



# Calvary Episcopal Church

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Holy Eucharist Rite One

## The Last Sunday after Pentecost Christ the King

NOVEMBER 25, 2018

**Welcome to Calvary Episcopal Church.**

**Calvary is the home of a community of people who seek to make the church a place of welcome, service, and beauty.**

**Through the worship and love of God our mission is to:**

**Make the Gospel of Jesus Christ the center of our life and work;**

**Welcome all people into our church family;**

**Love and support one another; and**

**Actively seek out the human needs in our community, responding vigorously with respect and understanding.**

**We are glad you are with us today!**

As used in this bulletin, BCP refers to *The Book of Common Prayer*, 1979 edition as amended by the 2006 General Convention, copies of which may be found in each pew rack. Brailled copies of *The Book of Common Prayer* are also available. Please ask should you desire a copy for this service.

Wireless assistive listening devices are available at the Narthex entrance to the Nave.

To receive weekly emails concerning upcoming events and notices, visit our website ([www.calvaryepiscopal.org](http://www.calvaryepiscopal.org)) and select "get updates from us."

Please remember to turn your cell phones off before the worship services out of respect for those in quiet meditation and prayer. If you enter or leave during the service, please try to do so during hymns and spoken congregational activities. Please avoid doing so during readings, the anthem, and the sermon.

**Prelude**

*Finale Andante*

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

**The Word of God**

*BCP 323*

*All standing, the Celebrant says*

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

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

*The Celebrant continues*

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

**Gloria in Excelsis**

*BCP 324*

Glory be to God on high,  
and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee,  
we worship thee,  
we glorify thee,

we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,  
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sins of the world,  
have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;  
thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ,  
with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### The Collect of the Day

BCP 185

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

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in thy well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

*Please be seated.*

### First Reading

Revelation 1:4b-8

A reading from the Revelation to John.

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

1 The LORD is King;  
he has put on splendid apparel; \*  
the LORD has put on his apparel  
and girded himself with strength.

2 He has made the whole world so sure \*  
that it cannot be moved;

3 Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; \*  
you are from everlasting.

4 The waters have lifted up, O LORD,  
the waters have lifted up their voice; \*  
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

5 Mightier than the sound of many waters,  
mightier than the breakers of the sea, \*  
mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.

6 Your testimonies are very sure,\*  
and holiness adorns your house, O LORD,  
for ever and for evermore.

*Please stand.*

### The Holy Gospel

John 18:33-37

*Gospeler*      The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.  
*People*        Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, “Are you the King of the Jews?” Jesus answered, “Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?” Pilate replied, “I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?” Jesus answered, “My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.” Pilate asked him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered,

"You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

*Gospeler*      The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People*        Praise be to thee, O Christ.

## The Sermon

The Rev. E. Benjamin Sanders

## The Nicene Creed

BCP 327

*All stand.*

I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
and of all things visible and invisible;

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of his Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father;  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation  
came down from heaven,  
and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered and was buried;  
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,  
and ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of the Father;  
and he shall come again, with glory,  
to judge both the quick and the dead;  
whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost the Lord, and Giver of Life,  
who proceedeth from the Father and the Son;  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped  
and glorified;  
who spake by the Prophets.

And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church;  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins;  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### The Prayers of the People

*Form III (conformed), BCP 387*

*Please kneel as able.*

*The Intercessor says:*

Father, we pray for the Lusitanian Church of Portugal, and for the Diocesan School of Ministry, Leitchfield;  
*That we all may be one.*

Grant that our staff, our vestry, and every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve thee;

*That thy Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Terry, our Bishop; Ben, our Priest; and for all bishops, priests, and deacons;  
*That they may be faithful ministers of thy Word and Sacraments.*

We pray for Donald, our President; Matthew and Eric, our Governors; Greg, our Mayor; and for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
*That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

We give thanks for the successful rector search process. Send down upon our new rector the healthful Spirit of thy grace and pour upon her the continual dew of thy blessing.

*Hear our prayers for this parish family; grant us all things necessary for our common life, bring us to be of one heart and mind within thy holy Church, and grant that we may show the power of thy love to all among whom we live.*

We command to thy gracious care and keeping the men and women of our armed forces and others in the service of our government at home and abroad;  
*Defend them day by day with thy heavenly grace; and grant them a sense of thine abiding presence wherever they may be.*

Give us grace to do thy will in all that we undertake;  
*That our works may find favor in thy sight.*

Have compassion on all Christians who suffer persecution; our guests of the food and clothing ministry; those affected by war, disaster, and tragedy throughout the world; our homeless friends, and June, Isabella, Robert, Tom, Bill, JJ, Lou, Debi, Jeff, Becky, Raymond, Helen, Alan, Thomas, Ed, George, Walter, Connie, Dan, Michael, Robbie, Gleada, Dodd, Rob, Bonnie, Gene, Lucia, Lois, and all those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
*That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to Robert McLean Nash, John Peter Lansinger, and to all the departed eternal rest;  
*Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise thee for Kamehameha, Emma, and for all thy saints who have entered into joy;  
*May we also come to share in thy heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.  
*Silence is kept. The people may add their own petitions, silently or aloud.*

