CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

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EPIPHANY

A SOLEMN CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

JANUARY 6, 2013 11:00 a.m.

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Cathedral Parish of the Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

A Center for the Community of the Cross of Nails

HOLY EUCHARIST (SOLEMN) Rite II

VOLUNTARY

Fantasia on How bright appears the Morning Star

Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

The Word of God

HYMN 497 – How bright appears the morning star

Wie schön leuchtet

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP, p. 355)

GLORIA Mass in E Jeffrey Smith

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, by the leading of a star you manifested your only Son to the people of the earth: Lead us, who know you now by faith, to your presence, where we may see your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

OLD TESTAMENT READING - Isaiah 60:1-6

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the LORD.

PSALM 72 Mode 5



- Give the King your justice, O God, *
 and your righteousness to the King's Son;
- 2. That he may rule your people righteously * and the poor with justice;
- 3. That the mountains may bring prosperity to the people, * and the little hills bring righteousness. *Refrain*
- 4. He shall defend the needy among the people; * he shall rescue the poor and crush the oppressor.
- 5. He shall live as long as the sun and moon endure, * from one generation to another. *Refrain*
- He shall come down like rain upon the mown field, * like showers that water the earth.

- 7. In his time shall the righteous flourish; * there shall be abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more. *Refrain*
- 10. The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall pay tribute, * and the kings of Arabia and Saba offer gifts.
- 11. All kings shall bow down before him, * and all the nations do him service. *Refrain*
- 12. For he shall deliver the poor who cries out in distress, * and the oppressed who has no helper.
- 13. He shall have pity on the lowly and poor; * he shall preserve the lives of the needy.
- 14. He shall redeem their lives from oppression and violence, * and dear shall their blood be in his sight. *Refrain*

NEW TESTAMENT READING – Ephesians 3:1-12

This is the reason that I, Paul, am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles—for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given to me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow-heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given to me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

HYMN 117 – Brightest and best of the stars of the morning

Morning Star

THE GOSPEL LESSON - Matthew 2:1-12

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, 'Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.' When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, 'In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: "And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel." Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, 'Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.' When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary, his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure-chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

ALLELUIA



We have seen his star in the East, and have come to worship the Lord.

Matthew 2:2

SERMON - The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning

A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED (BCP, p. 358)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM II (BCP, p. 385)

THE WELCOMING OF NEW TRANSFERS

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM The three kings

Healey Willan (1880-1968)

"Who knocks tonight so late?' the weary porter said.
Three Kings stood at the gate, each with a crown on head.

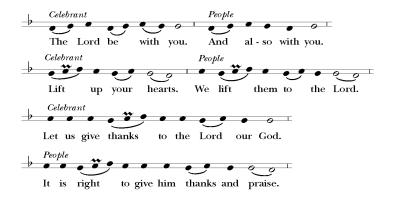
The serving man bowed down; the inn was full, he knew. Said he, 'In all this town is no fit place for you!' A light the manger lit: There lay the Mother meek. Said they, 'This place is fit: Here is the rest we seek!'

They loosed their latchet strings; so stood they all unshod.
Come in, ye Kings!
And kiss the feet of God.

Laurence Housman

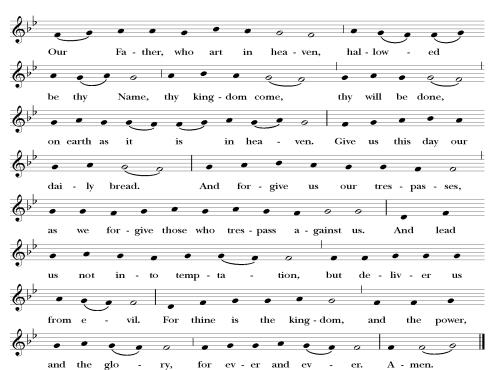
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (Eucharistic Prayer B, p. 367)

SURSUM CORDA



SANCTUS Mass in E

THE LORD'S PRAYER



CHRIST OUR PASSOVER

Mass in E

All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion.

Please follow the direction of the ushers in order to receive Communion.

