St. Monica's Episcopal Church

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Welcome to Saint Monica's Episcopal Church. We rejoice that you came to our church today, and we hope that you feel at home here.

As you consider what brought you here, perhaps seeking spiritual growth, looking for community, or responding to a simple invitation, please take a moment to look at the opportunities listed in the announcements included with this bulletin to find ways to grow in your faith and find a place of welcome. If you have any questions about how you can take part in the community of St. Monica's or about the Episcopal Church, please feel free to contact Fr. Jonathan Evans.

Again, we are glad you are here at Saint Monica's Episcopal Church where all are welcome.

THE HOLY NAME HOLY EUCHARIST II

Sunday, January 1, 2023 10:00 am

Rector

The Rev. Jonathan W. Evans

Assisting Priest

The Rev. Sylvia R. Czarnetzky

Organist and Choirmaster

Dr. Ronald Doiron

Lector

Ruthann Turley

Greeter

Sue Adams

Usher

Ashan Nabbie Tom Gibson Acolyte

Barbara Evans

Altar Guild Members

Kathy Crevier, Beau Crevier, Sandra Kilmon, Stacey McCurdy, and Susan Gibson.

Camera Operator

Tom Coté

Flower Team

Debbie Corey Sharon Lapierre

** Please remember to silence your electronic devices during the service. **

Voluntary Guest Organist: Susan Beauregard

Welcome and Announcements

Please stand as you are able

Hymn in Procession Once in Royal David's City Hymn 102

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

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

Collect for Purity

Gloria Glory to God in the Highest Robert Powell, Hymn S-280

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Eternal Father, you gave to your incarnate Son the holy name of Jesus to be the sign of our salvation: Plant in every heart, we pray, the love of him who is the Savior of the world, our Lord Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen*.

Please be seated

The Word of God

The First Lesson

Numbers 6:22-27

The Lord spoke to Moses, saying: Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, Thus you shall bless the Israelites: You shall say to them,

The Lord bless you and keep you;

the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you;

the Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace.

So they shall put my name on the Israelites, and I will bless them.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm Recited Psalm 8

- 1 O Lord our Governor, *
 - how exalted is your Name in all the world
- 2 Out of the mouths of infants and children * your majesty is praised above the heavens.
- You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, * to quell the enemy and the avenger.
- When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, * the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,
- What is man that you should be mindful of him? * the son of man that you should seek him out?
- 6 You have made him but little lower than the angels; * you adorn him with glory and honor;
- You give him mastery over the works of your hands; * you put all things under his feet:
- 8 All sheep and oxen, * even the wild beasts of the field,

- 9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, * and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.
- 10 O Lord our Governor, * how exalted is your Name in all the world!

The Second Lesson Galatians 4:4-7

When the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, in order to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as children. And because you are children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!" So you are no longer a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

Hymn 324

Gospel Luke 2:15-21

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us." So they went with haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known what had been told them about this child; and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them. After eight days had passed, it was time to circumcise the child; and he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Jonathan W. Evans

Please stand as you are able

The Nicene Creed

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Please stand, or kneel as able.

The Prayers of the People: Form IV

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Response: Hear our prayer.

Concluding Collect

Confession of Sin

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Please stand as you are able.

The Peace

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence

Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

During the Offering Guest Organist: Susan Beauregard

Offertory Hymn

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice

(Verses 1 & 2)

Good Christian friends, rejoice with heart and soul and voice; give ye heed to what we say: Jesus Christ is born today; He hath opened heaven's door, and we are blest forevermore.

Christ is born today! Christ is born today!

Good Christian friends, rejoice, with heart and soul and voice; now ye hear of endless bliss; Jesus Christ was born for this! He hath opened heaven's door, and we are blest forevermore. Christ was born for this! Christ was born for this!

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer D, BCP, 372

Hymn 107

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 continues:

Sanctus and Benedictus Holy, Holy, Holy R. Proulx, S–125

Memorial Acclamation We Praise You... McNeil Robinson, S-141

Great Amen Amen McNeil Robinson, S–147

The Lord's Prayer Recited Page 365, BCP

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem Christ Our Passover David Hurd, Hymn S-154

You are invited and encouraged to come to God's table. The communion bread is received on an outstretched palm. If you wish to receive a blessing instead of the sacrament, please cross your arms over your chest.

Communion Hymn

God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen

Hymn 105

Please stand as you are able.

Post Communion Prayer

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The Blessing

Response: Amen.

Hymn in Procession

Joy to the World!

Hymn 100

The Dismissal

People Thanks be to God.

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Parishioners are invited to remain seated and listen to the final Voluntary or leave quietly to greet and converse with one another outside of the Church.