

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY, YEAR A Holy Eucharist, Rite II

with Expansive Language February 12, 2023 9:00 a.m.

Celebrant The Rev. Kristin Braun, Curate

Preacher Carter Leer, Seminarian

Assisting The Rev. Katy Campbell, Seminarian

Music Eric Mellenbruch, Organist & Interim Choirmaster

Voices of St. David's

175th Anniversary Prayer

Most Holy and Gracious God,
from our beginning you have led and sustained
the people of St. David's Episcopal Church.
As we celebrate 175 years of ministry,
we ask that you continue to sustain and guide us
in our life of service to you, the city of Austin, and the world.
Where we are in error, correct us; where we are faithful, sustain us;
when we are weary, lift us up; when we are divided, reunite us.
For we aspire to be a city on a hill,
a beacon of your undying love for the world,
drawing others into your life-giving presence;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

All services are in Bethell Hall during the season of Historic Church renovation.

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Spoken service without music

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Expansive Language

11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Traditional liturgy and music

Livestreamed

3 p.m. Communion w/neighbors of

Trinity Center, Trinity Center

Wed. The Open Table Quarterly Eucharist and

May 17 LGBTQIA+ formation

6:30 p.m.

WORSHIP WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

The Prayground in Bethell Hall is a wonderful space for children to experience worship up close and personal while staying engaged with age-appropriate activities and resources. In the 9 a.m. service, at the gospel, young children are invited to follow the cross to the Bethell foyer for a brief children's chapel and return after the sermon.

PRAYER REQUESTS



To request a prayer scan the QR code with your device's camera, complete a prayer card, or call 512.610.3500 to notify the clergy of someone who is in the hospital or has a special need.

Copies of the prayer list with complete names are posted on the 2nd-floor hallway bulletin board. Please feel free to take a copy for your prayers.

SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER



Sign up for email news about special events, worship, and ways to connect with our community. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

VISITORS

Welcome! We're so glad you've joined us for worship today. If you'd like more information about getting connected at St. David's, we invite you to fill out a Guest Card, or get in touch with Dr. Amy Moehnke, our Director of Newcomer Ministries by emailing her (amy.m@stdave.org) or calling her at the church 512.610.3500. We look forward to getting to know you!

We invite you to fill out a Guest Card. Scan the QR code with your device's camera



RESTROOMS

Gendered bathrooms are outside Bethell Hall and Crail Hall. Non-gendered bathrooms can be found in the 2nd-floor hallway off the lobby

PARKING

Parking is free for Sunday services and during church events. You do not need to scan anything to park in the garage.

Questions? Contact worshipevents@stdave.org.

NEED A NAMETAG?

If you would like a new or replacement St. David's nametag, stop by the front desk to ask for one to be made for you by the next Sunday.

WAYS TO GIVE

- To give online scan the QR code with your device's camera.
- Complete the giving card or envelope found in the worship spaces and place in the offering plate.
- Text STDAVE to 73256.



CHURCH HOURS

Sundays: 7 a.m.-4 p.m.

Mon-Fri: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesdays: 8 a.m.-9 p.m.

Saturdays: Closed

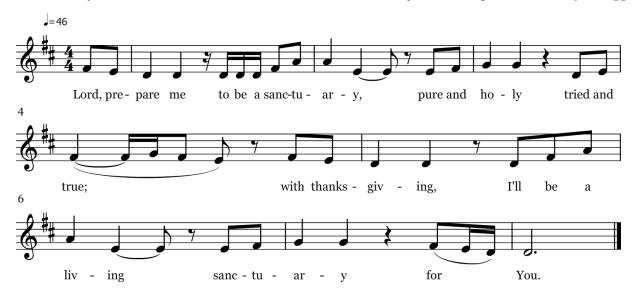


SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY, YEAR A

PRELUDE (Please join in singing while preparing for worship.)

¥ Sanctuary

John Thompson and Randy Scruggs



WELCOME

ENTRANCE HYMN 594 (Please stand and join in singing.)

