# 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.

## SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

## HOLY EUCHARIST II

Saturday, January 14, 2023 - 5:00 pm Sunday, January 15, 2023 - 10:00 am

## Rector

The Rev. Jonathan W. Evans

## **Assisting Priest**

The Rev. Sylvia R. Czarnetzky

## Organist and Choirmaster

Dr. Ronald Doiron

<u>Lectors</u> <u>Greeters</u>

5pm Jim Sarconi Theresa Miller

10am Sue Adams Linda Flores-Rumpf
Ushers Acolytes

5pm Ann Hoffman Toni Strong

Linda Duffy

10am Scott McCurdy Betsy Smith

Jeff Gault

## **Altar Guild Members**

Ruthann Turley, Heather Williamson, Joyce Gebhardt, Linda Freund, Linda Smith, and Sue Baker.

<u>Camera Operator</u> <u>Flower Team</u>

Tom Cotè Debbie Corey
Sharon Lapierre

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please remember to silence your electronic devices during the service. \*\*

Service begins with the Voluntary and the lighting of the candles. Please use this time for silent prayer and meditation.

Voluntary 5pm Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word (Based on Hymn 440)

I. S. Bach

10am Largo No1 from Sonata in F Major
Ariane Schoellner, Trombone

Benedetto Marcello

#### Welcome and Announcements

Please stand as you are able

**Hymn in Procession** Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

**Hymn 535** 

**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, Hvmn S-280

Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

Please be seated

#### The Word of God

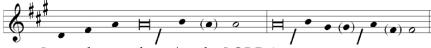
The First Lesson Isaiah 49:1-7

Listen to me, O coastlands, pay attention, you peoples from far away! The Lord called me before I was born, while I was in my mother's womb he named me. He made my mouth like a sharp sword, in the shadow of his hand he hid me; he made me a polished arrow, in his quiver he hid me away. And he said to me, "You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified." But I said, "I have labored in vain, I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity; yet surely my cause is with the Lord, and my reward with my God." And now the Lord says, who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, and that Israel might be gathered to him, for I am honored in the sight of the Lord, and my God has become my strength—he says, "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the survivors of Israel; I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth." Thus says the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One, to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nations, the slave of rulers, "Kings shall see and stand up, princes, and they shall prostrate themselves, because of the Lord, who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

**Psalm** 



Psalm 40:1-12

- I waited patiently up/on the LORD;\*
  - he stooped to / me and / heard my cry.
- He lifted me out of the desolate pit, out of the / mire and clay;\* he set my feet upon a high cliff and / made my / footing sure.
- He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our / God;\* many shall see, and stand in awe, and put their / trust in / the LORD.
- 4 Happy are they who trust in the / LORD!\* they do not resort to evil spirits or / turn to / false gods.
- Great things are they that you have done, O LORD my God! how great your wonders and your / plans for us!\* there is none who can / be com/pared with you.

- 6 Oh, that I could make them known and / tell them!\*
  But they are / more than / I can count.
- 7 In sacrifice and offering you take no / pleasure\* (you have given me / ears to / hear you);
- 8 Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have / not required,\* and so I / said, "Be/hold, I come.
- 9 In the roll of the book it is written con/cerning me:\*
  'I love to do your will, O my God; your law is / deep in / my heart.'"
- I proclaimed righteousness in the great congre/gation;\* behold, I did not restrain my lips; and / that, O / LORD, you know.
- Your righteousness have I not hidden in my heart;
  I have spoken of your faithfulness and your de/liverance;\*
  I have not concealed your love and faithfulness from the great / congre/gation.
- You are the LORD; do not withhold your compassion / from me;\* let your love and your faithfulness keep me / safe for / ever.

The Second Lesson 1 Corinthians 1:1-9

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and our brother Sosthenes, To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind- just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you- so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

**Hymn 135** John 1:29-42

Gospel

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel." And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God." The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, "Look, here is the Lamb of God!" The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" (which translated means Teacher), "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas"

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Sylvia R. Czarnetzky

Please stand as you are able

The Nicene Creed
Page 358, BCP

The Prayers of the People: Form IV Page 388 BCP Response: Hear our prayer. **Concluding Collect** Confession of Sin Page 360, BCP 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. Offertory Bridegroom of Our Soul 5pm Voluntary John Blackburn These Are They Which Follow the Lamb 10am Anthem John Goss St. Monica's Choir Please stand as you are able. Hymn 380, vs. 3 Offertory Hymn Traditional Doxology Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavn'ly hosts; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer B, BCP 367 Celebrant The Lord be with you. People And also with you. Celebrant Lift up your hearts. People We lift them to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. Celebrant 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 Remember His Death McNeil Robinson, S-138 We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory. Great Amen Amen McNeil Robinson, S-146 The Lord's Prayer Hvmn S-119 The Breaking of the Bread Christ Our Passover Fraction Anthem David Hurd, Hvmn 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 Voluntary 10am Largo No1 from Sonata in F Major Benedetto Marcello Ariane Schoellner, Trombone Communion Hymn What Wondrous Love is This **Hvmn 439** Please stand as you are able.

Post Communion Prayer Page 365, BCP

The Blessing

Response: Amen.

Hymn in Procession Lift Every Voice and Sing Hvmn 599

The Dismissal

People Thanks be to God.

Voluntary All Glory Be to God On High (Based on Hymn 421) 5pm J. S. Bach

> 10am Allegro from Sonata in F Major Benedetto Marcello

> > Ariane Schoellner, Trombone