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## The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 3, 2019



### The Liturgy of The Holy Eucharist II

#### Gathering Music

##### Praise the Name of Jesus

Praise the name of Jesus,  
 Praise the name of Jesus.  
 He's my rock, He's my fortress,  
 He's my deliverer. In Him will I trust.  
 Praise the name of Jesus.

**(Repeat)**

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#### Procession to the Altar

##### All are welcome

Let us build a house where love  
 can dwell and all can safely live,  
 a place where saints and children tell  
 how hearts learn to forgive.  
 Built of hopes and dreams and visions,  
 rock of faith and vault of grace;  
 here the love of Christ shall end divisions.

*Refrain:*

All are welcome, all are welcome,  
 all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where prophets speak,  
 and words are strong and true,  
 where all God's children dare to seek  
 to dream God's reign anew.  
 Here the cross shall stand as witness

and as symbol of God's grace;  
 here as one we claim the faith of Jesus.

*Refrain*

Let us build a house where love is found  
 in water, wine and wheat:  
 a banquet hall on holy ground  
 where peace and justice meet.  
 Here the love of God, through Jesus,  
 is revealed in time and space;  
 as we share in Christ the feast that frees us.

*Refrain*

Let us build a house where hands will reach  
 beyond the wood and stone  
 to heal and strengthen, serve and teach,  
 and live the Word they've known.  
 Here the outcast and the stranger  
 bear the image of God's face;  
 let us bring an end to fear and danger.

*Refrain*

Let us build a house where all are named,  
 their songs and visions heard  
 and loved and treasured, taught and claimed  
 as words within the Word.  
 Built of tears and cries and laughter,  
 prayers of faith and songs of grace,  
 let this house proclaim from floor to rafter.

*Refrain*

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*Celebrant* 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.**

*Gloria*, said at 8am;  
*Benedictus es, Domine*, sung at 10am  
(printed on the Ivory Pew Sheet)

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King/ almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God/ you take away the sin  
of the world: have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High/ Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### The Collect of the Day

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

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things  
both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the  
supplications of your people, and in our time grant  
us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who  
lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one  
God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

### A Reading from Jeremiah (1:4-10)

The word of the LORD came to me saying, "Before I  
formed you in the womb I knew you, and before  
you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a  
prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord GOD!  
Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a  
boy." But the LORD said to me, "Do not say, 'I am  
only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send  
you, and you shall speak whatever I command you,  
Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to  
deliver you, says the LORD." Then the LORD put out  
his hand and touched my mouth; and the LORD said  
to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth.  
See, today I appoint you over nations and over  
kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy  
and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

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

### Psalm 71:1-6

(Read in unison after the first asterisk)

- 1 In you, O LORD, have I taken refuge; **\*let me never be ashamed.**
- 2 **In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; \*incline your ear to me and save me.**
- 3 **Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; \*you are my crag and my stronghold.**
- 4 **Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, \*from the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor.**
- 5 **For you are my hope, O Lord God, \*my confidence since I was young.**
- 6 **I have been sustained by you ever since I was born; from my mother's womb you have been my strength; \*my praise shall be always of you.**

### A Reading from 1 Corinthians (13:1-13)

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels,  
but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a  
clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers,  
and understand all mysteries and all knowledge,  
and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains,  
but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all  
my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that  
I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.  
Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or  
boastful or arrogant or rude. It does not insist on  
its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does  
not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth.  
It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all  
things, endures all things. Love never ends. But as  
for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for  
tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will  
come to an end. For we know only in part, and we  
prophecy only in part; but when the complete  
comes, the partial will come to an end. When I was  
a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I  
reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put  
an end to childish ways. For now we see in a

mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

*Reader*    The Word of the Lord  
*People*    **Thanks be to God**

## **Gradual Hymn**

### Jesus Name Above All Names

Jesus name above all names, beautiful Savior,  
Glorious Lord,  
Emmanuel, God is with us, precious Redeemer,  
Living Word.

Open my eyes, Lord, I want to see Jesus,  
To reach out and touch him,  
and say that I love, him.  
Open my ears, Lord, and help me to listen.  
Open my eyes, Lord. I want to see Jesus.

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## **The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke**                      (4:21-30)

### **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

In the synagogue at Nazareth, Jesus read from the book of the prophet Isaiah, and began to say, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'" And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. They got up, drove him out of the

town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

The Gospel of the Lord.

### **Praise to you, Lord Christ**

## **Gradual Hymn**

### Open My Eyes, Lord

Open my eyes, Lord, I want to see Jesus,  
To reach out and touch him,  
and say that I love, him.  
Open my ears, Lord, and help me to listen.  
Open my eyes, Lord. I want to see Jesus.

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## **The Sermon**

Fr. Haynes

*Silence for reflection*

## **The Nicene Creed** (Standing, as able.)

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.**

## **Prayers of the People**

Let us pray.

For the whole church of God, that it may grow in unity and servant hood. We pray especially for Bartholomew, Ecumenical Patriarch of Constantinople, Francis, Bishop of Rome, Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael our presiding bishop, Gregory our bishop, for priests, deacons and all who minister in Christ, and for all the holy people of God.

