

# CHURCH of the

The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

**February 6**, 2022 *Contemporary Service* 

#### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

#### SONG

Hail to the Lord's anointed Great David's greater son Hail in the time appointed His reign on earth begun His reign on earth begun

He comes to break oppression To set the captive free To take away transgression And rule in equity

Hail to the Lord's anointed Great David's greater son Hail in the time appointed His reign on earth begun His reign on earth begun

He comes with comfort speedy To those who suffer wrong To help the poor and needy And bid the weak be strong

To give them songs for singing Their darkness turn to light Whose souls, condemned and dying Are precious in His sight

#### Hail To The Lord's Anointed

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He shall come down like showers Upon the fruitful earth Love, joy, and hope like flowers Spring in His path to birth

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The tide of time shall never His covenant remove His Name shall stand forever That Name to us is Love

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#### **OPENING ACCLAMATION**

- *Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. *People* And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.
- All 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.

#### SONG

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God Almighty Early in the morning Our song shall rise to Thee Holy, holy, holy Merciful and mighty God in three persons Blessed Trinity

Holy, holy, holy All the saints adore Thee Casting down their golden crowns Around the glassy sea Cherubim and seraphim Falling down before Thee Who was, and is, and Evermore shall be Holy, holy, holy Though the darkness hide Thee Though in the eyes of sinful men Thy glory may not see Only Thou art holy There is none beside Thee Perfect in power, love, and purity

Holy, holy, holy Lord God Almighty All Thy works shall praise Thy name In earth and sky and sea Holy, holy, holy Merciful and mighty God in three persons Blessed Trinity

#### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd with your spirit.CelebrantLet us pray.

O Lord, we humbly ask you to keep your Church and household continually in your true religion; that they who do lean only upon the hope of your heavenly grace may evermore be defended by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, on God for ever and ever. Amen.

#### THE LESSON

The LORD said, "What shall I do with you, O Ephraim? What shall I do with you, O Judah? Your love is like a morning cloud, like the dew that goes early away. Therefore I have hewn them by the prophets, I have slain them by the words of my mouth, and my judgment goes forth as the light. For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice, the knowledge of God, rather than burnt offerings."

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Hosea 6:4-6

#### **PSALM 118**

Oh, give thanks to the Lord Oh, give thanks to the Lord For He is good, He is good For He is good, He is good

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For He is good, He is good For He is good, He is good His steadfast love endures Forever, forever He endures His steadfast love endure Forever, forever He endures His steadfast love endures His steadfast love endure Forever, forever He endures

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#### THE EPISTLE

Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassion, kindness, lowliness, meekness, and patience, forbearing one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teach and admonish one another in all wisdom, and sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

#### SEQUENCE

As our Jesus in love touched the leper Offered grace when they'd cast a stone As he ate with the outcasts and sinners With his church, let it be so

As he preached the good news of the kingdom As he healed them both body and soul As he gave up his life for God's children With his church, let it be so

#### Let It Be So With Your Church

Let it be so with your church, O God We are your hands and feet As Jesus bent low to serve in love So with us let it be, so with us let it be

#### Colossians 3:12-17

#### THE GOSPEL

Jesus said, "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field; but while men were sleeping, his enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and went away. So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared also. And the servants of the householder came and said to him, 'Sir, did you not sow good seed in your field? How then has it weeds?' He said to them, 'An enemy has done this.'The servants said to him, 'Then do you want us to go and gather them?' But he said, 'No; lest in gathering the weeds you root up the wheat along with them. Let both grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Gather the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn."

DeaconThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

#### SEQUENCE

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#### SERMON

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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.

Let It Be So With Your Church

Fr. Joe Dewey

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,  $\bigstar$  and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader	Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
People	That we all may be one.
Leader	Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
People	That your Name may be glorified by all people.
Leader	We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
People	That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.
Leader	We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
People	That there may be justice and peace on the earth.
Leader	Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
People	That our works may find favor in your sight.
Leader	Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
People	That they may be delivered from their distress.
Leader	Give to the departed eternal rest.
People	Let light perpetual shine upon them.
Leader	We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
People	May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.
Leader	Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

#### **CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION**

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All kneel.

Deacon & People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Celebrant stands and gives the Absolution, after which all stand.

#### THE PEACE

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* And with your spirit.

All greet one another with a sign of peace in the name of the Lord.

#### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **CHILDREN'S SERMON** (9 AM)

#### **BIRTHDAY BLESSING**

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **OFFERTORY SONG**

The Minister begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

Our mouths they were filled Filled with laughter Our tongues they were loosed Loosed with joy

Restore us, O Lord Restore us, O Lord

Although we are weeping Lord, help us keep sowing The seeds of Your Kingdom For the day You will reap them Your sheaves we will carry Lord, please do not tarry All those who sow weeping Will got out with songs of joy

The nations will say, "He has done great things!" The nations will sing song of joy Restore us, O Lord Restore us, O Lord

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#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

- *People* And with your spirit.
- 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 with the Preface, which concludes

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

#### SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

All kneel. The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

CelebrantTherefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:AllChrist has died.Christ is risen.Christ will come again.

#### The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN*.

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

#### Celebrant & People

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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread and a period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

#### THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

*Celebrant* We do not presume

All to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Persons who wish to have the Holy Eucharist brought to them in their pew should notify an usher.

#### Instructions for Holy Communion

All Christians who have been baptized with water and in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, who come forward in faith and are permitted to receive Holy Communion in their own church, are welcome to do so on this occasion.

Communion is received in the following way: a priest places the Bread in the palm of your hand, which you then consume; to receive the Wine, hold the base of the chalice, guide it to your lips. The practice of dipping the Bread into the Wine is not permitted. If you do not wish to receive one or both Elements, simply cross your arms over your chest.

