



ST. CATHERINE'S

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 27, 2019

The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

10:30 am

Welcome to St. Catherine's

We are so glad that you have joined us this morning for worship. If you are new or visiting with us, we invite you to fill out a visitor card, which can be found in the pew rack in front of you. Completed cards may be given to a greeter or a member of the clergy. Following the service, we hope that you will stay and join us for coffee and refreshments downstairs in the Undercroft. For more information about our parish, including a complete schedule of worship services, please visit our website at <https://stcatherinesal.com>.

OUR MISSION

*To seek, love, and serve God through worship, education, and service
and to share the redeeming love of Christ with the world.*

OUR VISION

*St. Catherine's, the Episcopal Church in Chelsea, is a welcoming and
inclusive family called by Christ to receive and share God's love.*

Prepare for Worship

In order to preserve a sense of reverence in the worship space, please take a moment to silence your electronic devices. The time before the service begins offers us a rare moment for quiet prayer and reflection. The liturgy for today's service begins on page 355 in *The Book of Common Prayer* (BCP). Hymns and service music (indicated with an "S" in front of the number) may be found in *The Hymnal 1982*. The lessons from Scripture appointed for the day are located in your Scripture Sheet insert. Children are always welcome in worship at St. Catherine's. However, if your child would be more comfortable outside of the service, childcare is available in our nursery next door.

Prayer before Worship

O Almighty God, who pours out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and of supplication: Deliver us, when we draw near to you, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Receiving Holy Communion

At St. Catherine's, all are welcome at the Lord's Table, including those who have been baptized in other traditions. If you are not receiving Communion today, please feel free to come forward to receive a blessing. You may indicate your preference for a blessing by crossing your arms over your chest. If you would like to learn more about baptism or about following Jesus in the Episcopal tradition, please speak with the priest at the end of the service. If walking or standing is difficult for you, please remain seated, and we will be happy to bring Communion to you in your pew. Simply let the ushers know as they pass by your pew, and they will notify the priest.

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

THE ENTRANCE RITE

The Prelude	<i>Watchman, Tell us of the Night</i>	Martha Sobaje
Welcome and Announcements		
Hymn in Procession	<i>Christ, whose glory fills the skies</i>	Hymn 7
Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity		BCP 355
The Gloria	<i>Glory to God</i>	S 280
The Collect of the Day		Scripture Sheet

All children are invited to follow Ms. Mandi Gonzalez downstairs for Children's Chapel.

THE WORD OF GOD

The First Lesson	<i>Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10</i>	Scripture Sheet
Psalm 19	<i>Caeli enarrant</i>	Setting: Robert Knox Kennedy



- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God, *
and the firmament shows his handiwork.
 - 2 One day tells its tale to another, *
and one night imparts knowledge to another.
 - 3 Although they have no words or language, *
and their voices are not heard,
 - 4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, *
and their message to the ends of the world.
 - 5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; *
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;
it rejoices like a champion to run its course.
 - 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens
and runs about to the end of it again; *
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
 - 7 The law of the Lord is perfect and revives the soul; *
the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.
 - 8 The statutes of the Lord are just and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the Lord is clear and gives light to the eyes.
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- 9 The fear of the Lord is clean and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.
- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? *
cleanse me from my secret faults.
- 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;
let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.
- 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my
heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

The Second Lesson	<i>1 Corinthians 12:12-31a</i>	Scripture Sheet
Sequence Hymn	<i>O Christ, the Word Incarnate</i>	Hymn 632
The Gospel	<i>Luke 4:14-21</i>	Scripture Sheet
The Sermon		The Rev'd Eric N. Mancil
The Nicene Creed		BCP 358
The Prayers of the People		<i>Intercessions for the Christian People</i>
	<i>Intercessor</i> Let us pray to the Lord.	
	<i>People</i> Lord, hear our prayer.	
The Confession of Sin and Absolution		BCP 360
The Peace and Commissioning of Vestry Members		BCP 360

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory Anthem	<i>At the Name of Jesus</i>	James Kirkby
Presentation Hymn	<i>God is love, and where true love is</i>	Hymn 577
The Great Thanksgiving	<i>Eucharistic Prayer B</i>	BCP 367
The Sanctus	<i>Holy, holy, holy</i>	S 128
The Lord's Prayer		BCP 364
The Breaking of the Bread		BCP 364
The Fraction Anthem	<i>Christ our Passover</i>	S 154
Hymns during Communion		
	<i>My God, thy table now is spread</i>	Hymn 321
	<i>Blessed Jesus, at thy word</i>	Hymn 440

The Prayer after Communion	BCP 366
The Seasonal Blessing for Epiphany	
The Dismissal	BCP 366
Hymn in Procession <i>O Zion, haste, thy mission high fulfilling</i>	Hymn 539
The Postlude <i>Entrée</i>	Louis Vierne

After the service, please join us for coffee and refreshments downstairs in the Undercroft.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual Giving Campaign Update

Many thanks to all who have made their pledge to St. Catherine's for the 2019 calendar year. With your support, we will be able to continue the wonderful ministries that we offer to our church and community. As of today, we have received twenty-six pledges for a total of \$90,436 pledged. If you have not yet made your pledge, please do that as soon as possible so that we can finish creating the operating budget for 2019.

