be delighted to have you join our family. If you are not yet an Episcopalian, please feel free to ask someone near you for assistance during the worship service.

Visitors, please sign the guest book.

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

The entire text for the Eucharist may be found in the **Book of Common Prayer**.

The Word of God - pages 355-358

The Renewal of Baptismal Vows – page 292

Prayers and Blessing of Water – pages 305 -307

Holy Communion - Eucharistic Prayer B – page 367

The Breaking of the Bread and Post-Communion Prayer – pages 364-365

All hymns and service music are included in the bulletin for your convenience.

They may also be found in the **Hymnal 1982**.

ENTRANCE RITE

Voluntary

When Jesus Went to Jordan's Stream

Dietrich Buxtehude

Opening Hymn 448

O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High

DEUS TUORUM MILITUM

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**
Celebrant There is one Body and one Spirit;
People **There is one hope in God's call to us.**
Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People **One God and Father of all.**

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

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.**

THE WORD OF GOD

The First Lesson

Isaiah 43:1-7

Thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth-- everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

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

1. **Ascribe to God, you gods, Ascribe all glory, might;
Ascribe the glory due his Name, Worship in holy light.**
2. **God's voice is on the deep, God's thunder rolls on high;
The Lord is on the water-flood, God's voice a mighty cry.**
3. **God's voice breaks mighty trees, Tall cedars great in worth;
They writhe and leap like mountain sheep, God's voice shakes all the earth.**
4. **God's voice splits flames of fire, God's voice shakes desert sands;
God's voice makes oak trees shake and strips The leaves from forest stands.**
5. **Within God's temple all Cry "Glory!" and adore;
The Lord sits throned above the flood As King for evermore.**
6. **The Lord will give his strength To all his own, nor cease
To give his people evermore The blessing of his peace.**

The Second Lesson

Acts 8:14-17

When the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

People

Hymn

Baptized in Water

1 Baptized in wa - ter, sealed by the Spir - it, cleansed by the
 2 Baptized in wa - ter, sealed by the Spir - it, dead in the
 3 Baptized in wa - ter, sealed by the Spir - it, marked with the

blood of Christ, our King; heirs of sal-va-tion, trust-ing his
 tomb with Christ, our King; one with his ris-ing, freed and for-
 sign of Christ, our King; born of one Fa-ther, we are his

prom - ise, faith - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
 giv - en, thank - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
 chil - dren, joy - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.

The Holy Gospel *All standing*

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire." Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

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

The Sermon

The Rev. Denzil J. Luckritz

THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

Baptismal Hymn 510

Come Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove

ST. AGNES

Celebrant Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?
Candidates **I do.**

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 apostles' 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

Celebrant Let us now pray for each of us who have renewed our commitment to Christ.

Leader Deliver us, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Open our hearts to your grace and truth.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Fill us with your holy and life-giving Spirit.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Keep us in the faith and communion of your holy Church.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Teach us to love others in the power of the Spirit.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Send us into the world in witness to your love.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Bring us to the fullness of your peace and glory.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Celebrant Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever. **Amen.**

Thanksgiving Over the Water

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**
Celebrant

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

At the following words, the Celebrant touches the water

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Let us pray.

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, Keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen.**

The Celebrant asperges (sprinkles) the congregation, saying,

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The minister and people greet one another.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem

On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry

Simon Andrews

On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry announces that the Lord is nigh; awake and hearken, for he brings glad tidings of the King of kings. Then cleansed be every breast from sin; make straight the way for God within, prepare we in our hearts a home where such a mighty Guest may come. All praise, eternal Son, to thee, whose advent doth thy people free; whom with the Father we adore and Holy Ghost for evermore.

During the singing of the Offertory Anthem, representatives of the congregation bring the People's offerings of Bread and wine to the altar. The ushers collect the People's contributions for the mission of the church.

The Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving *Eucharistic Prayer B*

Celebrant *People*
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Celebrant *People*
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People
It is right to give him thanks and praise.

