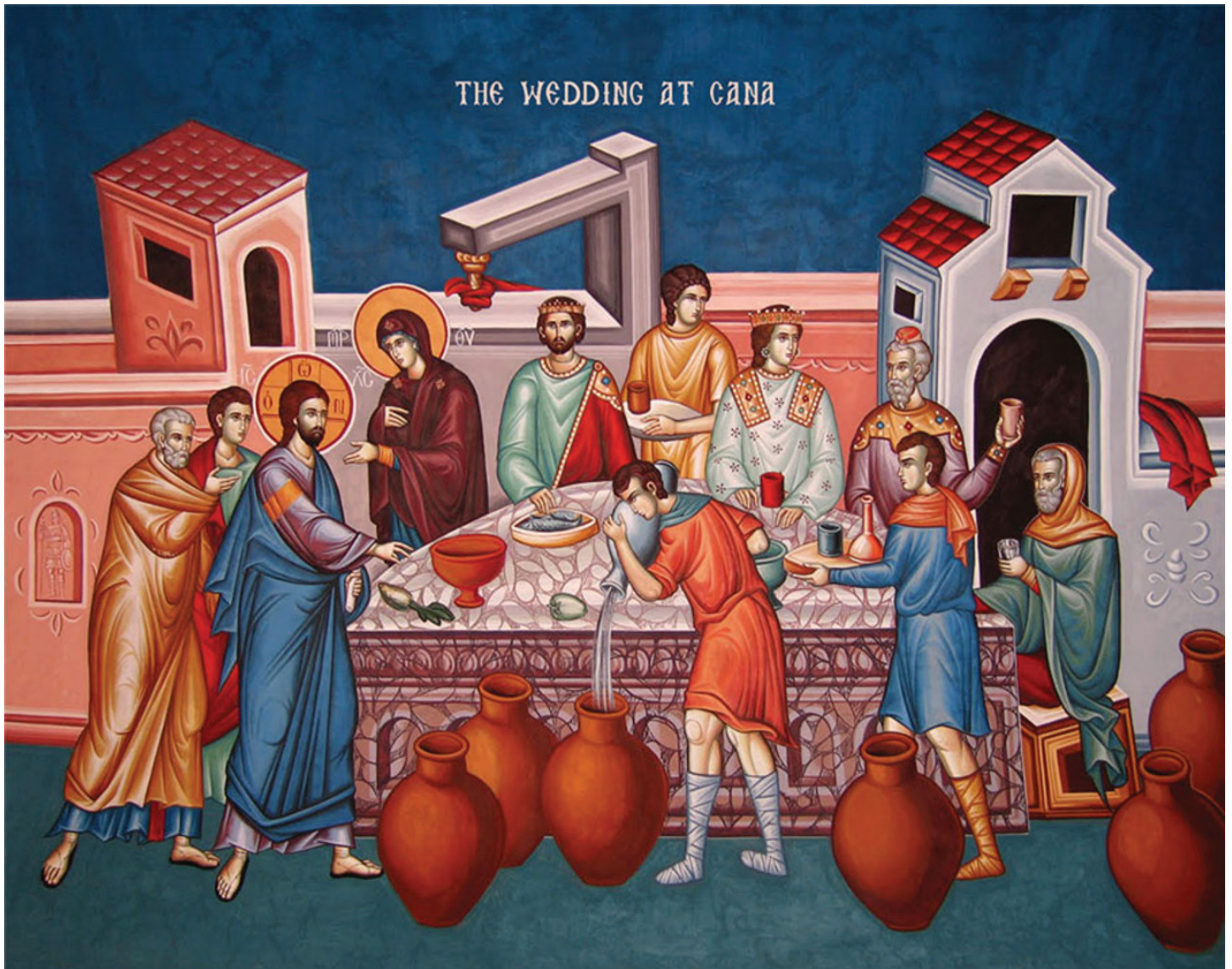


# EPIPHANY†

— *Seattle* —



THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

HOLY EUCHARIST

JANUARY 19, 2025 AT 8:45 AM

Dear Epiphany Family,

Next Sunday is a BIG day in the life of our parish, and we want YOU to be there! The Annual Parish Meeting is just around the corner, and it's going to be a morning full of worship, vision, and celebration. Here's what you can expect:

One service, one family: We're combining our two morning services into ONE service at 9:00 am. This is a special opportunity for all of us to come together in worship, singing, and breaking bread.

