Music during Communion

Hymn 482 Lord of all hopefulness LEVAS 13 My Lord, what a morning

Post-communion Prayer

Prayer Book 365

A Blessing

Recessional Hymn 371 Thou, whose almighty word

Dismissal

Postlude: The Day is Surely Drawing Near J. S. Bach

The flowers on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God by Daryl & Aggie Gallagher in loving memory of their parents, Arthur Gallagher, & Conrad & Betty Lawrence, and his sister, Tammy Mruzik and her brothers, Conrad Lawrence Jr. & Cass Lawrence.

The Rev. Kristin P. R. Wickersham, SOSc Priest-in-Charge Mrs. Anita Williams, Music Director Mrs. Lucy Whitlock, Parish Administrator Mr. Timon Kenyi, Sexton Marty Shephard, Treasurer

The Vestry

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

The Church of the Epiphany



The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

November 13, 2022 10:30 am

8000 Hermitage Road Henrico, VA 23228 (804) 266-2503

Office hours: Tue. Wed. Thur. 9:00 – 12:00

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Service of Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Prelude: Prelude and Fugue in D Minor...... J.S. Bach

The Word of God

Prayer Book 355

Announcements

Processional Hymn: 7 Christ, whose glory fills the skies

Gloria: Glory to God Hymnal S 280

The Collect of the Day Bulletin Insert

Please be seated for the readings

The First Reading
Psalm
Psalm
Psalm
Psalm
Psalm
2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Please stand as you are able

Sequence Hymn: 11 Awake, my soul

The Gospel Luke 21:5-19

Please be seated

Homily Mtr. Kristin

Please stand as you are able

The Nicene Creed Prayer Book 358

Prayers of the People Form 1 Prayer Book 383

The Confession of Sin and Absolution Prayer Book 360

Please stand as you are able

The Peace Prayer Book 360

The Holy Communion

Prayer Book 361 Eucharistic Prayer A

The Offertory

Anthem: We Beseech Thee O Lord R. Graham

Presentation of Gifts (sung by all) Hymnal 380 vs. 3

Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy Lord Hymnal S 128

The people stand or kneel

The Breaking of the Bread Prayer Book 364

All baptized Christians are invited to receive communion. If you do not wish to receive, you may come forward for a blessing. Communion is offered under both kinds. We do not allow the practice of intinction, or dipping the bread into the consecrated wine. If you do not wish to receive either the bread or the wine, please indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest. At the altar rail, to receive the bread, lay your right hand in your left hand, palm open. To receive the wine, gently touch the base of the chalice and help the priest guide it to your lips. The response after receiving is, "Amen." If you would like communion brought to you in your pew, please tell an usher and the priest will come to you.

COMMUNICATION CARD November 13, 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?

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

New to the Prayer List:

Parishioners: Dottie Strabley, Mike Young, Bob Jimerson, Fran LaVigne, Buddy Dunn, Milton Jenkins, David Skinner, Chip Dunn, Herb Williams, Marion Magruder, Martha Jenkins, George Baynes, Nancy Sonne, Jeannie Riddick

Homebound: Ray Hampton, Dot Hudson, Charlotte Lovelace, Joyce Melton, Ina Stickel, Betty Van Valkenburg, and Irene Morris

Family & Friends: Joyce Matchunis—Irene Morris' daughter-in-law, Dave Schulte—friend of Wayne & Lucy Whitlock, Nancy Baynes Rojas—daughter of George & Joy Baynes, Johnny Jorstad—Martha Jenkins son & Marty Shephard & Sandy Tignor's brother, Buster & Janet Magruder—Marion Magruder's son & daughter-in-law, Carolyn Hall —friend of Kathy Jimerson, Lynn Selfe—friend of Gray & Frosine Corbett, Deb—cousin of Jeri Anne Townley, David Thabet, Elizabeth Mickel,—relatives of Denise Russell and Sandy Ruder, Christian Devol—friend of Cheryl Lineberry, Easton Guyer—Cheryl Lineberry's grandson, Mike Marcial—friend of Cory Isemann, Kelly & Steve Schaaf, Emily, Stephen Bruke—son of Scott Blackwell's friend, Karen Rood—Jeri Anne Townley's sister, Melissa Matthews —friend of Kim Ludwig, Jack Nance, friend of Cheryl Lineberry, Judy Watson—Martha Jenkins niece & Marty Shephard & Sandy Tignor's cousin, Janie Dunnlevy—friend of Lucy & Wayne, Billy Callahan—friend of Karen Holden, Joanita Senoga—friend of Jeri Townley, Jaan Church—friend of Gail Wood

Prayers for the departed:

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

Weekly Worship

Sundays at 8:15 & 10:30 a.m.

Contact info: The Rev. Kristin P. R. Wickersham, SOSc Priest in Charge Cell Phone: 804-502-1891

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Today's Ministers

10:30 AM—Worship Service

Ushers: Scott Blackwell, Kim Ruder

Acolytes: Jason Ludwig, Ellianna

Cloyes

Lessons: Carol Cullinan

Prayers of the People: Carol

Cullinan

Sun. School Helper: Augustine

Kiplagat

Altar Guild: Karen & Randy Holden

Coffee Hour: Mary Sam Abernathy

Counters: Diana Stone, Kim

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The Church of the Epiphany ANNOUNCEMENTS



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: Malachi 4:1-2*a*

In our first lesson the prophet Malachi tells of a day of foreboding and doom when all evildoers will be laid waste and consumed. Those who hold fast to the Lord and trust in God's name shall prevail and the sun of righteousness shall establish their vindication.

