



ST LAURENCE CHURCH

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Fifth Sunday After Epiphany



February 10, 2019
8:30am

HOLY EUCHARIST

Prelude

Abide With Me

Johann Sebastian Bach

Angelus

Entrance

Hymn 362

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

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

Gloria



Glo-ry, glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to his peo-ple on earth.



Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al - might-y God and Fa - ther. We wor - ship you, we



give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry, we praise you for your glo - ry,



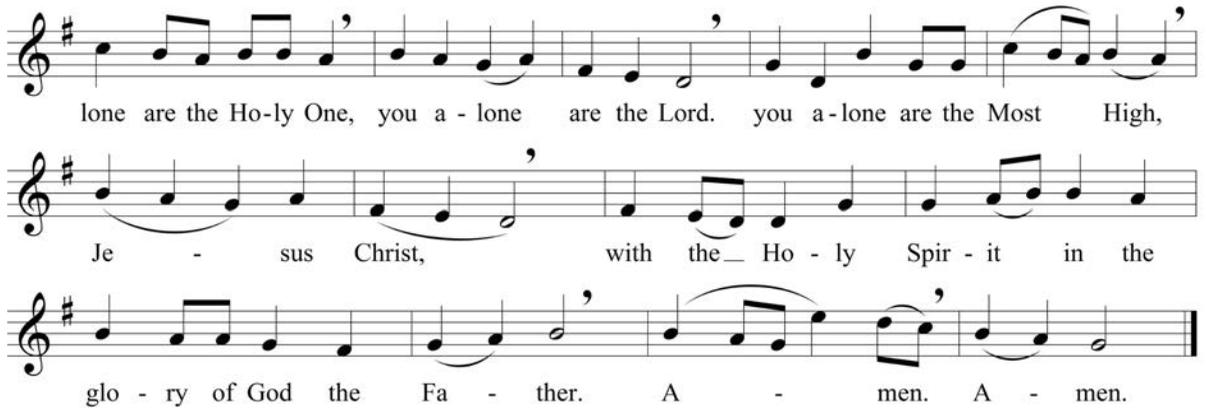
Lord, Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God,



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy on us, you are seat-ed



at the right hand of the Fa - ther, re-ceive our pray'r, re - ceive our pray'r. For you a -



lone are the Ho-ly One, you a - lone are the Lord. you a-lone are the Most High,
 Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it in the
 glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men. A - men.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Collect of the Day

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Children's Chapel Procession

First Reading

Judges 6:11-24a

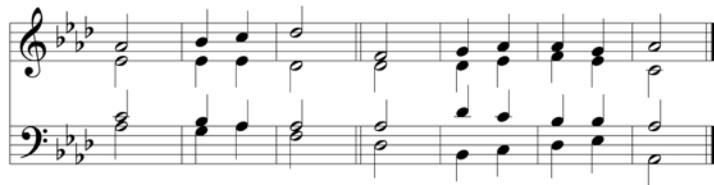
The angel of the LORD came and sat under the oak at Ophrah, which belonged to Joash the Abiezrite, as his son Gideon was beating out wheat in the wine press, to hide it from the Midianites. The angel of the LORD appeared to him and said to him, "The LORD is with you, you mighty warrior." Gideon answered him, "But sir, if the LORD is with us, why then has all this happened to us? And where are all his wonderful deeds that our ancestors recounted to us, saying, 'Did not the LORD bring us up from Egypt?' But now the LORD has cast us off, and given us into the hand of Midian." Then the LORD turned to him and said, "Go in this might of yours and deliver Israel from the hand of Midian; I hereby commission you." He responded, "But sir, how can I deliver Israel? My clan is the weakest in Manasseh, and I am the least in my family." The LORD said to him, "But I will be with you, and you shall strike down the Midianites, every one of them." Then he said to him, "If now I have found favor with you, then show me a sign that it is you who speak with me. Do not depart from here until I come to you, and bring out my present, and set it before you." And he said, "I will stay until you return." So Gideon went into his house and prepared a kid, and unleavened cakes from an ephah of flour; the meat he put in a basket, and the broth he put in a pot, and brought them to him under the oak and presented them.