Doyt's Vision: Where We Are and Where We're Going

During the service, Doyt's sermon will give a state of the parish address, talking about where we are as a church and, more importantly, where God is calling us to go. It's a chance for all of us to hear about the exciting future ahead and what role we each have to play.

After the service, we'll head to the Great Hall for the Annual Meeting. Here's what's on the agenda:

Electing new Vestry members and Diocesan Convention delegates

Celebrating the incredible leadership that makes Epiphany such a vibrant place

Hearing stories and stats from Doyt about the abundance of ministries that are thriving at Epiphany

Reviewing our finances, including stewardship, for the coming year and laying the foundation for our future

This is our time to come together as a community and reflect on all that God has done—and all that's yet to come. This isn't just about business. It's about dreaming together and praying about our future. It's about conversation, fellowship, and celebration. Bring your questions, your excitement, your joy, and your hopes for Epiphany's future.

While adults gather in the Great Hall, the Nursery remains open for children 4 and under. Supervised games and activities will be available in Christie House for children ages 5 and up.

You've probably heard us say that Epiphany is a neighborhood church for the city of Seattle. And if you've seen our RELATA ads on public buses, you know we're doing a new thing! Here's what we're learning:

People are searching—they want to connect with something meaningful, but they don't always know where to turn.

They're spiritual but not religious, and they're looking for an invitation into relationship and community.

What we're doing here—through RELATA, worship, and our ministries—is gospel work. And YOU are part of it! Whether you're volunteering at a service, hosting a table, or attending RELATA, you are sharing the good news of Christ. Don't miss this moment!! This is your chance to prayerfully reflect, celebrate all we've accomplished, and dream together about the future of Epiphany. Don't miss out on being part of something truly special.

Blessings,  
Kate +

An induction loop is provided for the benefit of hearing aid users.  
To use please switch your hearing aid to "T."

Children are invited to go directly to the Chapel for Sunday School. They will return for the Celebration of Holy Eucharist.

## 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.

**VOLUNTARY: A Meditation on Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether**

Gerre Hancock (1934-2012)

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**INTROIT:** O come, let us worship and bow down. Let us kneel before the Lord who made us, for he is our God.

*At the sound of the bell, all rise as able.*

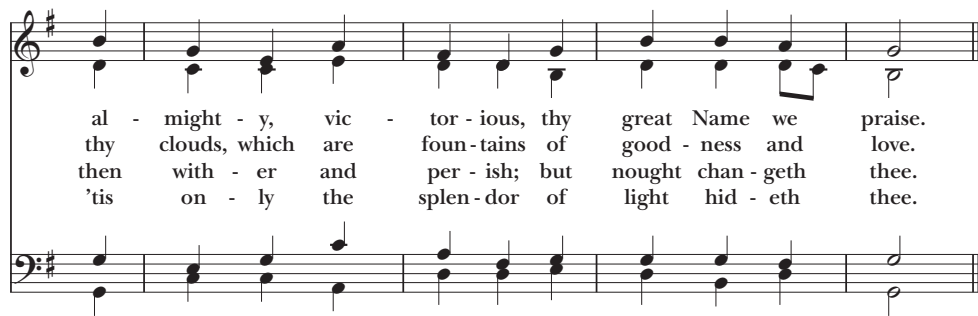
**HYMN 423: Immortal, invisible, God only wise**

St. Denio

1 Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,  
2 Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,  
3 To all life thou giv - est, to both great and small;  
4 Thou reign - est in glo - ry, thou rul - est in light,

in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,  
nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might;  
in all life thou liv - est, the true life of all;  
thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight;

most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,  
thy jus - tice like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove  
we blos - som and flour - ish, like leaves on the tree,  
all laud we would ren - der: O help us to see



al - might - y, vic - tor - ious, thy great Name we praise.  
 thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.  
 then with - er and per - ish; but nought chan - geth thee.  
 'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee.

