Receiving Holy Communion in the Episcopal Church

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Bread and Wine of Holy Communion, the sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. This is done by holding out your hands to receive the bread. To receive the wine guide the chalice to your lips, or dip the bread into the wine. You may choose not to receive the wine. If you do not wish to receive Communion or have not been bapitzed, you may come forward to receive a blessing from the priest. Please indicate this by folding your arms across your chest. Gluten-free wafers are available to those who need them, and are kept and administered separately from the other wafers. Please indicate your desire for a gluten-free wafer to the priest. If you have not been baptized and wish to be, please speak to one of the priests following the service.

If you are unable to come forward to receive Holy Communion, please notify an usher and the clergy will bring the sacrament to you in your pew.

Serving in Worship Today

The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod, Preacher & Deacon The Rev. Scott Fleischer, Celebrant Chris Klasing & Gayle Saylors, Vergers Susan Conway & Valerie Riddle, Lay Readers The Christ Church Parish Choir Howard Thompson, Guest Conductor The Christ Church Altar Guild

The Prayers of the People

As we pray, let us offer our intercessions for the following: Cory, Janie Ballew, Barbara Bolt, Jane Crowder, Jimmie Ruth Hannon, Stephanie Martin, Gay Peden, Jim & Charlotte Scott, Joy Smitherman

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of Almighty God and in memory of his parents, Jack and Frances Traynham, by John Traynham.

Sanctuary Lamp Candle

The presence candle burning in the sanctuary lamp is given to the glory of Almighty God, and in thanksgiving for Ann Fisher Sherard and all the participants in the First Communion Class, and in loving memory of Ann Cheves Sherard.

Please Note the Worship Schedule Change for Sunday, February 26

On Sunday, Feburary 26 only one service of worship will be offered on the campus of Christ Church. The Holy Eucharist, Rite II, for the First Sunday in Lent will be offered at 10:30 am in the Historic Church with music provided by the Christ Church Parish Choir. There will be no services offered at 8:00 am nor 5:00 pm.

Additionally, there will be a service of Holy Eucharist offered at 10:30 am in the Chapel of the Transfiguration at Kanuga Conference Center as part of our annual parish retreat. All are welcome to attend.

Christ Church Clergy

The Rt. Rev. Daniel P. Richards
Bishop

The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod

Rector

The Rev. Kellie Wilson Senior Associate Rector

The Rev. Scott Fleischer Associate for Pastoral Care

The Rev. Lindy Bunch Associate for Parish Life

The Rev. Wallace Adams-Riley
CCES Senior Chaplain

Weekly Worship Services

Sunday

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Markley Chapel

10:30 AM Family Eucharist, Rite II

Markley Chapel

10:30 AM Traditional Eucharist, Rite II

Historic Church

5:00 PM Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Markley Chapel

First Tuesday of the Month

5:30 PM Healing Eucharist, Rite II

Markley Chapel

Wednesday

10:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Markley Chapel

Christ Church Vestry

Bill Hardaway Senior Warden

Bryant Nixon

Junior Warden

Betsy Baumgardner *Faith Development*

Betsy Elliott
Pastoral Care

Betty Parker Ellis Communications New Member Ministries

Sam Erwin Outreach Norma Givens Worship

Dexter Hagy Resource Development

Julie Haas Parish Life

Kay Jenkins
Engagement
Paul Landis

Finance

Martha Louise Lewis

Martha Louise Lew CCEP & CCES

Phil Peterson
Hospitality

Cindy Poe Grounds

Chris Klasing
Treasurer

Nelson Arrington, III Assistant Treasurer

Cecil Nelson Chancellor

Wade Kolb Assistant Chancellor

Josh Hudson Secretary of the Vestry

Ministry Area Leaders

Christ Church offers an extensive array of ministries. Contact one of these staff members to learn more.

