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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Sunday, January 18, 2026
10:00 a.m. – Rite II

The Right Reverend Peter Eaton - Bishop

The Reverend Cori Olson - Rector

The Reverend Sonley Joseph - Priest

The Reverend Bob Sullivan & The Reverend April Alford-Harkey - Deacons

Chuck Jackson– Eucharist Ministry & Reader, Alison Albury – Reader

Kelly Boudle & Mary Jones – Ushers

Lissie Bartlett – AV Board

Steve Ragsdale – Vestry Person

Mary Nelson, Organist

James Balmer, Choir Director

Choir: Lucretia Alexandru, Ron Bukley, Chuck Clarke, Linda Crisman, Jon Flath, Alicia Longwell, Debra McNerney, Twig Morris, Jean-Claude Sanon, John Shepherd, Carol Sink, Kathi Smith, Linda Sullivan, Sandy Wertz

Coffee Hour – Roxie Roberts, HaverDe Hill, Barbara DeClerque,
Scott Brown, Joey Lopez, Danny Maxwell

*** The flowers on the altar are given by Kelly Kollar-Dye
in honor of the birthday of Catherine Kollar-Dye ***

Prelude – “Give Me Jesus” – African American Spiritual Arr. Marques L.A. Garrett

WELCOME

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Processional Hymn: “Songs of Thankfulness and Praise” Hymn #135

- 1. Songs of thankfulness and praise, Jesus, Lord, to thee we raise, manifested by the star to the sages from afar; branch of royal David's stem in thy birth at Bethlehem; anthem be to thee addressed, God in man made manifest.**
- 2. Manifest at Jordan's stream, Prophet, Priest, and King supreme; and at Cana, wedding guest, in thy Godhead manifest; manifest in power divine, changing water into wine; anthems be to thee addressed, God in man made manifest.**
- 3. Manifest in making whole palsied limbs and fainting soul; manifest in valiant fight, quelling all the devil's might; manifest in gracious will, ever bringing good from ill; anthems be to thee addressed, God in man made manifest.**
- 4. Manifest on mountain height, shining in resplendent light, where disciples filled with awe thy transfigured glory saw. When from there thou leddest them steadfast to Jerusalem, cross and Easter Day attest God in man made manifest.**

Acclamation

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

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD.

In unison

ALMIGHTY GOD, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen

Gloria:Hymn #S280

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father, Amen.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you,**

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

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.**

The Lessons

A Reading from the Book of Isaiah 49:1-7

Listen to me, O coastlands, pay attention, you peoples from far away! The LORD called me before I was born, while I was in my mother's womb he named me. He made my mouth like a sharp sword, in the shadow of his hand he hid me; he made me a polished arrow, in his quiver he hid me away. And he said to me, "You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified." But I said, "I have labored in vain, I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity; yet surely my cause is with the LORD, and my reward with my God." And now the LORD says, who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, and that Israel might be gathered to him, for I am honored in the sight of the LORD, and my God has become my strength--he says, "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the survivors of Israel; I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth." Thus says the LORD, the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One, to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nations, the slave of rulers, "Kings shall see and stand up, princes, and they shall prostrate themselves, because of the LORD, who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

Reader Here ends the lesson

Psalm 40:1-12 - *Expectans, expectavi*

- 1 I waited patiently upon the LORD; *
he stooped to me and heard my cry.
- 2 He lifted me out of the desolate pit, out of the mire and clay; *
he set my feet upon a high cliff and made my footing sure.
- 3 He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God; *
many shall see, and stand in awe, and put their trust in the LORD.
- 4 Happy are they who trust in the LORD! *
they do not resort to evil spirits or turn to false gods.
- 5 Great things are they that you have done, O LORD my God!
how great your wonders and your plans for us! *
there is none who can be compared with you.
- 6 Oh, that I could make them known and tell them! *
but they are more than I can count.
- 7 In sacrifice and offering you take no pleasure *
(you have given me ears to hear you);

8 Burnt-offering and sin-offering you have not required, *

and so I said, "Behold, I come.