Those who wish to receive the Laying on of Hands and Anointing
may proceed to the chapel after receiving Communion.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

ANTHEM Surge illuminare William Byrd (1540-1623)

Surge, illuminare Jerusalem, qui venit lumen tuum et gloria Domini, super te orta est. Alleluia.

Arise, shine forth in splendour, for thy light hath now appeared; the majesty and glory of God the Lord hath arisen over thee. Alleluia.

Please join in the singing of the Communion hymn.

HYMN 135 - Songs of thankfulness and praise

Salzburg

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (BCP, p. 365)

BLESSING

HYMN 119 - As with gladness men of old

Dix

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY Voluntary on *Dix* William Harris (1883-1973)

The Three Kings, by Healey Willan, is a gift to the Cathedral Music Library, given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for their grandchildren, Brennus and Cimbri, by Paul Cotton and Dan Smith.

ALTAR GUILD – Margaret Cameron, Robin Ferguson, Peggy Warner, Sandra Merritt EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS – Kris Moore, Joanne Knight, Eric Gray, Brad Reed LECTORS – Bill Walker, Bette White, John Bridges SACRISTAN – Laura Copeland STEPHEN MINISTER – Ann Gwin THURIFER – Dan Smith USHERS – John Bridges (Head Usher), Susan Dyer, Ginny McCoy, Ed Miller VERGER – Scott Smith

PRAYERS

Today we pray for Roberta LaBour, Steve Wilburn, Tom Cato, Florence Greenwood, Constance Pryor, Marion Cullen, Clayton Reeve, Nancy Conner, Martha Wilson, Jim Meese, Rees Mitchell, Erwin Hargrove, David Loftin, Nolan, Jim Nettles, Ellen Hilderbrand and Rusty Terry. We give thanks for the birth of Dorian Elise Manson, daughter of Lora and John Manson. We pray also for those who have died, Robert Crittenden.

Reconciliation Ministries (one of the agencies the Cathedral supports) works to reduce recidivism by strengthening relationships between individuals incarcerated in Tennessee prisons and their families and by advocating for prisoners and their families. Contact Steve Thomas at sthomas@tntnash.com 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 memory of Richard "Bear" Whiteley, by Jackie Whiteley.

Cathedral Sunday 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.

Announcements

To make your 2013 pledge online go to christcathedral.org/give

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

CHURCH IN THE YARD

TODAY, 2:00-3:30 p.m. Holy Trinity Episcopal Church,

EPIPHANY PARTY

TODAY, 4:00-7:00 p.m. at the Rocks' Home

BAPTISM Sunday, January 13

The next opportunity for baptism will be Sunday, January 13, at the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. liturgies. If you or your child would like to be baptized, please contact the Reverend Canon Gene Manning at 615.255.7729 or gmanning@christcathedral.org. **Deadline is Monday, January 7. Rehearsal for baptism is Saturday, January 12, at 9 a.m.**

Daughters of the King: Daughters of the King will meet on January 13 at 8 a.m. on the second floor in Becky Rochford's office.

Cathedral Men's Breakfast: The Men's Breakfast will be held on January 15, at 7 a.m. Cost is \$5. Please RSVP by calling Marti Lawson, 615.255.7729, or online at christcathedral.org. **The deadline is Sunday, January 13.**

EVENING PRAYER ACCOMPANIED BY MUSIC OF THE TAIZÉ COMMUNITY Sunday, January 13, 2013 6:00 p.m.

A quiet, meditative, and reflective style of worship, using music, simple chanting, periods of silence, and brief readings, a worship of God that quiets the soul.

THE BIBLE CHALLENGE

This morning, 9:45-10:45 a.m., and Wednesday, January 9, 11 a.m.-12 p.m., we will have gatherings to give us an opportunity to reflect and discuss the readings. These gatherings are not required but are offered simply to enhance and support our experience together.