Faith Development
The Rev. Kellie Wilson

Christ Church Preschool
Christine Skelton

Faith in Action
Kevin Mertens

ertens Support Suzanne Mize

Liturgy and Music

Donald W. Duncan

Communications

Jessica St. Clair Smith

Parish Life
The Rev. Lindy Bunch

Resource Development

Kristin Bennett

Pastoral Care
The Rev. Scott Fleischer



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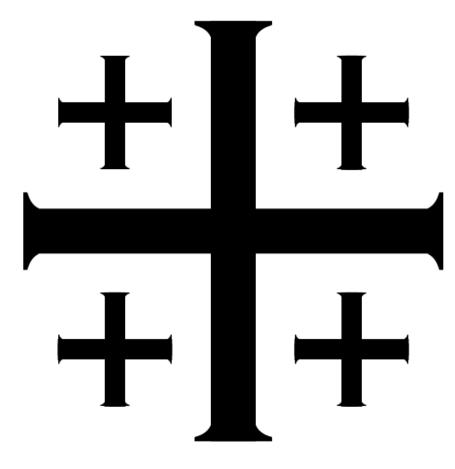
A JOYFUL COMMUNITY SHARING LIFE IN JESUS CHRIST

WORSHIP LEAFLET

Sunday, February 12, 2023

The Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

Children's First Communion Celebration



Historic Church Service 10:30 AM



HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II HISTORIC CHURCH + FEBRUARY 12, 2023

Welcome to Worship at Christ Church

Welcome to this service of worship. We are glad that you have chosen to join us today. In order to assist you in following the service, this worship leafelt provides an outline of today's liturgy. The text of the prayers and other liturgical materials is found in the **Book of Common Prayer** (small red book in pew rack) and the corresponding page numbers in this book are indicated in the worship leaflet by the abbreviation BCP. The hymns and service music are found in the blue **Hymnal 1982** and the corresponding page numbers in this book are indicated in the worship leaflet by No. or S. Instructions for receiving Holy Communion are listed on the inside panel of this leaflet.

The Word of God

Organ Voluntary | Communion in G Eugène Gigout (1844-1925)

Donald W. Duncan, Director of Liturgy & Music

Ringing of the Tower Bell

The congregation stands at the sound of the bell.

Hymn in Procession, No. 522 (standing) Glorious things of thee are spoken

Opening Acclamation Book of Common Prayer (BCP) 355

Collect for Purity BCP 355

Gloria in excelsis (Hymnal, S-278) William Mathias

Collect of the Day | Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany BCP 216

The First Lesson (seated) 2 Corinthians 5:17-20

Sequence Hymn, No. 690 (standing) Guide me, O thou great Jehovah

The Gospel Mark 10:13-16

The Sermon (seated) The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod

The Nicene Creed (standing) BCP 358

The Prayers of the People, Form III BCP 387

Confession of Sin (kneeling) BCP 360

The Peace (standing) BCP 360

Welcome and Announcements (seated)

The Holy Communion

Christ Church Parish Choir

BCP 361

Offertory Sentences

Anthem at the Offertory (seated)

Come, Christians, join to sing; Alleluia! Amen!
Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen!
Let all with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice;
Praise is his gracious choice; Alleluia! Amen!

Sing alleluia, O sing alleluia!

Come, lift your hearts on high; Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen! He is our guide and friend, to us he'll condescend; His love shall never end; Alleluia! Amen.

Text: Christian Henry Bateman (1813-1889) Music: *Madrid*, arr. Gordon Young (1919-1998)

Presentation Hymn, No. 618, vs. 4 (standing)

O friends, in gladness let us sing, supernal anthems echoing, Alleluia, alleluia!
To God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, Three in One, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A

Sanctus (Hymnal, S-129) Robert J. Powell

Fraction Anthem (Hymnal, S-154)

David Hurd

Invitation to the Table

Ministration of the Sacrament

The First Communion class will receive the sacrament first today. They will be led to the altar rail to receive Holy Communion after the altar party has received.

After the First Communicants have been served, the distribution will continue with the north and south transepts.

Communion Music

Agnus Dei (Hymnal, S-163) Robert J. Powell

Hymn No. 686 Come, thou fount of every blessing

Hymn No. 654 Day by day

Hymn No. 691 My faith looks up to thee

Hymn No. 707 Take my life, and let it be consecrated

Post Communion Prayer (kneeling) BCP 365

Blessing

Hymn in Procession, No. 344 (standing) Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing

Dismissal BCP 366

Organ Voluntary | Trumpet Tune J. K. F. Fischer (1665-1746)

Donald W. Duncan, Director of Liturgy & Music

Readings for the Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

The First Lesson

2 Corinthians 5:17-20

So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. So we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us; we entreat you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Gospel Lesson

Mark 10:13-16

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, "Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it." And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.