▼ God of grace and God of glory

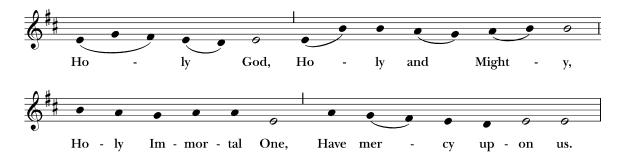
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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Blessed be God: most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity.

- And blessed be God's reign, now and for ever. Amen.
- **▼** TRISAGION (Sung three times, the first time by Cantor or Choir.)



God be with you.

■ And also with you.

Let us pray.

COLLECT FOR SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

BCP, P. 216

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our weakness we can do nothing good without you, give us the help of your grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

(Please be seated.)

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

▼ Thanks be to God.

RESPONSE: Psalm 119:1-8 (Please read responsively by whole verse.)

BCP, P. 763

- 1 Happy are they whose way is blameless, * who walk in the law of the LORD!
- 2 Happy are they who observe his decrees * and seek him with all their hearts!
 - 3 Who never do any wrong, * but always walk in his ways.
- 4 You laid down your commandments, * that we should fully keep them.
 - 5 Oh, that my ways were made so direct * that I might keep your statutes!
- ♣ 6 Then I should not be put to shame, *
 when I regard all your commandments.
 - 7 I will thank you with an unfeigned heart, * when I have learned your righteous judgments.
- 8 I will keep your statutes; * do not utterly forsake me.

Children's Chapel: During the Gospel Acclamation, young children are invited to follow the processional cross out to the Bethell Foyer. Chapel is geared toward children ages 3 thru 1st grade, but all are welcome.

Gospel Acclamation

Howard Hughes





The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

■ Glory to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL: Matthew 5:21-37

The Gospel of our Savior.

▶ Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON: Carter Leer

(Please stand.)

THE NICENE CREED

₩ 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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human.

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.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father,

who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,

who 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, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: FORM II

BCP, P. 385



Please sing the prayer response at the appointed times.

Prayer Response

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Presiding Bishop, Michael; for our Bishops, Andy, Kai, Jeff, and Hector; for Alinafe, Bishop of Southern Malawi; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

№ Prayer Response

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. Pray for those in any need or trouble.

▼ Prayer Response

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found by him.

I ask your prayers for the departed, especially those for whom prayers are offered through St. David's.

Pray for those who have died.

▼ Prayer Response

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored. Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

№ Prayer Response

Celebrant

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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 our Savior 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.

ABSOLUTION

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

▼ Amen.

THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be always with you.

№ And also with you.

The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of Jesus Christ.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY

(Please join in singing, while remaining seated.)

Offertory Hymn 440

■ Blessed Jesus, at thy word

Liebster Jesu

Please stand as the ushers bring the people's offerings of bread and wine, and money or other gifts, to the Altar.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A

The Lord be with you.

₩ And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

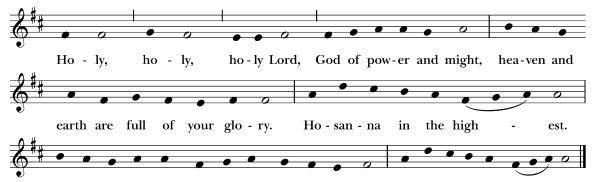
₩ We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

■ It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth, because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

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



Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

(The People remain standing.)

Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and maker of all.