Winter Inquirers Class

Our Winter Inquirers Class for newcomers began this morning, but it isn't too late to join. If you or someone you know might be interested in learning more about St. Catherine's and the Episcopal Church, join us next Sunday at 9:15 in the Annex. Nursery care is available, and all are welcome.

St. Catherine's Vestry 2019

Just as a reminder to you, your Vestry members for 2019 are: Jane Keeton (Senior Warden), Brent McLarty (your newly elected Junior Warden), Michelle Landrum, Dee Shirley, Gene McCall, Norm Weed, and Amy Molloy. Vestry members are always available should you need to speak with someone regarding the life and work of the parish.

Praying Parents Gathering

A new prayer group for parents in the Chelsea community is beginning at St. Catherine's on Friday, February 1, at 6:00 pm. The purpose of this group will be to pray for the children of our community. The group will meet downstairs in the Undercroft of the church and is open to all. If you would like more information about this new group, please speak with Kari Nivens.

Cursillo of Alabama

Cursillo is an opportunity to grow in faith and in spirituality. Cursillo in the Diocese of Alabama begins with a three-day weekend at Camp McDowell. During these three days, lay people and clergy share their experiences and perspective on a variety of topics related to the love of God, the Christian life, and Christian community. Through Cursillo, we seek a deeper understanding of the teachings of Jesus and how we can serve Him. We work together to share God's love and encourage each other to persevere in carrying out our Baptismal vows. The next Cursillo will be held February 28 through March 3. If you are interested in learning more, please speak with Gene McCall.

Parish Prayer List

If you would like to place someone on the Parish Prayer List, including yourself, please contact the Parish Office. Names will be included in the weekly service bulletin and the weekly newsletter.

THIS WEEK AT ST. CATHERINE'S

Sunday, January 27

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

- 8:00 am Folk Mass
- 9:15 am Winter Inquirers Class* (Annex)
- 9:15 am Children's Sunday School* (Undercroft)
- 9:15 am Choir Rehearsal* (Choir Room)
- 10:30 am Holy Eucharist: Rite II with Children's Chapel*

Morning Prayer is said in the Nave each morning, Tuesday through Friday, at 8:30 am.

Tuesday, January 29

- 9:00 am Coffee with the Rector

Wednesday, January 30

- 11:00 am Adult Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Evening Prayer: Rite II

Friday, February 1

- 6:00 pm Praying Parents Gathering (Undercroft)

Saturday, February 2

The Presentation of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Temple

9:00 am Men's Breakfast

10:00 am Acolyte Training

* Nursery care available in the nursery.

PRAYER REQUESTS

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer

We pray for The Most Rev'd Naudal Alves Gomes and the Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

We pray for our Companion Diocese of the Virgin Islands and its bishop, Ambrose; Good Samaritan Health Clinic, Cullman; Community Free Clinic of Morgan County, Decatur; and St. Michael's Community Service Center, Anniston.

In our Parish

We pray for the special needs and concerns of this congregation and for all who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially: Thelma Agee, Beth Booth, Linda Cannon, Tom Chambless, Linda Lloyd, Martha Merrill, Dana Moore, Derene Seal, Virginia Underwood, Lester Vedros, and Lucille Webster.

We give thanks for all of God's many blessings, especially for those celebrating birthdays this week: Eric Mancil.

MINISTERS IN THE LITURGY

<i>Celebrant</i>	The Rev'd Eric N. Mancil
<i>VPD</i>	Michelle Landrum
<i>Counters</i>	Michelle Landrum and Dee Shirley
<i>LEM</i>	Sylvia Rath
<i>Lector</i>	Phillip Dewitt
<i>Intercessor</i>	Gene McCall
<i>Greeters</i>	Norm and Gini Weed
<i>Crucifer</i>	Connor Douglas
<i>Torchbearers</i>	Sophie Mancil and Kylie Douglas
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Wanda Wheeler



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CLERGY & STAFF

The Rt. Rev'd John McKee Sloan, <i>Bishop of Alabama</i>	Julie Seal, <i>Parish Administrative Assistant</i>
The Rev'd Eric N. Mancil, <i>Rector</i>	Matthew West, <i>Organist/Choirmaster</i>
The Rev'd Maggie Taylor, <i>Priest Affiliate</i>	Mandi Gonzalez, <i>Director of Children's Ministries</i>
The Rev'd Dn. Clyde Pearce, <i>Deacon</i>	Amanda Seal, <i>Nursery Coordinator</i>

VESTRY & OFFICERS

Jane Keeton (2019), <i>Senior Warden</i>	Gene McCall (2021)
Brent McLarty (2020), <i>Junior Warden</i>	Amy Molloy (2021)
Michelle Landrum (2019)	Norm Weed (2021)
Dee Shirley (2020)	Ann Watts, <i>Clerk of the Vestry</i>