HOLY EUCHARIST

VOLUNTARY	Prelude on Divinum mysterium	Charles Callahan (b. 1951)

The Word of God

HYMN 87 – Hark! the herald angels sing

Mendelssohn

Mode 7

Allein Gott in der Hoh

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP, p. 355)

GLORIA

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, you have poured upon us the new light of your incarnated Word: Grant that this light, enkindled in our hearts, may shine forth in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

All glory be to God on high

sung by all to Hymn 421

OLD TESTAMENT READING - Isaiah 61:10-62:3

I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations. For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.





- Worship the LORD, O Jerusalem; * 13. praise your God, O Zion;
- For he has strengthened the bars of your gates; * 14. he has blessed your children within you.
- He has established peace on your borders; * 15. he satisfies you with the finest wheat. *Refrain*
- He sends out his command to the earth, * 16. and his word runs very swiftly.
- He gives snow like wool; * 17. he scatters hoarfrost like ashes. *Refrain*
- 18. He scatters his hail like bread crumbs; * who can stand against his cold?
- 19. He sends forth his word and melts them; * he blows with his wind, and the waters flow. *Refrain*
- He declares his word to Jacob, * 20. his statutes and his judgments to Israel.

21. He has not done so to any other nation; *	THE NICENE O
to them he has not revealed his judgments. Hallelujah! <i>Refrain</i>	THE PRAYERS
NEW TESTAMENT READING – Galatians 3:23-25; 4:4-7	CONFESSION
Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until f would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer s to a disciplinarian, But when the fullness of time had come, God sent his Son,	so that ubject born of
a woman, born under the law, in order to redeem those who were under the law that we might receive adoption as children. And because you are children, Goo sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, 'Abba! Father!' So you are no a slave but a child, and if a child then also an heir, through God.	i has THE OFFERTO
HYMN 277 – Sing of Mary, pure and lowly	aquel
THE GOSPEL LESSON – John 1:1-18 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through him, and w him not one thing came into being. What has come into being in him was life, life was the light of all people. The light shines in the darkness, and the darknes not overcome it. There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He ca a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. He hims not the light, but he came to testify to the light. The true light, which enlig everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world cam	vithout and the ess did ame as elf was htens he into
being through him; yet the world did not know him. He came to what was his and his own people did not accept him. But to all who received him, who belie	
his name, he gave power to become children of God, who were born, not of bl	
of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God. And the Word becam and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only	
full of grace and truth. (John testified to him and cried out, 'This was he of wh said, "He who comes after me ranks ahead of me because he was before me."	I II DNDAND
From his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. The law indeed was	given CHRIST OUR I
through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. No one has ever se God. It is God the only Son, who is close to the Father's heart, who has made known.	

ALLELUIA VERSE

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.				
We have seen his glory; glory that is his as the Father's only son.				
John 1:14				
READINGS AND CAROLS FROM THE TRADITION				

READING 1 FROM a sermon by the Reverend Dr. Edward B. Pusey (1800-1882) Hymn 115 – "What child is this?"

READING 2 Two poems by Thomas Merton (1915-1968)	HYMN 82 –
On a Winter's Night	POSTCOM
A Christmas Card Hymn 112 – "In the bleak mid-winter"	BLESSING

READING 3 FROM a sermon by Mark Frank (1612-1664) Hymn 101 – "Away in a manger"

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The Holy Communion

ORY

Sans Day Carol

Cornish traditional carol arr. John Rutter

Now the holly bears a berry as white as the milk, and Mary bore Jesus, who was wrapped up in silk:

and Mary bore Jesus Christ our Saviour for to be, and the first tree in the greenwood, it was the holly!