Words: Walter Chalmers Smith (1824-1908)  
 Music: Welsh hymn, from *Caniadau y Cyssegr*, 1839

*Presider* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*All* **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

*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.**

**GLORIA** sung by all

John Rutter



1. Glo-ry to you, Lord God of our fa - thers; you are  
 wor - thy of praise; glo - ry to you. 2. Glo-ry to you for the  
 ra - di - ance of your ho - ly Name; we will praise you and high - ly ex - alt you for  
 ev - er. 3. Glo-ry to you in the splen - dor of your tem - ple;  
 on the throne of your ma - jes - ty, glo - ry to you. 4. Glo-ry to you,  
 seat - ed be - tween the Cher - u - bim; we will praise you and high - ly ex -

alt you for ev - er. \_\_\_\_\_ 5.Glo - ry to you \_\_\_\_\_ be - hold - ing the

depths \_\_\_\_\_ in the high vault of hea - ven, glo - ry to you. \_\_\_\_\_ 6.Glo - ry to

you, \_\_\_\_\_ Fa - ther, Son, \_ and Ho - ly Spi - rit; \_\_\_\_\_ we will praise you and

high - ly ex - alt you for ev - er, \_\_\_\_\_

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

**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

*All* Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

*All are seated.*

**THE LESSON: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11**

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit.

Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.  
*All* Thanks be to God.



The people stand as able and sing.

**HYMN 443: From God Christ's deity came forth**

Salem Harbor



1 From God Christ's de - i - ty came forth, his man-hood from hu -  
2 He joined with guests at wed - ding feast, yet in the wil - der -  
3 The dis - so - lute he did not scorn, nor turn from those who  
4 He did not dis - re - gard the sick; to sim - ple ones his  
5 Who then, my Lord, com - pares with you? The Watch - er slept, the



1 man - i - ty; his priest - hood from Mel - chi - ze - dek, his  
2 ness did fast; he taught with - in the tem - ple's gates; his  
3 were in sin; he for the right - eous did re - jice but  
4 word was given; and he de - scend - ed to the earth and  
5 Great was small, the Pure bap - tized, the Life who died, the



1 roy - al - ty from Da - vid's tree: praised be his One - ness.  
2 peo - ple saw him die at last: praised be his teach - ing.  
3 bade the fall - en to come in: praised be his mer - cy.  
4 his work done, went up to heaven: praised be his com - ing.  
5 King a - based to hon - or all: praised be your glo - ry.

Words: Ephrem of Edessa (4th cent.); tr. by J. Howard W. Rhys (b. 1917); adapt. and alt. F. Bland Tucker (1895-1984).  
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**THE GOSPEL: John 2:1-11**

*Gospeler* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*All* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

*Gospeler* The Gospel of the Lord.

*All* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**THE SERMON: The Reverend Doyt L. Conn, Jr.**

*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* Clothed in the beauty of Christ, let us approach the Lord with prayers for all peoples.

*The people remain standing or kneel.*

*Intercessor* Grant, O Lord, that your Church may be a sign of truth and hope. May our unity give you glory throughout the world and serve as a sign of your faithful love. Lord, in your mercy,

**All** hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* Guide the leaders of all nations and those whom they govern that justice and peace may increase. May we experience the fruits of righteousness and the blessings of your reign of love. Lord, in your mercy,

**All** hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* May this good earth and its creatures reveal your glory. Give us grace to guard its riches wisely and to share its bounty justly. Lord, in your mercy,

**All** hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* Bless 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. Lord, in your mercy,