Jesus stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

▼ Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, Almighty God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling Christ's death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

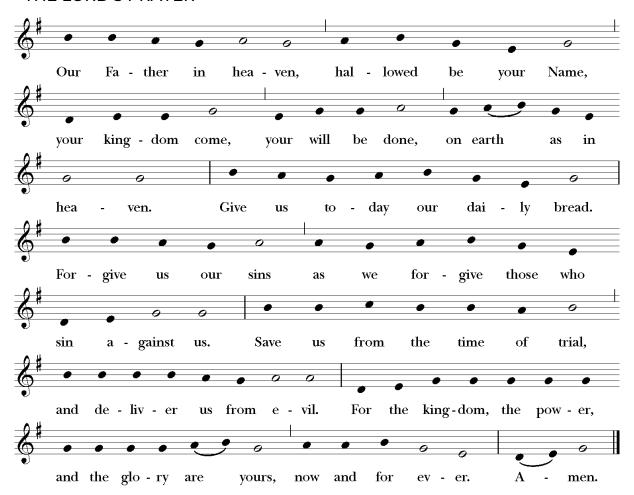
Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in Christ. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through Jesus Christ our Savior. By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever.

★ Amen.

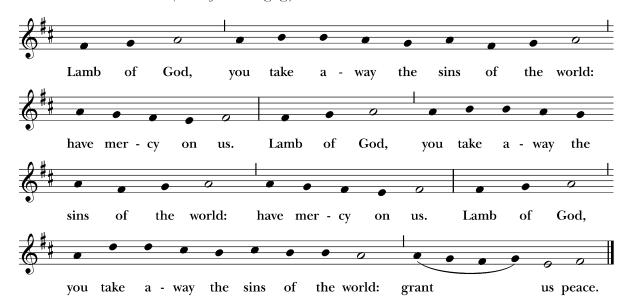
As our Savior Christ taught us, we now pray,

▼ THE LORD'S PRAYER



THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

▼ Fraction Anthem (Please join in singing.)



INVITATION

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Please form two lines in the center aisle and proceed to the Altar, if you want to receive Communion or a blessing. Gluten-free wafers are available, by request. If you desire a blessing, please cross your arms across your chest. Please ask an usher if you need communion brought to you.

Communion Anthem: Father, we thank thee who hast planted

Based on Hymn 302.

Christoph Dalitz

(Please join in singing.)

Communion Hymn 333

► Now the silence
Sung first by the Choir, then by All

Now

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (Please stand.)

Let us pray.

■ Eternal God,

you have graciously accepted us as living members of 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 Savior. Amen.

BLESSING

May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the world; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

DISMISSAL HYMN (Please join in singing.)



5. I'm gonna hold my savior's hand ('til I die).

DISMISSAL

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

▼ Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE: Prelude on 'Blessed Jesus, at thy word'

J.G. Walther

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Austin Marathon

Road Closures and Delays

Sunday Feb. 19



Routes to Church

From Points North

Take I-35 southbound
Exit at Cesar Chavez
Right on Cesar Chavez
Right on Trinity
Continue Straight past 7th St.
Left into St. David's parking garage

From Points South

Take I-35 northbound
Exit Cesar Chavez
Left on Cesar Chavez
Right on Trinity
Continue Straight past 7th St.
Left into St. David's parking garage

Routes from Church

To Points North or South

Exit parking garage onto westbound 8th St. Left on San Jacinto Blvd.

Left on Cesar Chavez

Continue to I-35

After 10 AM, traffic will be permitted onto westbound Cesar Chavez to access S. Congress Ave., S. 1st St, Lamar Blvd. or MoPac.



THIS HERE FLESH

ONE CHURCH, ONE BOOK

During Lent, St. David's will read together *This Here Flesh* by Cole Arthur Riley.

In this The New York Times best seller, the author attempts to broaden the understanding of spiritual practices and contemplation by using stories from her African American heritage, scripture, and her own embodied journey as a black woman in American culture.

She will be with us via zoom on Palm Sunday April 2, for a conversation with the author.



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Scan the QR code to see multiple day/time offerings online and in-person

ADULT CLASSES

SUNDAYS, 10-11 a.m. (2nd Floor)

Crail C Lectures Guest speakers, panel discussions, Holy Conversations (second Sundays), and classes.

Feb. 12: LGBTQIA+ Advocacy

Join us for the Crail C Quarterly Breakfast featuring a Holy Conversation with Fr. Chad and Dr. Mona West, exploring the future of LGBTQ+ advocacy.

