Music during Communion

LEVAS 69 I come to the garden alone Hymnal 417 This is the feast of victory for our God

Postcommunion Prayer

Prayer Book 365

A Blessing

Recessional Hymn 210 The day of resurrection!

Dismissal

Postlude: Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee C. Callahan

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



Easter

10:30 am

April 17, 2022

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

www.epiphanyepiscopal.com

Service of Holy Eucharist, Rite II

If this is your first time with us, welcome! **Mas are optional!** 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: The Day of Resurrection C. Callahan

The Word of God

Prayer Book 355

Processional Hymn 207 Jesus Christ is risen today

Gloria: Glory to God Hymnal S 278

The Collect of the Day Bulletin Insert

Please be seated for the readings

The First Reading Acts 10:34-43

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

The Epistle 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Please stand if you are able

Sequence Hymn: 296 We know that Christ is raised

The Gospel John 20:1-18

Please be seated

The Sermon The Rev. Fred Huntington

Please stand as you are able

The Nicene Creed Prayer Book 358

Prayers of the People Form 3 Prayer Book 387

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 361 Eucharistic Prayer A

The Offertory

Anthem: Alleluia, Christ Is Risen arr. J. Kirkby

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

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 April 17, 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 YOU PRAYERS

New to the Prayer List: David Thabet, Elizabeth Mickel and Charlie Thabet—relatives of Denise Russell and Sandy Ruder

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, Gayla Jones

Homebound: Ray Hampton, Dot Hudson, Charlotte Lovelace, Ina Stickel

Family & Friends: Joyce Matchunis—Irene Morris' daughter-in-law, 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, 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 —friend of Jeri Anne Townley, Lynn Selfe—friend of Gray & Frosine Corbett, Deb.—cousin of Jeri Anne Townley

Prayers for the departed:

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

Weekly Worship

Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

Contact info: 8000 Hermitage Road 804-266-2503 Web: www.epiphanyepiscopal.com Today's Ministers

10:30 AM-Worship Service

Usher: Gray Corbett

Acolytes: All acolytes

Lessons: Carol Cullinan

Prayers of the People: Carol Cullinan

Sun. School Helper:

Altar Guild: Jeannie Riddick, Melba

Shumaker

Coffee Hour: No Coffee Hour

Counters: Grav Corbett, Lucy Whitlock



The Church of the Epiphany **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Easter Sunday April 17, 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: Acts 10:34-43

In this lesson Peter realizes that the good news of the gospel is meant for all people, and he proclaims the crucified and risen Jesus. At first Peter was slow to believe that God wanted him to bring the word to a non-Jew. But God has shown this to be the divine will, and Peter gladly responds to Cornelius, a Roman centurion, together with his family and friends. The risen Jesus has appeared to chosen witnesses, and all who trust in him receive forgiveness of sins in his name.

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

In this lesson Paul describes the plan of the resurrection age: it has begun with Christ's rising, and this event gives us confidence that God will defeat death, the last enemy. Some of the Corinthians either doubted Christ's resurrection or held that Christians could already live a fully resurrected life of the spirit without any regard for the body. Paul insists on the reality of Christ's rising, which has made possible the hope of a new life in a world where all presently die.

Passion Gospel: John 20:1-18

Our gospel tells of the discovery of the empty tomb and Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene. While it is still dark, Mary comes and finds that the stone used to cover the tomb has been moved away. She runs and brings Peter and another disciple whom Jesus loved. Although no human eye catches sight of Jesus' rising from death, these first witnesses see the discarded grave wrappings and the other disciple perceives and believes. Mary remains weeping at the graveside and talks with a man she assumes to be the gardener. He speaks her name, and she knows her Lord.

On the Calendar and Coming up

Sun. April 17th

10:30 am—Holy Eucharist

After service Easter egg hunt for the children!

7:30 pm—AA Meeting in parish hall

Tue. April 19th 6 pm—Vestry Mtg.

7 pm-JRRingers

Thur. April. 21st No Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Fri. April. 22nd

7:30pm —AA meet-

Sun. April 24th 10:30 am—Holy Eucharist

7:30pm —AA meeting in the parish hall The flowers on the altar today are given to the Glory of God by Chuck & Dottie Strabley in memory of their daughter. Kathy Strabley.

We welcome the Rev. Fred Huntington who is with us this morning for the Holy Eucharist.

We will resume coffee hour as volunteers are able to sign up. This social time will provide us greater opportunity to reflect on our time apart, to reconnect and to share hopes for our common path forward.

Congratulations to David Wilkinson & Mary Sotos on the birth of their son, Pelsen Edward Sotos who was born on Monday, April 4, weighing 9 lbs. + . The proud grandmother is Patty White and the very proud great grandmother is Nancv Sonne.

Congratulations to Megan & James Hilton on the birth of their daughter, Amelia Griffin Hilton weighing in at 8 lbs. 8 oz. Parents and baby are doing well. The proud grandparents are Chris and Sandy Tignor and the very proud great-grandparents are Martha & Milton Jenkins.

The two Red Roses on the lecturn are in ing in the parish hall thanksgiving for Pelsen & Amelia.

Attendance: April 10, 2022

10:30 am 60

Outreach Opportunities

The diaper ministry continues to hold distribution on the third Saturday of every month from 10 am to 12:00 pm. This Saturday, April 16th was our most recent diaper distribution. The next diaper distribution will be held on May 21st. There have been approximately 46 families in attendance each Saturday that the

diaper distribution is held. Thank you to everyone for your continued support of this ministry, and your donations of diapers and wipes. Through this ministry, we continue to share God's love and develop relationships with these families and within our community.

If anyone would like to donate diapers, sizes 4 through 6 continue to be the greatest need. A DIAPER DRIVE is being held starting May 1st through May the 8th. Please, bring any donations of diapers, preferably in sizes 4 through 6, to church on Sunday, May 1st or May 8th and there will be a collection area set up in the parish hallway under the outreach bulletin board. If you are unable to bring diapers to church, contact Crystal Sarvay and she would be happy to pick them up some time during the week, or meet you at church an evening for drop off or whatever is most convenient for you. If you have questions or concerns, please contact Crystal Sarvay at epiphanyrvaparishnurse@gmail.com.

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 lead for the team you are interested in joining. The next scheduled lunches are to be prepared and delivered by Chapter 4 & 5 on Saturday, May 7th. Additionally, donations of paper lunch bags, sandwich bags and napkins are also appreciated and can be dropped off at the church office.

Care Notes Corner

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, Parset Nuss Mousier any special needs that can be accommodated through the parish nurse ministry please contact Crystal Sarvay, MSN, RN at epiphanyrvaparishnurse@gmail.com

COMMUNICA	TION CARD
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