9 In the roll of the book it is written concerning me: *

'I love to do your will, O my God; your law is deep in my heart.'"

10 I proclaimed righteousness in the great congregation; *

behold, I did not restrain my lips; and that, O LORD, you know.

11 Your righteousness have I not hidden in my heart;

I have spoken of your faithfulness and your deliverance; *

I have not concealed your love and faithfulness from the great congregation.

12 You are the LORD; do not withhold your compassion from me; *

let your love and your faithfulness keep me safe for ever.

A Reading from 1 Corinthians 1:1-9

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and our brother Sosthenes, To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind-- just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you-- so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Gospel

Gradual Hymn: "Blessed Jesus, At Thy Word" (vs. 1 & 2)..... Hymn #440

1. Blessed Jesus, at thy word we are gathered all to hear thee; let our hearts and souls be stirred now to seek and love and fear thee; by thy teachings pure and holy, drawn from earth to love thee solely.

2. All our knowledge, sense, and sight lie in deepest darkness shrouded, till thy Spirit breaks our night with the beams of truth unclouded; thou alone to God canst win us; thou must work all good within us.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

John 1:29-42

John saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel." And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God." The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, "Look, here is the Lamb of God!" The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" (which translated means Teacher), "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas" (which is translated Peter).

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you Lord Christ

3. Gracious Lord, thyself impart! Light of Light, from God proceeding, open thou our ears and heart, help us by thy Spirit's pleading. Hear the cry thy Church upraises; hear, and bless our prayers and praises.

The Sermon

Reverend Cori Olson

The Nicene Creed.....BCP Pg. 358

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People – Form III BCP Pg. #387

Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Please remember in your prayers: Jason, Joan, Christine, Donna, Peter, Blake, Lester & Ronnie, Susan, Janet, Dave E., Jose, Candace, Joyce, Brian, Linda C., Roger, Tom, Laura & Danny, John, Tim, Ronna, Katherine, Lura, Phil, Dave F., Nora, David G. Ron, Eric, Jamie, Linda S. & Michael S., Debby, Jane, Glad, David H., Don, Nick, Deacon April, Deacon Bob. Please pray also for our companion Dioceses: Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Madagascar & Toliare.

In joy, we lift up today Terrie Frame and Peggy Small as they prepare to be admitted into the Order of the Daughters of the King.

Celebrant says a concluding collect

The Deacon or Celebrant says kneeling or standing

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Peace

Stewardship Message..... MaryLu Wells

Thank off-going Vestry members

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence

Offertory Anthem: "Total Praise" Richard Smallwood

Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above the heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

The Great Thanksgiving BCP Pg. #367

The people remain standing. The Celebrant faces them and says:

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts,

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Because you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant & People

Sanctus..... Hymnal #S130

**Holy, holy, holy Lord God of power and might, Holy, holy, holy Lord God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full, full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the
highest.**

The people stand or kneel

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in the last days, you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory.**

Celebrant

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Mary, Joseph, Andrew and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons

and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing, (music is in the front of the hymnal)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

The Breaking of the Bread – silence is kept

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

Agnus Dei: Hymnal #S164

Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world: give us your peace, give us your peace.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Communion Hymn: "We Shall Overcome" Hymn #L227

**1. We shall overcome, we shall overcome, we shall overcome some day;
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe, we shall overcome some day.**

**2. We'll walk hand in hand, we'll walk hand in hand, we'll walk hand in hand today;
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe, we'll walk hand in hand today.**

**3. God is on our side, God is on our side, God is on our side today;
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe, God is on our side today.**

**4. We are not afraid, we are not afraid, we are not afraid today;
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe, we are not afraid today.**

**5. We shall live in peace, we shall live in peace, we shall live in peace someday;
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe, we shall live in peace some day.**

