HOLY EUCHARIST—Rite I

The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP, p. 323)

GLORIA (BCP, p. 324)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan didst proclaim him thy beloved Son and anoint him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with thee and the same Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen*.

OLD TESTAMENT READING - Isaiah 43:1-7

But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior, I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, 'Give them up', and to the south, 'Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth— everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made.'

PSALM 29

- 1. Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, * ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; * worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- The voice of the LORD is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; * the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4. The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; * the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.
- 5. The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; * the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6. He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, * and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7. The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire; the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; * the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 8. The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe * and strips the forests bare.
- 9. And in the temple of the LORD * all are crying, "Glory!"

- 10. The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; * the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.
- 11. The LORD shall give strength to his people; * the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace

NEW TESTAMENT READING – Acts 8:14-17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.' Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved with you I am well pleased.'

SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough *A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

THE NICENE CREED (BCP, p. 326)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (BCP, p. 328)

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (BCP, p. 333)

THE LORD'S PRAYER (BCP, p. 336)

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD (BCP, p. 337)

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (BCP, p. 339)

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD - Kathy Morton, Wilburn Johnson, Mary Anne Nyquist, Janetta Fleming

PRAYERS

Today we pray for Roberta LaBour, Steve Wilburn, Tom Cato, Marion Cullen, Clayton Reeve, Jim Meese, Erwin Hargrove, Jim Nettles, Rusty Terry, Alice Drescher, Georgianna Russell, Bevin Perkins, Jack Watke, Glenda Chambers, Mort Nasatir, Katherine Cashman, Nancy Conner, Coleman Helme, and Gail Nathan. **We pray also for those who have died,** Robert Shotwell; and Ellen Hilderbrand, mother of Susan Hilderbrand.

Oasis Center (one of the agencies the Cathedral supports) offers Middle Tennessee's only continuum of services for youth ages 13-21 who are in crisis, have run away, or are experiencing homelessness. Contact Carol King, carolaking2003@hotmail.com or Darlene Kimbrough, dkimbrough@mindspring.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!

For the Hearing Impaired: Hearing assistance devices are available at the reception desk for use during worship. It is recommended that you bring your own earphones or ear buds for personal comfort.

CHURCH SCHOOL

Adults:

The Sunday Forum

"A Wandering Storyteller Was My Ancestor" Part II Led by the Reverend Canon Gene Manning (Parish Hall)

Centering Prayer

"Tools Matter for Practicing the Spiritual Life," by Mary Margaret Funk.

The Bible Challenge

Led by the Very Reverend Timothy Kimbrough (Wheeler Room)

Faith and Family Matters

"The Christmas De-Brief: How Did We Celebrate the Christmas Season?" (810 Broadway Building)

Children's Classes:

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

3 yr. olds, 4 yr. olds, Pre-Kindergarten 5's, 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades—Cheek Hall Kindergarten, 4th, 5th and 6th grades—Cathedral Annex Building

Youth Classes:

7th-12th grades (810 Broadway Building)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Daughters of the King: Daughters of the King will meet today 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 today.



LEVEL II PARENT OPEN HOUSE 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Please join us in Cheek Hall today for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level II Open House. We will gather briefly at 9:45 a.m. and then dismiss to the children's atriums. This Open House is for the parents of children in 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade. Parents will have an opportunity to observe their children in the atrium and learn more about the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd.

The Cathedral Offices will be closed on Monday, January 21, in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, January 13

Epiphany1/Baptism of Our Lord

Baptisms

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 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 Baptism

6:00 p.m. – Taizé

MONDAY, January 14

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer 12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist 4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers 5:00 p.m. – Youth Advisory Council

TUESDAY, January 15

7:00 a.m. – Cathedral Men's Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – Morning Prayer

9:00 a.m. - Catechesis Training LI

11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. - Companions in Christ

12:15 p.m. - Holy Eucharist 2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting 5:30 p.m. – Centering Prayer

6:30 p.m. – EfM

WEDNESDAY, January 16

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

4:30 p.m. – Discernment Committee Meeting

5:15 p.m. – Wed. Evening Dinner 6:00 p.m. – Journey in Faith

6:00-7:30 p.m. – Wed. Evening Program

THURSDAY, January 17

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 18

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

SATURDAY, January 19

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

SUNDAY, January 20

Epiphany 2

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

11:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 13 7:00 a.m.

CELEBRANT

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, Dean and Rector

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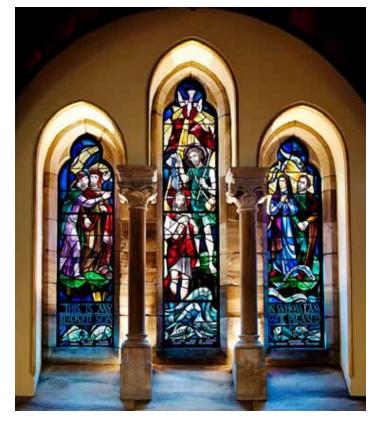
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