**All** hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* Comfort and heal the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer, especially David, Karen, Evan, Heather, Kevin, Day, Mary, Ruth, Clip, Sheila, Mike, Suzi, Chris, Drue, Claire, Barbara, Eileen, Robert, Larry, Tom, Ted, Peggy, and Amber. May we be agents of hope in your name. Lord, in your mercy,

**All** hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* For those who have died in the communion of your Church, especially Patrick Meekin, and those whose faith is known to you alone, grant them rest and the sure knowledge of your peace. Remind us, Lord, that neither death nor life will separate us from your love. Lord, in your mercy,

**All** hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* For those on our hearts, especially the victims of the fires in Los Angeles, offering intercession and solace, comfort and healing, and praise and thanksgiving for Galileo Darling new grandson of Sandra Darling and Zoey Rose Carlisle new granddaughter of Terry and Diane Carlisle, and 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 offers a concluding Collect.*

*Presider* O God, who sent Jesus among us, hear the prayers of your people, and make us into new wine for the glory of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*The Presider continues*

## **THE CONFESSION OF SIN**

*Presider* We pray also for the forgiveness of our sins.

*The people kneel. A moment of reflective silence is kept.*

*Said by all*

**All** Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will,  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. **Amen.**

*Presider* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **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*     May all the earth give you worship and praise, and break into song to your name, O God, Most High.



*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: *Christ whose glory fills the skies*

*T. Frederick Candlyn (1892-1964)*

Christ, whose glory fills the skies,  
Christ, the true, the only light,  
Sun of Righteousness, arise,  
Triumph o'er the shades of night;  
Dayspring from on high, be near;  
Daystar, in my heart appear.

Dark and cheerless is the morn  
Unaccompanied by thee;  
Joyless is the day's return,  
Till thy mercy's beams I see;  
Till they inward light impart,  
Glad my eyes and warm my heart.

Visit then this soul of mine;  
Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;  
Fill me, Radiance divine,  
Scatter all my unbelief;  
More and more thyself display,  
Shining to the perfect day.

The people stand.

## EUCCHARISTIC 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, because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. 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:

## SANCTUS *sung by all*

*Robert Powell*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and  
might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.\_\_\_\_\_

*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 all 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.**

Presider

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,

**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: *Jesus, Lamb of God*

Powell

Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you  
take a - way the sins of the world: have mer - cy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

## 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

### *Draw us in the spirit's tether*

*Harold Friedell (1905-58)*

Draw us in the Spirit's tether;  
For when humbly, in thy name,  
Two or three are met together,  
Thou art in the midst of them:  
Alleluya! Alleluya!  
Touch we now they garment's hem.

As the brethren used to gather  
In the name of Christ to sup,  
Then with thanks to God the Father  
Break the bread and bless the cup,  
Alleluya! Alleluya!  
So knit thou our friendship up.

All our meals and all our living  
Make as sacraments of thee,  
That by caring, helping, giving,  
We may true disciples be.  
Alleluya! Alleluya!  
We will serve thee faithfully.

*The people stand as able.*

## POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

*Presider* Let us pray.

*All* Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## THE BLESSING

*Presider* May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the world; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

HYMN 135: Songs of thankfulness and praise

Salzburg

1 Songs of thank-ful - ness and praise, Jes - us, Lord, to thee we raise,  
 2 Man - i - fest at Jor - dan's stream, Pro - phet, Priest, and King su - preme;  
 3 Man - i - fest in mak - ing whole pal - sied limbs and faint - ing soul;  
 4 Man - i - fest on moun - tain height, shin - ing in re - splen - dent light,  
 man - i - fest - ed by the star to the sa - ges from a - far;  
 and at Ca - na, wed - ding - guest, in thy God - head man - i - fest;  
 man - i - fest in val - iant fight, quell - ing all the dev - il's might;  
 where dis - ci - ples filled with awe thy trans - fi - gured glo - ry saw.  
 branch of roy - al Da - vid's stem in thy birth at Beth - le - hem;  
 man - i - fest in power di - vine, chang - ing wa - ter in - to wine;  
 man - i - fest in gra - cious will, ev - er bring - ing good from ill;  
 When from there thou led - dest them stead - fast to Je - ru - sa - lem,  
 an - thems be to thee ad - dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 an - thems be to thee ad - dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 an - thems be to thee ad - dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 cross and Eas - ter Day at - test, God in man made man - i - fest.

