

The Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany

February 5, 2012

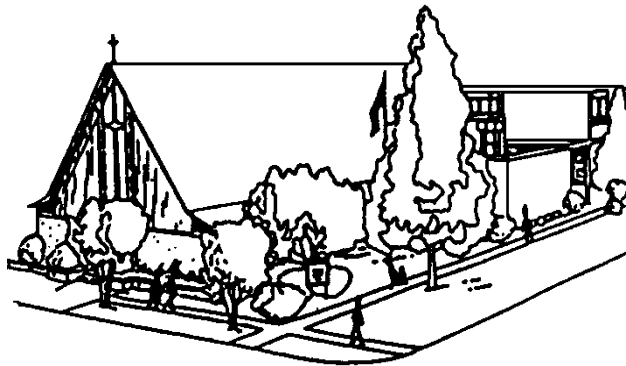
8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist I with Healing

9:00 A.M. Christian Education

10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist II with Healing

Wednesday, February 8, 2011

11:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist with Healing



ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Newport News, Virginia

A Stephen Ministry Parish

The Rev. Dr. Robert D. Marston, Rector

The Rev. Rhonda E. Wheeler, Assistant Rector

The Rev. Betty B. Hudson, Assistant Rector

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8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist - Rite I with Healing

The Book of Common Prayer p. 323

The Lesson: Isaiah 40:21-31

The Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

Homily: The Rev. Betty B. Hudson

Lay Readers: Anne Fowler, Bob Deans

Acolytes: Sarah Grace Cheek, Joel Daniels

Ushers: Bill Poole, Tom Ross

Greeters: Faye and Bob Jones

10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist - Rite II with Healing

Prelude *on the first hymn*

Processional Hymn **423** *Immortal, invisible, God only wise*

1. *Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great Name we praise.*
2. *Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
thy justice like mountains high soaring above
thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.*
3. *To all life thou givest, to both great and small;
in all life thou livest, the true life of all;
we blossom and flourish, like leaves on the tree,
then wither and perish; but nought changeth thee.*

4. *Thou reignest in glory, thou rulest in light,
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
all laud we would render: O help us to see
'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee.*

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity p. 355

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

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

Hymn of Praise

Glorify your name

1. *Father, we love you, we worship and adore you;
glorify your name in all the earth. Glorify your name,
glorify your name, glorify your name in all the earth.*

2. *Jesus, we love you, we worship and adore you;
glorify your name in all the earth. Glorify your name,
glorify your name, glorify your name in all the earth.*

3. *Spirit, we love you, we worship and adore you;
glorify your name in all the earth. Glorify your name,
glorify your name, glorify your name in all the earth.*

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The 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.

The Lesson

Isaiah 40:21-31

Have you not known? Have you not heard?

Has it not been told you from the beginning?

Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth?

It is he who sits above the circle of the earth,
and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers;

who stretches out the heavens like a curtain,
and spreads them like a tent to live in;

who brings princes to naught,
and makes the rulers of the earth as nothing.

Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown,
scarcely has their stem taken root in the earth,

when he blows upon them, and they wither,
and the tempest carries them off like stubble.

To whom then will you compare me,
or who is my equal? says the Holy One.

Lift up your eyes on high and see:

Who created these?

He who brings out their host and numbers them,
calling them all by name;

because he is great in strength,
mighty in power,

not one is missing.

Why do you say, O Jacob,

and speak, O Israel,

"My way is hidden from the LORD,
and my right is disregarded by my God"?

Have you not known? Have you not heard?

The LORD is the everlasting God,
the Creator of the ends of the earth.

He does not faint or grow weary;
his understanding is unsearchable.

He gives power to the faint,
and strengthens the powerless.

Even youths will faint and be weary,
and the young will fall exhausted;

but those who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength,
they shall mount up with wings like eagles,

they shall run and not be weary,
they shall walk and not faint.

