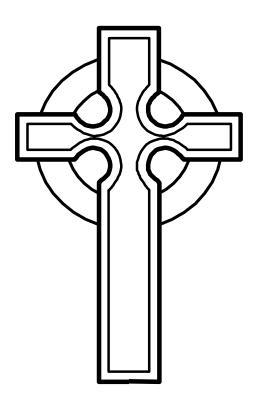
## Welcome to

# St. Mary's Episcopal Church

## How can we serve you?

We are pleased to have you worship with us. If you are looking for a church home, we hope you will consider St. Mary's. Please take a moment to fill out the welcome card in the pew rack and put it in the offering plate when it comes around. Please join us for coffee hour following service. **Childcare is available in the nursery.** 



The Rev. Kendall Haynes, Rector
The Rev. Stan Fowler, Assisting Priest
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### THE HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE II

## THE ENTRANCE RITE

<b>Prelude:</b> Improvization in G Major	Lester H. Groom
Processional: God of Grace and God of Glory	
The people standing, the celebrant says:	

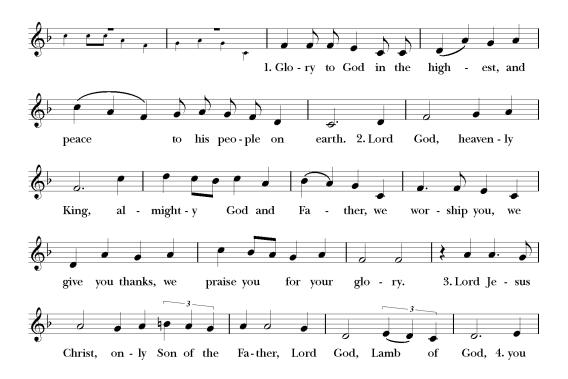
Celebrant: Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

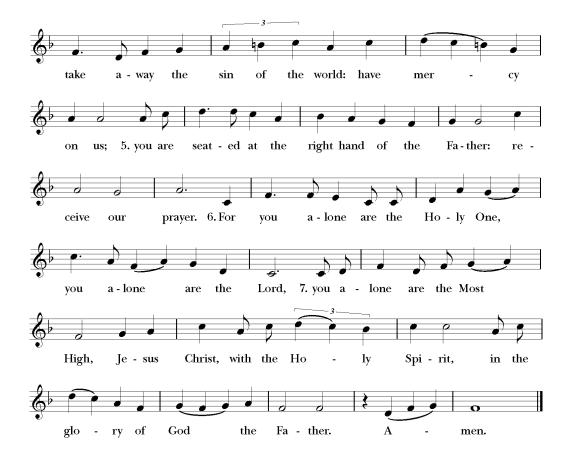
**People**: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

**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.

Celebrant and People: Amen.

### Gloria





# Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

## The Word of God

The people sit.

First Lesson: Isaiah 45:1-7

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped to subdue nations before him and strip kings of their robes, to open doors before him — and the gates shall not be closed: "I will go before you and level the mountains, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron, I will give you the treasures of darkness and riches hidden in secret places, so that you may know that it is I, the Lord, the God of Israel, who call you by your name. For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen, I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me. I am the Lord, and there is no other; besides me there is no god. I arm you, though you do not know me, so that they may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is no one besides me; I am the Lord, and there is no other. I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe; I the Lord do all these things."

**The Reader**: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

## Psalm 96 (McGregor)

# REFRAIN Sung by cantor and repeated by all



A-scribe to the Lord hon-or and pow-er.

Cantor: Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the whole earth. Sing to the Lord and bless his Name; proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day. Refrain.

**Cantor:** Delcare his glory among the nations and his wonders among all peoples. For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; he is more to be feared than all gods. **Refrain.** 

Cantor: As for the gods of the nations, they are but idols; but it is the Lord who made the heavens. Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary. **Refrain.** 

Cantor: Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts. Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth tremble before him. Refrain.

### **Second Lesson**: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the Word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead — Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

**Celebrant:** The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew:

**People:** Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-22

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

After the Gospel, the Reader says: The Gospel of the Lord.