Words: Sts. 1-3, Christopher Wordsworth (1807-85); st. 4, F. Bland Tucker (1895-1984)  
 Music: Jakob Hintze (1622-1702)

DISMISSAL

Minister Let us bless the Lord.  
 All Thanks be to God.

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

VOLUNTARY: Tuba Tune in D Major

Craig S. Lang (1891-1971)

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***Serving this day***

*Rector* The Reverend Doyt L. Conn, Jr.

*Parochial Vicar* The Reverend Kate Wesch

*Director of Worship* Diane Carlisle

*Director of Music* Zachary Hemenway

*Epiphany Choir*

*Vergers* Bob Barnes

*Lector* Jeff Dubois

*Eucharistic Ministers* Steve Day, Susan Snyder

*Ushers* Jenny Cummins, Dwayne Shearer, Lorelle Shearer

*Altar Guild* Bobbie Spaeth

*Altar Flowers* Sandra Darling

*Parish Life Minister* Amanda Eap

**Adult Formation-Service & Outreach | Sunday | January 19 |10:00 |**

**Great Hall and Zoom**

Have a Heart is Sunday, February 2: Big deal. So what? Why should you come to Have a Heart?

At the Adult Forum on Sunday, January 19, your friends from Service & Outreach will review some ways a handful of nonprofit ministry partners help the people of Epiphany live out our baptismal covenant—and Christ's commandment—to love our neighbors as ourselves. Epiphany has helped support the work of these organizations for many years by your donations at Have a Heart and by your time and money offered throughout the year. Our message will include a brief video highlighting how several local organizations address the special needs of women who are without safe housing. Supporting the work of these organizations is important. It is important for the people these organizations serve. It is important for our souls. It is indeed a big deal that you participate.



**PARISH PRAYER LIST**

**WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE BIRTHDAYS FALL BETWEEN JANUARY 19 AND JANUARY 25**

Barbee Crutcher, Mary Anne Howard, Steve Sander, Ian Sander, Terry Gudger, Cory Carlson,  
Nash Cochran, Tieran Sweeny-Bender, Judith Mayotte

**WE PRAY FOR THOSE ON THE DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER**

St. John's, Kirkland  
St. Thomas, Bellevue  
Emmanuel, Mercer Island

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

Eileen Riley, Lynn Manley, Alice Foreman, Barbara Lock,  
Amber Gregory, Dennis Hogan, Jessica Khan, Janet Salisbury,  
Libby Goldstein, Lisa Dilling, MaryJo, Fr. Michael, Tom, Mary Jane Anderson,  
Bill Ingham, Lyn White, John Robinson, Alex S., Diane H.,  
Joel Connelly, Adrian, Kevin, Jill Miller, Felicity, Lauri, Bruce, Christina,  
Emily, Peg, Tyler Salem, Tracey Osterlind, Joy Roberts, Meri Nelson,  
Inez Black, Robert Bergman, Karen Berry, Mary, Zach, David,  
Larry Mayer, Barbara Cairns, Chris, Drue, Claire, Suzi Hill, Clip Kniffin,  
Sheila Preston Comerford, Mike Simmons, Ruth Ingham, David & Karen Enzminger  
Evan & Heather Jones, Day Logan

**WE PRAY FOR WHO HAVE DIED**

Patrick Meekin

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](mailto:dcarlisle@epiphanyseattle.org)

***Annual Meeting—January 26***

On January 26, following one combined worship service at 9:00 am. We will have the opportunity to hear the Senior Warden and the Treasurer's reports and elect the new Vestry members and Diocesan delegates. Doyt will also share the State of the Parish and lay out Epiphany's vision for the coming year and beyond. Continental Breakfast will be served.