Gradual Hymn **679**

Surely it is God who saves me

**(Children are invited to gather in the center aisle via the side aisles
when the Gospel procession begins,
and then proceed with the crucifer and priest
to the Children's Chapel after the reading of the Gospel.)**

1. *Surely it is God who saves me; trusting him, I shall not fear.
For the Lord defends and shields me and his saving help is near.
So rejoice as you draw water from salvation's living spring;
in the day of your deliverance thank the Lord, his mercies sing.*

2. *Make his deeds known to the peoples; tell out his exalted Name.
Praise the Lord, who has done great things;
all his works his might proclaim.
Zion, lift your voice in singing; for with you has come to dwell,
in your very midst, the great and Holy One of Israel.*

The Gospel **Mark 1:29-39**

Response before: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Jesus left the synagogue at Capernaum, and entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him.

In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, "Everyone is searching for you." He answered, "Let us go on to the neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do." And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

Response after: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

The Sermon

The Rev. Betty B. Hudson

The Nicene Creed

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Prayers of the People - The Litany of Healing

Leader: We pray for those in need of healing this day,

Lord Jesus, you healed all who came to you in faith and sent forth your disciples to preach the Gospel and heal the sick;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: God of grace, you nurture us with a love deeper than we know, and your will for us is healing and salvation;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: God of love, you enter into our lives, our pain and our brokenness, and you stretch out your healing hands to us wherever we are;

People: We praise you and thank you, O Lord.

Leader: Touch and heal hearts burdened by anguish, despair and isolation, and set your children free through your love;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Give patience, courage and faith to all who are disabled by injury or sickness;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Grant your strengthening presence to all who are about to undergo an operation;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Comfort and relieve those who face long illness and those who endure continual pain, pouring upon them the sweet balm of your spirit;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Grant to the weary the refreshment of quiet sleep;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Give your wisdom and compassion to doctors, nurses, and all who care for the sick and elderly, that with knowledge, skill and patience they may be instruments of your healing grace;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Guide all who search for the causes of sickness and disease;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Break the bonds of imprisonment to fear, compulsion and addiction;

People: Hear us, and make us whole.

Leader: Give us liberty from old hurts and painful memories;

People: Come with your healing power, O God.

Leader: Fill with your peace those who suffer grief from separation and loss;

People: Come with your healing power, O God.

Leader: Work through all who share in your ministry of healing and renew us in compassion and strength:

People: Come with your healing power, O God.

All: God of compassion: you so loved the world that you sent your Son to bear our infirmities and afflictions. Through acts of healing, he revealed you as the true source of health and salvation. For the sake of your Son, hear the prayers of your people. Have mercy on us, make us whole and bring us at last into the fullness of your eternal life. Amen.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem *Peace Child* Rob Glover
St. Andrew's Adult Choir, Children's Choir, and Liturgical Dancers

Presentation of Alms and Oblations Hymn **380** (verse 3) *The Doxology*
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Hymn **717** (verse 4) *My Country 'Tis of Thee*
Our Fathers' God to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing.
Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might, great God, our King.

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A p. 361
Sanctus and Benedictus

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

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The Lord's Prayer p. 364
The Breaking of the Bread
Christ Our Passover (**S-152**)

Cantor: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
All: *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

Administration of Communion

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion.

Hymns from Taizé for **Choir and Congregation:**

In God alone

*In God alone my soul can find rest and peace, in God my peace and joy.
Only in God my soul can find its rest, find its rest and peace.*

Lord Jesus Christ

*Lord Jesus Christ, your light shines within us.
Let not my doubts nor my darkness speak to me.
Lord Jesus Christ, your light shines within us.
Let my heart always welcome your love.*

The Lord is my light

*The Lord is my light, my light and salvation:
in God I trust, in God I trust.*

Come and fill

*Come and fill our hearts with your peace.
You alone, O Lord, are holy.
Come and fill our hearts with your peace, alleluia!*

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1. *O for a thousand tongues to sing my dear Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!*
2. *My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim
and spread through all the earth abroad the honors of thy Name.*
3. *Jesus! the Name that charms our fears and bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.*
4. *He speaks; and, listening to his voice, new life the dead receive,
the mournful broken hearts rejoice, the humble poor believe.*
5. *Hear him, ye deaf; ye voiceless ones, your loosened tongues employ;
ye blind, behold, your Savior comes; and leap, ye lame, for joy!*
6. *Glory to God and praise and love be now and ever given
by saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heaven.*

Dismissal

Response: ***Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.***

Voluntary *Agapé: III*

Naji Hakim

Welcome to St. Andrew's

If you are a newcomer, please introduce yourself to a Greeter and complete the Visitor's Card in the pew racks. Child care is provided in the Youth House Nursery by our caregivers. An usher can direct you to the Nursery. The red book in the pew rack is *The Book of Common Prayer*, and page numbers are listed in the service bulletin. The blue book is *The Hymnal, 1982*. The music designated with "S" is also included in the blue hymnal on the pages preceding the hymns.