*The Celebrant then says*

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

*Please kneel as able.*

*Minister and People*

*BCP 320*

Almighty and most merciful Father,  
we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep,  
we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts,  
we have offended against thy holy laws,  
we have left undone those things which we ought to have done,

and we have done those things which we ought not to have done.  
But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us,  
spare thou those who confess their faults,  
restore thou those who are penitent,  
according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord;  
and grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,  
that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life,  
to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

*The Priest stands and says*

The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and remission of all your sins,  
true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit.  
*Amen.*

*Please stand.*

### **The Peace**

*BCP 332*

*Celebrant*      The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
*People*            And with thy spirit.

*Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

*Please be seated.*

### **Greeting [and recognitions]**

*Those with birthdays, those graduating from high school or university, and those with other achievements are asked to come forward and be recognized.*

*The Celebrant then says*

Let us pray.

*Celebrant and Congregation together*

O God, our times are in thy hand: Look with favor, we pray, on thy servant(s) as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in thy goodness all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## The Holy Communion

### Offertory

*The celebrant says*

Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God. *Romans 15:7*

*Please stand as the gifts are brought forward. As the gifts are offered the celebrant says*

*All things come of thee, O Lord,*  
*People And of thine own have we given thee.*

### The Great Thanksgiving

*Eucharistic Prayer I, BCP 333*

*The people remain standing.*

*Celebrant The Lord be with you*  
*People And with thy spirit.*  
*Celebrant Lift up your hearts.*  
*People We lift them up unto the Lord.*  
*Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.*  
*People It is meet and right so to do.*

*The Celebrant proceeds*

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, ...

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

### Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.  
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.  
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.

*The people kneel as able. The Celebrant continues*

*BCP 334*

All glory be to thee, Almighty God, ...

By whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. *AMEN.*

*The Celebrant then continues*

*BCP 336*

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

*People and Celebrant*

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**

*BCP 337*

*A period of silence is kept.*

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

*People* Therefore let us keep the feast.

### **Invitation to Communion**

*BCP 338*

*The Celebrant says*

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.

### **Communion of the People**

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Please tell the clergy if you need gluten-free bread. If you come to the communion rail for a blessing instead, please cross*

*your arms on your chest. If you are interested in being baptized, please contact a priest of the parish.*

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*

*BCP 339*

**Let us pray.**

*The People kneel and join in saying this prayer.*

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

### **The Blessing**

*BCP 339*

*The celebrant blesses the people.*

### **The Dismissal**

*Please stand*

*Celebrant      Let us bless the Lord.*

*People          Thanks be to God.*

### **Postlude**

*Fuga (Sonata II)*

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

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## SUNDAY MINISTRIES

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LECTORS: Jamie Hendon, Dade Luckett

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Jamie Hendon, Dade Luckett

ALTAR GUILD: Margaret Dickinson,

Cindy Curry

*Scheduled ministers for each Sunday should be sent to verger@calvaryepiscopal.org  
by the preceding Tuesday at noon.*

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## FLOWERS

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The ALTAR flowers are given to the glory of God by Sissy Nash in loving memory of her husband, Robert McLean Nash. The CHANCEL flowers are given to the glory of God by Lynne Lyndrup in loving memory of her nephew John Peter Lansinger.

*If you would like to give flowers, please contact Jim Barnes at 587-6011, ext. 26.*

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## THOSE COMMENDED TO OUR PRAYERS

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*We ask your prayers for the special needs and concerns of this congregation.*

**TO BE READ AT THE 8:30 SERVICE:** June, Isabella Robins, Robert, Tom Hill, Bill Whitaker, JJ Robb, Lou, Debi MacDonald, Jeff Ritchie, Becky Meyer, Raymond, Helen, Alan, Thomas Robins, Ed Carle, Dr. George Hafitz, Walter Vosinek, Connie, Dan, Kristy, Michael Curry, Robbie, Gleada, Dodd Harris, Rob Gentile, Bonnie Fritschner, Gene Krutzler, Lucia Zunun.

**TO BE READ AT THE 11:00 SERVICE:** Spencer, Marion Six, Harold Six, Shirley Leach, Joan Humke, Ben Sanders, Marsha, Charlie, Anna Weiss, Sandy Hill, Cindy, Ted Mussler, Suzannah, Debbie Navas, Joan Pritchett, Steve Montoya, Cassandra, Chris Perez, Wayne, Patti, Bea Eldridge, Ken Bohannon, Georgine, Mrs. Swinson, Marj, Richard, Gary.