**Newcomer Event | Tuesday | January 21 | 5:30-7:00 pm**

New to Epiphany? Curious about what it means to join a church? Participate in a conversation with the Rev. Doyt Conn on Tuesday, January 21, 5:30-7:00 pm. Learn about Epiphany, ask questions, find out how to get involved, and join us for fellowship. Please contact Amanda for more information at [amanda@epiphanyseattle.org](mailto:amanda@epiphanyseattle.org).

**Angeline's Day Center - Epiphany services lunch | Thursday | January 23 | 11:30-2:00 pm**



Service Opportunity—Epiphany serves lunch at Angeline's Day Center for Women on January 23. Angeline's Day Center for Women, operated by the YWCA and located in Belltown, serves women experiencing homelessness with drop-in services which include breakfast and lunch, access to bathrooms, showers, and laundry, personal storage lockers, group activities and workshops, health care access, and referrals to community services. Case management and overnight shelter are also offered in the Enhanced Night program, which helps participants transition into permanent housing. Epiphany has been invited to serve lunch to the women at Angeline's on January 23 from 11:30 to 2:00 pm. If you would like to sign up for this, please contact Sherilyn Peterson: [speterson@perkinscoie.com](mailto:speterson@perkinscoie.com).

**Women's Retreat Group | Saturday, February 1st | 9:00-11:30 am | Great Hall**

Join the women of Epiphany for the monthly retreat on February 1!

**When: Saturday, February 1, 2025**

8:30 am Light breakfast and socializing

9:00-11:00 am WRG + Lenten activities overview with Rev. Kate Wesch and deep dive on Pray Seattle with Elizabeth Roberts and Sharon Hamill

**Program:**

Lent is just around the corner, beginning in early March. We will learn about the many activities that will be happening at Epiphany as we celebrate these special 40 days of the Lenten season. First Rev. Kate Wesch will give us an overview of activities, and then parishioner Elizabeth Roberts will describe Pray Seattle with special guest Sharon Hamill.

**Please scan the QR code to RSVP.**



**"Come As You Are" Eucharist**  
**Sunday, January 19 at 4:00 pm in the Chapel**  
**Led by the Rev. Kate Wesch**

Join us on the third Sunday of the month at 4:00 pm in the Chapel for a service of Holy Eucharist which is designed for people of all ages, but especially for families with children.

This service is different from our traditional Sunday morning offerings. "Come as you are" means exactly that—come in your gardening clothes, soccer uniforms, or jeans. We welcome everyone, especially children, to participate in a more casual, relaxed worship experience. The liturgy will be interactive, with music led by a piano or guitar, and prayer stations that invite movement during the Prayers of the People.

Children and youth will be active participants and leaders in the service, learning by doing and engaging deeply with their faith. Unlike other services, there will be no Nursery—children of all ages are encouraged to attend, and their presence is celebrated.

We look forward to gathering with you in this new, Spirit-led worship experience, creating a space where everyone can encounter God together. Join us and see where this journey takes us!

**Mark your calendars!**  
**Have A Heart, February 2**



Epiphany's biggest party of the year, Have a Heart, is the annual fundraiser for much of our parish's outreach ministries. The evening starts in the Church at 5:30 pm with a short video program immediately followed by the beautiful service of Choral Evensong. Then we invite you to the Great Hall to enjoy complimentary food and drink while helping us raise money for our nonprofit friends. You and your invited guests (please invite your friends!) will enjoy a lively time while doing good things for our community.

This year we will be holding a wine pull raffle. If you

have one or more nice bottles of wine (valued at \$20+) that you would like to donate to the raffle, please drop it off at the main office with a note attached that says 'For HaH Wine Pull Raffle.' For any questions about the wine pull and/or Have A Heart, contact Ann McCurdy at [ann@frostymoose.com](mailto:ann@frostymoose.com). We look forward to seeing you at Have a Heart!

