

# The Last Sunday after the Epiphany

February 27th, 2022 10:30 am

We welcome ALL:
People of Color
LGBTQ+
Partnered and Single
Differently Abled
Families and children
Young and Old
Our Homeless Neighbors
The Alcoholic and Addicted
Believers and Those Questioning Faith
Anyone Who Desires a Spiritual Home.

Calvary's welcome extends to all. But more importantly—God welcomes you for exactly who you are.

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#### HOLY EUCHARIST

PRELUDE Please stand Air G. F. Handel

OPENING HYMN 460 Insert p. 2-3

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

Hyfrydol

BCP 355

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

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

## THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

BCP 355

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*.

# THE GLORIA Hymnal S-280

Setting, Robert Powell





THE COLLECT OF THE DAY Please remain standing

BCP 217

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Please be seated

#### A READING FROM THE BOOK OF EXODUS

Exodus 34:29-35

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Psalm 99



- 1 The LORD is King; let the people tremble; \* he is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.
- 2 The LORD is great in Zion; \*
  he is high above all peoples.

- †3 Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; \*

   he is the Holy One.
- 4 "O mighty King, lover of justice, you have es'tablished'equity; \* you have executed justice and'righteous'ness in'Jacob."
- 5 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God and fall down before his footstool; \*

   he is the Holy One.
- 6 Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, \* they called upon the LÖRD, and he answered them.
- 7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; \*
  they kept his testimonies and the de cree that he gave them.
- 8 "O LORD our God, you answered them in deed; \* you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds."
- 9 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God and worship him upon his holy hill; \*
  for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

#### A READING FROM THE SECOND LETTER TO THE CORINTHIANS

2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2

Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

Lector

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Please stand

SEQUENCE HYMN 129 Insert p. 4

Christ upon the mountain peak

MOWSLEY

THE GOSPEL

Luke 9:28-36

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to ac-

complish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah"-not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

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

THE SERMON Please he seated

The Rev. Dr. Lee Shafer

BCP 358

THE NICENE CREED Please stand

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.

Please stand or kneel

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Form VI The Leader and People pray responsively

BCP 392

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

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 Terry our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers; For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially those on our Calvary prayer list: Cindy, Leroy, Mary, Sean, David, Stephen, Dennis, Rick, Clyde, Lovell, Jim, Hoss, Carren, Bruce, Craig, William, Teresa, Marsha, Ramon, Mary, Hugh, Michael, John, Larisa, Richard, Libby, Lisa, Michael, Bob, Leslie, Caleb, Patricia, and Kaitlin; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

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 and especially for this Calvary Church family The People may add their own thanksgivings

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. *The People may add their own petitions* 

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; *Who put their trust in you.* 

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins. Silence may be kept.

Leader and People

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### The Priest stands and says

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 Please stand

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS Please be seated

#### THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE

## MUSIC AT THE OFFERTORY

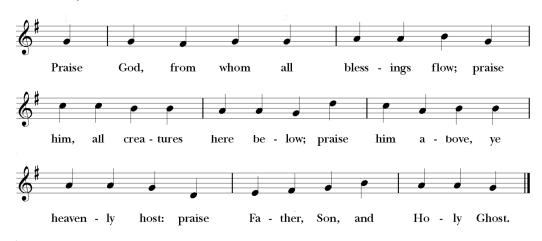
Alleluia

Randall Thompson

Please stand

# THE DOXOLOGY Hymn 43, Verse 4

THE EIGHTH TUNE



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# INVITATON TO COMMUNION Please remain standing

This is the table, not of the church, but of the Lord. It is made ready for those who love God and for those who want to love God more. So come, you who have much faith and you who have little; you who have been here often and you who have not been here for a long time; you who have tried to follow and you who have failed. Come, because it is the Lord who invites you. It is God's desire that you will meet God here.

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING EUCHARISTIC PRAYER C

BCP 369

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.

