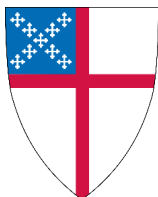


ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL
CHURCH
TROY, AL



JUNE 6, 2021
THE SECOND SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST

The Rt. Rev. J. Russell Kendrick –
Bishop of the Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast
Dr. John Jinright – Organist
Dr. Catherine Allard – Choir Director
The Rev. Keith Talbert – Officiant



We prepare for the service in silence.

Prelude

Dubois

“Fanfare”

Processional Hymn (stand)

Hymn #569

“God the Omnipotent! King who ordainest”

Opening Sentences

BCP, p. 355

Gloria

“Glory to God in the highest”

S-280

The Collect

O God, from whom all good proceeds: Grant that by your inspiration we may think those things that are right, and by your merciful guiding may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

First Lesson

(sit)

Genesis 3:8-15

They heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden at the time of the evening breeze, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. But the LORD God called to the man, and said to him, “Where are you?” He said, “I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.” He said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?” The man said, “The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit from the tree, and I ate.” Then the LORD God said to

the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent tricked me, and I ate." The LORD God said to the serpent,

"Because you have done this,
cursed are you among all animals
and among all wild creatures;
upon your belly you shall go,
and dust you shall eat
all the days of your life.

I will put enmity between you and the woman,
and between your offspring and hers;
he will strike your head,
and you will strike his heel."

Psalm 130

De profundis

1 Out of the depths have I called to you, O LORD;
LORD, hear my voice; *
let your ears consider well the voice of my
supplication.

2 If you, LORD, were to note what is done amiss, *
O Lord, who could stand?

3 For there is forgiveness with you; *
therefore you shall be feared.

4 I wait for the LORD; my soul waits for him; *
in his word is my hope.

5 My soul waits for the LORD,
more than watchmen for the morning, *
more than watchmen for the morning.

6 O Israel, wait for the LORD, *
for with the LORD there is mercy;

7 With him there is plenteous redemption, *
and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

The Epistle

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—"I believed, and so I spoke" — we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Sequence Hymn

(stand)

Hymn #620

"Jerusalem, my happy home"

The Holy Gospel

Mark 3:20-35

The crowd came together again, so that Jesus and his disciples could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, "He has gone out of his mind." And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, "He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons." And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is

divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.

“Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”— for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.”

Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.” And he replied, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” And looking at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”

The Sermon	<i>(sit)</i>	
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>	
<i>Doxology</i>	<i>(stand)</i>	<i>Hymn 380, v3</i> <i>“Praise God from whom all blessings flow”</i>

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Eucharistic Prayer C (stand) BCP, p. 369

Sanctus S-129

“Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might”

Consecration BCP, p. 362

Fraction Anthem S-167

“The disciples knew the Lord Jesus”

Communion Hymns

“It Is Well with My Soul” LEVAS II Hymn #188

“When We All Get to Heaven” LEVAS II Hymn #20

Post Communion Prayer (kneel) BCP, p. 366

Closing Hymn (stand) Hymn #594

“God of grace and God of glory”

The Dismissal

Postlude

Laurriu

“Toccato”

Flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and with thanksgiving for being able to see faces again!

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.

First time worshipping 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 give 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.

Nursery

- Available during church service hours for infants through age 4.

Serving Today

Celebrant	The Rev. Keith Talbert
LEM	Joanna Taylor
Crucifer	Cheryl Purvis
Torch Bearers	Addison Armstrong, Sarah Taylor
First Reading	Joyce Landers
Second Reading	Curt Porter
Prayers	John Jinright
Ushers	Diane Porter, Gene Omasta
Altar Guild	Judy Dye, Jean Orendorff
Nursery	Jean Orendorff, Judy Dye
Refreshments	Penelope and Dan Dawson

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

- Seabury House, Monday-Thursday, 9:00–12:00.
- The Charles Henderson Child Health Clinic, at 1300 US-231.
- Boys & Girls’Club, Colley Senior Complex, 715 East Elm St., 1st Floor.

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.

Week of June 7, 2021

Saturday June 12, 2021	9:00 am - 1:00 pm	2 nd Covid Shot Clinic, OCAP
Sunday June 13, 2021	9:30 am 10:30 am	Holy Eucharist, Rite II Refreshments in the Parish Hall

Serving June 13th

Celebrant	The Rev. Keith Talbert
Crucifer	Jean Shepherd
LEM	Natalie Bryant
Torch Bearers	David Dawson, Mary Alice Medeiros
First Reading	Earl Ingram
Second Reading	Natalie Bryant
Prayers	Judy Dye
Ushers	Sandy Gregoire, Bob Mills
Altar Guild	Deb Davis, Jessica Pollack
Nursery	Becky Ingram
Refreshments	Teri and Joel Williams

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St. Mark's Vestry

Class of 2020: Ann Hart, Jean Orendorff, Suzanne Price.

Class of 2021: Judy Dye, Senior Warden, Natalie Bryant, Junior Warden, Adam Blackstock.

Class of 2022: Kathy Omasta, Jorday Mederios, Joanna Taylor, Clerk.
Diane Porter, Treasurer.