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The angel of God said to him, "Take the meat and the unleavened cakes, and put them on this rock, and pour out the broth." And he did so. Then the angel of the LORD reached out the tip of the staff that was in his hand, and touched the meat and the unleavened cakes; and fire sprang up from the rock and consumed the meat and the unleavened cakes; and the angel of the LORD vanished from his sight. Then Gideon perceived that it was the angel of the LORD; and Gideon said, "Help me, Lord GOD! For I have seen the angel of the LORD face to face." But the LORD said to him, "Peace be to you; do not fear, you shall not die." Then Gideon built an altar there to the LORD, and called it, The LORD is peace.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



Psalm 85:7-13

- 7 Show us your / **mercy**, O Lord, *
and / grant us your salvation.
- 8 I will listen to what the Lord / God is saying, *
for he is speaking peace to his faithful people and to those who / turn their hearts to him.
- 9 Truly, his salvation is very near to / those who fear him, *
that his / **glory** may **dwelt in** our land.
- 10 Mercy and truth have / met together; *
righteousness and / peace have kissed each other.
- 11 Truth shall spring up / from the earth, *
and righteousness / shall look down from heaven.
- 12 The Lord will indeed / grant prosperity, *
and our / land will yield its increase.
- 13 Righteousness shall / go before him, *
and peace shall be a / pathway for his feet.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the

scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sequence

Hymn 661

Alleluia

Holy Gospel

Luke 5:1-11

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

In - scribe these words in my heart, as with fire. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The Nicene Creed

Prayer Book, pg. 358

Celebrant and People: 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. 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, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

From New Anglican Prayer Book Now Being Developed

The Reader will now read the prayers. After each prayer is the following response:

Reader: Lord, in your mercy,

People: Hear our prayer.

The Confession

Prayer Book, pg. 360

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

Deacon and 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.

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

The Peace

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

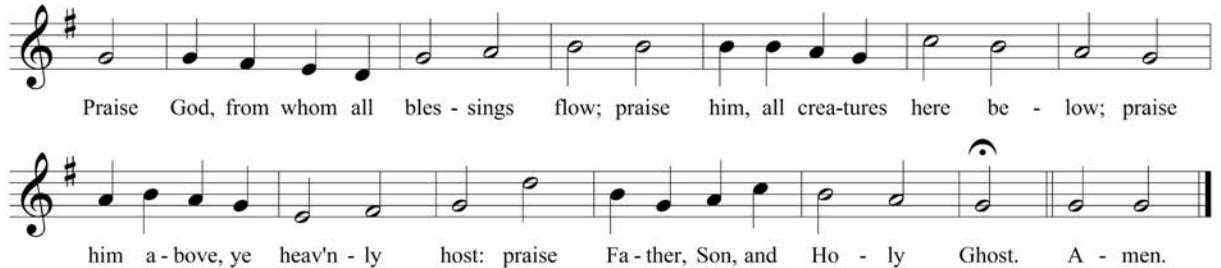
People: And also with you.

THE LITURGY OF THE ALTAR

Offertory

The Lord My God My Shepherd Is
 Jesse Seymour Irvine
 Canterbury Choir

Doxology



Praise God, from whom all bles - sings flow; praise him, all crea-tures here be - low; praise
 him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

The Great Thanksgiving

Prayer Book, pg. 367

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

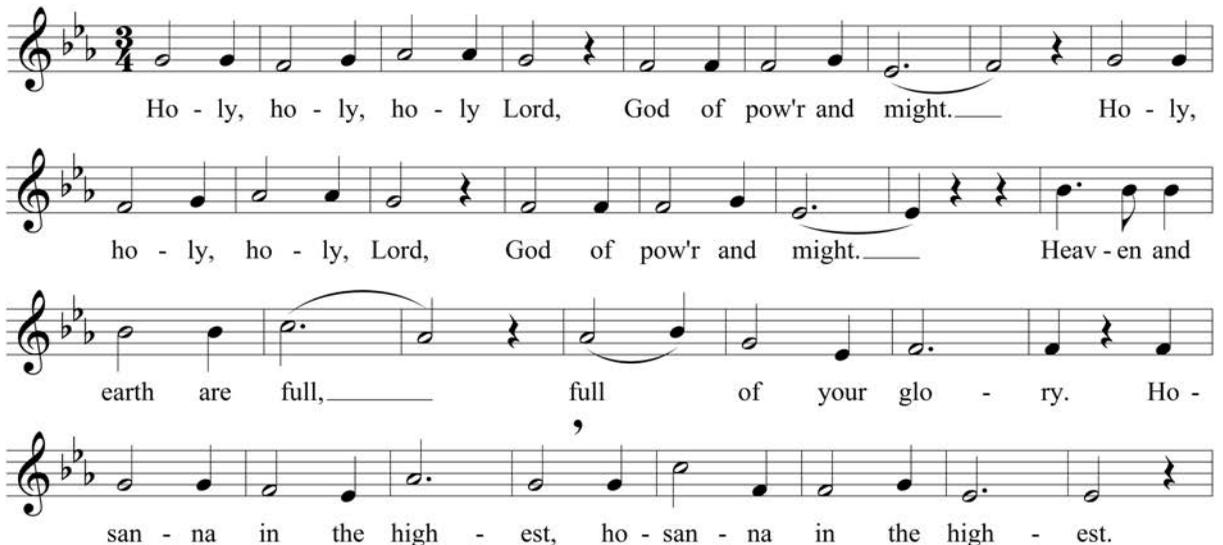
Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

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.

