EPIPHANY Seattle



The Seventh Sunday of Easter

HOLY EUCHARIST May 12, 2024 at 8:45 am

THE GATHERING

We invite you to help create the experience of silence before our service. Our hope is to calm our hearts as we prepare to enter into an intensity of shared presence. Thank you for turning off all electronic devices.

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the sound of the bell, all rise as able. HYMN 494: Crown him with many crowns

Diademata



Words: Matthew Bridges (1800-94) Music: George Job Elvey (1816-93)

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

All The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Presider Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



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Presider	The Lord be with you.
All	And also with you.
Presider	Let us pray.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

All O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

All are seated. THE LESSON: 1 John 5:9-13

If we receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son. Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know that you have eternal life.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

The people stand as able and sing. HYMN 495: Hail, thou once despised Jesus



Words: John Bakewell (1721-1819) and Martin Madan (1726-90), alt. Music: melody from Oude en Nieuwe Hollantse Boerenlities en Contradanseu, 1710

THE GOSPEL: John 17:6-19

GospelerThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.AllGlory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus prayed for his disciples, "I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth."

GospelerThe Gospel of the Lord.AllPraise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON: The Reverend Lex Breckinridge

Reflective silence and stillness are kept after the sermon.

Sermon Notes

The people stand to say **THE NICENE CREED**

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The intercessor and people pray responsively.

Intercessor Not belonging to the world, we intercede for the world. Let us offer prayers to God for all persons everywhere, to protect them from all evil.

The people remain standing or kneel.

- *Intercessor* For the holy catholic church throughout the world, sharing the death and resurrection of Christ, let us pray to the Lord.
- All Lord, graciously hear us.

Intercessor	For the nominees for the next bishop of the Diocese of Olympia. Guide the minds of those who shall choose our next bishop, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries, let us pray to the Lord.
All	Lord, graciously hear us.
Intercessor	For the world and its leaders, our nation and its people, we pray especially for peace in Haiti, Ukraine, and Israel/Palestine, let us pray to the Lord.
All	Lord, graciously hear us.
Intercessor	For all who struggle to establish greater peace upon earth, especially those who serve in the military, those on missions of hope and mercy, and their families, let us pray to the Lord.
All	Lord, graciously hear us.
Intercessor	For Clara, Gracie, Fisher, Madeline, Mathias, Miles, and Vivi who are preparing for their First Informed Communion, let us pray to the Lord.
All	Lord, graciously hear us.
Intercessor	For all those in need, the suffering and the oppressed, those who are sick and hospitalized, especially Mary Anne, Anne, Jane, Briggs, Vincent, Margo, Thurston, John, Amber, and Cheryl, let us pray to the Lord.
All	Lord, graciously hear us.
Intercessor	For those who rest in Christ and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.
All	Lord, graciously hear us.
Intercessor	For those on our hearts, offering intercession and solace, comfort and healing, praise and thanksgiving, for those we now name silently or aloud.

The people may add their own petitions.

Intercessor Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

All Who put their trust in you.

The presider adds a concluding Collect.

Presider Blessed are you, O Lord our God, who sent your Son into the world. Hear our prayers for all your creation and sanctify us in the truth of your word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The people stand.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All And also with you.

The ministers and people greet one another in the name of Christ.

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Presider Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.



The offertory is the time during the service when we give offerings to God, acknowledging that all we have comes from God. The choir offers their gift of music, and this is our opportunity to offer thanks to God through a monetary gift to support the ministries of Epiphany. Active Epiphany parishioners make an annual pledge commitment toward the vitality of our ministries. In some cases pledging parishioners also make a financial contribution at the offertory. Money placed in the hunger basket at Communion supports our outreach ministry of feeding those in need. You may use the QR code, either during the anthem or later at your convenience, or place your offering in the offering plate as it is passed.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: Jubilate (Collegium Regale)

Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

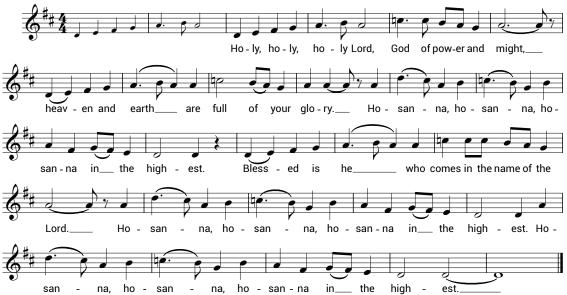
O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands. Serve the Lord with gladness, And come before His presence with a song, Be ye sure that the Lord he is God It is he that hath made us. And not we ourselves: We are his people, And the sheep of His pasture. O go your way into his gates with thankgiving, And into his courts with praise; Be thankful unto him, And speak good of his Name. For the Lord is gracious, His mercy is everylasting; And his truth endureth from generation to generation. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, And to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, Is not, and ever shall be, World without end. Amen.

The people stand. **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A**

Presider	The Lord be with you.
All	And also with you.
Presider	Lift up your hearts.
All	We lift them to the Lord.
Presider	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All	It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



The people stand or kneel. Then the Presider continues.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Presider and people

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him.

Presider and people

Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

Presider

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN**.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

Proulx

THE LORD'S PRAYER said by all

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

FRACTION ANTHEM: Christ our Passover

Frank Boles

The refrain is sung once by the cantor and then by all, and again after the verse.



THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All are invited to receive the Holy Communion. It is your choice as to whether you receive Holy Communion or a blessing. You may receive Communion or a blessing at the standing station in the front of the nave or proceed to the altar rail. The bread will be placed in your palm. You may consume the bread and then drink from the chalice (please grasp the bottom of the chalice firmly and guide it to your lips); or, you may leave the bread in your palm for the chalice bearer to dip it into the wine and place it on your tongue. Self-intinction is strongly discouraged by the Episcopal church. The people's response to receiving the bread and the wine is "Amen." Gluten-free wafers are available. To indicate to the Eucharistic minister that you would like a gluten-free wafer, please present your hands palms down. Those who do not wish to receive Communion are invited to come forward for a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

MUSIC AT COMMUNION

O for a closer walk

O for a closer walk with God, A calm and heavenly frame; A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb!

Return, O holy dove, return, Sweet messenger of rest; I hate the sins that made thee mourn, And drove thee from my breast.

So shall my walk be close with God, Calm and serene my frame; So purer light shall mark the road That leads me to the Lamb. Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)

0 P 1 Draw nigh and take the Bo dy of the Lord, 2 Saved by that Bo dy and that ho ly Blood, 3 Sal va tion's giv Christ, the ly Son, er, on -4 Of fered he for and for least, was great est $\mathbf{5}$ Ap proach ye then with faith - ful hearts sin cere, 2.0 **N** and drink Blood for poured. the ho 1 ly out vou 2 with souls re - freshed. ren - der thanks God. to we 3 by his dear blood the vic won. cross and tory Vic -4 him self the tim, and him self the Priest. 5and take the pledg - es of sal va tion here.

- 6 He that his saints in this world rules and shields to all believers life eternal yields;
- 7 with heavenly bread he makes the hungry whole, gives living waters to the thirsting soul.
- 8 Alpha-Omega, unto whom shall bow all nations at the doom, is with us now.

Words: Bangor Antiphoner, ca. 690; tr. John Mason Neale (1818-66) Music: melody and bass Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625); harm. The English Hymnal, 1906

The people stand as able. **POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER**

Presider Let us pray.

All Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

Presider The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**





Words: William Chatterton Dix (1837-98) *Music*: Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-87)

DISMISSAL

Minister	Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!
All	Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleuia!

After the procession has led the way out of the church, we invite you to remain for the Voluntary or depart quietly.

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> SALLY FOSTER FROM HER FAMILY

MUSIC AT EPIPHANY INVITES YOU TO OUR ANNUAL MUSIC FUNDRALSER

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 6:30 PM



Join us for an evening of music and refreshments to raise money for Music at Epiphany. The night will include music from both our organs, cello, and soloists. Come to learn more about Music at Epiphany's 2024-2025 season and how you can support it.

> Please RSVP by May 16 to Laura Sargent at Isargent@epiphanyseattle.org.

Coming Up at Epiphany

Men's Breakfast Group | Saturday, May 18 | 8:00–9:30 am | Great Hall

To the Men of Epiphany! We are gathering on Saturday, March 18, 8:00 am- 9:30 am in the Great Hall for a breakfast and fellowship. Our guest speaker will be Paul Lange! Please contact Amanda Eap at *amanda@ epiphanyseattle.org* if you have any questions and would like to participate.

Pentecost is coming.

This celebration on May 19th marks the end of the Easter season, the coming of the Holy Spirit, and the celebration of our spirit-enabled work as disciples to go out and make a difference in the world. You are asked to bring red cupcakes or cookies to share with the congregation.Remember to wear red! Please reach out to Amanda at *amanda@epiphanyseattle.org* if you have any questions!

PARISH PRAYER LIST

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE BIRTHDAYS FALL BETWEEN MAY 12 AND MAY 18

Liz Hilton, Phillip Jordan, Mark Rossow, John Griffin, Margaret Conn, José Luis Muñoz, Suzanne Whitaker, Vivi Marlow, Jenny Anderson

WE PRAY FOR THOSE ON THE DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

Christ Church, Puyallup St. Matthew's, Browns Point/Tacoma All Saints, Tacoma

WE PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR PARISH WHO ARE ILL OR GRIEVING

Cheryl Morgan, Eileen Riley, The Osterlind Family, Steve, Lynn Manley, Alice Foreman, Thomas, John Kirkpatrick, Barbara Lock, Amber Gregory, Dennis Hogan, Jessica Khan, Arthur Sullivan, Linda Baker, Bill Hess, Jane Hess, Jeremy Bacon, Janet Salisbury, Norma Lorenzana, Janet Hoehne, Bill Ingham, Cooper Sayer, Kathleen Balducci, Lisa Robertson, Ava Hall, John, Joanna Reams, The Most Reverend Michael Curry, Mary Jo, Kris, Fr. Michael, Faye, Joel Connelly, David Ferguson, Joleen Hiltner, Denise Glasco, Chris, Peter, Thurston Roach, Martha Sampson, Kweko Andoh, Sr., Jeannine Black, Kate, Tim Hall, Suzi Hill, Susan Pitchford, William, Rich, Bev, Briggs Tinsley, Margo D., Vincent, Jane Roskams, Anne Moldrem, Mary Anne Howard

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Tim Petersen

Are you or a loved one in need of some extra, tender loving care? Pastoral Care Ministries at Epiphany can reach out through a written prayer, a Eucharistic visit, a phone call, a greeting card, a bouquet of Epiphany flowers, a prayer shawl, and/or a meal delivered. Please contact Diane Carlisle at *dcarlisle@epiphanyseattle.org*

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To find out more about all of our ministries go to **epiphanyseattle.org/engage**.

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