

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany February 13, 2022

Please note, everyone in church (except age two and under) must wear a mask covering the nose and mouth. We are livestreaming the 10am service.

Prelude Trumpet Voluntary

John Bennett (1735-1784)

Processional Hymn 296 "We know that Christ is raised and dies no more"

Engelberg

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

Celebrant

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

People

And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

Collect for Purity

BCP p. 355

S 236 Benedictus es, Domine (front section of hymnal)

John Rutter (b. 1945)

Collect of the Day

Celebrant

Together we pray.

People

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our weakness we can do nothing good without you, give us the help of your grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and

ever. Amen.

First Lesson: Jeremiah 17:5-10

Thus says the Lord: Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength, whose hearts turn away

from the Lord. They shall be like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see when relief comes. They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land. Blessed are those who trust in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord. They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought it is not anxious, and

it does not cease to bear fruit. The heart is devious above all else; it is perverse—who can understand it? I the Lord test the mind and search the heart, to give to all according to their ways, according to the fruit of their doings.

Reader

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 1

David Hurd (after Gibbons)

The congregation is encouraged to sing the psalm.



- 1 Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, *
 nor lingered in the way of sinners,
 nor sat in the seats of the scornful!
- 2 Their delight is in the law of the LORD, * and they meditate on his law day and night.
- 3 They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; *
 everything they do shall prosper.
- 4 It is not so with the wicked; *
 they are like chaff which the wind blows a way.
- 5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when 'judgment' comes, * nor the sinner in the 'council' of the 'righteous.
- 6 For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, *
 but the way of the wicked is doomed.

Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation has been in vain and your faith has been in vain. We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ--whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 656 "Blest are the pure in heart"

Franconia

Gospel: Luke 6:17-26

Clergy The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus came down with the twelve apostles and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them. Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. "Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. "Blessed are you who weep now, for you

will laugh. "Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets." "But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. "Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. "Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets."

Clergy The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon Rev. Mia Kano

Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

Prayers of the People

After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy. The People reply, Hear our prayer.

Confession of Sin BCP p. 360

Peace

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Anthem Swing low, sweet chariot

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Refrain

Swing low, sweet chariot, Coming for to carry me home. Swing low, sweet chariot, Coming for to carry me home.

I looked over Jordan, and what did I see, Coming for to carry me home. A band of angels coming after me, Coming for to carry me home. Oh, [Refrain]

If you get there before I do,
Coming for to carry me home.
Tell all my friends I'm coming too,
Coming for to carry me home. Oh,
[Refrain]

The brightest day that ever I saw
Coming for to carry me home.
When Jesus washed my sins away,
Coming for to carry me home. Oh,
[Refrain]

African American Spiritual

I'm sometimes up and sometimes down, Coming for to carry me home. But still my soul feels heav'nly bound, Coming for to carry me home. Oh, [Refrain]

Doxology Hymn 380 v 3 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow"

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Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP p. 367

S130 Sanctus (front section of hymnal)

Franz Peter Schubert

Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

S 164 Fraction Anthem (front section of hymnal)

Franz Peter Schubert

All are welcome to receive communion. Ushers will direct the congregation. You have the choice of receiving a wafer or a packaged container of bread and wine. Gluten-free wafers are available.

Communion Anthem Blest are the pure in heart

H. Walford Davies (1869-1941)

Blest are the pure in heart, for they shall see our God:

the secret of the Lord is theirs, their soul is Christ's abode.

Still to the lowly soul he doth himself impart, and for his cradle and his throne chooseth the pure in heart.

Communion Hymn 440 "Blessed Jesus, at thy word"

Liebster Jesu

Thanksgiving after Communion

BCP p. 365

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 544 "Jesus shall reign where e'er the sun"

Duke Street

Dismissal

Clergy Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude In dir ist Freude

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

We welcome and thank our guest organist this week, Jennifer Velázquez.

Join us for coffee hour in the parish hall today!





If this is your first time at St. Andrew's — Welcome!

We're glad you found us. Please use this QR code to fill out a *seeker information form* so that our clergy and members of our congregation can welcome you and help you get engaged with our church.

In-person Services and COVID-19

Following the diocesan guidelines, these are the protocols that we will observe to keep all of us safe. (These protocols may change.)

- People will be asked to sit six feet apart from people not in their "bubble."
- Everyone in church must wear a mask covering the nose and mouth (except age two and under) and remain masked to sing. Clergy and readers unmask for speaking.
- There will be separate hymnals and prayer books for each service.