Readings for week 15, beginning January 7

Day 99 I Samuel 7-9, Psalm 82, John 17

Day 100 I Samuel 10-12, Psalm 83, John 18

Day 101 I Samuel 13-15, Psalm 84, John 19

Day 102 I Samuel 16-18, Psalm 85, John 20

Day 103 I Samuel 19-21, Psalm 86, John 21

Day 104 I Samuel 22-24, Psalm 87, Acts 1

Day 105 Enjoy hearing the Scriptures read aloud in church



Wednesday Evenings at the Cathedral

PASTORAL CONVERSATIONS 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Please join these important conversations as we seek to have the faith inform

some of the most difficult aspects of our lives and the lives of our loved ones.

January 16

Cynthia Ezell, Marriage and Family Therapist

"Mistakes as Fertile Ground—The Four Gifts of Fallibility"

January 30

Dr. Ben Curtis, School of Religion, Belmont University; the Reverend Lyonel Gilmer, St. Thomas/Nashville Clinical Pastoral Partnership; and Martin Shofner, Partner, ArchitectSure

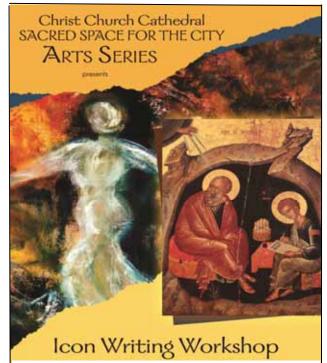
"Words of Faith for Spiritual Dialogue"

Dinner will be served at 5:15 p.m. Suggested cost of the dinner is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. Childcare is provided. Please call Marti Lawson at 615.255.7729 for dinner reservations.

Dinner reservations are required by 4 p.m. on Monday each week.

LENTEN REFLECTIONS 2013

This Lent we will publish a booklet of daily reflections written by Christ Church parishioners. We are looking for personal reflections from parishioners of all ages. We particularly welcome meditations that are tied to the Lenten daily readings. These 200 – 400 word meditations will offer insight into scripture through the lens of the writer's experience. **Deadline for writings is Wednesday, January 30.** If you are interested in writing for this project, please contact Becky Rochford, brochford@christcathedal.org, for more details.



Mon.-Fri., Feb. 18-22 • 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Christ Church Cathedral

Experience the spiritual discipline of painting an icon in a small class setting.

\$495 includes materials and lunch Registration fee of \$100 is due by Jan. 14, full payment by Feb. 1.

Only 2 places remain—register now!

christcathedral.org/sacredspace/tickesales or 615.255.7729.

CALENDAR

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)

MONDAY, January 7

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer 12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist 4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

TUESDAY, January 8

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer 9:00 a.m. – Catechesis Training I

12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

1:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting

5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer

6:30 p.m. - EfM

WEDNESDAY, January 9

8:30 a.m. - Morning Prayer

8:30 a.m. – EfM

11:00 a.m. - The Bible Challenge

11:30 a.m. - EfM

12:15 p.m. - Holy Eucharist

4:30 p.m. – Senior Choristers 6:00 p.m. – Journey in Faith

THURSDAY, January 10

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

7:00 p.m. – Theology on Tap (off-site)

FRIDAY, January 11

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer

12:15 p.m. - Holy Eucharist

SATURDAY, January 12

9:00-10:00 a.m. – Baptism Rehearsal

10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. - Cathedral Tours

SUNDAY, January 13

Epiphany2/Baptism of Our Lord

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

7:30-8:30 a.m. - Breakfast

8:00 a.m. - Daughters of the King

8:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist and Baptism

9:45-10:45 a.m. – Christian Education

9:45-10:45 a.m. – Level II Parent Open House

9:45-10:45 a.m. - Centering Prayer

11:00 a.m. - Solemn Holy Eucharist and Baptism

6:00 p.m. - Taizé

FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 6 11:00 a.m.

CELEBRANT

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, Dean and Rector

PREACHER

The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning, Sub-Dean

Assisting

The Reverend Joshua M. Caler, Curate

Musicians

Canon Dr. Michael Velting, Organist and Choirmaster Jon Johnson, Associate Organist and Choirmaster

The Cathedral Choir

Names and contact information for the Cathedral staff maybe found at christcathedral.org

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