Now the holly bears a berry as green as the grass, and Mary bore Jesus, who died on the cross:

Now the holly bears a berry as black as the coal, and Mary bore Jesus, who died for us all:

Now the holly bears a berry, as blood is it red, then trust we our Saviour, who rose from the dead:

THANKSGIVING (Eucharistic Prayer B, BCP p. 367)

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PRAYER

NG OF THE BREAD

PASSOVER S 154

All baptized Christians are invited to the Lord's Altar. e follow the direction of the ushers in order to receive Communion. hose who wish to receive the Laying on of Hands and Anointing may proceed to the chapel after receiving Communion.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

ANTHEM	A Savior from on high		Stephen Paulus (b. 1949)
O sweet was the song t when she to Bethl'em J and was delivered of a	udah came,	"O sweet babe," sang sl And so a Savior is born who was given from on	,

and was delivered of a son, and Jesus was his name. Lullee, lully, lullo, lullaby

who was given from on high to visit us that were forlorn. Lullee, lully, lullo, lullaby.

William Ballet 17c.

Please join in the singing of the Communion hymn.

- Of the Father's love begotten

Divinum mysterium

MUNION PRAYER (BCP, p. 365)

Robert Powell

David Hurd

HYMN 100 – Joy to the world!

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY Fantasia on *In dulci jubilo*, BWV 729 J

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Antioch

ALTAR GUILD – Margaret Cameron, Robin Ferguson, Peggy Warner, Sandra Merritt EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS – Caroline Rossini, Chandler Burgess, Dan Schafer, Art Hooper LECTORS – Scott Smith, Gerald Snare, Bob Allen SACRISTAN – Pete Stringer STEPHEN MINISTER – Donna Clark USHERS – Ann Hopton (Head Usher), John Bridges, Kevin Richardson, Tom West WAYFARERS – Fletch and Bill Coke

PRAYERS

Today we pray for *Roberta LaBour, Steve Wilburn, Tessa Logan, Tom Cato, Florence Greenwood, Constance Pryor, Marion Cullen, Clayton Reeve, Nancy Conner, Martha Wilson, Mike Lyles, Curtis Haynes, Jim Meese, Rees Mitchell, and Erwin Hargrove.*

Nashville Rescue Mission (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*) seeks to help the hurting by offering food, clothing and shelter to the homeless, and recovery programs to those enslaved in life-degrading problems. Contact Bill Coke at wcoke1@bellsouth.net, for more information.

WELCOME!

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Please complete a Visitor's Card (you will find one in the pew rack) and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. A church member will be happy to answer questions about Christ Church Cathedral and your opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. You may also visit our website, christcathedral.org, to learn more about our parish. Thank you for visiting us today!

FLOWERS

The flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the marriage of Diane Marie Berstrasser and George David Waller II.

Cathedral Tours are available to parishioners and visitors following the closing organ voluntary on Sunday mornings. Please join a guide at the front of the Church near the lectern.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, December 30

Christmas I 7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist 9:00 a.m. – Hymn Sing 10:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

MONDAY, December 31

New Year's Eve Cathedral Offices Closed

TUESDAY, January 1

New Year's Day 12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist Cathedral Offices Closed

WEDNESDAY, January 2

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer 8:30 a.m. – EfM 11:30 a.m. – EfM 12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

THURSDAY, January 3

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer 11:00 a.m. – Bones Workshop 12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist 12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer 5:00 p.m. – Room in the Inn 7:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, January 4 8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer 12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

SATURDAY, January 5 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – Cathedral Tours

SUNDAY, January 6

The Feast of the Epiphany 7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist 7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast 8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist 9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education 9:45-10:45 a.m. – Centering Prayer 9:45-10:45 a.m. – Newcomers Gathering 11:00 a.m. – Solemn Holy Eucharist 2:00-3:30 p.m. – Church in the Yard (off-site) 4:00-7:00 p.m. – Youth Epiphany Party (off-site)

FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30 10:00 a.m.

CELEBRANT The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning, *Sub Dean*

> **ASSISTING** The Reverend Joshua M. Caler, *Curate*

Musicians

Jon Johnson, Associate Organist and Choirmaster

The Cathedral Choir

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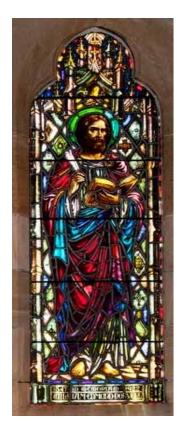
CATHEDRAL VESTRY

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