If one is not able (e.g. because of a medical condition), or prefers not, to receive either the Bread or the Wine, the Church has always taught that a person still receives all the benefits of Holy Communion. If needed, there is wine from a dedicated gluten-free chalice; just notify a priest when you kneel at the altar rail.

Please feel free to consult with a member of the clergy if you have more questions.

#### SONG

People, come together Strange as neighbors, our blood is one Children of generations Of every nation of kingdom come

Don't let your heart be troubled Hold your head up high Don't fear no evil Fix your eyes on this one truth God is madly in love with you Take courage, hold on, be strong Remember where our help comes from

Jesus, our redemption Our salvation is in His blood Jesus, Light of heaven Friend forever, His kingdom come

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Swing wide all you heavens Let the praise go up as the walls come down All creation, everything with breath repeat The sound, all His children Clean hands, pure hearts, good grace Good God, His name is Jesus Swing wide all you heavens Let the praise go up as the walls come down All creation, everything with breath repeat The sound, all His children Clean hands, pure hearts, good grace Good God, His name is Jesus

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Jesus, our redemption Our salvation is in His blood Jesus, Light of heaven Friend forever, His kingdom come

#### **POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

#### Celebrant & People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **BLESSING & DISMISSAL**

The Celebrant gives the blessing, after which the Deacon saysDeaconLet us go forth in the name of Christ.PeopleThanks be to God.

NOTES

#### GOOD BOOKS GOOD TALK

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6 • 5 PM

EDUCATION BLDG, ROOM 205

Abandoned by his fellow Greeks to live in solitude on an island for ten years, *Philoctetes* explores what isolation does to a human being. Fr. Victor Austin invites you to read the play by Sophocles and join the discussion.

#### **COMMUNITY WORSHIP YOUTH GROUP**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6 • 5-7 PM **EDUCATION BLDG, YOUTH AREA** Students in grades 6-12, bring your friends and come join Incarnation for an evening of fun, food, and worship. We look forward to sharing this special time with you!

#### **BACH'S LUNCH**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 • 12:15 PM **CHURCH** Bach's Lunch continues with a program featuring highlights from Bach's awe-inspiring Musical Offering, along with trio sonatas by Telemann and CPE Bach. Our previously planned February program with soloist Cynthia Roberts is being rescheduled for a later date.

#### **XO MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT DINNER**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19 • 5:30 PM **GREAT HALL** XO is our annual marriage enrichment dinner and talk event for all ages of marriages that has a featured speaker and topic, dinner, wine and dessert, and giveaways! The cost is \$30 per couple. Nursery/ childcare (ages 0–grade 5) is available at no extra cost.

#### THE QUEEN'S SIX CONCERT

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20 • 4 PM **CHURCH** The Queen's Six was established in 2008, the 450th anniversary of the accession of Queen Elizabeth I, from whom they take their name. Their repertoire spans centuries and this program features a wide range of music from the 16th century to arrangements of favorite hymns. Tickets are \$20-\$35.

#### SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

TUESDAY, MARCH 1 • 6 PM **GREAT HALL** Children & Family Ministry invites you to join us for our annual Shrove Tuesday/Mardi Gras Pancake Supper to prepare for the season of Lent. Tickets are \$10/ person with discounts for younger children. Come enjoy a night of great food, music, and fellowship!

### GROW IN GRACE & HNOWLEDGE SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES AT 10:20 AM

#### **BENEDICTINE SPIRITUALITY**

EDUCATION BLDG, ROOM 205 Learn the history of Benedictine Spirituality, about the monastic life and community, and how Benedictine Spirituality offers stability to all our lives.

#### **CANTERBURY CLASS**

EDUCATION BLDG, ROOM 115/116 What makes Anglicanism a distinct form of Christianity that empowers us to worship globally through Word and Sacrament.

#### MARRIAGE CLASS

EDUCATION BLDG, ROOM 209 Francis and Lisa Chan's You and Me Forever: Marriage in Light of Eternity reveals that we cannot allow lesser things to destroy our marriages, nor allow marriage to distract us from greater things, from God's ultimate purposes for all our lives.

#### **PARENTING TEENS**

EDUCATION BLDG, ROOM 119 Teen issues leave parents reacting to their kids when what kids need is faith-filled love, wisdom, and guidance. Navigate these waters and become a proactive parent through Dr. Ken Wilgus' book, *Feeding the Mouth that Bites You*.

#### YOUNG ADULTS STUDY BONHOEFFER'S LIFE TOGETHER

MARMION CONFERENCE ROOM Dietrich Bonhoeffer's classic work *Life Together*, teaches us about the centrality of forgiveness to living in community with fellow believers, and how keeping our focus on Christ is the key to unity.



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# WELCOME Have any questions?

Visiting for the first time or need assistance? Stop by the Welcome Desk in the Welcome Center between services to get support, discover ways to connect, and pick up a new visitor gift.

#### **CHILDREN & FAMILY**

Stop by the Education Building on Sunday moring to check out nursery care and classes for your children.



NURSERY

#### DISCIPLESHIP

8:45 am-12:30 pm Infants to Age 2 9 & 11:15 am Pre-K to 2nd Grade

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:20 am

- Godly Play! Pre-K to 1st Grade
- First Communion 2nd Grade
- 3rd–5th Grade

#### WEEKLY ENEWS



Receive announcements and up-to-date information about events each week. Sign up today at incarnation.org/enews.

#### WEEKLY READINGS

This week's readings may be found in the Book of Common Prayer, pg. 947, Epiphany 5.



## 126th ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

#### 2021 YEAR IN REVIEW

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 10:20 AM ASCENSION CHAPEL

Come one, come all to the 126th Annual Parish Meeting featuring Bishop Burton's annual parish address, a business session, ministry highlights, and more.

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