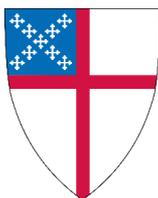


ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL  
CHURCH  
TROY, AL



JANUARY 16, 2022  
SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

The Rt. Rev. J. Russell Kendrick –  
Bishop of the Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast  
The Rev. Michael Schwarte, Priest  
Dr. John Jinright – Organist  
Dr. Catherine Allard – Choir Director



*We prepare for the service in silence.*

*Prelude*

*"Prelude"*

*Lully*

*Processional Hymn (stand)*

*Hymn #371*

*"Thou, whose almighty word"*

*Opening Sentences*

*BCP, p. 355*

*Gloria*

*S-280*

### **The Collect**

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.

### **Old Testament**

**(sit)**

**Isaiah 62:1-5**

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,  
and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,  
until her vindication shines out like the dawn,  
and her salvation like a burning torch.

The nations shall see your vindication,  
and all the kings your glory;

and you shall be called by a new name  
that the mouth of the LORD will give.

You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD,  
and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

You shall no more be termed Forsaken,  
and your land shall no more be termed Desolate;

but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her,  
and your land Married;

for the LORD delights in you,  
and your land shall be married.  
For as a young man marries a young woman,  
so shall your builder marry you,  
and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,  
so shall your God rejoice over you.

*Psalm 36:5-10*                      (*stand and sing*)                      *Dixit injustus*

- 5 Your love, O LORD, reaches to the heavens, \*  
and your faithfulness to the clouds.
- 6 Your righteousness is like the strong mountains,  
your justice like the great deep; \*  
you save both man and beast, O LORD.
- 7 How priceless is your love, O God! \*  
your people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.
- 8 They feast upon the abundance of your house; \*  
you give them drink from the river of your delights.
- 9 For with you is the well of life, \*  
and in your light we see light.
- 10 Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you, \*  
and your favor to those who are true of heart.

**The New Testament**                      (*sit*)                      **I 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



The Nicene Creed	( <i>stand</i> )	BCP, p. 358
Prayers of the People - Form III		BCP, p. 387
Confession of Sin	( <i>kneel</i> )	BCP, p. 360
Peace	( <i>stand</i> )	
Announcements	( <i>sit</i> )	

*Offertory*

*Doxology* (stand) *Hymn #380, v. 3*  
*“Praise God, from whom all blessings flow”*

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving		BCP, p 361
Eucharistic Prayer A	(stand)	
<i>Sanctus</i>		<i>S-130</i>
	<i>“Holy, holy, holy Lord”</i>	
Consecration		BCP, p. 362
Lord’s Prayer		BCP, p 364
Breaking of the Bread		BCP, p 364
<i>Fraction Anthem</i>		<i>S-154</i>
	<i>“Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us”</i>	
	<i>Gluten-free wafers are available for communion. Please let the priest know when you come forward to receive.</i>	
<i>Communion Hymns</i>		
<i>“My God, thy table now is spread”</i>		<i>Hymn #321</i>
<i>“Where true charity and love dwell”</i>		<i>Hymn #606</i>

*The Blessing*

*Closing Hymn*

*(stand)*

*Hymn #632*

*“O Christ, the Word Incarnate”*

The Dismissal

*Postlude*

*“Thanks Be To Thee”*

*Handel*

The flowers on the Altar are in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Winton Davis and Mr. & Mrs. James C. Strickland by Tom and Deb Davis

**First time worshiping at St. Mark’s?**

Please make yourself known by signing the guest registry at the back of the church and by filling out a visitor card and giving it to one of the ushers. We’d like to hear from you!

A restroom is located through the door next to the piano at the front of the church. The nursery is available during church service hours for infants through age 4.

**Serving Today**

Celebrant	The Rev. Michael Schwarte
Crucifer	Elizabeth Dawson
Torch Bearers	Addison Armstrong, Josephine Dawson
First Reading	Kerry Palmer
Second Reading	John Jinright
Prayers	Curt Porter
Ushers	Caleb Dawson, Judy Dye
Altar Guild	Judy Dye, Claire Taylor, Kathy Omasta
Nursery	Ying, Joy, Olivia Schwarte Abbey Knight

Sunday Jan. 16, 2022	9:30 am 10:30 am	Christian Education Holy Eucharist, Rite II
Wednesday Jan. 19, 2022	12:10 pm	Holy Eucharist, Rite II

**Food Pantry:** St. Mark’s provides supplemental food to the community from three locations:

- Seabury House, Monday - Thursday, 9:00 - 12:00
- Charles Henderson Child Health Clinic, 1300 US 231
- Boys and Girls Club, Colley Senior Complex, 715 E Elm St.

**Jail Ministry:** We continue serving the inmates and staff by sending cards each month to let them know that we are thinking about them, and that they remain in our prayers. For information on how you can participate in this ministry, please call Judy Dye (334-268-8824).

**Serving Jan. 23**

Celebrant	The Rev. Michael Schwarte
Crucifer	Jean Shepherd
Torch Bearers	David Dawson, Mary Alice Medeiros
First Reading	Joyce Landers
Second Reading	Diane Porter
Prayers	Joanna Taylor
Ushers	Randy Bryant, Jordan Medeiros
Altar Guild	Deb Davis, Jessica Pollack, Michelle Armstrong
Nursery	Abbey Knight, Jean Orendorff

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St. Mark's Vestry

Class of 2022: Caleb Dawson; Judy Dye; Diane Porter, Treasurer.

Class of 2022: Jordan Medeiros; Kathy Omasta; Joanna Taylor, Clerk.

Class of 2023: Sharon Denison, Karl Pollack, Donna Schubert

St. Mark's Episcopal Church welcomes all. It is our pleasure to have you join us today. We joyfully gather to pray, worship, learn, and serve as we seek to follow Jesus. We welcome seekers and doubters and invite all people on a journey of hope and transformation. Embracing the example of Jesus, our welcome knows no boundaries.