

# ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*St. Andrew's is dedicated to supporting your spiritual life. Spirituality is how we are in relationship to God, to other people, to the world around us, and to ourselves.* 

# The Transfiguration

## August 6, 2023

We are livestreaming the 10am service.

Prelude

Processional Hymn 129 "Christ upon the mountain peak"

Mowsley

## 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 for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity

S 278 Gloria in excelsis (front section of hymnal)

BCP p. 355

William Mathias (1934-1992)

Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* Together we pray.

PeopleO God, who on the holy mount revealed to chosen witnesses your well-be-<br/>loved Son, wonderfully transfigured, in raiment white and glistening: Mer-<br/>cifully grant that we, being delivered from the disquietude of this world,<br/>may by faith behold the King in his beauty; who with you, O Father, and<br/>you, O Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson: Exodus 34:29-35

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the

Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Reader	The Word of the Lord
People	Thanks be to God.

Psalm 99:5-9

- 5 Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before his footstool; \* he is the Holy One.
- 6 Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, \* they called upon the Lord, and he answered them.
- 7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; \* they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.
- 8 O Lord our God, you answered them indeed; \* you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds.
- 9 Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and worship him upon his holy hill; \* for the Lord our God is the Holy One.

#### Second Lesson: 2 Peter 1:13-21

I think it right, as long as I am in this body, to refresh your memory, since I know that my death will come soon, as indeed our Lord Jesus Christ has made clear to me. And I will make every effort so that after my departure you may be able at any time to recall these things. For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Gradual Hymn 7 "Christ who's glory fills the skies"

Ratisbon

Gospel: Luke 9:28-36

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

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were

Clergy	The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Nicene Creed

Prayers of the People

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

leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah" — not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

> Rev. Sarah Robbins-Cole BCP p. 358

Confession of Sin		BCP p. 360		
Peace				
Announce	ments			
The Holy Communion				
Presentatio	on of Bread and Wine			
Offertory Hymn 593 "Dear Lord and Father of mankind" Rep				
Doxology Hymn 380 v3 "Praise God from whom all blessings flow" Old 100 <sup>th</sup>				
Eucharistic Prayer C BCP p. 369				
S125 Sanctus (front section of hymnal)		Richard Proulx (1937-2010)		
Breaking of the Bread				
Celebrant	Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.			
People	Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.			
	All are welcome to receive communion. Ushers wil	l direct the congregation.		
Thanksgiving after CommunionBCP p.		BCP p. 365		
Blessing				
Recessional Hymn 594 "God of grace and God of glory"		Cwm Rhonda		
Dismissal				
Clergy	Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.			

*People* Thanks be to God.

Postlude

### Please join us for refreshments in the courtyard.



## **Icon of the Week**

St. Christopher

See the e-Pistle for the text.





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

We are happy 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.



Serving at 8am Lay Eucharistic Minister Nancy Echlov

### Serving at 10am

Broadcast Tech Volunteer Rob Brandt Lay Eucharistic Ministers Adams Carroll and Margaret Zusky Readers Michael Vanin and Margaret Zusky

### We also thank the ushers, altar guild members, and flower guild members who are serving during the summer.

#### Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Parishes of the Neponset River Deanery Trinity Church, Canton Church of the Good Shepherd, Dedham St. Paul's Church, Dedham Parish of All Saints, Dorchester

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# Weekly Calendar

• The **Holy Eucharist** is celebrated on **Sundays at 8am, and 10am** which is broadcast on our website, our YouTube Channel (*use the QR code for a link to our YouTube channel*), and on Facebook.



- **The 5pm Sunday service** is suspended for the summer and will resume on Sunday, September 10. **The online Morning Prayer** series is also on summer holiday until Tuesday, September 5.
- For August, the parish office hours are Monday through Friday, 9am to noon, unless otherwise noted or announced. Tuesday at noon is the deadline for all materials for the following Sunday.
- **12-Step Programs** Men's AA, Wednesdays at 8pm; Women's AA, Thursdays at 7pm; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays at 9:30am; Sober Sisters AA, Saturdays at 10:30am.

**Sunday, August 6** 11am Refreshments on the Patio Sunday, August 13 11am Refreshments on the Patio





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