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might. Ho - ly,
 ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord, God of pow'r and might. Heav - en and
 earth are full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

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

Eucharistic Prayer B

Prayer Book, pg. 368

Celebrant: Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People: We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

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

Celebrant and 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 Breaking of the Bread

Prayer Book, pg. 364

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Agnus Dei

Je-sus, Lamb of God, have mer-cy on us. Je-sus, Bear-er of our sins, have mer-cy on us. Je-sus, Re-deem-er, Re-deem-er of the world, give us your peace, give us your peace.

Holy Communion

706, 660, 321

Post Communion Prayer**Prayer Book, pg. 366**

Celebrant and People: Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing and Dismissal

Deacon: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

Procession Out

Hymn 686

Postlude

Fugue in E-flat Major

Johann Sebastian Bach

Sunday School Today

Sunday School classes are at 9:50am between the services. Kids' classes are taught the same lesson but at different levels. Questions are provided to help parents begin a discussion of what their kids learned today.

Grade/Class

Today's Topic

Pre K - 5th Grade

Joshua and Jericho (Joshua 6:1-21). Joshua follows God's plan, even though he doesn't understand it, and God delivers Jericho into the Israelites hands.

Question:

What is God asking you to do?

Jr. & Sr. High

Genesis 33:1-15. Jesus reconciles us to God and calls us to reconcile with each other.

Question:

What can we learn from how Jacob and Esau were able to reconcile and what's the takeaway for us with regard to our most difficult relationships?

Parish Hall Class

Truth: Special revelation.

Adult Interactive Class

In the Dust of the Rabbi: The Presence of God.

Ladies Bible Study

Finding I AM: Discussion of Week 1 lesson - I AM the Bread of Life.

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Morning Prayer	7:45am		Sunday 10
Mass	8:30 and 10:45am		
Sunday School	9:50am		
Youth Confirmation Class	9:50am		
Malawi Mission Trip Meeting	12:00pm		
Mission Trip Parent Meeting	5:00pm		
Sr. High Youth Group	5:45pm		
Evensong & Benediction	5:30pm		
Christian Formation	6:00pm		
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Morning Prayer	9:00am		Monday 11
Mass	9:30am		
Sacred Arts Icon Class	10:00am		
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Morning Prayer	9:00am		Tuesday 12
Parent's Day Out	9:00am		
Mass	9:30am		
Tuesday Morning Bible Study	10:00am		
Bingo at Union Gospel Mission	7:00pm		
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Morning Prayer	9:00am		Wednesday 13
Jr. High Youth Group	4:45pm		
Evening Prayer	5:00pm		
Mass	5:30pm		
Wednesday Night Dinner	6:00pm		
CrossWord Bible Study	6:30pm		
Canterbury Choir Rehearsal	6:30pm		
St. Laurence Chorale Rehearsal	7:15pm		
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Morning Prayer	9:00am	Saints Cyril & Methodius	Thursday 14
Parent's Day Out	9:00am		
Mass	12:10pm		
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Men's Bible Study	6:30am		Friday 15
Morning Prayer	9:00am		
Mass	9:30am		
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Vestry/Staff Planning Day	8:30am		Saturday 16
Morning Prayer	9:00am		
Mass	9:30am		
Confessions	10:00am		

Announcements

Flowers

Flowers are given today by Katie and Matt Campbell in celebration of McKenna's 12th birthday, by Ellie and Jay Halpin in thanksgiving for James' 25th birthday, and by Susie Hodges in thanksgiving for Joe and Bobby's birthdays.