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

## Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

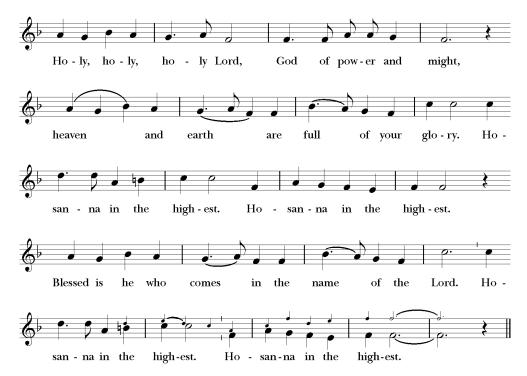
Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

THE SANCTUS S-125 *Please stand.* 

Setting, Richard Proulx



The Celebrant continues

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, 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."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. *Amen.* 

The Celebrant continues

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

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

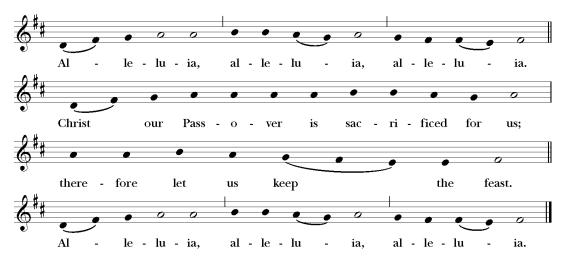
BCP 364

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

#### THE FRACTION ANTHEM S-154

Setting, David Hurd



THE COMMUNION

**COMMUNION ANTHEM** 

Jesu, the very thought of thee

Edward Bairstow

COMMUNION HYMN 133 Insert p. 5 O Light of Light, Love given birth

ELMHURST

Please stand or kneel

#### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 366

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.

#### THE BLESSING

Please stand

CLOSING HYMN 137 Insert p. 6 O wondrous type! O vision fair WAREHAM

DISMISSAL

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia

POSTLUDE Preludium Mendelssohn

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

CHRISTIAN FORMATION As we move forward into 2022 and planning for Christian Formation for children and youth, we are interested in hearing from you on how we can best support your family's faith formation. Families with children and youth will be receiving a survey soon. Please reach out to Callie Hausman if you have any questions or suggestions: cedirector@calvaryepiscopal.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

With Lent quickly approaching, we are wondering how many of you would like a kit sent to your home for "40 Days of Lent Scratch Off Prayers". You will receive the materials to use each day in Lent. It is easy to read the prayer prompt, scratch off a prayer, and complete the prayer with "Amen!" Please email me at cedirector@calvaryepiscopal.org if you have any questions or are interested in receiving a kit. Additional Lenten activities will be available as we come closer to the Lenten season.

CALVARY'S WELL is regrouping and hoping to be able to provide basic needs, like water, for our homeless neighbors again. If you have an interest and availability to be a part of this ministry during the week please let Lee+ know.

CALVARY PRAYER LIST If you would like to add a name to the Calvary prayer list, please do so on the form at the back of the nave. Please list first names only. You may also contact the church office with prayer list information at office@calvaryepiscopal.org.

OUT IN FAITH CONFERENCE You are invited to join the Out in Faith 2022: Together at Last conference from March 18th to March 20th. Hosted in Louisville by OutChristian, the conference focuses on the intersection between the LGBTQ and Christian communities. Visit www.outchristian.com/gathering to learn more and register for the event.

ASH WEDNESDAY The Ash Wednesday services will be held on March 2nd at 12 p.m. and 6 p.m.; the evening service will have a choir. We look forward to seeing you there.

THURSDAY EUCHARIST The Thursday Holy Eucharist with Healing has resumed and is meeting at 12:05 p.m. in the nave.

SOCIAL GATHERINGS Coffee hour is resuming next Sunday, March 6th. Sign up in the hall and join after the worship service. Other events resuming include the Forum at 9:30 a.m. and Compline at 7 p.m. on Sundays.

NURSERY/CHILD CARE AVAILABLE ON SUNDAY The nursery is open during the worship service on Sundays. Masks are requested for all children 2 years old and older.

NEW BEGINNINGS BIBLE STUDY is continuing to meet on Wednesdays at 11 a.m., but is gathering on ZOOM for the time being. Please consider joining us as we explore the Scriptures and learn together.... Just contact Cindy Curry (cindwatch7@twc.com) and you'll be placed on the Tuesday mailing list for the link that will connect us.

#### CHECK YOUR EMAILS

Please be sure to check the weekly emails from Calvary. This is the best place for up-to-date information about activities at Calvary Church, especially regarding changes related to Covid-19.

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