

Communion Anthem

Postcommunion Prayer

Prayer Book 365

A Blessing

Recessional Hymn 149 Eternal Lord of love

Dismissal

No Postlude during Lent

The Rev. Andrew Reinholz, Rector
Mrs. Anita Williams, Music Director
Mrs. Lucy Whitlock, Parish Administrator
Mr. Timon Kenyi, Sexton

The Vestry

Gray Corbett, Senior Warden
Randy Holden, Junior Warden
Marty Shephard, Treasurer
Becky Card, Register
Cory Isemann, Stacy Mitchell, John Sarvay,
John Norris, Jeri Townley, Scott Blackwell

The Church of the Epiphany



The First Sunday in Lent

10:30 am

March 6, 2022

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Service of Holy Eucharist, Rite II

If this is your first time with us, welcome! We kindly request that you please wear a mask while in the building and also while joining in the singing. Please be mindful of where people are seated and consider sitting with a more even distribution throughout the pews. Thank you for doing your part in keeping the church safe.

Prelude: Forty Days and Forty Nights W. Mudde

The Word of God

Prayer Book 355

The Great Litany Hymnal 148

Kyrie Hymnal S 91

The Collect of the Day Bulletin Insert

Please be seated for the readings

The First Lesson Deuteronomy 26:1-11

Psalm Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16

The Epistle Romans 10:8b-13

Please stand if you are able

Sequence Hymn: 529 In Christ there is no East or West

The Gospel Luke 4:1-13

Please be seated

The Sermon Father Andrew Reinholz

Please stand as you are able

The Nicene Creed Prayer Book 358

Please kneel as you are able

The Confession of Sin and Absolution Prayer Book 360

Please stand as you are able

The Peace Prayer Book 360

During this time, share as you, and others, are comfortable

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Prayer Book 367 Eucharistic Prayer B

Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy Lord Hymnal S 129

The people stand or kneel

The Breaking of the Bread Prayer Book 364

The bread will be distributed from the bottom of the altar steps. Please follow the usher's guidance. All baptized Christians are invited to receive. If you do not wish to receive communion, you may come forward for a blessing. If you are not able to come forward, or are joining the service virtually, you may use this prayer for spiritual communion:

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

COMMUNICATION CARD

March 6, 2022

Welcome! You have blessed us with your presence. Please tell us how we can best serve you by completing the Communication Card.

Please place in the offering basket, hand it to an usher, or place on the table in the vestibule.

- I'm looking for a church home
- I'd like to speak with a clergy member
- I'm ready to become a member
- I'm just visiting today

Name & Address Please update

Phone _____

Email _____

Children's names and ages

Please give me more information about:

- Children's / Youth Programs
- Social events
- Outreach opportunities
- Classes and Small Group Studies
- Baptism or Confirmation
- How I can get involved

How did you hear about Epiphany?

(over)

FOR YOUR PRAYERS



New to the Prayer List: Lynn Selfe—friend of Gray & Frosine Corbett

Parishioners: Dottie Strabley, Mike Young, Bob Jimerson, Irene Morris, Jan Lawrence, Fran LaVigne, Buddy Dunn, Milton Jenkins, David Skinner, Chip Dunn, Herb Williams, Marion Magruder, Martha Jenkins

Homebound: Ray Hampton, Dot Hudson, Charlotte Lovelace, Connie Neal, Ina Stickle

Family & Friends: Joyce Matchunis—Irene Morris' daughter-in-law, Mydina Thabet, David Thabet—cousins of Denise Russell and Sandy Ruder, Dave Schulte—friend of Wayne & Lucy Whitlock, Nancy Baynes Rojas—daughter of George & Joy Baynes, Kim Hyatt—Chris Tignor's sister, Mark Tignor—Chris Tignor's brother, Susan Williams and Jack Reeves—friends of Karen Holden, Randall Fegley—Father Andrew's step-father, Linda Stansell—David Tuck's sister, Lisa & Johnny Hensen—friends of Cheryl Lineberry, Ellie Tuck's nephew, Johnny Jorstad—Martha Jenkins son & Marty Shephard & Sandy Tignor's brother, Buster & Janet Magruder—Marion Magruder's son & daughter-in-law, Karen Sheppard—daughter of Wayne & Lucy Whitlock, Carolyn Hall—friend of Kathy Jimerson, Linette & Tamara—friends of Jeri Anne Townley, Claudette Haney—Stacy Mitchell's mom

Prayers for the departed:

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

Today's Ministers

10:30 AM—Worship Service

Weekly Worship

Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

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Lessons: Carol Cullinan

Sun. School Helper: Mary Kenyi

Altar Guild: Karen & Randy Holden

Counters: Gray Corbett, Lucy Whitlock



**The Church of the Epiphany
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The First Sunday
in Lent**

March 6, 2022

Welcome—we are glad you are here! Know that whoever you are, and where ever you are in your spiritual journey, you have a place here. If you are new, or haven't yet given us your contact information, please complete the attached communication card and place it in the plate so that you can learn more about Epiphany's community.