2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-11

In this lesson Paul deals with the problem of those who are so expectant that the Lord will come soon and are so meddlesome in the affairs of others that they have given up their daily work. These individuals may have believed that they were already exalted to such a spiritual plane that mundane matters were no longer a concern for them. This may seem like piety on their part, but it means they have become a problem for others. Paul reminds them of his own example and bluntly rules that such people should either work or else not eat.

The Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

In the gospel passage the disciples are forewarned of the destruction of the Jewish temple and of great upheavals in the natural and supernatural order that must take place before the end of history. There will be persecutions and divisions in families. Individuals will appear claiming to be Jesus. While in some passages the New Testament suggests that the end and fulfillment of human time will come quite unexpectedly, here the disciples are advised of a period of great tribulation when the powers of evil will make their final onslaught. In one sense this is poetic language used to describe the indescribable, but it insists that the ultimate meaning of life will finally be known.

On the Calendar and Coming up

Sun. Nov. 13th

8:15 am—Holy Eucharist 10:30am—Holy Eucharist

7:30 pm—AA Meeting in parish hall

Tue. Nov. 15th 6:00 pm—Vestry Mtg. 7:00 pm—JRRingers

Wed. Nov. 16th
12:00— Noon Eucharist
6:00 pm— Bible Study

Thur. Nov. 17th 6:15 pm— Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm-Handbell Rehearsal

Fri. Nov. 18th
7:30pm —AA meeting in the parish hall

Sat. Nov. 19th 10—12 pm —Diaper Ministry

Sun. Nov. 20th 8:15 am—Holy Eucharist 10:30am—Holy Eucharist

7:30pm —AA meeting in the parish hall

LAMB's Basket has asked for the following items to fill some bare spots on their shelves: **Tuna and Soups!** Of course, all other food items are always welcome—let's help our neighbors and keep those shelves stocked.

Please sign-up for Coffee Hour on the board outside the kitchen! We need your help!

Please wear your name tags! If you need a new name tag please let me know in the office so I can make one for you.

Thanks!

Here's the upcoming kitchen news.

Please remember to sign up for a coffee hour. We have several empty weeks coming up.

Nov. 20: Baked Potato Bar and Chapter 5 pie sale

Dec. 11: Soup and Bread and Children's Pag-

Dec. 25 and Jan 1: No coffee hour

Jan. 8: Church wide pot luck and Feast of Epiphany

Feb. 12: Pasta Bar

Attendance: November 6, 2022 8:15 am 8 10:30 am 52

Outreach Opportunities

On October 15^{yh}, the diaper ministry held the most recent diaper distribution. The youth/young adults from Grace and Holy Trinity Church were in attendance to support and learn about our ministry and a special thank you to Eric Ludwig who volunteered his time. We continue to see new families. The diaper ministry continues to hold diaper distribution on the third Saturday of each month from 10 am to 12:00 noon. Through this inspiring ministry, we continue to share God's love and develop relationships within our community. Our next diaper distribution day is on November 19th. A sign-up sheet is on the outreach board in the parish hallway for anyone interested in volunteering. Additionally, donations of diapers, (sizes 4 to 6) and wipes are also appreciated. Thank you again to everyone for your continued support of this ministry!

Homeless Lunch Ministry: A copy of the homeless lunch schedule is available on the bulletin board in the parish hallway if anyone would like a copy. If anyone is interested in participating in this ministry, all are welcome! Contact Mary Sam Abernathy (msabernathy88@gmail.com) or the team leader, for the team you are interested in helping. The next scheduled lunches are for December 3rd by chapter 11. Thank you to Chapters 4 and 5 for preparing and delivering the lunches on November 5th and to everyone who continues to support this ministry. If anyone would like to make donations of paper lunch bags, sandwich bags and napkins, they can be dropped off at the church office. Additionally, if you have further questions or concerns, I am always available to answer any questions. Crystal Sarvay, Outreach Coordinator (crystalsarvay@gmail.com)

Henrico Thanksgiving Boxes will be distributed again this year. The sign -up sheet is on the outreach board. Please, consider signing up as a group, a family, or any way you wish to provide a meal for a family of 6. The list of food items suggested for each box is also provided on the board. This has always been a successful outreach project for our parish in giving back to our community! The boxes are due back in the parish hall by Thursday, November 17th. If you have any questions, please contact the church office or Crystal Sarvay.

The Warm and Fuzzy Tree will be up again this year in the parish hallway. Please, bring new mittens, scarves, socks, and hats to be donated to children in our community who are in need. This will be available starting November 27^{th} . Thank you so much for your donations.

Care Notes Corner: The parish nurse ministry continues to promote a healthier faith community through spiritual support and healthy 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 epiphanyryaparishnurse@gmail.com.

November 13, 2022 Our Communication Card is for all people at The Church of the Epiphany so that you can share your

COMMUNICATION CARD

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

☐ I'd like mare information about

thoughts and prayers, and request

information.

an upcoming event or program	
☐ I am RSVPing or signing up for:	

following ministries	or programs:
☐ Music☐ Altar Guild	☐ Greeters ☐ Pastoral

about how to be part of the

Office help	Care
☐ Christian Ed	Readers
☐ Outreach	☐ Prayer Te

☐ Ushers

☐ Chalice Bearer ☐ ____

Prayer Requests / Comments