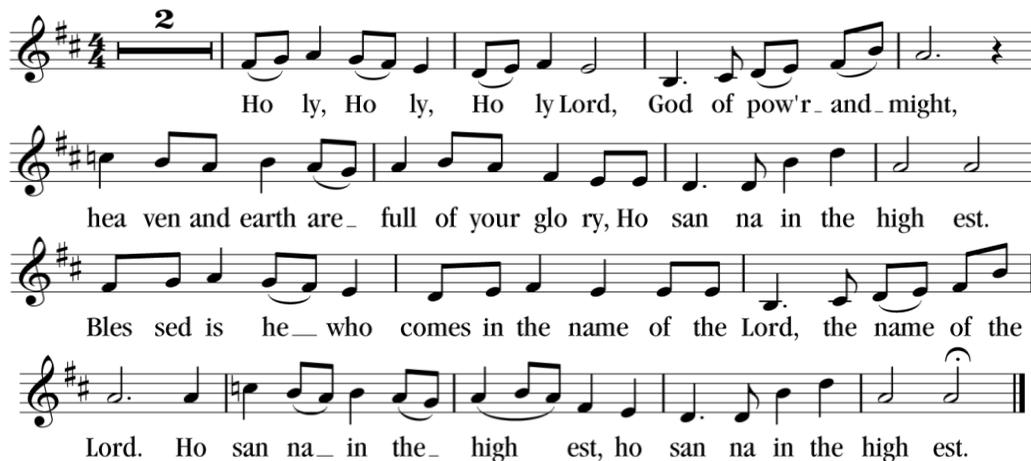
The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every-where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

Malcolm Archer



The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff begins with a fermata and a '2' above it, indicating a second ending. The lyrics are: 'Ho ly, Ho ly, Ho ly Lord, God of pow'r_ and_ might, hea ven and earth are_ full of your glo ry, Ho san na in the high est. Bles sed is he_ who comes in the name of the Lord, the name of the Lord. Ho san na_ in the_ high est, ho san na in the high est.' The score uses various note values including quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes, with rests and ties.

The People stand and the Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory.**

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the ever Blessed Virgin Mary and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the first born of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

OUR FATHER, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

Fraction Anthem: Agnus Dei

Malcolm Archer

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world; have
mercy upon us. Lamb of God, you
take away the sins of the world; have mercy upon us.

✠ This week we pray for ✠

Our parish friends in need: Trish, Liz, Tammy, Marty, Pat, Rachel, Zair, Andrew David, Cathie, Paul, Sue, Irene, Millie, Cecilia, Andrea, Robert, Dan, Joseph, Anne, Lonnie, Teresa, Jay, Dorothy, Amy, Josh, Wendy, Linda, Alvin, David, Tiffany, Midge, Jan, Wally, Sheila, Carl, Bill, Kim, Peggy Pearl, Nye, Bob, Betty, Lauren, Marnie, Robin, Gabriel, Christie, Asher, Karen, James, Yvonne, Nancy, Ann, Marsha, Deb, Todd, Larry, Erika, Scott, Bonnie, Brian, Janice, Charlotte, Dolores, Ken, Matt, Phil, Chireen, Stephanie, Jim, Richard, John, Talon, Taylor, Ty, Linda J, Bill, Malcolm, Hannah, Lee, Hattie, Mary, Jason, Rodney, Leo, Greg.

✠ The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God ✠
In Loving Memory of Karol Athos

✠ The Sanctuary Candle is given to the Glory of God ✠

Birthdays and Anniversaries this week
Gale Blogg

If we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please let us know.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, January 13

-Choir Rehearsal 8:15am
-Holy Eucharist 9:00am
-Fellowship Hour 10:15am
-Trinity Ringers 10:30am

Monday, January 14

-Vestry 6:30pm

Tuesday, January 15

-St. Margaret's Guild 12 Noon

Thursday, January 17

-Holy Eucharist 12 Noon
followed by Sandwich Board Lunch – St. Marks

Sunday, January 20

-Choir Rehearsal 8:15am
-Holy Eucharist 9:00am
-Choir Rehearsal 10:45am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Flower Charts 2019 Flower Charts are located on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall. Please sign up if there are special dates which you would like to have flowers on the altar in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for a birthday, anniversary or other important event. (Suggested donation for flowers is \$40.)

Sanctuary Candle 2019 Sanctuary Candle Chart is located on the bulletin board in the hallway. Please sign up if there are special dates which you would like to have the candle lit in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for a birthday, anniversary or other important event. Donation for the candle is \$5.

Fellowship/Coffee Hour A sign-up is located on the bulletin board in the hall (all of 2019 is there). Please consider signing up if you would be interested in hosting some Sunday.

‡ SERVING TODAY ‡

Crucifer:	David Igbalajobi
Server:	Akin Savage
Acolyte:	Malcolm Blogg
Chalice Bearer:	Linda Barber
Lector:	Missy Athos
Intercessor:	Missy Athos
Ushers:	Dick Blogg
Coffee Hour:	Clohessy & Akinyuwa

‡ SERVING NEXT SUNDAY ‡

Crucifer:	David Igbalajobi
Server:	Akin Savage
Acolyte:	Malcolm Blogg
Chalice Bearer:	Mary Jacobsen
Lector:	Linda Barber
Intercessor:	Linda Barber
Ushers:	Dick Blogg
Coffee Hour:	Cathie Patterson



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Robert Borchert, *Clerk*; Kenneth Adam, Rose Cantu; Cathie Patterson; Guy Stephens