Serving St. Andrew's this week

Altar Guild D.D. Alexander, Adele Beggs, Judith Boland, Jean Childs, Zebby Dubé, Erica Gelser, Karen McAdams, Heather Schaefer, and Cynthia Scott

Serving at 8am

Lay Eucharistic Minister Nancy Echlov

Serving at 10am

Broadcast Tech Volunteer Lynda Sperry
Lay Eucharistic Ministers Ann Johnson and Meg Harris
Lay Readers Madison Riley and Margaret Zusky

Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Parishes of the Cape & Islands Deanery
St. Mary's Church, Barnstable
St. Peter's-on-the-Canal, Buzzards Bay
St. Christopher's Church, Chatham
St. Andrew's Church, Edgartown
Union of Black Episcopalians



Notices & Announcements

Note: all staff email addresses are on the second to last page. Deadline for materials is noon on Tuesdays for both the bulletin and the e-Pistle.

Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall

We are resuming a simplified coffee hour starting today, February 13. Please join us.

It's Super Souper Bowl Sunday!

What will you serve your team? Beef stew, chili, lentil, or mushroom soup? When you are shopping, please put a few extras in your cart for the Wellesley Food pantry and St. Stephen's. In addition to the hearty ideas above, low sodium chicken broth is a great pantry staple. Please put your super soups in the big tub at the back of the church.

9am Christian Learning

Join us today, February 13 for Refugee Resettlement Ministry at Temple Beth Elohim with guest speaker Debbie Gotbetter, member of the Refugee Resettlement Team at the Temple. Since 2016, Debbie has been actively engaged with Refugee Resettlement as TBE's volunteer coordinator, welcoming several families from Syria and Afghanistan to our area. Join us in the parish hall or use this Zoom Link, the passcode for Zoom is "StAndrews"; we are hybrid in format. Next Sunday, February 20, join us for Science Increasingly Makes the Case for God, the first of three classes where we focus on religion and science. The one-page article, Science

Increasing Makes the Case for God, a Wall Street Journal article, can be found on our adult formation web page. We will read it and discuss it together. Everyone is Welcome.

Refugee Resettlement Efforts Visit to Church School & Rite-13

Deb Gotbetter from Temple Beth Elohim will be our special guest to upper church school and Rite-13 on **today**, **February 13**. She'll be talking about how supporting the Refugee Resettlement Efforts is an expression of Jewish and Christian faith!

Buy our Lenten Book: Gifts of the Jews

We would like to deepen our appreciation of the Jewishness of Jesus and get a better understanding of how Judaism continues to impact our Western world. Join us on four Sundays in Lent to read and reflect upon *The Gifts of the Jews: How a Tribe of Nomads Changed the Way Everyone Thinks* by Thomas Cahill. Email Margaret to buy your copy at a discount (\$16.95). Make out your check to "St. Andrew's" and put "Lenten book" In the memo and mail to Margaret. Pick your book up at Wellesley Books after she confirms your order with an email back to you.

—Rev. Margaret Schwarzer

Youth and Scout Sunday, March 27

Children and youth will lead our service on **Sunday, March 27.** Each age will have a special role to play! Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are invited to attend in uniform.

Pledge Envelopes

If you ordered pledge envelopes, they are available at the back of the church. If you think you requested a box but don't see one, please reach out to me and I'll get a set to you. —Joanne Butler

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Youth Formation Coryell Urban

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- In an emergency, please contact Adrian on his cell phone: 603/831-4938.
- The clergy are available to assist you if you email or call them if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited.
- Please let us know of names that should be added to our prayer list.

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Weekly Calendar

• The **Holy Eucharist** is currently celebrated on **Sundays at 8am and 10am** (*also online*); **Morning Prayer** online is also offered weekdays **at 8:30am** on our website, our YouTube Channel (*use the QR code for a link to our YouTube channel to watch the recording after the service*), or on Facebook, unless otherwise noted.



- Senior Choir rehearsal is on Thursdays at 7:30pm.
- Parish Office hours are Monday through Thursday, 9am to 5pm, and Friday, 9am to 12pm. Staff is continuing to work some hours remotely.
- **12-Step Programs** Men's AA, Wednesdays, 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays, 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30am.

Sunday, February 13

9am Christian Learning9am Senior Choir9:15am Junior Choir9:45am Church School & Rite-1311am Coffee Hour

Tuesday, February 15

10am Pastoral Care Team Meeting

Thursday, February 17

11am North Hill Holy Eucharist

Sunday, February 20

9am Christian Learning9am Senior Choir9:15am Junior Choir9:45am Church School & Rite-1311am Coffee Hour

Monday, February 21

Parish Office Closed