**Community Service Honoring the Life of the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and other Prominent African Americans of Faith | Monday | January 20 | 7:30 pm | Chapel**

Join us for a service to commemorate Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and other prominent African Americans in the church. People from Madrona Grace Presbyterian, Seattle Japanese Presbyterian Church, and Epiphany Parish of Seattle will come together to hear readings from influential African Americans, including Dr. King, whom we honor on January 20. We will sing hymns and share in Holy Communion. We hope to see you there!

**Is change on your horizon? Discernment Class January 26th**



One thing we can count on . . . things always change. Are you experiencing a tug toward something new? Maybe you're in transition or starting a new chapter? Or perhaps you're feeling unsettled- like something might be coming, but it isn't quite defined yet. During times like these, putting yourself in the way of God can be helpful.

Join us January 26 from 4-5:20 pm in Christie House to learn about and try various discernment techniques. The class will be followed in February and March by a discernment group if you want to carve out time and space to be intentional as you encounter, respond, and connect to change in your heart and/or life circumstances. Begin your journey by exploring how God might be speaking to you and where God may be calling you. Questions? Email or text Diana Bender at ***Diana.bender@outlook.com*** or 206-459-9140.



## *Vestry Nominees*



**Sarah Beshlian**, a life-long Episcopalian, moved to Seattle in 2001 with her husband Kevin and daughters, Anna and Eleanor, and began attending Epiphany Parish in 2017 after moving nearby. During a health challenge in 2020, she found comfort and support within the church's liturgy, community, and spiritual practices. Sarah actively contributes to the parish, serving on the Women's Retreat Group committee, participating in feeding ministries, and engaging in programs like Sacred Ground and a Discernment Committee. Recently retired from her hand surgery practice, she enjoys outdoor activities like rowing, biking, and skiing, as well as music, and divides her time between Seattle and the Methow Valley. She is honored to join Epiphany's Vestry and cherishes her connection to this joy-filled neighborhood church.



**Michael Fraas** earned his Ph.D. in Communication Sciences and Disorders from the University of Cincinnati in Ohio, USA in 2003. Michael has over 27 years of clinical and research experience in speech pathology and communication disorders. Michael has been a member of Epiphany since January of 2019. He recently completed four years of Education for Ministry (EfM), is a member of the Service and Outreach committee, and serves as Chaplain for Parkshore. Michael is on the Board of Directors for Operation Nightwatch (ONW) and serves on the ONW finance and book review committees. He is also a member of the Board for Brillo de Sol, USA, which supports the education of children with special learning needs in San Pedro las Huertas, Guatemala.



**Jodi Markus** joined Epiphany after moving to Madrona in 2018 with her husband, Ramsey, and their sons Jake and Evan. She spent more than 20 years in Houston, Texas where she taught Mohs Surgery at Baylor College of Medicine. She retired in 2020 and now volunteers with Dartmouth College, Lakeside School, and the British Columbia Pipers' Association. At Epiphany, Jodi is a member of the choir and the Saint John's Bible ministry team. In her free time, she enjoys playing cello and guitar and attending concerts with friends. She is grateful for this opportunity to learn, grow, and serve Epiphany's vibrant and dynamic community. She prays that this time will enhance her relationship with God and the love-filled people of Epiphany.



**Travis Salisbury** found Epiphany in his spiritual seeking in April 2022 during a powerful evening of praise at Evensong. Thinking it was a one-off experience he found himself back in the pew the following Sunday and pretty much every possible Sunday since. As a recipient of Epiphany's hospitality and welcome, he is engaged in Epiphany's mission as an usher/minister of hospitality, lector, thurifer, eucharistic minister, presider at Evensong, and especially as a host/minister of welcome for Evensong, Travis is a Minnesota-native (raised in Bemidji, first city on the Mississippi River) and moved to Seattle in 2021. He currently serves the Benedictine Sisters of St. Paul's Monastery in Maplewood, MN (working remotely) as their Director of Mission Advancement and Director of their Benedictine Center. He is also an Oblate of this Monastery as of 2015.