*The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of
Howard Denis Brecht
Margaret R. and Hugh B. Lipscomb, Jr.
and
Zella Maney Ficklen Phillips*

Service Participants

The Rev. Dr. Robert D. Marston
The Rev. Betty B. Hudson

Lay Readers: Diana Skelton, Anne Sweetman
Acolytes: Ellie Ferguson, Alexis Pulliam, Scott Ferguson,
Spencer Harrell, Brittany Seely, Elizabeth
Harrell, Mary Paige Fisher, Sabrina-Lee Miles
Ushers: Graham Ferguson, Walter Deal, Conway Sheild,
S. E. Waddill
Greeters: Ann and Saint Lee
Children's Chapel: Nancy Orrison

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Healing Station: This morning at all services, a healing station will be available at the time of communion. If you would like to receive the laying on of hands and anointing with oil on behalf of yourself or for someone else, please stand or kneel at the healing station.

St. Andy's Café today is hosted by the Knapps.

Today's postlude is based on the last verse of Hymn 166. The composer, Naji Hakim, plays the organ at the Parisian church, La Trinité. French organists often use this wild improvisational style at the end of a mass.

Circle 4 will meet Tuesday, February 7, at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Library.

Diocesan Council

Diocesan Council will be held in Williamsburg February 10 and 11. The following people will be attending from St. Andrew's:

Clergy: The Rev. Dr. Rob Marston and The Rev. Betty Hudson

Voting Delegates: Sean Bradberry, Corky Brooks, Jim Shamblen, Carter Ficklen, Isabel Hatchett, and Sabrina Miles

Alternates: Rachel Roby, Fran Ross, and Ellen Tompkins

A Women's Retreat, hosted by St. Andrew's, will be held on Saturday, February 18, from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. It will be led by Christine Blair, an Intuitive Naturopath and Master Herbalist. Reserve your seat by sending \$10.00 to Cristy Mahloy, 266 James River Drive, Newport News, 23601. Please brown bag your lunch - drinks will be provided. If you have questions concerning the retreat, you may call Cristy at 289-9088.

Youth Offerings for 6th - 12th Graders

EYC Souper Bowl Sunday

Please place your canned items in the baskets at either entrance to the church. The EYC will be collecting any spare change, dollars or checks (payable to St. Andrew's with "Foodbank" in the memo section) after each service today.

This Morning

9:00-10:00 a.m.

- The Gathering in the Youth Room
- Confirmation in 301 Ferguson

This Evening

There is no EYC - enjoy the Super Bowl!

Junior Women's Club of Hilton's Gaslight Dinner Theater

Our EYC youth will be waiting tables on Saturday, March 4, 2012. All tips from the evening will go toward 2012 mission trips for the youth. Tickets are \$25.00 each. Please call 244-6414 to reserve yours. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper and Talent Show February 21, 2012

- Supper will be served by the men of the church from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$5.00 per person, with a \$20.00 family maximum.
- A sign-up for the talent show is posted on Rhonda Wheeler's office door. Please remember: each participant may perform one song, poem, reading, etc. Sign up by Sunday, February 19.

Today's Offertory Anthem
by Rob Glover

Peace Child

*In the sleep of the night,
in the dark before light
you come, in the silence of stars,
in the violence of wars –
Savior, your name.*

*To the road and the storm,
to the gun and the bomb
you come, through the hate and the hurt,
through the hunger and dirt –
bearing a dream.*

*To our dark and our sleep,
to the conflict we reap
now come be your dream born alive,
held in hope, wrapped in love:
God's true shalom.*

Peace Child, Peace Child, Peace Child, Peace Child