Chant: ***My peace I leave you, my peace I give you: Trouble not your heart.
My peace I leave you, my peace I give you: Be not afraid.***

Hymn "Day By Day" Hymn #654

**Day by day, dear Lord, of these three things I pray: to see thee more clearly
to love thee more dearly, follow thee more nearly, day by day.**

Post Communion Prayer

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn: "God of Grace and God of Glory" Hymn #594

- 1. God of grace and God of glory, on thy people pour thy power;
crown thine ancient Church's story; bring her bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.**
- 2. Lo! the hosts of evil round us scorn thy Christ, assail his ways!
From the fears that long have bound us free our hearts to faith and praise:
grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the living of these days, for the living of these days.**
- 3. Cure thy children's warring madness, bend our pride to thy control;
shame our wanton, selfish gladness, rich in things and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, lest we miss thy kingdom's goal,
lest we miss thy kingdom's goal.**
- 4. Save us from weak resignation to the evils we deplore; let the gift of thy salvation
be our glory evermore.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, serving thee whom we adore, serving thee whom we adore.**

Dismissal

Postlude: "For He Is King of Kings!" U.S. Slave Song Arr. William Farley Smith

Announcements

****If you would like personal prayer, Deacon Bob and the Daughters of the King
will be available to pray with you near the altar after the service.**

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL Rev. Cori at 561-788-5125

- CHOIR PRACTICE IS ON THURSDAY, AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE SANCTUARY. Please see James or Mary if interested.

- **THE ANNUAL MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE TODAY, JANUARY 18TH**, after the 10:00 AM service. Please join us as we review our year and plan for 2026!
- **BOOK CLUB** – Our next book is The Correspondent by Virginia Evans. Join us Monday, January 19th, at noon to share a meal and discuss the book that promises to be a grand adventure!
- **NEWSLETTER DEADLINE** for the January “Tidings” is Friday, January 23, 2026.
- **JANUARY 25TH, JOIN US** for the admission service for the two new Daughters of the King. This is also St. Andrew’s 112th anniversary.
- **PLEDGE CARDS WILL BE BLESSED** at all services on Sunday, January 25th
- **FRIDAY, JANUARY 30TH AT 6:00 PM**, join us in the parish hall for GAME NIGHT, details to follow.
- **SATURDAY, JANUARY 31ST AT 4:30 PM**, join us for Rev. Cori’s Walk in the Way of Love service. We will be blessing candles for Candlemas.
- **MARK YOUR CALENDAR – SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH**, there will be a concert given by the “Camerata di Magdalena” Baroque Youth Orchestra in our sanctuary. Details to follow.
- **OUR CARE COMMITTEE** wants to offer help and assistance to our fellow parishioners in times of need. So, if you or someone you know is in need of prayers, visits or other assistance, we encourage you to contact us by email at care@standrewslwb.org or by calling Brian McDonnell at 561.339.0147 or Alison Albury at 315.681.8867 to arrange assistance.
- **Christian Education Opportunities** Bible Study with Deacon Bob on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. also, with Rev. Cori on Wednesdays immediately following the 10:00 a.m. service and at 6:00 p.m., via Zoom. resuming January 7th. **We will be studying the Book of Matthew.** **Mon-Fri:** Join Rev. Cori for Morning Prayer at 7:30 a.m. live on Facebook.
- The Daughters of the King meet the first Sunday of every month following the service. Prayer request cards and the travel-size toiletry donation basket are in the Narthex.

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Visitors

We welcome you and thank you for your presence at St. Andrew's.
We have informational booklets on the table at the entry to the Sanctuary
that will help you become more familiar with our Parish.
Please know that all are welcome for communion at God's table.

Rest Rooms

Bathrooms are located through the white double doors on the left of the Sanctuary,
through the hallway to the right. Handicap accessible bathroom is in the hallway near the kitchen.