Feb. 19: Conversation with the Author in Holy Grounds, Dr. Mona West and Fr. Chuck will discuss the 2nd edition of *The Queer Bible Commentary*.

Ongoing Groups

Men's Bible Study The Middle Place Reading the Bible ToGather

WEDNESDAYS, 6:30-7:30 p.m. (2nd Floor)

Bible Study: The Difficult Words of Jesus



Learn more on the Adult Classes and Speakers webpage. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

SUNDAYS (First Floor)

Childcare: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

(2 months-4 years)

Children's Classes: 10 a.m., Children's Classrooms

(Age 3-5th Grade)

Youth Classes: 10 a.m., Youth Room 170

(Grades 6-12)

WEDNESDAYS

Youth Group: Wednesdays, 5:30-7 p.m. Meet for dinner in Sumners Hall and head downstairs for fun in Youth Room 170.

CLUB 45 (ministry supporting rising 4th and 5th graders) **March 5:** Go to the Family Maestro show *The Hideout*. Meet at church at 3:30 p.m. Tickets for families, friends, and siblings are covered by St. David's.

HOSPITALITY

Sumners Hall (Third Floor)

HAVE SUNDAY BREAKFAST WITH US

8:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

This isn't your typical church coffee hour. We serve a homemade, hot meal, prepared by our in-house professional chef. Everyone is welcome. Let the cashier know if it is your first visit and your meal is on us!

ENJOY COFFEE IN HOLY GROUNDS

Sundays, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Lobby)

WEDNESDAY DINNER

5:30-6:30 p.m.

Gather for a weekly parish dinner with friends when you come to church for Wednesday evening offerings and events.

THURSDAY LUNCH

First Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. (Open to the public) Take a break from work and come by for Chef Ray's delicious food! Parking is validated for those eating lunch.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

DONATE TO TRINITY CENTER

Trinity Center is gathering donations to help our neighbors. Specifically blankets, jackets, and hygiene items (travel-size shampoo, conditioner, soap, lotion, toothbrush/toothpaste). Donations can be dropped off in the large basket in the lobby.

HELP LAUNDRY LOVE

Every February, we collect laundry supplies that can be shipped to the church for our monthly ministry that helps people do their laundry with dignity.

Feb. 23: Dr. Amy Moehnke will attend her goodbye Laundry Love meeting at SpinZone on S. Congress.



Learn more on the Community Engagement webpage. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

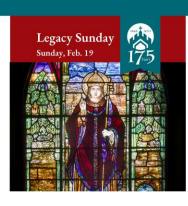
HOLY CONVERSATION & CRAIL C BREAKFAST



Sunday, Feb. 12, 10 a.m., Crail C

Come for the next Crail C quarterly breakfast and engage in a Holy Conversation with Fr. Chad McCall and Dr. Mona West as we share our stories and explore the future of LGBTQIA+ advocacy.

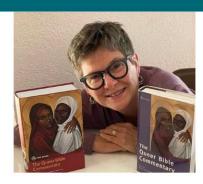
LEGACY SUNDAY



Sunday, Feb. 19

In our liturgy and music, we will honor all the saints in our parish who have left a lasting legacy. Please come and visit with board members of the St. David's Church Foundation in Sumners Hall from 10-11 a.m. to learn more about Legacy Giving.

CONVERSATION WITH THE AUTHOR



Sunday, Feb. 19, 10 a.m., Holy Grounds

Join Fr. Chuck in Holy Grounds for a conversation with Dr. Mona West, director of Adult Christian Formation and contributing editor for the newly published 2nd edition of *The Queer Bible Commentary*.

Shrove Tuesday All-Parish Supper



Feb. 21, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Sumners Hall

St. David's youth are planning and hosting our annual Shrove Tuesday Celebration. Enjoy delicious Cajun cuisine prepared by Café Divine, and play live bingo with prizes!