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

For the Anglican Communion, especially for the Dioceses of Long Island - (The Episcopal Church), Swansea & Brecon - (Wales), Guadalcanal - (Melanesia), Los Angeles - (The Episcopal Church), Swaziland - (Southern Africa), Louisiana - (The Episcopal Church), Sydney - (Australia), Tabora - (Tanzania), Luapula - (Central Africa), Taita-Taveta - (Kenya), Lucknow - (North India), Guatemala - (Central America), Lui - (South Sudan), Taiwan - (The Episcopal Church), Guildford - (England), and The Anglican Church of Burundi; our diocese, especially Ascension, Seattle; and Epiphany, Seattle; and our parish, especially for our parishioners Steve Dennett; Francine Dennis; and Elsie & Jim Dennis-Dofelmier.

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

For all the leaders and people of the world, especially Donald, our president, that reconciliation and peace may overcome conflict and oppression. We pray for our armed forces and those who are deployed especially for Brice Clairmont, and those we now name....

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

For the hungry in body, mind or spirit, that they may be nourished by your presence and truth.

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

For the sick and those in pain, for the lonely and the forgotten, for the dying and all who mourn, that your healing grace may shine forth in the shadows of this world. We pray for all those on our prayer list and those in our hearts, especially for Lyn, Areewa, Brenda, Marisa, Sandy, Justin,

Patricia, Paulette, Erica, Allen, George, Rico, Steven, Thatcher, Ken, Jan, Sue, David, Jenny, Marc, Elaine, Ann, Stephen, Jacquie, Abraham, Kerry, Emelita, Katie, Anita, Connie, Blake, Steve and for those we now name...

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

For the gifts of joy and love, that we may bear witness to the manifestations of your glory. We give thanks for all the blessings of this life, especially for those we now name...

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

For those who have died and now abide in Christ's presence, remembering especially Kip Johnson, Mark Deming and those we now...,

Lord in your mercy, ***hear our prayer.***

### ***Celebrant***

O God, who wonderfully created, and yet more wonderfully restored, the dignity of human nature: grant that we may share the divine life of him who humbled himself to share our humanity, your Son Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

### **Confession of Sin**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

#### ***Leader and People***

**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.**

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.**

## **Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Celebrations and Healing Prayers**

### **Offertory**

Here in this Place/Gather us in

Here in this place new light is streaming,  
now is the darkness vanished away,  
See in this space our fears and our dreamings,  
brought here to you in the light of this day.  
Gather us in - the lost and forsaken,  
gather us in - the blind and the lame.  
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,  
we shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young--our lives are a myst'ry,  
we are the old--who yearn for your face,  
We have been sung through-out all of hist'ry,  
called to be light to the whole human race.  
Gather us in - the rich and the haughty,  
gather us in - the proud and the strong.  
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly,  
give us the courage to enter the song.

Here we will take the wine and the water,  
here we will take the bread of new birth,  
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,  
call us anew to be salt for the earth.  
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,  
give us to eat the bread that is you.  
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion  
lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

Not in the dark of buildings confining,  
not in some heaven, light years away,  
But here in this place the new light is shining,  
now is the King-dom, now is the day.  
Gather us in - and hold us forever,  
gather us in - and make us your own.  
Gather us in - all peoples together,  
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

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## **The Great Thanksgiving - B**

[Please see Book of Common Prayer, pg. 367]

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **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...

*Celebrant and People*

### **Sanctus**

*(Said at 8:00; sung at 10:00)  
(printed on the Ivory Pew Sheet)*

**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.**

*The people stand or kneel. The Celebrant continues*

We give thanks to you, O God...

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

*Celebrant and People*

**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...

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**

**Lord's Prayer** *said at 8 am & sung at 10 am  
(printed on the Ivory Pew Sheet)*

*Celebrant* As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our father in heaven**

**hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those  
who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.**

#### **COMMISSIONING OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS**

*Celebrant:* In the name of this congregation we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

*Celebrant and People:* **We who are many are one body because we all share one bread, one cup.**

## **The Breaking of the Bread and Holy Communion**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*A period of silence is kept.*

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

*The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.*

*This is our Lord's Table, and He is our host. All persons are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who have yet to be baptized are encouraged to speak with the clergy after the service about becoming baptized into Christ's Body. Gluten-free hosts and alcohol-free wine are available upon request at the rail.*

## **Communion Music**

### Love One Another

Love one another, for love is of God.  
He who loves is born of God, and knows God.  
He who does not love does not know God,  
For God is love, God is love.

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### You Are My Hiding Place

You are my hiding place,  
you always fill my heart,  
With songs of deliverance,  
whenever I am afraid.  
I will trust in You, I will trust in You.  
Let the weak say I am strong in the strength of  
the Lord. (repeat)

I will trust in you.

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## **The Post Communion Prayer**

*Celebrant*

Let us pray

*Celebrant and People*

**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**

May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the world; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## **Procession to the Neighborhood**

**Hymn #482**

*Lord of all hopefulness*

## **St. Matthew Mission Statement**

**St. Matthew Church: To be a church that  
passionately embraces and values all people,  
growing in the love of Christ through word and  
action.**

*Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

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