

Pray for the Church and the Body of Christ

Please pray for those on our prayer list this week: Audra Elaine Bradley, Joshua Smith, John Bradley, Bill Campbell, Bill and Judy Shaddox, Julia Gibson, Lanier Family, Father Gordon and Linda Conely. We also pray for our Daughters of the King Ministry as they bring their strength and service together by praying for the people. Contact our church office to add a name to our prayer list. (Names will remain on the prayer list one month unless otherwise renewed.)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Seder Meal: This year, a Seder Meal will be held at 6:00 p.m. on March 30th. Please sign up in St. Paul's Parish Hall to prepare a dish (recipes provided) and reserve a place.

Mar. 12, Sun. 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Services

Mar. 13, Mon. 6:30 p.m. - Ladies Night Out at Buffet Palace (3202 I-30 Frontage Road)

Mar. 14, Tues. 6:00 p.m. - School Board Meeting

Mar. 15, Wed. 10:30 a.m. - Morning Prayer
7:00 p.m. - Bishop Sumner's Lenten Zoom Class (no Bible Study)

Mar. 16, Thurs. 6:00 p.m. - Confirmation Class in St. Paul's Parish Hall

Mar. 17, Fri. 6:00 p.m. - Stations of the Cross

Mar. 18, Sat. 8:00 a.m. St. Joseph's Guild

Mar. 19, Sun. 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Services

Mar. 21, Tues. 7:00 p.m. - Vestry Meeting

Mar. 22, Wed. 10:30 a.m. - Morning Prayer
7:00 p.m. - Bishop Sumner's Lenten Zoom Class (no Bible Study)

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March 5

Offering: \$1,957.00 -- Attendance: 55

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Third Sunday in Lent, March 12, 2023

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Office Hours: Tuesday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Lay Ministry

8:00 a.m. LECTOR/LEM

3/12: Abigail Stipe

3/19: Abigail Stipe

10:30 a.m. LECTOR

3/12: John Stachniak

3/19: David Stipe

ACOLYTE

3/12: David Kirklín

3/19: Matt Wolff

ALTAR GUILD

Pat Bolick, Laura Funk, Georgiana Harrison, Gail Rolston, Nancy Wyant

VESTRY PERSON OF THE DAY

3/12: Jeff Faunce, Beth Lachnitt

3/19: Suzanne Taylor, John Stachniak

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

3/12: Elizabeth Porter

3/19: Elizabeth Porter

TECH TEAM

David Clegg, Jacob Faunce, Jeff Faunce, Jennifer Faunce, Georgianna Harrison, Dana Medford, Chris Wolff

Jesus Christ, *Head of the Church*
 The Rt. Rev. Dr. George R. Sumner, *Bishop*
 The Rev. Dr. Nicholas Funk, *Rector*
 The Rev. Gordon Miltenberger, *Assisting Priest*
 David Gish, *Music Director*
 Rebecca Shasteen, *Pianist and Organist*
 Debbie McClain, *Parish Administrator*

- *Love (III) aka Love Bade Me Welcome*,
 (c. 1632) by George Herbert

Order of Worship

8:00 a.m. — HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I

Introduction to Worship

Opening Sentence BCP 323

Collect for Purity BCP 323

The Decalogue BCP 317

Trisagion BCP 324

Collect BCP 325

The Lessons

First Reading Exodus 17:1-7

Psalm Psalm 95

Epistle Romans 5:1-11

Gospel John 4:5-42

Sermon The Rev. Dr. Nicholas Funk

Nicene Creed BCP 326

Prayers of the People BCP 328

The Confession BCP 331

The Peace BCP 332

Announcements

Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer II) BCP 340

Sanctus BCP 341

The Lord's Prayer BCP 336

Agnus Dei BCP 337

The Presentation BCP 338

Post Communion Prayer BCP 339

The Blessing & Dismissal BCP 339

10:30 a.m. — HOLY EUCHARIST RITE

Prelude

Professional Hymn **H #686**

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing (Nettleton)

Opening Sentence BCP 355

Collect for Purity BCP 355

The Decalogue BCP 350

Trisagion **H #S101**

The Collect BCP 357

The Lessons

First Reading Exodus 17:1-7

Psalm Psalm 95

Epistle Romans 5:1-11

Gospel John 4:5-42

Sermon The Rev. Dr. Nicholas Funk

Nicene Creed BCP 326

Prayers of the People BCP 328

The Confession BCP 331

The Peace BCP 332

Announcements

Sermon The Rev. Dr. Nicholas Funk

The Nicene Creed BCP 358

Prayers of the People (Form I) BCP 383

The Confession BCP 351

The Peace BCP 360

Gospel John 4:5-42

Children's Sermon

Offertory **H #690**

Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah

(**Cwm Rhondda**) A3 #221

Doxology (*Old 100th*) BCP 372

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer D) BCP 373

Sanctus BCP 364

The Lord's Prayer BCP 407

Agnus Dei BCP 407

The Presentation BCP 362

Communion Hymns

Lead Me to the Cross Choir

Sanctuary A3 #138

Post Communion Prayer BCP 365

The Blessing & Dismissal BCP 366

Recessional Hymn **H #685**

Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me (Toplady)

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Holy Eucharist.

BCP = Book of Common Prayer
 (black) H = Hymnbook (red)
 A3 = Alleluia III (yellow)

Morsel for Meditation

Love bade me welcome. Yet my soul drew back
 Guilty of dust and sin.

But quick-eyed Love, observing me grow slack
 From my first entrance in,
 Drew nearer to me, sweetly questioning,
 If I lacked any thing.

A guest, I answered, worthy to be here:
 Love said, You shall be he.
 I the unkind, ungrateful? Ah my dear,
 I cannot look on thee.
 Love took my hand, and smiling did reply,
 Who made the eyes but I?

Truth Lord, but I have marred them: let my shame
 Go where it doth deserve.
 And know you not, says Love, who bore the blame?
 My dear, then I will serve.
 You must sit down, says Love, and taste my meat:
 So I did sit and eat.