Introducing the Lessons

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 26:1-11

In this reading from the Hebrew Bible the Lord's mighty salvation of Israel from slavery in Egypt is recalled, and the people are bid to offer in thanksgiving the first fruits of their fields. The passage presents one of Judaism's oldest summaries of its history and confessions of its faith. It is always to be remembered that it was God who made them a people, who heard and delivered them from their distress and gave them this good land for a heritage.

2nd Reading: Romans 10:8b-13

In this lesson Paul teaches that the word of faith is a gift to us; by it we make our saving confession that Jesus is Lord and that God raised him from the dead. Without God's grace the way of righteousness would be impossibly distant. But the faith that leads to righteousness is in our hearts and the confession of salvation is on our lips. This is true for all people, no matter what their background, who call upon the name of the Lord.

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

Our gospel is the story of the temptations of Jesus by the devil. After his baptism Jesus is led into the wilderness and confronted with the temptations which are inescapable in his ministry. He might seek to show that he is the Son of God by satisfying material needs, or he could control lives by ruling with worldly pomp and authority. Or, in what may be seen as the greatest temptation, he could direct allegiance through miraculous power. Instead Jesus three times confesses his obedience to the will of God.

**On the Calendar
and Coming up**

Sun. March 6th

10:30 am—Holy Eucharist

7:30 pm—AA

Meeting in parish hall

Tue. March 8th

7:00pm—JRRingers

Fri. March 11th

7:30pm —AA meeting in the parish hall

Sat. March 12th

Be sure to set your clocks ahead 1 hour going to bed!

Sun. March 13th

10:30 am—Holy Eucharist

7:30pm —AA meeting in the parish hall

The flowers on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God in thanksgiving for Fr. Andrew and his family from his Epiphany family!

This will be Fr. Andrew's last Sunday with us. Join in the reception after the service to wish the Reinholz's family farewell and best wishes in their next endeavor!

Lamb's Basket, due to COVID and all its variants, has had a very difficult year. They have lost some of their best retail partners which has caused them hardship with food inventory. They are in need for the churches to step up their efforts on food drives to include the following items which are in very short supply.

Soups—all kinds, preferably chicken with rice & chicken noodle

Canned Chicken, Regular sized canned fruits, Spaghetti & Spaghetti sauces, Individually packaged oatmeal & grits, Grape Jelly (have plenty of peanut butter), Canned Green Beans, Canned veggies

These commodities will go along way towards allowing them to provide wholesome food varieties to their clients.

Sunday, March 13 Daylight Saving Time begins. Remember to set your clock ahead one hour before going to bed!

February 27, 2022
10:30 am
Attendance: 43

Opportunities to Serve



The **diaper ministry** continues to hold distribution on the third Saturday of every month from 10 am to 12:00 pm. The diaper ministry goes beyond distributing diapers in our community. Through this ministry, we have shared God's love and developed relationships. Through sharing with one of our families who have attended regularly, they recently had a newborn with medical issues, requiring special care and specialized formula. On Saturday, February 19th, when we held our most recent diaper distribution, this family brought formula that they no longer needed and donated to our ministry to help another family in need. Our community that we are helping, is giving back to help others through us. Another one of our families, who has been attending for the past year, shared with us that the diapers she has been getting from us have helped her supplement for her 11-year-old, special needs son. Every person has a story. As we have continued to serve our community through this ministry, we have touched many lives and they are very appreciative. Our next diaper distribution is scheduled for March 19th. Thank you to everyone for your continued support of this ministry, and donations of diapers and wipes. If anyone would like to donate diapers, sizes 4 through 6 continue to be the greatest need. A diaper drive is planned for the near future in Spring. Please, watch for more details that will be forthcoming. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Crystal Sarvay at epiphanyrvaparishnurse@gmail.com.

The Influenza Vaccine



Those who are considering their Flu vaccine this year are encouraged to schedule their vaccine as soon as possible. Typically, the influenza virus is most common in the U.S. during the late fall season through the early spring (CDC, 2021). The vaccine can provide protection for those ages 6 months on up, however discussing with your primary care provider is recommended prior to receiving any vaccine. Flu vaccines can be scheduled through your pharmacy or your physician's office in most cases. In most cases the Flu vaccine can be scheduled simultaneously with the COVID vaccine, however, check with your primary care provider or pharmacist for further details regarding your personal health situation. Additional information regarding receiving the flu vaccine during the pandemic can be found at <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pandemic-guidance/index.html>.

The parish nurse ministry continues to promote a healthier faith community through spiritual support and healthier life choices, while supporting ministries already in place within the church. If there are, any special needs that can be accommodated through the parish nurse ministry please contact Crystal Sarvay, MSN, RN at epiphanyrvaparishnurse@gmail.com

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Our Communication Card is for **all people at The Church of the Epiphany** so that you can share your thoughts and prayers, and request information.

If you are new, please complete the opposite side so we also have your contact information.

I'd like more information about an upcoming event or program

I am RSVPing or signing up for:

I am interested in learning more about how to be part of the following ministries or programs:

- Music
- Altar Guild
- Office help
- Christian Ed
- Outreach
- Ushers
- Chalice Bearer
- Greeters
- Pastoral Care
- Readers
- Prayer Team
- _____

Prayer Requests / Comments