Worship

Register Now for the Women's Lenten Retreat - March 1-3. We're continuing our tradition of a truly special Lenten Retreat for the women of St. Laurence, and we're making it even better! The theme is "The Well, Part 3: Responding to Christ" and the weekend will focus on the Samaritan woman, John 4:4-26; this time from the aspect of recognizing and sharing our spiritual gifts. Held at Camp Crucis in Granbury, we begin Friday evening with a fellowship dinner in Granbury and end on Sunday morning with Mass, but come and go throughout the weekend as you need to. The retreat will be filled with stories of personal commitment to Christ, small group discussions, laughter and games, bible study and prayer. The cost is \$100 and adult women of all ages are invited. Pick up your registration form in the Narthex, Parish Hall or online. Contact Megan Mecca at meganlmecca@gmail.com for more info.

Learn the Rosary. Just in time for Lent! Join us Sun, Feb. 17 for an informal meeting on how to pray the rosary, including time to practice and for asking questions. After Evensong at 6:00pm in the Music Building. Contact Cherie Bennett at cheriebennett2046@gmail.com for more info.

Study

Anglican Book Chat Starts New Book. All are welcome to join the Anglican Book Chat as they begin a new book, *Iota: A Novel* by TM Doran. While a book of fiction, this is a story about redemption, sacrifice and mercy set in a WWII Soviet detention facility. It should generate some great discussion! Purchase your book from Amazon and join us for a discussion of chapter 1 on Sun, Feb. 17 from 4:00-5:15pm at the home of Jeff and Cherie Bennett (2940 N. Kimball Ave, Southlake). Contact Karie Edson at mkedson@verizon.net for more info.

Service

Thank You to Everyone Who Came to the Music Presentation last Sunday and to everyone who helped put on the Super Bowl spread of mimosas and food. It was a great event! There was a wonderful turnout and everyone seemed excited about the proposed addition of choral scholars to our music program and about the new pieces that our enhanced choir would be able to perform. The generosity in the room was fantastic and while we don't have a final number for you yet, as some folks are still praying about what they can give, we do know that you will be hearing at least a few new voices in the very near future. Many thanks to everyone who donated.

Malawi Mission Trip Meeting. We are excited to announce that we are planning another mission trip to the Diocese of Northern Malawi this summer from June 17-July 3. Anyone interested in going on this mission trip is asked to come to an info meeting today at 12:00pm in the Parish Hall. Approximate cost is \$4,000/person. Contact Angela Fraser at angela@AngelaFraser.com for more info.

Men's Bingo Night at Union Gospel Mission. All men of the Parish are invited to Bingo Night at UGM on Tues, Feb. 12 for a great night of fellowship with the men at Union Gospel Mission. Meet at Swift's house (2002 Kyle Ct., Colleyville) at 5:30pm to carpool or go directly to the lobby of UGM in Ft. Worth. Bingo begins at 7:00pm. Contact Swift Lindley at swifthomes@verizon.net for more info.

Parent's Day Out

Registration for 2019-2020 Parent's Day Out Now Open to the Public. We're excited to announce that registration for Parent's Day Out for the next school year is now open to the public. We have 18 spots available with several taken already. With 11 children in the program now and inquiries coming in frequently, we anticipate that God will bless us with a full enrollment next year. If you are interested or know someone who may be interested, please contact us to learn more and to schedule a tour. Now's the time to register by going to stlaurenceparentsdayout.com or contacting Director, Cherie Bennett at cheriebennett2046@gmail.com.

Youth

Sr. High Youth Group (9-12th grade) Come to the Mission Trip Parent Meeting in the music building today at 5:00pm. After the meeting, time permitting, we will head to the youth room to continue our devotion series on the 7 Deadly Sins and their 7 Virtue counterparts. Contact Katie LaPenna at katielapenna@gmail.com for more info.

Jr. High Youth Group (6-8th grade) This Wed, Feb. 13 from 4:45-6:00pm in the Youth Room the Jr. High Youth will continue their Faith Giants devotion series. Fish Bait... Following God's Lead will be our topic of discussion. We will examine the life of Jonah, who learned the hard way that God expects complete obedience. Dinner will follow in the Parish Hall. Contact Katie LaPenna at katielapenna@gmail.com for more info.

Youth Group Mission Trip Parent Meeting. All parents of both Jr. and Sr. High Youth are asked to attend a Mission Trip Meeting today at 5:00pm in the Music Building. This is the Big Reveal for this summer's mission trips! Fundraising activities will be discussed as well. Contact Katie LaPenna at katielapenna@gmail.com for more info.

Fellowship

Bingo Night. All parishioners are invited to the Youth Group's first fundraiser, Bingo Nite, on Fri, Feb. 22 from 6:00-8:00pm in the Parish Hall. Join us for a Potluck and some friendly competition. Bingo cards will be sold for \$5.00 each and all proceeds will go toward their 2019 Summer Mission Trips.