## Parish Staff

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The Rev. Doyt L. Conn, Jr.	<i>Rector</i>
Jad Baaklini	<i>Director of Communications</i>
Karen Berry	<i>Parish Administrator</i>
The Rev. Lex Breckinridge	<i>Assisting Priest</i>
Diane Carlisle	<i>Exec. Assistant to the Rector and Director of Worship</i>
Pam Demian	<i>Business Administrator</i>
Amanda Eap	<i>Parish Life Minister</i>
Bryan Fiehler	<i>Audio Visual Minister</i>
John Garlid	<i>Music Administrator</i>
Zachary Hemenway	<i>Director of Music</i>
Dani Lugotoff	<i>Campus Care Manager</i>
Gieth Phou	<i>Sexton</i>
Laura Rodde	<i>Chief of Staff</i>
Laura Sargent	<i>Music Department Coordinator</i>
The Rev. Peter Snow	<i>Assisting Priest</i>
The Rev. Pam Tinsley	<i>Assisting Priest</i>
The Rev. Kate Wesch	<i>Parochial Vicar</i>

## Volunteer Ministry Leaders

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Ann Beck	<i>YWCA Cleanup &amp; Teen Feed</i>
	<i>Chaplain Mirabella</i>
	<i>Discernment</i>
	<i>Altar Guild</i>
	<i>Service &amp; Outreach</i>
	<i>Men's Ministry</i>
	<i>Men's Ministry</i>
	<i>Operation Nightwatch</i>
	<i>Ushers</i>
	<i>Women's Retreat Group</i>
	<i>Tiny Homes</i>
	<i>Women's Retreat Group</i>
	<i>Flower Ministry</i>
	<i>Chaplain Parkshore</i>
	<i>Music at Epiphany</i>
	<i>Tiny Homes &amp; Men's Ministry</i>
	<i>Parkshore Ministry</i>
	<i>Art Guild</i>
	<i>C. S. Lewis Minyan</i>
	<i>Meals Ministry</i>
	<i>All Threads Together</i>
	<i>Grief Ministry</i>

To find out more about all of our ministries go to  
[epiphanyseattle.org/engage](http://epiphanyseattle.org/engage).

## Volunteer Professionals

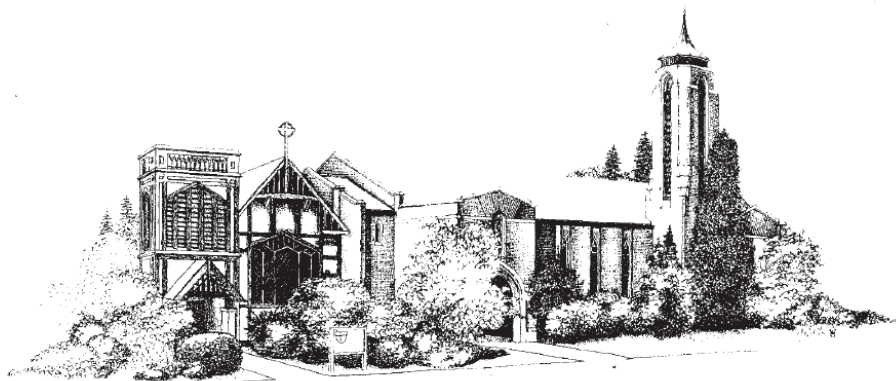
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Bob Barnes	<i>Buildings and Grounds</i>
Bill Forbes	<i>Buildings and Grounds</i>
Camille Hayward	<i>Sunday School</i>
Doug Marshall	<i>Treasurer</i>
Doug Oles	<i>Chancellor</i>
Susan Pitchford	<i>Spiritual Director</i>
Karen Wrang	<i>Sunday School</i>

## Vestry

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Dwayne Shearer - Senior Warden	
Mary Kimball - Junior Warden	
Ron Lee - Member at Large	
Lee Anderson-Brooke	George Brumder
Barbara Cairns	John Cary
Jodi Markus	Barb Marshall
Wendy Sefcik	Lesa Sroufe
Alec Williamson	



Wherever you are on your spiritual journey,  
you have a place at Epiphany.