**People**: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon: Fr. Haynes

(Time for Silent Reflection observed)

(Please stand)

### 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 worshipped 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

(Please Kneel)

The Leader and People pray responsively **Leader:** In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

**Leader:** For all people in their daily life and work;

**People:** For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

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

**Leader:** For the just and proper use of your creation;

**People:** For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

**Leader:** For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

**People:** For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

**Leader:** For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

**People:** For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Leader: We pray for our presiding Bishop Katharine, and Greg and Nedi, our Bishops. We

pray for Fr. Kendall and Fr. Stan, our priests and for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

**People:** For all who serve God in his Church.

**Leader:** For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

**Leader:** Hear us, Lord;

**People:** For your mercy is great.

Leader: We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

Leader: We will exalt you, O God our King;

**People:** And praise your Name for ever and ever.

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

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

**Leader:** Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

**People:** Who put their trust in you.

## **Confession of Sin**

**Leader:** We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

## **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*.

#### **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

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

**People:** And also with you.

# **Announcements/Birthdays and Anniversaries**

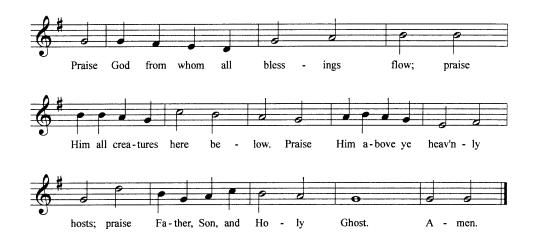
# **Birthday Prayer**

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

# Presentation of the Gifts of the People

The bread, wine, and money are lifted to God for his blessing.

## **Doxology**



# THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Eucharistic Prayer A

**Celebrant:** The Lord be with you.

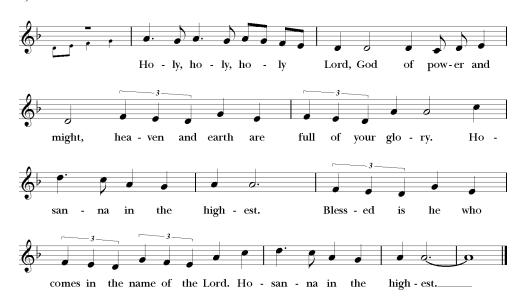
**People:** And also with you. **Celebrant:** Lift up your hearts. **People:** We lift them to the Lord.

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

**Celebrant:** It is right and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

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 (Powell)



## The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

## The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. 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 hath taught us, we are bold to say,

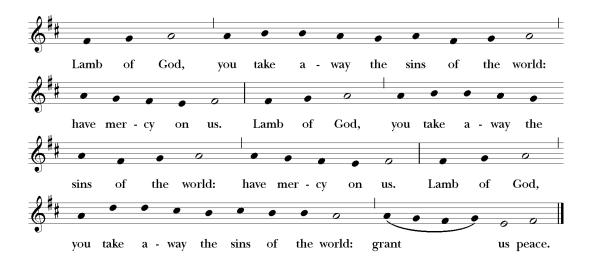
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the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

## The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

**People:** Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

## Agnus Dei (Hurd)



**Celebrant:** The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

## **Invitation to Communion**

This is our Lord's Table, and He is our host. All baptized persons are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who have yet to be baptized are invited to come forward for a blessing and are encouraged to speak with one of the clergy after the service about becoming baptized into Christ's Body.

People remain kneeling.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving ......BCP pg. 366

# **Celebrant:** Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

### **Benediction**

#### The Dismissal

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

**People:** Thanks be to God.

**Postlude:** Old Hundieth arr. Lee Hastings Bristol, Jr.

## **ASSISTING IN WORSHIP:**

Lectors: Marilyn Cowan, Monty Tolman; Sacrament Servers: Judy Bungay, Terri Lolcama, Sam Brown, Doris Sherrill; Ushers: Paul & Bos Kosct, Sandra Turner; Acolytes: Lauren Dudley, Tanner Bush, Lindon Coulter; Greeters: Walli & Terry Roarke

## THE ALTAR FLOWERS WERE GIVEN BY:

† Bess Cawthra in loving memory of their son, David.

†Clyde and Jean Kalahan in thanksgiving for the birthday of their granddaughter, Katie Walker.

†Peter and Marylu Wallerich in thanksgiving for the birthday of their granddaughters, Ailsa Marta Wallerich Neils and Signe Marie Wallerich Neils.

†In loving memory of Gerry Childs on his birthday from his family.